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THIS WEEK'S NEWS OF ZION LUTHERAN | ANOKA

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 4 - 10, 2018

today - all saints



ZION
LUTHERAN † ANOKA

WORSHIP LEADERS

PREACHING:

Pastor Connie Tiede
Ian Coen-Frei (6 p.m.)

PRESIDING

8 a.m. Ian Coen-Frei
9 a.m. Pastor Connie Tiede
11 a.m. Pastor Sue Wallager
6 p.m. Pastor Brent Campbell

ORGANIST

Mary Jo Gothmann
Carolyn Zarling (11 a.m.)

READERS

5 p.m. Sandy Driste
8 a.m. Ron Gray
9 a.m. Bruce Messer
11 a.m. Lauren Hergenrader
6 p.m. Lee Ann Jenkins

CHRIST CARE PRAYERS... We rejoice with Minnie Jean Stroh who receives the Sacrament of Holy Baptism.

ALTAR FLOWERS... Given in loving memory of John Cox by Cathy Cox. In celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Darrel & Regina Beckman given by their family.

SPECIAL MUSIC... (8 & 9 a.m.)

Offertory: *We Shall Walk Through the Valley in Peace*; trad. spiritual; Moses Hogan, arr.; Zion Adult Choir; Roselyn Hanson Weber, dir.; Mary Jo Gothmann, organ
A special thank you to John Lace for playing the trumpet during 8 & 9 a.m. services.

ADULT FORUM

TODAY | 9 OR 10 AM | LEGACY ROOM

We start a new session called "The Story of Lutherans in America." This series on the history of Lutherans in America will transport you through four centuries of the planting of the Lutheran church in this new land, from its earliest days, facing religious pluralism, intolerance, lack of state support and diversity of languages and traditions. By understanding our history we can change the way we see ourselves and our future.

Nov 4: The Story of Lutherans in America: The Colonial Lutherans

Nov 11: The Story of Lutherans in America: Arriving in Waves

Nov 18: The Story of Lutherans in America: Building Institutions

Nov 25: Thanksgiving Weekend - No Forums

KID CITY SUNDAY SCHOOL

TODAY | 10 AM | VARIOUS ROOMS

OPEN GYM & YOUTH ROOM - GRADES 6 - 12

TODAY | 10 AM | YOUTH ROOM

LUTEFISK TICKETS ON SALE

TODAY | 8 AM - NOON | FRONT DESK

Zion's Lutefisk Dinner is on Monday, December 3 with three seatings - 4 p.m., 5 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Adults \$20; Children 6-12 \$8; Children 5 & under FREE.

MAGNUM CHORUM CONCERT

TODAY | 3 PM | ST. BARTHOLOMEW CATHOLIC CHURCH IN WAYZATA

Magnum Chorum (with singers Erik Jones and Mark Tiede) preform *Be Not Afraid*. For more information go to www.magnumchorum.org

STEWARDSHIP REMINDER

If you have not yet returned your Stewardship Commitment Card for 2019, please mail it in, place it in the offering plate or drop it off at the front desk at your convenience. Thank you for your faithful stewardship!

WORSHIP AT FARMSTEAD

TODAY | 1:30 PM | OFFSITE

COOKING WITH TRACI

TODAY | 2:30 PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

"THE RIVER" - WORSHIP SERVICE

TODAY | 6 PM | SANCTUARY

this week

PASTORS

Pastor Brent Campbell
Lead Pastor

Pastor Mike Rueckert
*Pastor for Children, Youth
& Family*

Pastor Connie Tiede
*Pastor for Worship,
Welcome, & Missions*

Pastor Sue Wallager
Pastor for Spiritual Care

Pastor Jim Barsch
*Pastor for Adult
Education*

Pastor Norm Berg
*Pastor for Spiritual Care
& Visitation*

Ian Coen-Frei
Seminary Intern

Pastor Mawien Ariik
*ELCA Missionary in
South Sudan*

Pastor Stephen Deal
*ELCA Missionary in
Central America*

Steve & Kim Blewett
*Missionaries in
Papua, New Guinea.*

MONDAY, NOV 5

Global Health Ministries Group

9:00 AM | OFFSITE

Believe - Small Group - A

2:00 PM | LEGACY ROOM

Communion Service at Walker Plaza

2:30 PM | OFFSITE

TOPS Weight Loss Group

5:30 PM | FIRESIDE ROOM

WOZ Ministry Team Meeting

6:00 PM | LIBRARY

Axis Ministry Small Group

6:30 PM | OFFSITE

Believe - Small Group - B

7:00 PM | OFFSITE

Divorce Care Group

7:00 PM | THEATER

TUESDAY, NOV 6

Believe - Small Group - C

7:00 AM | FIRESIDE ROOM

"Frolic" - Parent & Child Play Group

9:00 AM | SPARK PARK

Mens Ministry - Simeon Group

9:00 AM | LIBRARY

Global Health Ministries (Grade 6-8)

