The Christian Light

Miracle in the Mess

"While they were there, the time came sus demands. We can imagine sublime for the baby to be born, and she gave birth scenes captured on sentimental Christmas to her firstborn, a son" (Luke 2:6,7).

Turning on the radio or strolling through shopping centers this time of year can be a unique experience. If you have celebrated more than a few Christmases, you probably noticed the shift in the kind of songs on heavy rotation. While it isn't shocking that religious music has lost its dominance over the airwaves, some pop selections stick out for their subject matter. Rudolph and Frosty have been pushed aside for the upbeat heartbreak of "Last Christmas" and similar songs.

Sweetly sad songs capturing tragic times

One such seasonal pop song that never fails to grab my attention is "Fairytale of New York" by the Pogues. (A song that was covered by the Kelce brothers in 2023.) It's sad. It's sentimental. It starts slow and then kicks into a frolicking melody. New York in Christmas is the backdrop for a fairy tale that doesn't close with a happy ending. The duet chronicles a couple's quarrel. Bells ringing out for Christmas Day can't drown out the disappointment and resentment of unrealized dreams. It's messy and beautiful at the same time.

Sweetly sad songs capturing tragic times aren't accidentally enticing at Christmas time. They tap into something that resonates with so many people this time of year. We formulate elaborate plans. We imagine sublime scenes in our minds. What we actually get is usually less than a fairy tale ending. Overly optimistic plans get derailed by bad winter weather. Unreasonably high expectations came crashing down with complicated relationships. Memories are often less than magical. Seasonal sentiments can be bit-

It is into this gritty reality that our Savior was born. Mary must have had her own plans for her future. The angelic annunciation detoured her expectations onto an unsettling path forward. Dreams of a serene delivery scene were dashed by cencards. Yet the reality greeting God's own Son in Bethlehem was much messier.

Joyous hymns celebrating Jesus' birth

So much better than a fairy tale comes the miracle in the mess: "While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in clothes and placed him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn." (Luke 2:6,7)

Christmas celebrates the birth of God's Son into our messy lives. Into lives filled with disappointment and heartbreak comes the one who "became poor" and "made himself nothing" so the sake of humanity disappointed with our own performance. (2 Corinthians 8:9; Philippians 2:6) Jesus entered our world in less than pristine conditions for the sake of people who have made messes of relationships repeatedly. What we caused to fall apart with our Father, Jesus came to repair. For all the unrealized expectations of our lives we struggle to overcome, Jesus comes to give us a better hope. This baby we celebrate at Christmas came to live perfectly under God's law in our place. For our messy lives, we celebrate the one who chose to come down to earth so he could bring us to himself in heaven.

You probably won't be able to convince shops and radio stations about the superior quality of Christmas hymns over secular holiday songs. But you get to honor Jesus by singing: "You came to share my misery, that you might share your joy with me." (Christian Worship 38, s. 8) Whatever sentiments dominate your life this season, Jesus still comes to exceed what you could get from your best holiday imaginations. You can sing of the miracle: "this little child of lowly birth shall be the joy of all the earth." (CW 38, s. 2) Jesus is with you in the mess of life.

- Pastor Jeffrey Enderle, adapted from Forward in Christ, December 2022

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Our Mission

is to

Glorify

God as we

Gather

around the Gospel to

Grow

in the Gospel and then

Go to others with the Gospel



Congregational News



Leadership Team Notes

In November, the Leadership Team (LT) discussed the article "The Love of Christ Compels Us."

The LT discussed the progress on our 3 main emphasis. Serving in Joy was emphasized in the October Newsletters. The service booklet and surveys will be emphasized during the end of 2023. A family spiritual retreat weekend is being planned for 2024.

Desired gifts in a second pastor for our call meeting Dec. 3 was discussed including the possibility of calling a pastor with gifts in speaking Spanish to assist with area outreach to the Hispanic community including Zion's Food Pantry and ESL program.

Adjustments to the Barnabas Ministry were proposed for the end of 2023 and a restart for 2024.

