

West Zion Mennonite Church

10:30 AM: Worship Service

Church phone (620-345-8143)

Email: www.westzionmc.org

January 19, 2025

Prelude Carla Stucky

Welcome Ellen Kaufman

Announcements

**Call to Worship *Fill My Cup, Lord S&R 22*

Offering/Song of Meditation

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayer

**Song *Break thou the bread of life HWB 360*

Message "Where is Jesus?" Luke 2 Pastor Justin

Deacon Blessing

Communion

**Sending Song *I Surrender All*

**Benediction Pastor Justin

**Postlude

**Please stand if you are able

Greeter(s): Leon & Virginia Guhr

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

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

West Zion Prayers

Trianna Cowden healing from a fall
Tracy Duffman's granddaughter struggling with issues
Physical and mental health journeys

Next Sunday, January 26

Greeter(s): Royce & Sandy Jantz

10:30 a.m.: Worship Service

Accompanist: Donna Stucky

Worship Leader: Vicky Kessler

Message: Pastor Justin Knight

Coming Events and Church Use

Jan. 20: STEP MC 4-8 p.m.

Jan. 22: Taco meal & MYM

Jan. 27: STEP MC 4-8 p.m.

Jan. 29: Pancake/sausage meal & MYM

Feb. 15: Galentine's Brunch at 10 a.m., Black Kettle Barn

Jan. 12 attendance: 42

Pastor Justin Knight

Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 9:00-noon,
other times by appointment, Fridays off

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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 and search West Zion Mennonite*

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West Zion Announcements

Announcements are due to the secretary by Thursday noon

1. All are invited to stay for the **potluck meal** after worship. The Annual Meeting will follow the meal in Fellowship Hall.
2. **Pastor Justin Knight's** office hours will be Monday through Thursday from 9:00 to noon. Please call if you would like to come visit in the afternoon. Fridays will be his day off. His cell phone and email are listed in the bulletin under coming events.
3. **The 2024 White Christmas offering:** MCC Center received \$1,000, 29 infant sleepers and 98 bars of soap, and Camp David received \$3,358.73. Thank you to all for your donations!
4. **Save the date!** A Galentine's Brunch for the women and girls of our church will be held on Saturday, February 15 at 10:00 a.m. at the Black Kettle Barn outside of Moundridge. More details to follow.
5. The **2025 Greeter's List** is in mailboxes now. If you are a greeter, please note your dates to greet. If you cannot greet on that Sunday, find someone to switch with and let the secretary know of that change.
6. It is time to begin work on a new **Yearbook!** The church directory with updates can be found in the foyer. Please make changes to it as needed before January 26.
7. **Moundridge Youth Ministries** will begin meeting again at West Zion on January 22 and run for 8 weeks. The meal schedule has been put together by Connie Kaufman and tacos will be the first meal! All are invited to come eat at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesdays!

General Announcements

8. **You are invited** to the 2025 Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) Annual Celebration on Feb. 14-15 at the Ridgepoint Church, 8000 W., 21st St in Wichita. MDS is celebrating 75 years of Responding, Rebuilding, and Restoring after disasters. You will hear stories from clients and volunteers. You can attend workshops on today's key issues facing the MDS organization. The event is free, including meals. Tours have a fee. For more information about the activities and registration, go to the website www.mds.org. Registration deadline is January 27.

9. **Register now for the 500 Years of Anabaptism & Swiss Alps Tour, May 21-31, 2025.** Sites: The Swiss Alps, Swiss Mennonite sites, & the 500 Year Celebration in Zurich on May 29. Preview the tour at www.tourwithweldon.com. For information & registration details contact Weldon Martens at weldon.martens@gmail.com or 402-202-9276.



We wish a **“Happy Birthday”** to:
January 21: Curtis Guhr
January 23: Leon Guhr

BUDGET SUMMARY

	This Year	Last Year
Regular collections – this week	\$ 1,198.00	\$ 1,175.00
Regular collections – year to date	\$ 19,882.72	\$ 14,184.70
Budget	\$178,431.00	\$173,035.00
Less: expended to date	(4,311.19)	(646.10)
Less: cash balance	(64,689.81)	(36,380.04)
Receipts needed to meet budget	\$109,430.00	\$136,008.86
Avg. offering per Sunday needed to meet budget	\$ 2,189	\$ 2,720