

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, April 24

Sunday School.....9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....10:00 a.m.
VBS Drama Team Meeting..... after a.m. service
Sanctuary Choir Practice.....5:00 p.m.
Praise Makers Rehearsal 5:30-7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 27

"Moving Up" night in Awana.....6:25 p.m.
2-4:5 (Teens).....6:30 p.m.
Adult Bible Study.....6:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 28

Branson Trip6:45 a.m.

Saturday, April 30

Praise Makers Rehearsal 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 1

Sunday School.....9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....10:00 a.m.
Praise Makers Rehearsal after a.m. service
Graduate Bulletin Pictures after a.m. service
Nursing Home Service.....2:00 p.m.
Smead/King Wedding Shower..... 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir Practice.....5:00 p.m.
Praise Makers "The Big Inning" Program6:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If you would like to be a part of the **VBS Drama team** please meet with PJ Reed today after the morning worship service.
2. A **preliminary building meeting** with Brian Burks—General Contractor, will be Sunday, May 15 at 3:00 p.m. All are encouraged to attend.
3. We will be receiving our **yearly Camp Offering** Sunday, May 1. This offering helps cover the expense of sending our kids to Church camp over the summer.
4. The **Education Committee** will meet Tuesday, May 10 at 6:30 p.m.
5. The sign-up list for **West Central Youth Camp** is on the board in the foyer. We are asking all campers to pay a pre-registration fee (non-refundable) of \$20.00. **The fee is due Sunday, May 22.** If your pre-registration fee has not been paid by the deadline you will not be registered for camp. If you have questions, please see Bro. Paul.

The Praise Makers Children's Choir will be presenting "**In The Big Inning**" Sunday, May 1 at 6:00 p.m. in the Awana Game Room. Plan now to attend and invite someone to join you!



THIS MORNING IN WORSHIP

Special Music.....Angel Choir
Praise ChorusCongregation
"How Great Is Our God"
Fellowship Hymn.....Congregation
"He Is Able To Deliver Thee"
Welcome and Prayer.....Bro. Mike Clayton
Offertory..... Suzy Draper
During this song, the ushers will receive our tithes and offerings
Special Music..... Sanctuary Choir
"Safe Thus Far"
Hymn.....Congregation
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"
Hymn.....Congregation
"God Is So Good"
ChorusCongregation
"God Will Make A Way"
Hymn.....Congregation
"Doxology"
Special Music.....Bro. Paul Buck
"Holding On To Me"
Worship ChorusCongregation
"Lord, I Need You"
Message from God's Word.....Bro. Donis Smead
"The Pattern Of The Gospel"
Mark 3:13-35
Time of Reflection and ResponseCongregation
"Surrender"
Dismissal Prayer.....Fellowship

THIS EVENING IN WORSHIP

Fellowship Hymn.....Congregation
"Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us"
Welcome and Prayer.....Bro. Donis Smead
Special Music.....Bruce Gilmore
Hymn.....Congregation
"Footsteps Of Jesus"
Hymn.....Congregation
"Fill My Cup, Lord"
Message from God's Word.....Bro. Donis Smead
"Our Condition Of Inheritance"
Matthew 5:5
Time of Reflection and ResponseCongregation
"I Have Decided To Follow Jesus"
Dismissal Prayer.....Fellowship

GRADUATE SUNDAY INFORMATION

We will be recognizing all of our **December 2015 - Summer 2016 graduates** on Sunday night, May 15 with a special banquet in their honor. College and high school graduates alike are asked to pick up an information form from the foyer of the MPB and return it to the church secretary's mailbox no later than Sunday, May 8.

Pictures for the Graduate Bulletin will be taken on Sunday, **May 1 & 8** after the morning service, in the MPB foyer.

We will meet at 6:00 on the evening of the 15th to recognize our graduates and their accomplishments and also have a **pot-luck dinner** in honor of them and their families. We are asking our church family to sign the list in the foyer to bring meats/casseroles, salads, vegetables, desserts, breads and drinks.