The 2024 congregational

Weddings

On Friday, October 27 John Webster and Gloria Fanny Falcon Salazar were united in marriage in a small worship service at Morrison Zion. On Saturday, November 4, Brandon Van Iten and Alexa Christiansen were united in marriage in a worship service at Morrison Zion. Please pray for God's blessings on the newlyweds as they begin their married life!

Thanksgiving offering designation was approved for Grace in Grenada where Rachel Ihlenfeldt is currently serving.

Current and future ministry opportunities with Immanuel Shirley were discussed in follow-up to the October 22 meeting Pastor Enderle and Pastor Ruddat pulpit swapping once a month was approved. Wider discussion with the whole congregation about current and future joint ministry opportunities is planned for 2024.

Purchase of new camera controller for livestreaming was approved and purchased.

The LT plans to meet in 2024 for 1,3,5,10 year planning.

In November, the LT welcomed as a member Colin Salm by transfer (St. Johns, Reedsville) and by profession of faith Tom Mass. The LT granted a transfer out to the following: Matt & Stacy Hoyer & Family (Trinity, Brillion); Leah Ihlenfeldt (Refuge Church, Raleigh,

Baptism

Kyriea Kae Enderle, the daughter of James and Jen Enderle, born October 28, 2023 was baptized and welcomed to God's family on November 12. NC).

The Treasurer reported the following Fiscal Year balances from July through October.

Income	\$42,597
Expenses	\$71,847
Monthly balance	\$-29,250
Fiscal year to date)
balance	-\$23,813
Checkbook balance	\$63,360
Gen. reserve fund	\$167,409
DPI reserve fund	\$2,507
High School	\$1480
Fiscal year total	\$5,170
2023-24 fiscal goal	l \$18,000
Synod Mission	\$3,280
Fiscal year total	\$10,390
2023 goal	\$31,000

Average Worship Attendance				
October		Yearly		
2023	233	2023	264	
2022	264	2022	257	
		2021	225	

Average Bible Study Attendance				
October Yearly		arly		
2023	38	2023	46	
2022	37	2022	36	
		2021	48	

Dec. 3 Call Meeting

Members are encouraged to attend a Voters Meeting on Dec. 3 following the 10:30 am service to call an associate pastor. The full job description for a second pastor and a separate summary along with desired qualifications will be made available to members.

Christian Funeral

It has pleased our heavenly Father to call the soul of John Falck to his heavenly home. John died on Nov. 1. His Christian funeral was at Morrison Zion on Nov. 6.

Please pray that God comfort all who mourn these deaths with the knowledge that those who die in the Lord are with the Lord.

Grow and Keep On Growing in the Grace and Knowledge of Jesus

Foundations of Faith Class Are you, a friend, or relative interested in becoming a member at Morrison Zion? Join us Fridays at 1pm (except holidays) for this Bible Class on a dive into the Christian faith. We will also meet Monday nights at 7 beginning in January.

Sunday Morning Bible Study In December we will continue our study on Paul's letter to the Romans. This Bible Class aims at defining the Christian "X" factor. In other words, what is it that makes Christianity unique from every other religion and what makes Christians so different from other people? Romans is a great overview of the Christian faith and the application of that faith in a Christian's life.



Online Bible Study If you are unable to join in-person or miss a Sunday you can join the study online with Pastor Enderle and Pastor Ruddat from Immanuel in Shirley, Wednesdays at 9 pm. This online Bible Study is on YouTube page and in a Facebook group. Videos remain online for you to watch whenever. Join the online bible class Facebook group: https://bit.ly/xfactoronline

Sunday Night Book Discussion meets Sundays at 7 p.m. in the church basement. In December we will finish the book "The Basics" by Mike Novotny. This book is free and would be great to share with a friend who is interested in learning the basics of the Christian faith. On Dec. 10 we will begin "Hidden Christmas" by Timothy Keller. Books are available for \$7.

Wednesday Confirmation Class for public school students 5th-8th grade meets Wednesdays from 5:00 pm to 6:15 pm. Classes are held at Morrison Zion Lutheran Church. Please contact Pastor Enderle with any questions james.enderle@mzls.org

Men's Study will meet on Monday, December 11 at 7:00 p.m. Join us in the church basement.

