



News From Zion



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Announcements

Thanksgiving Offering is designated to Grace Lutheran in Grenada Christmas Gift outreach program. Morrison member Rachel Ihlenfeldt serves at Grace.

Foundations of Faith Are you interested in becoming a member at Morrison Zion or want to review your faith? Join us Fridays at 1 pm. We won't meet Nov. 24. This study will also meet Monday nights beginning in January.

Sunday Morning Romans Study continues this week at 9:15 am. This study will also be offered online on Wednesdays at 8 pm. Join us at <https://bit.ly/xfactoronline>

Sunday School for ages 3 - 6th grade meets each Sunday at school 9:15-10:15 a.m. in the school building.

Fun Day meets on Tuesdays from 8:30am – 10:30 am. in the church basement.

Youth Group meets Sundays from 6-8 pm in the school commons for bible study, food, and fun. Youth Group will not meet Dec. 3.

Sunday Book Study meets each Sunday at 7 p.m. in the church basement. This Sunday we will begin a short book "The Basics" written by Pastor Mike Novotny. This book is free and would be great to share with a friend. Book Study will not meet Dec. 3.

Choir rehearsals are Wednesdays after Midweek Advent worship in the church balcony.

Church Band will have rehearsal on Tuesday, Nov. 28 at 7:00pm in the school basement.

Parents Night Out Babysitting Night is Saturday, December 2nd 5pm-8pm at Morrison Zion Lutheran School. Enjoy a night out with free babysitting provided for kids who are potty trained to age 12 by our youth group members. Pizza and snacks will be provided for the kids. Scan this QR code to sign your kids up:



Lord's Supper will be served at the altar after Thanksgiving. If you have questions or concerns speak to pastor or another leader. We will continue to serve communion to those who wish to remain in the pews.

Christmas Wreath and Planter Fundraiser pickup is Sunday, Nov. 26.

Call Meeting to call a second pastor will be December 3 after 10:30 am worship.

4 Weeks of Mid-Week Advent Worship begins Wednesday, Nov. 29. We will worship at 11:00 am and 7:00 pm. Soup suppers will be after morning worship and before evening worship. This year's theme is "The Clothing of the King."

Advent by Candlelight for are area WELS advent by Candlelight on Dec 3rd. This event is for men and women will be held at 4:00pm at Immanuel Lutheran in Shirley. The theme is "Words of Advent." Join for an evening of fellowship, beautiful music and delicious sandwiches and dessert. There is no charge for this event, but we do ask that you sign up by Nov 27th by going to www.immanuelshirley.com/abc/ or scan the QR code.



Happy Birthday Jesus is Dec. 9 from 9 am—10:30 am. This FREE event for ages 3—grade 4, we will celebrate the birth of our Savior, listening to the story of Jesus' birth, do a craft, play games, and enjoy a snack. Register online by Dec. 1, or scan this code.



Bookkeeper Position We are looking for a new person to fill this soon to be vacated role which involves payroll, paying bills, and financial audit support. If you are interested in learning more about this position please contact Steve Laabs; 920.901.9478 or stevenjlaabs@gmail.com.

Our Stewardship of the Means of Grace

More Announcements on Back...

Worship:	Members	(Visitors)
11/16 Thur.	59	(5)
11/19 Sun. 8 am	86	(4)
11/19 Sun. 10:30	71	(16)
Total	216	(25)
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Online:	19	(3)
Total	22	

Bible Study:

11/15 Catechism	7
11/16 English Class	3
11/17 Bible Information Class	4
11/19 Sunday Morning	20
11/19 Sunday School	8
Teachers/Helpers	3/5
11/19 Youth Group	13
11/19 Book Study	6
Total	61

Our Mission is to **Glorify God** as we **Gather** around the Gospel so that we **Grow** in the Gospel and **Go** with the Gospel

