

## 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 10, 2025

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Prelude Carla Stucky

Welcome Vicky Kessler

### Announcements

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

Call to Worship On screen

\*\*Songs *The Joy of the Lord (Nehemiah 8:10)*  
*It Is Well HWB 336*

Sharing Joys and Concerns  
Prayer Vicky Kessler

Message Pastor Marshall Anderson  
“Wait, what?” Isaiah 1:1,10-20

\*\*Sending Song *Jesus Paid It All*

\*\*Benediction Pastor Marshall  
\*\*Postlude

\*\*Please stand if you are able

Greeter(s): Berna & Jennifer Suarez

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

### Summer Prayer Concerns

Pray for guest ministers who give inspirational messages  
each Sunday at West Zion

## West Zion Prayers

Carol Hanna's mother, Eddis Davis, died August 6

Terry Kessler's friend and fellow ump, Bob

Jeannette Logback's sister and husband, Jerry & Sharon

Sharon Gehring's son, Rodney

Teachers and administration returning to school

Karen Hess, WZ missionary partner in the Czech Republic

Physical and mental health journeys

## Next Sunday, August 17

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

**Worship Leader:** Connie Kaufman

**10:30 a.m.:** Worship Service

**Accompanist:** Carla Stucky

**Message:**

## Coming Events and Church Use

August 11: STEP MC 4-8 p.m.

August 18: STEP MC 4-8 p.m.

August 19: STEP MC fundraiser at West Zion

September 1: No STEP MC meeting

September 5: Craft Night 6:00 p.m.

August 3 attendance: 46

**Secretary Carla Stucky**

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

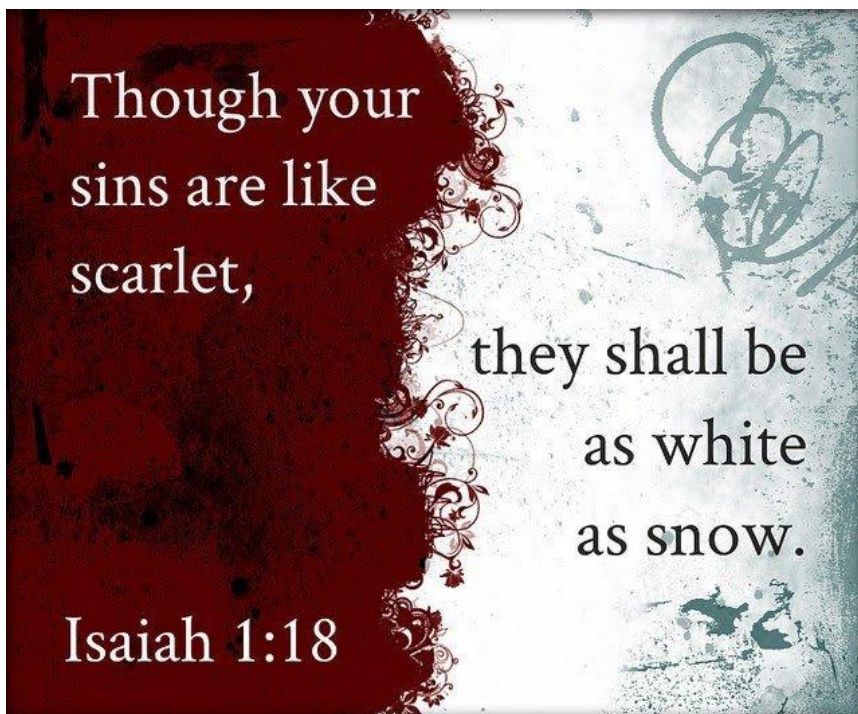
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*Livestream can be found on our West Zion YouTube page  
Go to [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) and search West Zion Mennonite*

**BUDGET SUMMARY**

	<b>This Year</b>	<b>Last Year</b>
Regular collections – this week	\$ 2,299.00	\$ 1,850.00
Regular collections – year to date	\$ 95,961.73	\$ 103,597.24
 Budget	 \$178,431.00	 \$173,035.00
Less: expended to date	( 79,737.96)	( 70,265.17)
Less: cash balance	<u>( 66,072.04)</u>	<u>( 56,447.83)</u>
Receipts needed to meet budget	\$ 32,621.00	\$ 46,322.00
Avg. offering per Sunday needed to meet budget	\$ 1,553	\$ 2,206



## **West Zion Announcements**

*Announcements are due to the secretary by Thursday noon*

1. **Welcome and thank you to Marshall Anderson** for bringing our morning message! Marshall Anderson is an ordained Mennonite pastor and has served churches in Kansas and Indiana. He is a graduate of the Hesston College Pastoral Ministries Program. He now works for Producer Ag/Mid- Kansas COOP. Marshall and his wife Lindsay have 3 children, Kaden, Kaiya, and Kaleb. They live in Newton.

