

coming up at zpc

Prayer for the Middle East and Africa

Thursday, May 9 | 7:45-8:30 am | Chapel
Join us as we pray for those serving in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA). Be blessed as we bless them during this special time of prayer.
> Philana Cunningham [philanac@gmail.com; 317.507.8219]

Workday at Str8Up Ministries

Saturday, May 11 | 9:30 am–3 pm | Str8Up Camp
Help Str8Up, a ministry for teens living in Northwest Indianapolis, get ready for summer! Contact Greg to sign up.
> Greg Rankin [greg@crdnindy.com]

2nd Half Adventurers event

Brown County Bus Trip | Tuesday, May 14 | 9 am–4 pm | Cost: \$30
Please join 2nd Half Adventurers for their spring bus trip. They will travel to Nashville, IN and share lunch and enjoy shopping. Cost includes lunch and transportation. Sign up in the Gathering Space this morning.
> Barb Luther [barbarawluther@gmail.com; 317.669.7073]

Spring Inquirers Class

Friday, May 17 | 7–9 pm | Offsite
Saturday, May 18 | 9 am–12 pm | Room 201
Learn about ZPC and possibly join the church by attending the Inquirers Class. Register online, call the church office, or sign up at the welcome center. Childcare is available.
> Misty Soderstrom [mistysoderstrom@gmail.com]

Blood Drive

Sunday, May 19 | 10 am–1 pm | Room 202
Each day patients at 60 Indiana hospitals rely on the generosity of fellow Hoosiers to donate 550 units of blood. Blood drives help to meet the demand. Give the gift of life. An opportunity to donate is coming up here at ZPC!
> Craig Powlen [craig.powlen@gmail.com; 317.777.1220]

All Church Brunch

Sunday, May 19 | 10 am–12 pm | Gym
Please join us for brunch and connection time in the Gym.

Clean water for Puerto Rico

Short term mission to Puerto Rico | June 21–30 | Cost: \$2,100
ZPC mission dollars are helping to install water purification systems in Puerto Rico to provide clean water to residents. Opportunities are available to travel to Puerto Rico June 21–30 to help install systems through Fountains of Hope. Cost for the trip is \$2,100. Financial assistance is available. For more information, visit the table in the Gathering Space or email Jill.
> Jill Robertson [jillrobertson@msn.com]

Save the date for VBS | Athens

Sunday, June 23 – Thursday, June 27 | 6–8 pm | ZPC
Travel back to Athens and join Paul on his *Dangerous Journey to Share the Truth!* Children age 4 through 6th grade are invited to attend.
> Jennifer Tillema [jennifer@educationresourcesllc.com; 317.610.6689]

ZPCMen upcoming events

May 10 | Indy Grand Prix qualifications
During the day
May 11 | Str8Up Work Day | 9:30 am–3 pm
Work on Str8Up Guidance Counseling Center located in Northwest Indy. All skill levels needed.
May 18 | Habitat for Humanity | 9 am–4 pm
Help with a Habitat home located in Whitestown. All skill levels needed. Visit the table in the Gathering Space for more information and to get involved!
> Claude Burgess [claudeburgess1@att.net; 317.840.1354]

CINCO DE MONEY

Sunday, May 5 | 6 pm | Gathering Space

Please support ZPC Student Ministries by attending Cinco de Money tonight at ZPC! This family-friendly fiesta will raise support for high school and middle school summer trips to New York City, Shepherd Community Center in Indianapolis, and Great Escape in Wisconsin. ZPC students are hosting this evening of great food, live music, dancing, and a silent auction. Cost to attend is \$8/person or \$30/ family of 4+.
> Elia Mrakovich [eliam@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1021]

CARAVAN STOCK

Purchase now to help fund summer trips

By purchasing Caravan Stock, you are providing assistance for students attending the ZPC Caravan trip to New York City. In New York we will be partnering with local shelters to serve the homeless and connect with those most in need. We seek to be an extension of Christ’s love by sharing our stories and receiving theirs. Your support makes this possible. To purchase stock, visit the table in the Gathering Space this morning.
> Brendon Saget [brendons@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1015]

nominate elders and deacons

Nominations are being accepted for Elder and Deacon positions. The Nominating Committee will prepare a slate based on nominations received. Needed are four Elders and eight Deacons. You may nominate anyone who is a current active member of ZPC, including yourself. For more information and to submit names, visit zpc.org/our-leaders or pick up a form at the Welcome Center and put it in the offering plate or return it to the Church Office or Welcome Center. Nominations should be submitted by Monday, May 6.
Email Amanda Sticker with any questions [amanda.stricker@gmail.com].

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

There will be games, bounce houses, crafts, pizza, movie, and popcorn and we hope you will join us!

When: Friday, May 10 | 5 – 7 pm

Where: ZPC, 4775 W 116th Street

Contact Mark with questions.

> Mark Purvis [misterpurvis@gmail.com; 317.695.1631]



Welcome to ZPC!
We are glad you’re here!

May 5, 2019 | 9 & 10:30 am

Called together by God to make disciples and release them for service in our broken world.