6:30 PM | OFFSITE

First Tuesdays Small Group

6:30 PM | FIRESIDE ROOM

Esther Circle

7:00 PM | LIBRARY

WEDNESDAY, NOV 7

Believe - Small Group - D

10:00 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Knit One, Purl Two

1:00 PM | FIRESIDE ROOM

CrossWalk Afterschool

3:30 PM | YOUTH ROOM

Believe - Small Group - E

5:30 PM | LIBRARY

Kids Choir & Youth Choir

5:30 PM | VARIOUS ROOMS

Ringmasters

6:00 PM | ROOM 204

CrossWalk Wednesday - Dinner

6:15 PM | VARIOUS ROOMS

Adult Choir

6:30 PM | CHOIR ROOM

Believe - Small Group - F

6:45 PM | LIBRARY

CrossWalk Wednesday - Programming

6:45 PM | VARIOUS ROOMS

Worship Team Rehearsal

7:00 PM | SANCTUARY

THURSDAY, NOV 8

Men's Ministry - The Levi Group

8:30 AM | LEGACY ROOM

The Gathering Respite Care

9:30 AM | YOUTH ROOM

The Gathering Support Group

10:00 AM | FIRESIDE ROOM

Seeker's Bible Study

11:00 AM | LIBRARY

Y's-Start

3:00 PM | VARIOUS ROOMS

FRIDAY, NOV 9

Senior Driving Refresher Class

8:30 AM | THEATER

SATURDAY, NOV 10

Apple Pumpkin Day

10:00 AM | CORNERSTONE CAFÉ

Worship with Holy Communion

5:00 PM | SANCTUARY

SUNDAY, NOV 11

Worship with Holy Communion

8, 9 & 11 AM | SANCTUARY

Adult Forum

9 & 10 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Kid City Sunday School

10:00 AM | VARIOUS ROOMS

New Member Coffee

10:00 AM | LEGACY ROOM

Open Youth Room & Gym - Grades 6 - 12

10:00 AM | YOUTH ROOM & CLC

Baptism Class

12:15 PM | LIBRARY

Contemplative Prayer

5:00 PM | CHAPEL

The River - Evening Worship

6:00 PM | SANCTUARY

Memorial Service



Richard Skerik
Thursday, November 9
10:00 AM | VISITATION
11:00 AM | SERVICE

coming up

APPLE PUMPKIN DAY

NOV 10 | 10 AM - NOON | CORNERSTONE CAFÉ
The Women of Zion will be hosting a potluck for women of all ages. Everyone is encouraged to bring a dish to share featuring either apples or pumpkin. There will also be crafting time! We will be making prayer beads together. This is a time for celebration and fellowship and we hope that you will be able to attend the event.

NEW MEMBER COFFEE/ORIENTATION

NOV 11 | 10 AM | LEGACY ROOM
Interested in membership at Zion? This is an opportunity to learn more about Zion, ask questions, and for us to get to know you better. RSVP to Pastor Brent at bcampbell@zionanoka.org (Walk-ins are welcome, too!)

BAPTISM CLASS

NOV 11 | 12:15 PM | LIBRARY
Whether you are expecting a child, recently had a child, or adopted a child and would like to know more about baptism, you are invited to join us for this class.

GLOBAL BUILDERS TRIP TO PUERTO RICO -GREEN VALLEY GIFT CARD FUNDRAISER

Support the Zion team headed for Puerto Rico with Global Builders by purchasing Green Valley Gift Cards. Team members will be selling the cards November 11 through December 1 at the Welcome Desk. Gift cards can also be used for your spring planting supplies, so stock up! (*See article on next page for more information.)

FARE FOR ALL

NOV 15 | 4 - 6 PM | LOWER COMMONS
Fare For All is a program that allows people in the community to come and shop at Zion once a month for deeply discounted nutritious food. *Fare For All* is open to everyone and accepts CASH, CREDIT, DEBIT & EBT cards. *The Shoe Bus* will also be here!

MEALS ON WHEELS VOLUNTEERS!