2. Mission Team is planning a **project to collect MCC school kit supplies**. Each kit contains the following school supplies packed in colorful cloths that a child can use as a backpack:

- 4 spiral or perforated-page 70 sheet notebooks, (8.5 in x 11 in)
- 8 new unsharpened pencils
- 1 ruler (flat, good quality; must indicate 30 cm)
- 12 colored pencils (in packaging)
- 1 large eraser
- 4 new black or blue ballpoint pens
- 1 small all-metal pencil sharpener (one or two holes)

You can donate one or more items by leaving them in the foyer for the month of August. Thank you for prayerfully considering how you might contribute.

3. The **Mission Team would like to thank** all of you for your July contributions to the Moundridge School System. Sixty boxes of Kleenex and \$330 for headset testing items were donated. The school expresses gratitude for your generosity.

4. **STEPMC will be holding a BBQ Fundraiser** on Tuesday, August 19 from 11 a.m.-1:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The meal will be served at West Zion. You are invited to help with this fundraiser by either volunteering your time, bringing a dessert, or coming to eat delicious BBQ and donating money! Here are the links to sign up:

BBQ sign-up to help:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0548AAAE23ABF49-57736887-stepmc>

Sign-up to bring a dessert:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0548AAAE23ABF49-57737222-desserts>

5. The **August 2025 Czech-In newsletter** from our missionary partner, Karen Hess, has been emailed to the church. A few copies of the newsletter can be found in the back of the sanctuary for those who don't have email. Please take time to read Karen's newsletter and continue to keep her and Eastern Mennonite Missions in prayer.

6. **"Something to Think About,"** is a new 1-minute daily radio challenge in Kansas by Pastor Jim Burns. It can be heard Monday through Friday at 6:35 a.m. on KWBW 1450 AM & 98.5 FM out of Hutchinson. The 1-minute message shares practical stories and principles to give people hope and help non-believers consider Christ. Please pray for this new ministry.

7. **Yearbook change:** Chase & Hailey Stucky moved to 4657 N. Steeds Crossing St, Park City, KS 67219.

8. **Change of address:** Marvin Zehr, former pastor of West Zion, and his wife, Jeannie have moved. Their new address is 3001 Ivy Drive, Apt. 105, North Newton, KS 67117.

### General Announcements

9. **MCC in North Newton** accepts the following materials for recycling: cardboard, books, paper and soft plastics (any plastic packaging that you can stretch with your finger, including Amazon mailers and bubble wrap). We also accept wearable clothing, shoes and purses/bags but donate these items first to Et Cetera Shop if possible. Follow the signs toward the warehouse and you'll find bins outside under the covered roof (121 E. 30<sup>th</sup> Street in North Newton). Contact [duaneunruh@mcc.org](mailto:duaneunruh@mcc.org) or 316.283.2720 for questions.

10. The **Pine Village Benefit Day Bierock Dinner** is coming up on Friday, August 15 from 5:30-7:00 p.m. Dinner is \$7 and you can add an extra bierock for \$3 more! We are now taking bierock pre-orders until August 11. Pre-order forms are in the foyer or order online at <https://www.pinevillageks.org/shop>. Pre-order pick up will be on Friday, August 15th from 3-6pm at the Wellness Center.



We wish a **"Happy Birthday"** to:  
August 11: Daniel Kaufman  
August 15: Brian Bretz

We wish a **"Happy Anniversary"** to:  
August 12: Will & Ellen Kaufman  
August 13: Melvin & Jan Graber

### DEACON'S CORNER

The Deacons and Church Council are now accepting names for individuals interested in serving on the **Search Committee**. We will take names for the next two weeks through August 10.

Always feel free to call or text us.

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