

West Zion Mennonite Church

10:30 AM: Worship Service

Church phone (620-345-8143)

Email: www.westzionmc.org

June 9, 2024

Prelude Donna Stucky

Welcome Pastor Phil

Announcements *(raise your hand for the microphone or come to the front)*

Call to Worship Responsive Reading on screen

**Song *Blessed assurance HWB 332*
God is here among us HWB 16

Offering *(Offering will be received in the box on the back table)*

Song for Meditation

Sharing of Joys and Concerns *(raise your hand for the microphone)*

Prayer

**Song *"Have thine own way, Lord" HWB 504*

Message "Daniel & the Lion's Den" – Daniel 6 Pastor Phil

**Sending Song *Dare to be a Daniel*

**Benediction

**Postlude

**please stand if you are able

Greeter(s): Will & Ellen Kaufman

Our Mission: God calls us into community to worship God and follow Jesus through the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit.

West Zion Prayers

Kaleigh Guhr and her mission trip

Search Committee & church leadership

Health journeys and those dealing with the loss of a loved one

Next Sunday, June 16

Greeter(s): Mike & Connie Kaufman

9:30 AM: Sunday School

10:30 AM: Worship Service

Accompanist: Crysta Guhr

Worship Leader: Carla Stucky

Scripture: Romans 8:14-17

Message: Heavenly Father's Day – Pastor Phil

Coming Events

June 23: Joe Garber from Eastern Mennonite Missions will talk about God's heart for all nations.

July 8-11: Vacation Bible School at West Zion

Interim Pastor Phil Slabaugh

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*Livestream can be found on our West Zion Youtube page
Go to www.youtube.com and search West Zion Mennonite*

West Zion Announcements

(Bulletin information due by Thursday noon)

1. Thank you to all who helped with **the chalupa meal** this past weekend. The meal raised \$2,431.10! Thank you also to Connie Kaufman for her leadership in organizing the event.

2. **Vacation Bible School** will be held at West Zion July 8-11 this summer from 6:00-8:30 PM. The theme this year is "Scuba: Diving into friendship with God!" It is for ages 3 up to kids entering 5th grade in the fall. Registration forms can be found in the foyer. If you would like to volunteer, please talk to Ellen Kaufman.

3. Mission Team will continue to collect **items for MCC kits** through the month of June. Items needed are: NEW infant sleepers (6-12 month sizes); bath towels (dark colored, light to medium weight); wide-toothed combs; laundry soap (such as Fels Naptha or Zote brands); shampoo (20 oz min); fingernail clippers (good quality); and hand towels (dark colored). Locally, MCC distributes prisoner care and returning citizen care kits. For those kits we currently need: men's T-shirts (sizes L, XL, 2XL, 3XL -- any color); men's underwear (sizes L, XL, 2XL, 3XL – any color); men's crew socks; lotion (12 oz min); and adult backpacks. If you would like to donate, place them into the box in the foyer.

4. **Joe Garber from Eastern Mennonite Missions** will be visiting on Sunday, June 23. Eastern Mennonite Missions (EMM) partners with Evana Network and other Anabaptist and like-minded organizations around the world. Their work is to share the good news of Christ's transforming love with people who don't know Him. Joe and his wife Yvonne will present on June 23 and give us the opportunity to hear a message about missions being the foundational storyline of the Bible. They will also share stories of what God is doing through EMM in sending young adults and others to the nations.

PRAYER GARDEN

Pray for Search Committee, West Zion Church Council, and Teams



General Announcements

5. **Everence®** will hold an informative Social Security and retirement income workshop on Tuesday, June 18, starting at 6:30 p.m. Topics will include, Social Security strategies, including when to begin taking benefits, risks that can impact your retirement savings plus strategies to help your income last throughout retirement. There will also be plenty of time for questions. This will be held at the Everence office: 3179 N. Main St. Suite 1B, North Newton. Information will be presented by staff from the Everence offices in Central Kansas. To register contact Everence at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or central.kansas@everence.com.

6. The Moundridge **Community Blood Drive** is scheduled for Friday, June 21 from noon until 6:00 PM at Pine Village Wellness Center. Call 1-800-733-2767 or visit www.redcrossblood.org to make an appointment (use "Moundridge" for the sponsor code). Thanks for your support and if you have any questions, call Denise Stucky at 620-386-0112 or email hdstucky@mtelco.net.

June 2 attendance: 47

BUDGET SUMMARY

	This Year	Last Year
Regular collections – this week	\$ 3,134.61	\$ 2,122.00
Regular collections – year to date	\$ 85,521.92	\$ 63,258.62
 Budget	 \$173,035.00	 \$163,155.00
Less: expended to date	(46,979.49)	(40,347.51)
Less: cash balance	(<u>61,627.29</u>)	(<u>28,793.60</u>)
Receipts needed to meet budget	\$ 64,428.22	\$ 94,013.89
Avg. offering per Sunday needed to meet budget	\$ 2,148	\$ 3,134
 BK Chalupa	 \$ 2,431.10	