

West Zion Mennonite Church

10:30 AM: Worship Service

Church phone (620-345-8143)

Email: www.westzionmc.org

April 20, 2025

EASTER SUNDAY

Prelude Carla Stucky

Welcome & Announcements

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

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Prayer

****Songs** *Low in the Grave HWB 273*
Christ the Lord is Risen Today HWB 280 (vss 1,2,5)
When I Survey / The Wonderful Cross

Special Music "Because He Lives"
Lorene Lohrenz & Marlene Wiens

Message Luke 24 Pastor Justin

Hallelujah Chorus

****Please stand if you are able**

Greeter(s): Royce & Sandy Jantz

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

Family and friends of Sherry Wedel who died on April 12
Praise for Terry Kessler who is umping again!
Karen Hess, WZ missionary partner in the Czech Republic
Physical and mental health journeys

Next Sunday, April 27

Greeter(s): Leon & Virginia Guhr

10:30 a.m.: Worship Service

Accompanist: Carla Stucky

Message: Pastor Justin Knight

Coming Events and Church Use

April 21: STEP MC 4-8 p.m.

April 23: Church Council 7:00 p.m.

April 25-26: Kitchen and Fellowship Hall reserved for STEP MC garage sale, held outside if good weather, inside if rain

April 28: STEP MC 4-8 p.m.

May 2: Craft night 6:00 p.m.

May 7: Women's Salad Supper 6:30 p.m.

April 13 attendance: 45

Pastor Justin Knight

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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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BUDGET SUMMARY	This Year	Last Year
Regular collections – this week	\$ 1,532.40	\$ 1,112.00
Regular collections – year to date	\$ 58,453.88	\$ 54,704.70
Budget	\$178,431.00	\$173,035.00
Less: expended to date	(39,812.10)	(33,431.56)
Less: cash balance	<u>(67,948.76)</u>	<u>(44,302.95)</u>
Receipts needed to meet budget	\$ 70,670.14	\$ 95,300.49
Avg. offering per Sunday needed to meet budget	\$ 1,910	\$ 2,576

West Zion Announcements

Announcements are due to the secretary by Thursday noon

1. Pastor Justin Knight would love to **visit and have a time of fellowship** with you! Please call or text him at 918-859-8267 to find a time to meet.
2. The Camp David International **Backpack Challenge** ends today. Thank you to all who donated, the money and items will be much appreciated!
3. All women and girls are invited to attend a **Salad Supper** on Wednesday, May 7 at 6:30 p.m. downstairs in Fellowship Hall. Bring a salad and guests. There is a sign-up sheet on a foyer table for you and the number of guests attending. Diana Schunn will be the speaker and will talk about her heart transplant several years ago. You won't want to miss this!
4. **STEPMC needs gently used donations** for their upcoming garage sale on April 26 at West Zion. Donations will be accepted April 21-25 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at West Zion. **Baked goods sell well so consider bringing that also.** Package baked goods individually and in groups. The STEPMC Leaders will price items. Call Alyssa at 918-306-2042 if you have questions.
5. Could you survive in someone else's shoes? A **Poverty Simulation** with Rebecca Lewis-Pankratz will take place on May 1 from 5:45 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. at the McPherson United Methodist Church. **There is a big need for middle class persons to take part in this simulation.** A sign-up QR code can be found in the foyer.



We wish a **"Happy Birthday"** to:
April 21: Royce Jantz

General Announcements

6. **Everence® April workshop: Make Medicare an Easy Step.** Everence will hold its popular Medicare workshop at its office in North Newton on Thursday, April 24 at 6:30 p.m. Topics will include when and where to sign up for Medicare, what Medicare covers, plus an explanation of Medicare Parts A, B, C, and D. Attendance is recommended for those approaching retirement or those ready to sign up for Medicare. The workshop will be held at the Everence office: 3179 N. Main St. Suite 1B, North Newton. Those interested in attending should contact the Everence office at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or central.kansas@everence.com.
7. **Taco Tuesday** is a free will donation fundraiser for STEPMC and will take place on Tuesday, April 29 at Trinity Lutheran in McPherson. Information is on the board.
8. The Moundridge Fire Dept. is hosting a **pancake feed** on Saturday, May 3. Come down and enjoy some breakfast with a free will donation. They will serve at the Fire Department (115 W. Cole) from 7:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
9. The **Pine Village Benefit Day** Pulled Pork and Baby Back Ribs Fundraiser is combined this year with our Annual Car Show! Pulled pork and baby back ribs are available for pre-order. All the meat is cooked by BJ's BBQ, packaged, and ready to eat or freeze. Orders can be made online at <https://www.pinevillageks.org> or by returning a pre-order form to Pine Village. **ALL ORDERS MUST BE IN BY 4PM ON APRIL 25.** Pre-orders can be picked up at Wellness Center on May 9 or during noon-3:00 p.m. during the car show.
10. Join us for our 4th Annual **Pine Village Car Show** on Saturday, May 10 from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Enjoy the BBQ dinner from 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. (by donation). The event is free for spectators and includes inflatables for the children. BBQ pre-orders can be picked up at the Wellness Center on May 9 or from noon-3:00 p.m. or during the Car Show.