

## 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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December 28, 2025

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Prelude Sharon Schrag

Welcome and Announcements

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

Call to Worship Connie Kaufman

Children's Story

\*\*Songs *Go, Tell it on the Mountain*  
*Oh, Beautiful Star of Bethlehem STS 32 (vss. 1 & 2)*

Sharing Joys and Concerns  
Prayer Pastor Mike Hiebert

Message "The Lord's Prayer" Part 4 Pastor Mike  
Matthew 6:9-15

\*\*Sending Song *The Lord Your God is With You*

\*\*Benediction Pastor Mike

\*\*Postlude *AMEN!*

\*\*Please stand if you are able

Greeter(s): Jan Dyck

**Our Mission:** God calls us into community to worship God and follow Jesus through the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit. As part of our mission, let us fervently....

**P**ray – for growth spiritually and physically

**I**nvoke – others, the Holy Spirit will do the rest

**F**all – More in Love with the WORD of GOD

## West Zion Prayers

God's provision and protection in 2026

Karen Hess, WZ missionary partner

## Sunday, January 4, 2026

**Greeter(s):** Lory Fisher

**Worship Leader:**

**9:15 a.m.:** Sunday School

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

**Accompanist:** Carla Stucky

**Message:** Pastor Mike Hiebert

## Coming Events and Church Use

December 29: NO STEP MC

December 30: LAST Hieb @ the Hub 1:30 p.m.

January 5: Christian Homemakers at MCC Center

January 14: Church Council 7:00 p.m.

January 18: Meal and Annual Meeting

December 21 attendance: 70

### **Pastor Mike Hiebert**

**Office Hours:** 9 – 11:15 am on Mon

9 am – Noon on Tues & Wed

9 am – Noon, 1– 4 pm on Thursday

8 – 11 am on Friday

**Cell:** 620-747-2310

**Email:** [mike@westzionmc.org](mailto:mike@westzionmc.org)

### **Secretary Carla Stucky**

**Office Hours:** Thursdays 9 am – Noon, 1 – 4 pm

**Cell:** 620-386-0414

**Email:** [secretary@westzionmc.org](mailto:secretary@westzionmc.org)

Did you know? West Zion has bracelets you can wear to remind you of our commitment to Christ and the Holy Spirit. Feel free to grab a few extras and hand out to others as you feel led. The bracelets can be found on the foyer bench.



We are **W**ord **Z**ealous **A**nd **L**iving **I**n **V**ictory **E**veryday!  
West Zion Alive! On the back of the bracelet is J663  
which stands for John 6:63 "It is the Spirit who gives  
life; human effort accomplishes nothing. And the very  
words I have spoken to you are spirit and life." NLT

## West Zion Announcements

*Announcements are due to the secretary by Thursday noon*

1. **Sunday School will continue** in January with Melvin Graber leading a Bible Study on the book of John. We will meet at 9:15 a.m. on Sundays in the conference room beginning January 4, 2026. All are welcome!
2. **West Zion Yearbook:** Our church puts together a yearbook each February that lists our church teams and structure, year-end reports, and phone numbers and addresses for those attending West Zion (members and non-members). An updated address list will be in the foyer soon for those who are currently in the directory. Please make any changes for you and your family members. If you are not in the directory but would like to be, please email your names (and names of your children if under 18), addresses and phone numbers to [secretary@westzionmc.org](mailto:secretary@westzionmc.org). Thanks!
3. **The last Hieb @ the Hub is Tuesday, December 30.** However, you are always welcome to text or call Pastor Mike to meet and he will be glad to do that.
4. **Nursery Helpers needed: A sign-up sheet for nursery help** can be found on the door of the nursery which is located across from the library. A livestream of the service can be playing on the TV if you would like to listen while keeping an eye on the kiddos. Please consider if you would like to help and sign up on a date that works for you.
5. Join the **Christian Homemakers** as they plan to spend January 5, 2026 at the MCC Center to help with projects. Work starts at 1:00 p.m. but join us as we meet at West Zion at 11:30 a.m. and will eat a noon meal in Newton.
6. The **2026 Greeter's List** is in the church mailboxes!
7. **This is a good time of year** to remind people who have church mailboxes to check them. Several Christmas cards will be missed if you don't!



We wish a **Happy Birthday** to:  
January 1: Virginia Guhr

<b>BUDGET SUMMARY</b>	<b>This Year</b>	<b>Last Year</b>
Regular collections – this week	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 3,125.00
Regular collections – year to date	\$149,008.73	\$148,683.36
 Budget	 \$178,431.00	 \$173,035.00
Estimated unspent budget	(28,000.00)	(40,000.00)
Less: expended to date	( 141,221.73)	(124,639.41)
Less: cash balance	( 58,089.27)	( 47,219.80)
Receipts needed to meet budget	\$ 0	\$ 0
 White Christmas – to date	 \$915	 \$1445

