

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, September 25

- Sunday School.....9:00 a.m.
- Morning Worship.....10:00 a.m.
- Wives of Deacons Meeting..... after a.m. service
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....5:00 p.m.
- Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 27

- Ladies Bible Study.....6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 28

- Feed MBSF in Arkadelphia.....Food here by 10:00 a.m.
- Awana.....6:25 p.m.
- 2-4:5** (teens).....6:30 p.m.
- Adult Bible Study.....6:30 p.m.

Sunday, October 2

- Sunday School.....9:00 a.m.
- Morning Worship.....10:00 a.m.
- Nursing Home Service.....2:00 p.m.
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....4:30 p.m.
- Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The **wives of the Deacons** need to meet with Cheryl Finley in the workroom, today after the morning worship service.
2. **PARENTS OF TEENS**, if you would be willing to provide a small snack for the teens on Wednesday nights, see the list on the bulletin board. If you have questions, see Bro. Paul.
3. **All ladies of the church**: we will be providing a meal for the Arkadelphia MBSF **Wednesday** at 12:00. We'll be serving hot dogs, cheese dip & chips, & dessert to about 125 hungry students. To help with this worthy cause, please sign the list in the foyer today. Your food will need to be at the church by 10 a.m. on Wednesday.

JOIN THE CHOIR!!!

Now would be a great time to join the choir. We just started rehearsing for our Christmas program. We need folks for every voice part, but especially men in the bass section. If you're interested, see Bro. Paul or just show up to rehearsal at 5:00 p.m. (No obligation, just give us a try!)



THIS MORNING IN WORSHIP

- Special Music..... Angel Choir
- Praise Chorus Congregation
"This Is Amazing Grace"
- Fellowship Hymn..... Congregation
"Are You Washed In The Blood?"
- Welcome and Prayer..... Mike Clayton
- Offertory Suzy Draper
During this song, the ushers will receive our tithes and offerings
- Special Music..... Sanctuary Choir
"Glorious City Of God"
- Hymn..... Congregation
"Look And Live"
- Hymn..... Congregation
"When We See Christ"
- Special Music..... Alex Reed
"Come As You Are"
- Worship Chorus Congregation
"None Like You"
- Message from God's Word..... Bro. Donis Smead
"The Proof Of The Gospel"
Mark 16:9-14
- Time of Reflection and Response..... Congregation
"Come To Jesus"
- Dismissal Prayer Fellowship

THIS EVENING IN WORSHIP

- Fellowship Hymn..... Congregation
"Living For Jesus"
- Welcome and Prayer..... Bro. Donis
- Special Music..... Marsha Clayton
- Hymn..... Congregation
"I Am Resolved"
- Worship Chorus Congregation
"Lord, I Need You"
- Message from God's Word..... Bro. Donis Smead
"Persecuted People"
Matthew 5:10-12
- Time of Reflection and Response Congregation
"Have Thine Own Way, Lord"
- Dismissal Prayer..... Fellowship

WEDDING SHOWER



There will be a drop-in wedding shower for Sunni Carlton and Jacob Costello Sunday, October 9 from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

They are registered at Target, Dillards, and Anthropologie.com.



Fall is here, and that means it's time for our annual Fall Festival! This is a great opportunity for Mt. Zion to reach the children of our community, and it's always a lot of fun to be a part of it. The festival will be held on Saturday, **October 22nd** from 11:00 am – 1:00 pm. There will be lots of fun games, free food, candy & other prizes.

We are looking for eager volunteers to work the games who are excited about this ministry opportunity. It takes a lot of people to make this festival run smoothly. Regardless of your physical ability, there's a job for you. Please consider committing to help with this event.

There are sign-up sheets posted in the foyer where you can choose a specific game to help with, or just let us choose a game for you.

We will also be **collecting individually-wrapped candy** to use for prizes at the games, so if you cannot be at the festival, you still have a chance to serve others with your generosity! A box is located in the foyer for your donations.

