

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AMOR

Sunday, May 12, 2019
Fourth Sunday of Easter



Jesus responds to questions about his identity with the remarkable claim that he and the Father are one. Those who understand this are his sheep; they hear his voice, follow, and will never be snatched from his hand.

ZION'S MISSION STATEMENT: We are claimed, gathered, and sent forth to serve and witness in Jesus' name.

ZION'S VISION STATEMENT: Zion is a welcoming church where all people will experience a vibrant lifelong journey in faith through worship, education, mission and service.

WELCOME!

It is a pleasure to have you worship with us this morning. Let us worship the Lord with gladness! If you are a visitor, interested in membership, would like to receive our newsletter, or would like a pastoral visit, please check the appropriate box on the fellowship pad. We hope to see you often. **You are welcome at Zion.**

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Pastor James Gronbeck

NEW MEMBER SUNDAY

New members and associate members will be received Sunday, May 19th. Please contact the church office or Pastor Gronbeck if you are interested in joining.



Zion of Amor Spring Salad Luncheon

Wednesday, May 15th 11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Everyone is Welcome! Free will offering.
Hosted by Dorcas Circle.



Guest Password for Zion Guest WIFI: Zion2019*

CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK

<p>TODAY <i>Mother's Day</i></p>	<p>8:15 a.m. 8:40 a.m.</p> <p>9:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m.</p> <p>10:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Worship – Traditional Sunday School - Extravaganza Coffee Fellowship Adult Forum – Norwegian Churches in OT County Worship – Contemporary Faith N' Films</p>
<p>MONDAY</p>	<p>3:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Stephen Ministry</p>
<p>TUESDAY</p>	<p>10:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m.</p>	<p>Bible Study Common Meeting New Members</p>
<p>WEDNESDAY</p>	<p>9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>11:30 am–1:00 pm 5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Pastor's Text Study Graveside Service at Silent Vale Cemetery Salad Luncheon Praise Team Confirmation Choir **** Tidings Information Due</p>
<p>THURSDAY</p>	<p>8:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Foot Care Clinic Conference Pr. Meeting Bible Study</p>
<p>NEXT SUNDAY <i>Communion</i></p>	<p>8:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Worship – Traditional Coffee Fellowship June Action Group Meeting Sarah Circle Worship – Contemporary Battle Lake Bacculaureate</p>



PANCAKE & SAUSAGE BREAKFAST

Sunday, May 26th 8:00 a.m. – Noon

The free will offering will be divided between the Zion Quilters & God's Acres. Sign-up sheets to help and donate money are located on the table in the narthex/lobby.

Bible Study at Zion – Two options

The Tuesday 10:00 a.m. Bible Study will be discussing Romans. Come enjoy the insight and fellowship each Tuesday.

The Thursday 5:30 p.m. will continue looking at English Bible translations. It's an interesting look at how using a different translation impacts our understanding of the Bible.

UPCOMING ADULT FORUMS

TODAY at 9:15 a.m. **Norwegian Churches in Otter Tail County**
by Chris Schuelke

No Adult Forum on May 26th – Pancake Breakfast

FREE FOOT CARE CLINIC

What: Foot care for those who cannot care for their own feet adequately.

When: Thursday, May 16th - Appointments start at 8:30 a.m.

How: Call the church office for more information.



Today's Stewardship Thought: *"The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit." (ACTS 13:52)*

The disciples heard Our Lord's call and were able to spread the Gospel message with strength and vitality. We, too, can experience that same joy if we make room for the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts. When we use our gifts in the way that God intends, we radiate God to others. People notice that radiance and are attracted to it.

An E-Trade donation check (made out to Zion) did not have a givers name on it. Please let the office know if the donation is yours (495-2563). Thank you!

Missions Reflection: “Hear loud and clear: Every creature joins together in directing their energy, time, abilities, reputations, resources, and sounds to God. Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered to receive power, wealth, wisdom, might, honor, glory and blessing. This means when we have power—abilities to do things—Jesus is the one worthy for us to use those abilities. If we have wealth, Jesus is worth spending it on. If we have wisdom—able to do the right thing at the right time in the right way—Jesus is the one to use it for. And so on with our might, our reputations, our words. Jesus is worth using it all for him.” - - - *Directing and Receiving*. Read *Revelation 5:11-14* .



**Senior High School
Graduate Recognition for
Henry Gibbs and Kaylie Olson**

Sunday, May 19th

Cake & coffee will be served during Coffee Fellowship at 9:15 a.m.

Syttende Mai Dinner

Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Fergus Falls

Friday, May 17 4:30 – 7:00 p.m. Adults \$12.00 12 & under free

Eagle Lake Lutheran Church

Pancake & Sausage Breakfast

Saturday, May 25th 8:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Free will Offering.

Mountain Men Annual Memorial Day Dinner

Leaf Mountain Lutheran Church

Monday, May 7 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Free will donation to benefit Richville United Methodist Church
(Roof collapsed and sanctuary being rebuilt.)

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Save the date!

WHEN

July 15th - 18th
9am - 3pm

FINAL DAY WORSHIP OPEN TO PUBLIC

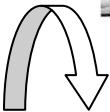
July 18th @ 2:30pm

WHERE

First Lutheran Church -
Battle Lake

505 Holdt St, Battle Lake, MN

Participating churches · First Lutheran · Sverdrup Lutheran ·
Eagle Lake Lutheran · Zion Lutheran



Zion is responsible for the host homes this year. Please let the office know (495-2563) if you are willing to host the VBS teachers from Luther Crest.

**OPEN TO KIDS
GRADES K-6
(COMPLETED)**

**SIGNUP BY
July 8th**

Pick up registration at church office. Pre-registration is requested, however, walk-ins will be welcomed

**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED FOR**

- Daily lunch cleanup
 - Counselor needs:
 - Host homes
 - Lunch each day
 - Dinner host Sun-Thurs
 - Snacks for kids
 - Older Youth to help LC staff
- If you can help, please contact

**FACILITATED BY
Luther Bible Camp
Day Camp Program**



Needed:

45 '5 gallon' pails are needed for God's Acres tree planting.
Please drop them off by the red shed. Thank you!



Mission Jamaica Meeting! "A Vacation with a Purpose"

May 19th between the services in the north end of the Fellowship hall (Quilter's area)

To all who are interested in going on the Mission Jamaica Trip February 1 – 8, 2020, there will be an information meeting to gather interest and answer questions. We will talk about the opportunities for service and discuss what we'd like to accomplish on the Trip.

****Remember it was -20 when we went last year!**
See you in the Fellowship hall (Quilter's area) May 19th between services!



Faith n' Films

We'll watch a classic film and see how God speaks through even the most well-known stories. Popcorn provided.

TODAY at 6:30 p.m. at Zion.

Senior Day Open House Prospect House & Civil War Museum

403 Lake Ave N Battle Lake

Thursday, May 16th 2:00 – 4:00 P.M. Free Admission