News From Zion

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Announcements

Easter Lilies Order a lily for Easter in the pink basket on the table in the church basement. Please place your order by this Sunday, April 10.

Confirmation is in 10:30 worship today. Members of this year's class are: Ella Denor, Bryce Dobberpuhl, Raina Evenson, McKayla Mathies, Isaiah Muchka, Sabrina Schmidt, Trenton Schuettpelz, Venna Van De Walle, Andrew Wegner, Seth Wittig, Brylie Zirbel, and Joshua Zirbel.

10 Lies About God Study will begin today. We will look at God wants me to be happy. Join us at 9:15 a.m. in the basement.

Commons Bible Study The Commons Bible Study will meet at 9:15 a.m. this Sunday.

Sunday School meets at 9:15 a.m. at school.

Last Week we had 275 worship in person and 40 online. That is 42% of our membership. Please encourage your brothers and sisters in Christ to stay close to Jesus through faithful use of Word and sacraments!

Sunday Night Book Discussion will meet Sunday at 7:00 p.m. at Nickel Funeral Home.

Three Holy Days Worship begins on Maundy Thursday. Worship is at 11:00 a.m. and repeated at 7:00 p.m.

On Good Friday we continue the service with two different worship opportunities. The Cross of Christ service is at 11:00 a.m. It includes the rite of nails placed into the cross. Tenebrae worship at 7:00 p.m. will have a focuses on the 7 words from the cross and the 7 letters to the churches in Revelation.

On Saturday Three Holy Days Worship continues with Easter Vigil. This historic service was held to mark midnight and the arrival of Easter. We will worship at 8:00 p.m. The services begins with a dark church and a candlelight processional.

Easter Festival worship brings the Three Holy Days to a close. Worship on Easter will be at 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Communion is in each worship opportunity in the Three Holy Days service. Join us for as many of the worship opportunities as you can! Invite and bring a friend!

Soup Suppers Thank you to everyone who helped prepare or serve Soup Suppers during Lent this

year! Your service to the Lord and his people is a blessing! Thank you to Tamara Schultz for organizing all the meals!

Bible Reading Plan Join us in an online reading plan. April 3-7: Navigating this season of wandering; April 8-12: Tough questions Part 1; April 13-17: What happened during holy week; April 18-22: No bones in the grave. Go to mzluth.org or our Facebook page to join.

Fun Day will meet 9:00-11:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 21, May 5, and 19.

Bookkepper Position We will add this position beginning in July. If you are interested, please speak to Randy Loppnow for more information.

New Life in Christ Class We plan to start another class after Easter. The day of the week and time is yet to be determined. Please talk to Pastor ott if you are interested in attending.

Partnering in the Gospel seminar is April 23, 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. We want every member (new and old) go through this seminar! We will meet on the fourth Saturday of each month. Join us when it works for you!

Voters' Meeting will be April 24 after late worship in the commons.

Easter & Confirmation Cards are available in the library in the church basement.

Food Pantry donations may be placed in the grocery cart in the kitchen in the church basement.

Save the Date for Vacation Bible School at Morrison Zion Lutheran School, July 12-14.

Coaches If you are interested in coaching volleyball or basketball next school year, contact Mrs.

Muchka

Morrison Zion Athletics will have a flower fundraiser in partnership with Braun Acres to support of our athletic programs. All orders are placed online and payment is due at pick-up. More details and the link to order is on our website: mzluth.org or on our Facebook page: Morrison Zion Lutheran School. The order deadline is Sunday, May 8. Pick-up will be in the church parking lot Sunday, May 22, 10:30-noon

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Weekly Calendar

Sun. 9:15 a.m. 10 lies Study, basement 7:00 p.m. Tenebrae Worship, communion 9:15 a.m. Commons Bible Study, Sat. 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil Worship, communion 9:15 a.m. Sunday School Sun. 8:00 a.m. Easter Festival Worship, communion

7:00 p.m. Book Study, Nickel (ch. 7)
9:15 a.m. 10 lies Study, basement
7:00 p.m. Youth Group
9:15 a.m. Commons Bible Study

Wed. 5:00 p.m.Confirmation 9:15 a.m.Sunday School

Thurs. 11:00 a.m. Maundy Thursday Worship, communion 10:30 a.m. Easter Festival Worship, communion

7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Worship, communion 7:00 p.m. Book Study, Nickel (ch. 8) Friday 11:00 a.m. The Cross of Christ Worship, communion

Our Stewardship of the Means of Grace

Worship: 275 (77, 198) Online: 40 Midweek Lenten: 213 (153. 60) Online: 12 Bible Class: 50 (5, 28, 5, 9, 3,) Youth Group: 5

Board for Home Missions Approves Five New Missions

WELS News

On March 31–April 1, the WELS Board for Home Missions met and approved 12 new mission requests—five new home mission starts, five enhancements at existing congregations, and two unsubsidized missions.

New home missions are being supported in:

- Windsor, Colo., where WELS congregations in Ft. Collins, Loveland, and Greeley are supporting this mission start in a rapidly growing area in northern Colorado. Currently 20 WELS families are located in the target area, which has no Lutheran churches.
- Wichita, Kan., where the area population is expected to grow by ten percent over the next ten years on the east side of the city. This will be a second site ministry for Messiah, Wichita.
- Canton, Ga., a fast-growing suburb of metro Atlanta identified by members

and leadership from Beautiful Savior, Marietta, Ga., as a prime location to plant a new mission church.

- Conroe, Texas, the northernmost suburb of Houston, which is the fifthfastest-growing city in the United States. Abiding Word, Houston, Texas, is helping this new mission get off the ground.
- Lodi, Wis., which is a second-site ministry for Zion, Leeds, Wis. Zion has already leased a ministry center in Lodi and the 17-person ministry team hopes to launch worship services this year. This mission is financially supported by Zion, but it will receive support from Home Missions through the district mission board, mission counselors, and special grants.

The Board for Home Missions is also financially supporting ministry enhancements for St. John, St. Paul, Minn.; Cross of Glory, Baton Rouge, La.; Divine Savior, Delray Beach, Fla.; Abiding Savior,

Killeen, Texas; and Our Savior, Burlington, Iowa. It is providing unsubsidized support to Mount Calvary, Redding/Anderson, Calif.; and Living Faith, Midlothian, Texas. More details about these ministries can be found at wels.net/newstarts.

Rev. Keith Free, administrator of WELS Home Missions, commends district mission board members and mission counselors for the hard work that went into the 28 new ministry requests that the Board for Home Missions received for consideration during last week's meetings. As Free notes, "Not all the requests could be funded, but \$610,000 of new ministry was. Thank you, Lord, for those who support gospel outreach through WELS' home mission churches."

WELS currently has 141 home mission congregations in the United States, Canada, and the English-speaking West Indies. To learn more about WELS Home Missions, visit wels.net/homemissions.

News from our High Schools

MLHS Easter Concert: Come to the Easter Concert at MLHS on , April 13, 7:00 p.m.

MLHS's International Program Are you interested in becoming a Host Family or learning more about the International Student Program at MLHS? If so, please contact Nathan King at

nking@mlhslancers.org / Phone: (920) 682-0215 x 420.

FVL's International Program needs host families. Students stay for 9 months and pay their own expenses. Families receive a stipend to offset costs. Contact Monica Uhlenbrauck (muhlenbrauck@fvlhs.org). family!

FVL's Electronics Recycling is April 29 & 30. Check fvlhs.org/recycle for what is recyclable and any costs

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