If you have any questions about how you can help, please contact Piper Nelson (501-467-1239).

GUEST INFORMATION—SEPTEMBER 25, 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 Ethan Camp; Deena Paine; John & Ellen Busch; Cindy Sharp; Marietta Blasingame; Emma Hughes; Michael Foxx; James Schrimshire; Paul Beard; Spud Beason; Mildred Karkaker; Harry Ritter; Anna Neepner; Red Hughes; Alexis Snow; Terry Thompson; LaDonna Pasley.



YOUTH MINISTRY CORN MAZE

The Youth Ministry (7th-12th grade) will be going to a Corn Maze Saturday, October 8. We will leave from the church at 1:30 p.m. The cost for the maze is \$8.00; you will also need money for a meal. If you plan to attend, sign the list by Wednesday, October 5.

BABY SHOWER

There will be a drop in baby shower for Stephen and Anna Neepner on Saturday, October 8 from 1-3 p.m. at Ann Whitley's house (326 Gifford Rd.). Devyn is expecting a new baby brother (Marshall Cole Neepner). They are registered at Wal-Mart and their colors are ivory and light blue.



Directions: 67N, 1st road on right past solid waste station, 2nd house on right.

DEACON ORDINATION

On **Sunday, October 16** Mt. Zion will ordain three men to the office of Deacon. This special day will include a church fellowship following the morning worship. The church will provide ham and fried chicken and we ask that you bring sides, desserts, and drinks to complete the meal.

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

- Sept. 25 -- Angel Choir; a.m. service
- Oct. 9 -- Sparks Awana Presentation; a.m. service
- 12 -- "Pajamas Night" in Awana
- 22 -- Fall Festival; 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- Nov. 9 -- Veterans Night in Awana; 6:25 p.m.
- 13 -- Awana Presentation-Puggles & Cubbies; a.m. service

YOUTH MINISTRY

- Oct. 8 -- Corn Maze; 1:30 p.m.
- 16 -- Youth J.A.M.; 6:00 p.m.
- S.N.A.C.; after p.m. service
- 22 -- Service Project; Fall Festival
- Nov. 6 -- Youth J.A.M.; 6:00 p.m.
- S.N.A.C.; after p.m. service
- 12 -- Service Project
- 2-22 -- Fall Retreat

OTHER MT. ZION ACTIVITIES

- Sept. 25 -- Wives of the Deacons Meeting; after a.m. service
- October 2 -- Nursing Home Service; 2:00 p.m.
- 3 -- Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
- 9 -- Sunni Carlton & Jacob Costello Wedding Shower; 2:00-4:00 p.m.
- 11 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
- 16 -- Deacon Ordination Service; 10:00 a.m.
- Church Fellowship Lunch; after a.m. service
- 20 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:00 p.m.
- 30 -- Joyfest; 6:00 p.m.
- Nov. 6 -- Nursing Home Service; 2:00 p.m.
- 7 -- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
- 8 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.

NURSERY WORKERS

<u>This Week</u>	<u>Next Week</u>
SS Casey O.; Amy M.	SS Casey O.; Brandi H.
MW (Infant) Casey O.; Darby W	MW (Infant) Casey O.; Delores R.
MW (Toddler) Paulette; Marietta	MW (Toddler) Mindy Mc.; Nita W.
EW Sara W.; Jennifer R.	EW Sara W.; Mikayla B.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL WORKERS

<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>
Missy Smead	Jade Meeks
PJ Reed	Sable Miller
Alex L./Darby W.	Landon Jackson

SPECIAL MUSIC

<u>October 2</u>	<u>October 9</u>
a.m. Lisa Kuykendall	a.m. Gail Kenney
p.m. Shirley Hall	a.m. Sparks
	p.m. Curt Smead

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Sunday School—106; Morning Worship—148
 We had 153 children, teens, and adults Wednesday night!
 Actual Year-to-Date Offerings: \$244,780.84
 Budgeted Year-to-Date Offerings: \$218,300.00



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