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WELCOME TO MT. ZION!

We rejoice in having you here today. If you're a guest, please complete the guest information on your worship guide and place it in the offering plate. If you'd like to request prayer or visit with someone about spiritual decisions or the opportunities here, please mark the space provided and either put the card in the offering plate or hand it to a staff member upon leaving. *Have a great day with us at Mt. Zion!*

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 29

Sunday School.....9:00 a.m. (Live Stream)
 Morning Worship..... 10:00 a.m.
 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....Dismissed
 Evening Worship.....Dismissed

Wednesday, April 1

All Mid-Week Services.....Dismissed

Sunday, April 5

Sunday School..... 9:00 a.m. (Live Stream)
 Morning Worship..... 10:00 a.m.
 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....Dismissed
 Observing the Lord's Supper.....Postponed

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The **Arkansas Youth Conference** has been cancelled.
2. The **Children's Ministry Egg Hunt** has been cancelled.
3. The Youth Ministry is planning a **Mission Trip** to help Missionary Micah Deaton in Springdale, Arkansas Thursday, July 9 - Sunday, July 12. Please sign the list in the foyer or Youth House if you plan to participate.

THE MT. ZION MBC COVID-19, NEW, TEMPORARY, NORMAL

As we continue to monitor, evaluate, and consider possible reactions to the COVID-19 outbreak, our goal is to view the situation from a spiritual perspective and respond wisely and with faith in God. Understanding that, we as a local church body, should be socially responsible citizens and neighbors, (Hot Spring County has at least one confirmed case of the coronavirus) and yet knowing that we are also spiritually accountable to God for our obedience to His Word, both individually and corporately; beginning this Sunday, March 29, and continuing each Sunday for as long as necessary, we will hold a single, on-site worship service.

This weekly service will be GREATLY modified to meet the "effective protective measures" recommended by health officials to help "flatten the curve" and curtail the spread of the contagion. These worship services will begin at 10am (CST) and will be "drive-in" style in order to practice social distancing and provide the opportunity to, at least, somewhat assemble together for those that choose to do so.

We intend to also livestream these services. This will provide, for those that need to, and should, stay home, the opportunity to join in worship with us.

Also each Sunday, at approximately noon (CST), we will air, on the Mt. Zion Facebook page (and later on in the day on our new Mt. Zion MBC Malvern AR YouTube channel) a timely, yet pre-recorded, Sunday School lesson for adults and a Children's Chapel video message and activity sheet for families and households to view together as a catalyst for home Bible study.

In order to keep a semi-normal schedule, we also intend to provide resources for a mid-week prayer and study time for all our church family and friends. At 6pm, on each Wednesday evening beginning April 1 and continuing for the next few weeks, Mt. Zion is preparing to release Bible lesson devotionals and activities for children and adults.

The Adult Bible study will be a brief pre-recorded devotional, prayer requests, and announcements to keep everyone informed and engaged as much as possible.

The Mt. Zion Childrens Ministry video will include a Bible lesson and applicable home activities on which parents and children can work together.

The 2-4:5 Mt. Zion Youth Ministry will be attempting a real-time, interactive video lesson through ZOOM, a free platform for video sharing and a video conferencing application. This will allow the students to be at home and yet continue to be engaged in youth ministry and fellowship.

Stay informed and connected through our website (www.mtzionmalvern.org), Facebook pages, our new YouTube channel, and Remind group text, to keep up to date as new information and resources becomes available.

On the website, look under the "links" tab to access the aforementioned Facebook pages (church, youth ministry, children's ministry, etc.) for Bible study and family activity resources.

To access announcements, order of worship services, prayer requests, and other church information, click the "church news" tab and check out the current bulletin.

Look at the website homepage; click the stay "connected button" to access instructions on how to add yourself to the Mt. Zion Remind group texts and don't forget to access Givelify, our online giving app at the bottom left corner of the homepage, if you choose to give an offering other than in person or by mail.

Please understand and be aware, regardless of what we do, God is in control, always has been and always will be.

Psalms 46:1 – "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."