Come and join us that night as we celebrate the blessings of God and encourage our graduates to continue to follow Christ in their lives.

WEDDING SHOWER



There will be a drop-in Wedding shower for Kreg Smead and Cassie King on Sunday, May 1 from 2-4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. They are registered at Target and Kohls,

You will be asked to highlight your favorite verse in the Bible when you sign the guest book, so be sure to have one in mind.

BRANSON TRIP

If you are going on the Branson Trip this Thursday and Friday, we will be leaving at 6:45 a.m. Thursday morning. If you have not received a copy of the itinerary or need another one, please see Bro. Paul today. Also, please remember it may be a little cool on the bus, so you may want to bring a jacket or blanket to cover up with.

GUEST INFORMATION—APRIL 24, 2016

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 James & Jeanie Clifton; DJ, Lainey, & Luke Howard; Gary & Anna Collie; Estelle Schrimshire; Carol Robertson; Dottie Lobbs; Rachel McClellan; Chad Thompson; Bettye Holt.



OCEAN COMMOTION VBS!
 Do you want to learn more about Noah? Do you like helping kids learn more about God? Then dive in to God's Word with Ocean Commotion VBS 2016 June 20-24! Teach kids to trust and obey God with lessons from Noah's Flood. **There are many positions available.** See the list on the board in the foyer or see Sara or Jennifer for more information.

DEACON NOMINATIONS

Mt. Zion MBC voted in regular business meeting, April 10, to set aside at least four men for the office of Deacon. Nomination slips will be available in all Sunday School classes and throughout the buildings from **April 17 through May 8**. Nomination forms may be turned in to any church staff or at the church office.

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

() Add to Monthly Prayer Guide.

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 27 -- "Moving Up" night in Awana
- May 1 -- Praise Makers Presenting "In The Big Inning"; 6:00 p.m.
- 4 -- Awana Closing Program; 6:30 p.m.
- June 20-24-- Vacation Bible School
- 27-1 -- West Central Youth Camp

YOUTH MINISTRY

- May 4 -- Grillin' and Games; 6:30 p.m.
- 15 -- Graduate Banquet; 6:00 p.m.
- 22 -- "Thank You" Service; 6:00 p.m.

OTHER MT. ZION ACTIVITIES

- April 28-29 -- Branson Trip
- May 1 -- Nursing Home Service; 2:00 p.m.
- Kreg Smead/Cassie King Wedding Shower; 2:00-4:00 p.m.
- 2 -- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
- 8 -- Mother's Day; evening service dismissed
- 10 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
- Education Committee Meeting; 6:30 p.m.
- 19 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:00 p.m.
- 29 -- Joyfest; 6:00 p.m.
- June 5 -- Chris & Amy Maranto Baby Shower; 2-4:00 p.m.
- Nursing Home Service; 2:00 p.m.
- 6 -- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
- 12 -- Business Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
- Church Fellowship; after p.m. service
- 14 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
- 16 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:00 p.m.
- 21-23 -- ABA Meetings; Tulsa, OK

NURSERY WORKERS

<u>This Week</u>	<u>Next Week</u>
SS Casey O.; Brandi H.	SS Casey O.; PJ R.
MW (Infant) Casey O.; Delores R.	MW (Infant) Casey O.; Vicky H.
MW (Toddler) Chris A.; Jeanie T.	MW (Toddler) Piper/Chris N.
EW Sara W.; Mikayla B.	EW Sara W.; Donna P.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL WORKERS

<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>
Lauren Waller	Wanda Buck
Kelsey Rood	Connie Atkinson
Gaby Resendiz	Kristie Buck

SPECIAL MUSIC

<u>May 1</u>	<u>May 8</u>
a.m. Missy Smead	a.m. Daughters of Zion
p.m. Praise Makers Program	p.m. Service Dismissed

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Sunday School—106; Morning Worship—167
 We had 134 children, teens and adults here Wednesday night!
 Actual Year-to-Date Offerings: \$122,942.09
 Budgeted Year-to-Date Offerings: \$94,400.00



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