

## West Zion Mennonite Church

10:30 AM: Worship Service

Church phone (620-345-8143)

Email: [www.westzionmc.org](http://www.westzionmc.org)

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August 18, 2024

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Prelude Carla Stucky

Welcome Pastor Phil

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

**\*\*Call to Worship**

Leader: Most gracious God, quiet our hearts, heal our anxious thoughts,

**People: free us from our fretful ways.**

Leader: Breathe on us your holy calm so that in the stillness of your presence

**People: we may open ourselves to trust and be transformed.**

**All: Amen.**

**\*\*Song** *Sweet hour of prayer HWB 11*

Offering / Song of Meditation

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

Prayer

**\*\*Song** *What a friend we have HWB 573*

Message "Ungodly People" Jude 8-16,19 Pastor Phil

**\*\*Sending Song** *I need thee every hour HWB 555*

**\*\*Benediction**

**\*\*Postlude**

**\*\*please stand if you are able**

Greeter(s): Mike & Connie Kaufman

You may give an offering in the lock box at the back of the sanctuary.

**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

Richard Golden who is dealing with health issues  
Dale, an employee at Goering Hardware, dealing with health issues  
Search Committee, church leadership, West Zion's future  
Mental and physical health journeys



#### Prayer Garden

Pray for teachers and students

### Next Sunday, August 25

**Greeter(s):** Will & Ellen Kaufman

**10:30 AM:** Worship Service

**Accompanist:** Carla Stucky

**Worship Leader:** Pastor Phil

**Scripture:** Jude 17-25

**Message:** "Building Yourselves Up" - Pastor Phil

**Catered noon meal**

### Coming Events

Sept. 1: No Sunday School

Sept. 8: Sunday School begins at **9:15 AM**, meets for 5 weeks

Sept. 15: Sunday School 9:15 AM

August 11 attendance: 41

#### **Interim Pastor Phil Slabaugh**

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#### **Secretary Carla Stucky**

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*Livestream can be found on our West Zion Youtube page  
Go to [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) and search West Zion Mennonite*

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## West Zion Announcements

(Bulletin information due by Thursday noon)

1. **Sunday August 25** will be Pastor Phil's last Sunday with us. We realize that some of you will be attending the Swiss-Mennonite Church celebration that morning, but we will have worship here as well for those not involved in that event. We are planning an appreciation lunch following the worship service. We are planning to have the meal catered so we are asking that you sign up to let us know how many to plan on. No food needs to be brought. Even if you are attending the Swiss-Mennonite Celebration we would like to have you join us for the farewell lunch. Please sign up in the foyer by August 21.

2. **Adult Sunday School Class** – Sunday School will begin again on Sunday, September 8 at 9:15 AM. Ellen Kaufman distributed books this morning but if you couldn't make it, let her know and she will get you a book. We will be studying You Were Made For This Moment by Max Lucado. This will be a 5-week study. All are invited!

3. The **Mission Team project** for the month of August will be school supplies. At this time, Kleenex boxes are on the top of their list. Place them in the box in the foyer.

4. The **Moundridge Community Blood Drive** is scheduled for August 23 at 12:00 noon until 6:00 p.m. at the Pine Village Wellness Center. Call 1-800-733-2767 or visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) for an appointment and use "Moundridge" for the sponsor code. Thanks for your support and if you have any questions, call Jerry at 501-388-0177 or email [jerryschrag@gmail.com](mailto:jerryschrag@gmail.com).



We wish a “**Happy Birthday**” to:  
August 18: Jay Kessler, Berna Suarez

## General Announcements

5. **It's almost here!** Be sure to register at [swissmennonite.org](http://swissmennonite.org) website for the August 23-25 celebration at Eden of the 150th Anniversary of our ancestors coming to the US in 1874. There is a wonderful array of speakers and topics lined up. The "Schweitzers and Friends" event invites you to take advantage of a very full weekend of speakers, singing, learning, harvesting wheat, and visiting with friends, as well as activities for children. A list of seminars can be found in the foyer. Be sure to register if you want to eat the cafeteria style Ethnic Meal (\$25/plate) at Eden, 5:00-6:30 catered by Bread Basket in Newton on Saturday, August 24. Call Kathy Goering at 316-371-6189 for questions. **Fliers with schedule information can be found in the foyer.**

6. Saturday, August 24, we will be demonstrating our **final 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Pioneer Event** with the threshing and milling of Turkey Red Hard Winter Wheat we have raised using horse drawn and vintage equipment, just west of the Moundridge Museum complex. We will be using a McCormick-Deering threshing machine powered by an antique tractor to thresh the bundles of Turkey Red we bound and shocked back in June. There will also be an 1874 grist mill, milling demonstration providing us a unique opportunity to have Turkey Red wheat flour available for purchase. The official start of the threshing and milling will be at 3:00 PM with a farm equipment display at 9:00 AM all day. There will be limited bleacher seating and concessions (including K3 Creamery) available. Come join us!

7. A **Vintage Farm Equipment Show** will run from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM on Saturday, August 24 in the field west of the Moundridge Museum Complex. If you have an antique tractor, truck, implement or any equipment you would like to display, please call Glen Goering 620-242-3100.