THIS MORNING IN WORSHIP

Call to Worship.....Congregation
"I'll Fly Away"
 Welcome.....Bro. Donis
 Praise Chorus.....Congregation
"Living Hope"
 Worship Chorus.....Congregation
"Raise A Hallelujah"
 Message from God's Word.....Bro. Donis Smead
"Sign Seeking"
Matthew 12:38-42
 Time of Reflection and Response.....Congregation
"I Surrender"
 Dismissal Prayer.....Fellowship
 Offertory.....Congregation

GUEST INFORMATION—MARCH 29, 2020

Mr./ Mrs./ Miss (circle) _____ () Married () Single

Age (circle) 0-21 22-40 41-60 61-up

Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Best Phone #: _____ (Circle) Work Home Cell

E-mail address: _____

Church Member? Yes ___ No ___ What church? _____
 Where? _____

How did you learn of our church? _____

I am a guest of _____

Name & ages of children at home: _____

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER ADDITIONS

Prayer was requested for Sherrie Lackey; the family of Melvin Hodges; Darrin Sulton; Bill & Margaret Cothren; Dan & Joan Hahn; Glen Catlett; Rick Green; James & Jeanie Clifton.



WEDDING SHOWER

There will be a drop-in wedding shower for Corey Lindsey and Makayla Mitchell Sunday, April 19 from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. They are registered at Wal-Mart, Amazon, and Bed, Bath & Beyond.

"DAUGHTERS OF THE KING" LUNCHEON

Join the Ladies Auxiliary as we celebrate our "Daughters of the King" at the annual luncheon on Saturday, May 2 at 11:00 a.m., The theme for this year's luncheon is "This Is My Story", with Keynote Speaker Sheri Deaton. Lunch will be potluck, the Ladies Auxiliary will provide croissants, tea, water and coffee. If you plan to attend, sign the lists in the foyer by Sunday, April 26. *Ladies, please plan to attend and invite your family and friends!*

**WE'RE HERE
TO HELP**



PRAYER REQUESTS

We will be glad to join with you in praying for your specific needs. Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for:

() Private Prayer Request () Public Prayer Request

Requested by: _____ Telephone _____

DECISIONS

- () I'd like someone to contact me to pray over more confidential matters.
- () I'd like to speak with someone about my relationship with God.
- () I'd like to speak with someone about getting more involved with this church.

LOOKING AHEAD

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- April 1 -- "Bring Food for Blessing Box" in Awana
- 12 -- Egg Hunt; after a.m. service
- 22 -- "Movin' Up" night in Awana
- 26 -- Angel Choir; 10:00 a.m.
- 29 -- Awana Closing Program; 6:30 p.m.
- May 6 -- Vacation Bible School Preview Night; 6:30 p.m.
- 13 -- VBS Leader Training; 6:30 p.m.
- 20 -- VBS Work Night; 6:30 p.m.
- 27 -- VBS Work Night; 6:30 p.m.

YOUTH MINISTRY

- April 26 -- Youth J.A.M.; 5:00 p.m.
- 29 -- Grillin' & Games; 6:30 p.m.
- May 17 -- Graduate Banquet; 5:00 p.m.

OTHER MT. ZION ACTIVITIES

- April 5 -- Nursing Home Service (Encore); 2:00 p.m.
- Observing the Lord's Supper; 5:00 p.m.
- 6 -- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
- 14 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
- 16 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:00 p.m.
- 19 -- Corey Lindsey/Makayla Mitchell Wedding Shower; 2-4 p.m.
- Business Meeting; 5:00 p.m.
- Church Fellowship; after p.m. service
- May 2 -- Daughters of the King Luncheon; 11:00 a.m.
- 3 -- Nursing Home Service (Encore); 2:00 p.m.
- 5 -- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
- 10 -- Mother's Day; evening services dismissed
- 12 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
- 21 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:00 p.m.
- 31 -- Mindy & Brian McKay Baby Shower; 2:00-4:00 p.m.

NURSERY WORKERS

This Week

SS
MW (Infant)
MW (Toddler)
EW

Next Week

SS
MW (Infant)
MW (Toddler)
EW

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL WORKERS

April

Heather Grigsby
Brandi Hughes
Piper Nelson
Raechel Lindsey

May

Jeanie Thacker
Chris Aaron
Madison Thacker
Esther McDade

SPECIAL MUSIC

April 5

a.m. Curt Smead
p.m. Laura Wilson

April 12

a.m. Easter
p.m. Service Dismissed

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

2020 Offerings: \$67,023.92
Offerings Goal: \$75,744.24