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presbyterian church

4775 West 116th Street
Zionsville, IN 46077
317.873.6503 | zpc.org
Church office hours:
Monday–Friday: 8:30 am–4:30 pm



listen to last week’s message at zpc.org/resources/sermon

worship

Sunday, May 5, 2019

Rev. Jerry Deck

Scripture: 1 John 1

Sermon Notes:

Prayer after service: If you would like someone to pray with or for you, please go to the west alcove in the Sanctuary after the service. It would be our privilege to pray on your behalf.

Assistive listening systems are available upon request. Check in with the sound booth at the back of the Sanctuary.

who we are

Our focus is to become and make life-long learners of Jesus through:

- 1. Creating a Caring Community
- 2. Centering Our Worship and Study on Christ
- 3. Encouraging Hands-on Missions

Thank you for coming to ZPC! We would love to get to know you. We encourage you to record your attendance on the welcome pad at today’s worship. Please provide your name, address, and contact information. Especially if this is your first time with us, we would welcome the opportunity to connect with you and even deliver a yummy treat!

Join us in the Gathering Space before and after services. Want a name tag? Sign up at the Welcome Center.

the week ahead [zpc.org for more] 2019

Sunday, May 5	
Hosting IHN Families All Day 200 Classrooms	Cinco de Money 6 pm Gathering Space
Monday, May 6	
Hosting IHN Families All Day 200 Classrooms	ZPC Line Dancing 1:30 – 2:30 pm Gym
Intercessory Prayer 9 – 10 am Chapel	
Tuesday, May 7	
Hosting IHN Families All Day 200 Classrooms	ZPC Session Meeting 6:30 – 9:30 pm Room 201
Open Gym 1 – 2:30 pm Gym	
Wednesday, May 8	
Hosting IHN Families All Day 200 Classrooms	Mission Commission 7–9 pm Room 201
Open Gym 1 – 2:30 pm Gym	Choir Rehearsal 7–9 pm Worship Arts Room
Thursday, May 9	
Hosting IHN Families All Day 200 Classrooms	Prayer for Middle East and Africa 7:45–8:30 am Chapel
Men’s Study 6:15 – 7:30 am Gathering Space	Food Pantry 5 – 6 pm Room 109
Neighborhood Christian Legal Clinic 6–7 pm Room 108 [pro bono legal representation and preventive law education to low income families, including immigrant families]	
Friday, May 10	
Hosting IHN Families All Day 200 Classrooms	Food Pantry 12 – 2 pm Room 109
Family Fun Night 5–7 pm Gym	
Saturday, May 11	
Hosting IHN Families All Day 200 Classrooms	Str8Up Workday 9:30 am–3 pm Str8Up Camp

Sunday Mornings	
Children	
Nursery Care 9 and 10:30 am birth – age three check in at the Children’s Welcome Center	
Children’s Classes 9 and 10:30 am age four – fourth grade check in at the Children’s Welcome Center.	
Students	
Middle School Ministry [ZPCMSM] 9 am Room 205 [5th – 8th grades]	
High School Ministry [ZPCHSM] 6 pm HSM Room [9th – 12th grades]	
Adults	
Thinking Biblically: A class of wisdom and wit 9 am Room 202	
Christian Spiritual Formation 10:30 am Room 202	

Store up for yourselves treasures in heaven. Matthew 6:20		
ZPC Stewardship Update:	[6.1.18-4.28.19]	
YTD Offering:	\$ 2,304,030	
YTD Budget:	\$ 2,337,458	Last Sunday’s Attendance: 540

Home Groups | Week 5 1 John 1

Icebreaker:
John talks about light and darkness in this passage. Growing up, were you afraid of the dark? How does the Bible, and this passage, speak about light and darkness?

Read this week’s scripture and discuss:

- 1.In the first paragraph of this letter, John says our fellowship is with each other, and our fellowship is with God. How do you see the connection between your fellowship with God and your fellowship with others?
- 2.What helps you to grow in your relationship with God? How are you engaging in practices which help you in that?
- 3.What helps you to grow in your relationship with others? How are you engaging in practices which help you with others?
- 4.1 John 4:20 says, “Those who say, “I love God,” and hate their brothers or sisters, are liars; for those who do not love a brother or sister whom they have seen, cannot love God whom they have not seen.” Does this passage make you uncomfortable?
- 5.Eugene Peterson said, “Sin is not breaking a rule, it is breaking a relationship.” Is this how you think of sin? Why or why not?
- 6.What are the dangers of claiming to be without sin? (verses 8-10)
- 7.Do you struggle with believing God forgives your sins? How does living in community help or hinder your belief in that?

Prayer:
As you pray for one another, please pray for the following needs in our church family:

prayer requests

> Prayers of comfort for Nancy and Ron Baker in the death of Nancy’s mother, Carolyn Barnes.

From the ZPC monthly Prayer Calendar [available at zpc.org/prayer or at the Welcome Center].

> Pray for the Fuller Center for Housing to assist families locally and globally who need homes. May they find volunteers and generous resources.

> Pray for Steve & Kay Wright’s trip to Brazil (May 3-14) as they visit Good Jesus new church development in Florianopolis and travel to Apucarana to begin plans for a new Great Banquet Community.