

# life together

THIS WEEK'S NEWS OF ZION LUTHERAN | ANOKA

WEEK OF JANUARY 13 - 19, 2019

## today



**ZION**  
LUTHERAN † ANOKA

### WORSHIP LEADERS

#### PREACHING:

Pastor Connie Tiede  
Ian Coen-Frei (6 PM)

#### PRESIDING:

8 AM Pastor Sue Wallager  
9 AM Pastor Brent Campbell  
11 AM Pastor Mike Rueckert  
Ian Coen-Frei  
6 PM Pastor Sue Wallager

#### ORGANIST

Mary Jo Gothmann

#### READERS

5 PM Sandy Driste  
8 AM Deb Oas Koepsell  
9 AM Karin Heinecke  
11 AM Carol Loyd  
6 PM Ann Campbell

**CHRIST CARE PRAYERS...**We rejoice with Evelyn Kristin Binczik who receives the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. We pray for the families of Lenny Lambert and Cecelia Thunell who mourn their deaths.

**ALTAR FLOWERS...**In loving memory of Jim Fraser and dear friend Mary Steinke given by Bev Fraser.

#### SPECIAL MUSIC...

Offering 8 & 9 AM: *My Light and My Salvation*; Lloyd Larson; Zion Adult Choir; Roselyn Hanson Weber, dir.; Mary Jo Gothmann, organ  
Communion Distribution 8 & 9 AM: *God Be in My Head*; John Rutter; Zion Adult Choir; Roselyn Hanson Weber, dir.; Mary Jo Gothmann, organ  
Welcome Music 11 AM: *As the Deer*; Hmong Youth Choir

#### ADULT FORUM

TODAY | 9 OR 10 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL  
Nhiabee Vang- Mission Developer,  
Ministry to the Hmong

#### CINNAMON ROLL SUNDAY

TODAY | 9 AM - 12:30 PM | CORNERSTONE CAFÉ  
Enjoy delicious, freshly made cinnamon rolls and support our youth going to Nicaragua and the Boundary Waters this summer!

#### BAPTISM CLASS

TODAY | 10 AM | 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.

#### GRADE 2 BIBLE CLASS

TODAY | 10 AM | LEGACY ROOM

#### TODAY IS THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER FOR QUAKE YOUTH GATHERING 6-8TH GRADES

Cost for this event is \$190. After today cost is \$215 for late registration, if space allows. Scholarships available, contact Pastor Mike. Register through Zion's website.

#### ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE

FEB 10 | NOON | FELLOWSHIP HALL

The Annual Meeting of Zion Lutheran Church will be held on Sunday, February 10 starting at noon. A light lunch will be served starting at 11:45 a.m. Please save the date and come to this important meeting of the congregation.

#### KID CITY SUNDAY SCHOOL

TODAY | 10 AM | VARIOUS ROOMS

#### OPEN GYM/YOUTH ROOM - GRADES 6 - 12

TODAY | 10 AM | YOUTH ROOM

#### GRADE 2 BIBLE PRESENTATION

TODAY | 11 AM | SANCTUARY

#### 7TH GRADE CONFIRMATION RETREAT

TODAY | 12 PM | VARIOUS ROOMS

#### CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER

TODAY | 5 PM | CHAPEL

#### "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.*

## Daily Encouraging Words

Do you need to hear an encouraging message today, or any day of the week?

Call 763-506-8191 for a recorded daily inspirational message!

