

West Zion Mennonite Church

10:30 AM: Worship Service

Church phone (620-345-8143)

Email: www.westzionmc.org

August 25, 2024

Prelude Carla Stucky

Welcome Pastor Phil

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

**Call to Worship *Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)*

Offering / Song of Meditation

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

Prayer

**Song *Great is the Lord HWB 87*

Message "Building Yourselves Up" Jude 17-25 Pastor Phil

**Sending Song *As You Go Out from Here*

**Benediction

**Postlude

**please stand if you are able

Greeter(s): Will & Ellen 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

Praise for Leon Guhr's healing from skin cancer!
Search Committee, church leadership, West Zion's future
Mental and physical health journeys



Prayer Garden

Pray for Pastor Phil

Next Sunday, September 1

Greeter(s): Terry & Shery Kessler

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Accompanist: Donna Stucky

Worship Leader: Carla Stucky

Message: Song & scripture

Coming Events

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

Sept. 15: Sunday School 9:15 AM

August 18 attendance: 44

Secretary Carla Stucky

Office Hours: Thursdays 9-11:30 AM, 1-4 PM

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

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West Zion Announcements

(Bulletin information due by Thursday noon)

1. There will be a **lunch following worship** today in appreciation of Pastor Phil and his ministry here.

2. **Deacons Sharon Gehring and Will Kaufman** will be out of town from August 29 to September 3. If there are any pastoral needs or concerns, please contact Lory Fisher.

3. **Adult Sunday School Class** – Sunday School will begin again on Sunday, September 8 at 9:15 AM. Books were distributed last Sunday but it is not too late to get a book and study guide. Let Ellen Kaufman know if you would like one. We will be studying You Were Made For This Moment on the story of Esther by Max Lucado. This will be a 5-week study. All are invited!

4. 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 under the coat rack.

5. **Steps to End Poverty:** StepMC Moundridge has a new coach, Alyssa Pollman! Alyssa has come to talk to our church and some of you might know her. Moundridge is looking for people 18 years and older to provide childcare this fall for the new StepMC class beginning September 16 held at First Church of Christian in Moundridge. People who help will now be paid! Hours would be Monday from 5:30-7:30 PM. If you or someone you know might be interested, contact Alyssa at 918-306-2042.

6. **StepMC** is looking for persons to provide a meal for the Monday evening classes. Sign-up can be found at the link below or you may go to the StepMC website. The meal would need to be brought to First Mennonite Church of Christian and ready to serve by 5:15 PM. You are welcome to sit and eat with the group. Clean-up begins around 5:45 and you are free to go after that. Any leftovers are sent home with class participants. Currently, meals are needed for November and December 2024. Consider this important opportunity to help!
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4da4a928a3fdc70-stepmc#/>

7. Worship Leader: Please prayerfully consider becoming a worship leader for a Sunday morning (or two or three...). We could use one or two more people!



We wish a **“Happy Birthday”** to:
 August 26: Carol Hanna
 August 28: Marlene Wiens

We wish a **“Happy Anniversary”** to:
 August 20: David & Marlene Wiens
 (missed this last week!)

BUDGET SUMMARY	This Year	Last Year
Regular collections – this week	\$ 1,094.01	\$ 1,194.00
Regular collections – year to date	\$105,421.25	\$ 84,170.83
 Budget	 \$173,035.00	 \$163,155.00
Less: expended to date	(72,806.90)	(65,626.58)
Less: cash balance	<u>(55,730.11)</u>	<u>(24,451.12)</u>
Receipts needed to meet budget	\$ 44,497.99	\$ 73,077.30
Avg. offering per Sunday needed to meet budget	\$ 2,342	\$ 4,060