Weekly Calendar

<p>11/26 Sun. Christmas Wreath and Planter Pickup 9:15 a.m. Sunday School, <i>school</i> 9:15 a.m. Romans study, <i>church basement</i> 6:00 p.m. Youth Group Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Book Study - <i>The Basics</i></p> <p>11/27 Mon. 7:00 p.m. Men's Study</p> <p>11/28 Tue. 8:30 a.m. Fun Day, <i>church</i></p> <p>11/29 Wed. 11:00 a.m. Midweek Advent Worship 5:00 p.m. Catechism Class, <i>church</i></p>	<p>11/29 Wed. 7:00 p.m. Midweek Advent Worship</p> <p>11/30 Thur. 5:30 p.m. English Class</p> <p>12/1 Fri. 1:00 p.m. Foundations in Faith Class</p> <p>12/2 Sat. 7:00 a.m. Food Pantry Setup</p> <p>12/3 Sun. 8:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Advent Worship 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Romans Study 10:30 a.m. 1st Sunday of Advent Worship 11:30 a.m. Call Meeting 4:00 p.m. Advent by Candlelight, <i>Immanuel Shirley</i></p>
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A gift for family and ministry

For Don and Joyce Frisque, supporting Christ's gospel ministry is close to their hearts. Joyce served as a WELS teacher for over 35 years, and Don served as a WELS teacher for 6 years and as a school social worker for 31 years. Their two children, Deb and Paul, have also devoted their lives to ministry.

When the Frisques retired, they planned to thank the Lord for his goodness to them. "God has blessed us, and we want to pass those blessings on," Joyce says. "We don't need anything more for ourselves, so we are going to give it back where we can to the church." They also wanted to share their blessings with their children and grandchildren.

The Frisques knew that funding a legacy gift from their individual retirement accounts (IRAs) could help them fulfill their giving goals, but they were searching for the right type of planned gift. When they met with WELS Christian Giving Counselor Rev. Tom Mielke, he explained the benefits of a legacy charitable remainder trust.

Don and Joyce were intrigued. A legacy charitable remainder trust (often called a "give it twice" trust) would allow them to support both the people and the ministries they love, in addition to providing tax benefits.

After consideration, Don and Joyce set up a legacy charitable remainder trust, with WELS Foundation serving as trustee. When they are in heaven, their

children will receive quarterly income payments from the trust for 15 years. After that, the remainder will support the multiple WELS ministries that the Frisques have chosen.

Don and Joyce appreciated Rev. Mielke's assistance and the ease of filling out a single form, the Letter of Instruction, to select the ministries that will benefit from their trust. Joyce also loves the fact that after Jesus calls them home the trust will support their family members and the Lord's work.

"Everything we have been given has been entrusted to us, and we are responsible for managing it in a God-pleasing way," says Don. "In this way we believe we are doing that."

Learn more about legacy charitable remainder trusts by contacting your local WELS Christian giving counselor at 800-827-5482



News from our High Schools

MLHS Christmas Concert—Joy to the World is at 4:30pm and 7:30pm on Thursday, December 21. Join in us for this free concert at the Capitol Civic Centre in downtown Manitowoc!

The FVL Choirs invite you to attend their annual Christmas Concert on Sunday, 12/17 at 4 PM. The concert is free.

WELS News

Announcements, continued...

Food Pantry Sock Drive giveaway is December 2nd. Please consider donating new socks only, in all sizes, men's, women's, and children's, both boys and girls before December. Look for the red bin at church or at school to donate.

SCRIP Rhonda plans to be available at church in November between service with scrip cards and to take orders. You can also drop your orders off at the office. Scrip cards make wonderful gifts for the holidays.

Soup For Souls meals have been restocked in the freezers at church and at school. Cards are also available to send with your meal. Please share the love of Christ in a tangible way by taking a meal and card to a friend, neighbor, or co-worker to brighten their day!

Facility Maintenance/Project Manager is a volunteer position at Morrison Zion. We are looking someone new to help in this position. If interested speak to Randy Loppnow.

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