## MONDAY, JAN 14

### Ruth Circle

11:30 PM | FIRESIDE ROOM

### Hannah Circle

1:00 PM | YOUTH ROOM

### Believe - Small Group - A

2:00 PM | LEGACY ROOM

### TOPS Weight Loss Group

5:30 PM | FIRESIDE ROOM

### Troop 233 Boy Scouts/Parent Mtg

6:30 PM | CLC/YOUTH ROOM

### Sons of Norway

6:30 PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

### Believe - Small Group - B

7:00 PM | OFFSITE

### Divorce Care Group

7:00 PM | THEATER

## TUESDAY, JAN 15

### 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

### Quilters

9:00 AM | ART ROOM

### Communion Service - Champlin Shores

1:15 PM | OFFSITE

### Church Council Meeting

6:30 PM | LEGACY ROOM

## WEDNESDAY, JAN 16

### Global Health Ministries Group

9:00 AM | OFFSITE

### Communion Service -

### Homestead of Anoka Care Center

9:30 AM | OFFSITE

### Believe - Small Group - D

10:00 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

### Knit One, Purl Two

1:00 PM | FIRESIDE ROOM

### Bible Study at Farmstead

2:00 PM | OFFSITE

## 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, JAN 17

### The Gathering Respite Care

10:00 AM | YOUTH ROOM

### The Gathering Support Group

10:00 AM | FIRESIDE ROOM

## FRIDAY, JAN 18

## SATURDAY, JAN 19

### Family Event - Tubing

10:00 AM | OFFSITE

### Worship with Holy Communion

5:00 PM | SANCTUARY

## SUNDAY, JAN 20

### Worship with Holy Communion

8:00, 9:00, & 11:00 AM | SANCTUARY

### Adult Forum

9:00 & 10:00 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

### Kid City Sunday School

10:00 AM | VARIOUS ROOMS

### Open Youth Room/Gym (6 - 12 Grade)

10:00 AM | YOUTH ROOM/CLC

### The River - Evening Worship

6:00 PM | SANCTUARY

# coming up

## JOIN US FOR A FAMILY EVENT!

What: Tubing!!

Where: Elm Creek Winter Rec Area

Who: Open to all ages!

When: January 19 at 10 AM

Cost: \$15 per person for 2 hours

Come tubing with us and bring your family and friends for a fun filled wintery day at Elm Creek Winter Recreation Center! We will meet up in the chalet at 10 AM, and head to the tubing hill! No transportation provided. Questions? Contact Josh Myroniuk at [jmyroniuk@zionanoka.org](mailto:jmyroniuk@zionanoka.org) or Pastor Mike at [mrueckert@zionanoka.org](mailto:mrueckert@zionanoka.org).

## ULTIMATE LOCK-OUT FOR GRADES 6-12

JAN 25-26 | 9 PM-8:30 AM | OFFSITE

This is an overnight event spent mostly at the Shoreview Community Center (pool/water park, gym, space for movies and other activities). Friends are welcome! More info at: <https://zionanokamiddleschool.blogspot.com/2018/12/ultimate-lock-out-january-25-26.html>.

## NEW MEMBER COFFEE/ORIENTATION

JAN 27 | 10-10:50 AM | LEGACY ROOM

Anyone interested in learning more about Zion Lutheran Church and becoming a member of Zion is invited to a new member coffee and orientation with Pastor Brent on Sunday, Jan 27. Please RSVP to Dee Ann Cameron at [dcameron@zionanoka.org](mailto:dcameron@zionanoka.org) or Pastor Brent at [bcampbell@zionanoka.org](mailto:bcampbell@zionanoka.org). "Walk-ins" are always welcome. New members will be welcomed/received at the 11 AM service that same morning.

## ZION PAGES BOOK GROUP 2018-2019

Jan 28 | 6:30 PM | LEGACY

*The German Girl a Novel* by Armando Lucas Correa. All are welcome as we discuss great books this year!

## DEADLINE EXTENDED FOR THE FAMILY BOUNDARY WATERS TRIP

Want to experience God in the Wilderness? Come to the Boundary Waters on July 11-16. Open to Zion families with youth grades 8 and up! Register at [www.zionanoka.org](http://www.zionanoka.org) under Event Registration. **Registration closes on Jan 31.** Pick up a packet at the front desk. Questions? Contact Josh Myroniuk at [jmyroniuk@zionanoka.org](mailto:jmyroniuk@zionanoka.org) or call at 763-506-8123

## REQUEST FOR HALLWAY AMBASSADORS AT ANOKA MIDDLE SCHOOL

As a hallway ambassador, you would simply stand at one of many hall locations (Fred Moore Campus) which is busy with student traffic during the daily lunch period transitions (approx. 11:15 AM - 1:15 PM). You are not to be a disciplinarian, but rather nothing more than an adult presence. Choose the day or days you would like to participate. Once a week or once a month. For more info, contact Glen Semanko at 763-753-4094 or [glensemanko@yahoo.com](mailto:glensemanko@yahoo.com).