Zion's week to deliver meals is Nov 19 - 23. To sign up, contact Suzanne Gaboury at 763-506-8108/sgaboury@zionanoka.org or stop by the front desk. Thank you!

NORTHERN LIGHTS CHORALE CONCERT

NOV 18 | 3 PM | SANCTUARY
Come and listen to a free concert *All of Us* presented by the Northern Lights Chorale on Sunday, Nov 18. Check out Northern Lights Chorale on Facebook or at www.northernlightschorale.com

ZION PAGES BOOK GROUP 2018-2019

NOV 26 | 6:30 PM | LEGACY ROOM
The Little Old Lady Who Broke All The Rules by Catharina Ingelman-Sundberg.

GRADES 9-12 CHRISTMAS LOCK-IN

NOV 30 | 7 PM | VARIOUS ROOMS
Calling all high schoolers! You're invited to our annual Christmas Lock-in! **Nov 30 - Dec 1 from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m.** Wear your favorite Ugly Christmas Sweater, bring a white elephant gift, and come help serve Community Outreach this holiday season! Suggested donation for Community Outreach is \$10-\$20. Questions? Contact Josh at jmyroniuk@zionanoka.org.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT & LUNCHEON HOSTED BY THE WOMEN OF ZION

DEC 8 | 11 AM - 1 PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL
Featuring Mary Beth Carlson; Composer, Recording Artist, Author, Nationally Performing Concert Pianist & Inspirational Keynote Speaker. All are welcome; women and men, young and old. Open to the public. Tickets are \$15 and go **on sale Nov 11** at the front desk.

THANK YOU

"TRUNK OR TREAT!" VOLUNTEERS

Thanks to all who helped out at the *Trunk or Treat* last Wednesday. A fun time was had by all.

CABLE TV BROADCAST SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS | 12:30 AM |
9:00 AM | 5:00 PM
QCTV - Channel 15
Serves Andover, Anoka,
Champlin and Ramsey.

SATURDAYS | 5:00 PM
SUNDAYS | 1:00 AM &
9:00 AM
**North Metro TV
Channel 14**
Serves Blaine,
Centerville, Circle Pines,
Ham Lake, Lexington
and Spring Lake Park.

SUNDAYS | 5:00 PM
**Metro Cable Network
Channel 6**
Serves the 7 county
metro area.

*The service is always
from the preceding
weekend.*

LIVE BROADCAST

(All Sunday Services)
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HEARING ASSISTANCE UNITS AVAILABLE

Hearing assistance units are
available at the
sound booth at the
back of the Sanctuary.

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UPCOMING LESSONS

NOVEMBER 10/11

Ruth 3:9-13
Luke 10:25-37

NOVEMBER 17/18

1 Samuel 2:18-21
Mark 12:41-44

NOVEMBER 24/25

Revelation 22:1-7
John 18:33-37

prayer corner

Sometimes we wonder if our prayers really make any difference when the world is so full of suffering and tragedy, and yet we pray. And, we wonder.

It is true that prayer may always be a mystery to us, and maybe it was to Jesus, too, but he kept at it even when it was painful and difficult. That's the faith factor.

May the Spirit help us to continue in prayer as Jesus did to his last breath.

First Lesson: Genesis 4:1-16

Sermon Scripture: John 11:32-44

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?" Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

GLOBAL BUILDERS TRIP TO PUERTO RICO

We are planning an international building trip to Puerto Rico March 10-16, 2019 to work with the Fuller Center for Housing Global Builders. Our initial focus will be repairing and rebuilding damaged homes on the southeast corner of the island. Many families are still living with blue tarps as roofs and are being affected by unsanitary and unsafe living conditions. But we can help change that! There is information at the front desk or you can contact Pastor Connie Tiede at ctiede@zionanoka.org if you have questions. All participants must be 16 years or older. We will have some free time where we can travel and do some sight-seeing. Registrations are due in January.

JUST FOR FUN

Hymns for People Over 50

- *Give Me the Old Timers Religion*
- *Precious Lord, Take My Hand, And Help Me Up*
- *Just a Slower Walk with Thee*
- *Go Tell It on the Mountain, But Speak Up*
- *Nobody Knows the Trouble I Have Seeing*
- *Guide Me O Thou Great Lord God, I've Forgotten Where I've Parked The Car*
- *Blessed Insurance*
- *It Is Well With My Soul, But My Knees Hurt*

WELCOME

God is here for you, in the word and sacraments, in the love of this community.

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OFFICE HOURS

M-F: 8:30 AM TO 5:00 PM
SUN: 8:00 AM TO NOON



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