## LOOKING FOR SILENT AUCTION ITEMS!!

Our second ever *Valentine's Dinner & Silent Auction* will be on Feb 8, 5:30-7:30 PM. This event is to raise money for the summer trips to Nicaragua and the Boundary Waters! Tickets are on sale now for the dinner. Adults \$20 and Children \$5. If you wish to also contribute in other ways, we are looking for homemade or themed basket donations for the silent auction! To contribute to the silent auction or ask questions, contact Josh at [jmyroniuk@zionanoka.org](mailto:jmyroniuk@zionanoka.org) or 763-506-8123.

## JOB OPENING – EARLY CHILDHOOD MINISTRY ASSISTANT

A part-time position is open in Zion's Children, Youth, and Family ministry area. Responsibilities include leading and expanding the vision for Zion's early childhood (birth-kindergarten) ministry. For more information please see our full job description available at the front desk or contact Pastor Mike at [mrueckert@zionanoka.org](mailto:mrueckert@zionanoka.org) or 763-506-8120.

## 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)*

[www.facebook.com/ZionLutheranChurch](http://www.facebook.com/ZionLutheranChurch)

## ELECTRONIC GIVING

*Scan the QR code below for electronic giving via your cell phone!*



## 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

JANUARY 19/20

Acts 7:54-8:2  
Luke 9:23-27

JANUARY 26/27

Acts 2:42-47  
John 13:1-17

FEBRUARY 2/3

1 Corinthians 12:12-26  
Matthew 25:14-30

**First Lesson:** 2 Chronicles 20:5-17

**Sermon Scripture:** Matthew 14:22-33

Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. And early in the morning he came walking toward them on the sea. But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, saying, "It is a ghost!" And they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, "Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid." Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came toward Jesus. But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, "You of little faith, why did you doubt?" When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."

## JOYA Concert and Pre-Super Bowl Party

PARTY | FEB 3 | 2 PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

CONCERT | FEB 3 | 3 PM | SANCTUARY

Please join us for this pre-super bowl party and concert. At 2 PM come for light appetizers and treats before the concert. At 3 PM enjoy a concert presented by Charles Lazarus, Minnesota Orchestra Trumpeter, and the Lazarus Band playing music from their *LoveJoy* album with fresh takes on classic love songs like *Stardust* and *I Can't Get Started*, plus feel-good grooving originals. It's a cocktail of musical romance! Charles' long-time collaborators Tommy Barbarella (keyboards), Jeff Bailey (bass) and David Schmalenberger (drums) provide the foundation from which the band explores an eclectic mix of originals and re-imagined favorites. Tickets available at [zionanoka.org](http://zionanoka.org) (go to event registration). Party is included for season subscribers, just bring your ticket! Single tickets for either the 'Concert & Party' or the 'Concert Only' are \$20 each. **A 'Concert & Party' ticket is required for attendance at the 2 PM party and must be purchased on or before Jan 27.** Please note that 'Concert Only' tickets can be purchased at the door on the day of the concert.

### "JEST KIDDING"

After telling her Sunday school students about God's promise to the Israelites the teacher asked them, "What do you think a land flowing with milk and honey would be like?" Little Ellie answered, "Sticky."

## prayer corner

*"The prayer of the morning will determine the day. Wasted time, which we are ashamed of, temptations that beset us, weakness and listlessness in our work, disorder and indiscipline in our thinking and our relations with other people very frequently have their cause in neglect of the morning prayer. The organization and distribution of our time will be better for having been rooted in prayer."*

Dietrich Bonhoeffer

### WELCOME

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

### CONTACT

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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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