Women's Study will not be meeting in the month of December due to the Enderle's newborn. Look for future announcements as to when and where we will meet after the holidays.

Youth Group meets Sunday nights at 6 pm—8 pm. We are looking at how God blesses us with relationships. Snacks and refreshments are provided with open gym to follow study.

English as a Second Language will meet Thursday, Dec. 14 at 5:30 p.m. in the church basement. New students and volunteers are welcome!

Whole Bible Reading Plan Beginning January 2024 Morrison Zion will join with Immanuel Shirley in a 2 year whole Bible plan. Look for more information to come. Study plans and questions will be available in paper along with online groups to join for discussion.

Sunday School classes for 3 year olds-5k, 1st-3rd grade and 4th-6th grade take place each Sunday from 9:15-10:15 at school. We are studying the early life of Jesus. No sign up is needed and we love having new friends join in! Sunday School will not meet December 24 and 31.

Thank you to all our Sunday School teachers and helpers. We appreciate your serving to teach the children about Jesus' love! If anyone has a Thrivent card available for supplies contact Pastor Enderle.

Lord's Supper at the Altar

Beginning after Thanksgiving communion will be served at the altar. Pastor will continue to serve communion to those who would like to remain in in your pew. If you have any concerns or questions concerning communion procedures speak to Pastor Enderle or others on the Leadership Team.

Facility Maintenance/Project Manager

The Leadership Team is seeking a new Facility Maintenance/Project Manager. For a complete job description speak to Randy Loppnow or Pastor Enderle.

Worship In December

Notes on Worship

Live stream is Sunday morning worship at 8:00 a.m. on YouTube and Facebook. The service is available at any time after that as well. Our page is www.youtube.com/c/morrisonzionlutheran. Share the link with a friend! Find resources for worship at www.mzluth.org/online worship. The online register has been simplified. You may also register by texting (920)949-1038.

In December we begin a new church year with the Advent season and Christmas.

	The King Shall Come					
Dec. 3	1st Sunday in Advent	He is Coming to Save Us	blue			
	Sermon: Isaiah 64:1-9	Hymns: 21, 2, 12				
Dec. 10	2 nd Sunday in Advent	Prepare to Meet Him	blue			
	Sermon: Isaiah 40:1-11	Hymns: 21, 16, 703, 11	communion			
Dec. 17	3 rd Sunday in Advent	He is Bringing Perfect Joy	blue			
	MLHS Lancer Singer Sunday					
Dec. 24	Advent/Christmas	Just As God Promised	white			
	Song Service	Hymns: 23, 67, 45, 68, 61, CW ²¹ 356, 6	$CW^{21}707$			
Good News of Great Joy						
Dec. 24	Childrens Program	What a Story!	white			
Dec. 24	Candlelight Service	A Savior Has been Born	white			
Dec. 25	Christmas Day	God became Man	white			
	Sermon: Galatians 4:4-7	Hymns: 34, 63, 45	communion			
Dec. 31	New Years/1st Sunday after Christi	mas Peace on Earth	white			
	Sermon: Colossians 3:12-17	Hymns: 478, 41, 38, 449	communion			

Consider using the hymns, readings and the sermon text as a personal or family devotion sometime before worship!

Altar Committee members serving in December Diane Suchomel / Sally Suchomel

Midweek Advent

Join us for 4 weeks of midweek Advent services in 2023 Wednesdays at 11 am and 7 pm.

- Nov. 29 The Foretaste of Fashion
- Dec. 6 An Enviable Style
- Dec. 13 Clothed in Conviction
- Dec. 20 Robed in Righteousness

Soup Suppers are at 11:30 am and 6 pm. Speak to Tamara Schultz if you can bring food or help setup. The Advent theme is "The Clothing of the King." An Advent Devotional book will also be available.

Advent by Candlelight

Advent by Candlelight for men and women will be held on December 3rd at 4:00pm at Immanuel Lutheran in Shirley. The theme is "Words of Advent." Join us for an evening of fellowship, beautiful music, and delicious sandwiches and dessert as men and women prepare their hearts for Christmas There is no charge for this event.

Choir

The choir meets in the church balcony on Wednesday evenings following the midweek Advent services. We are preparing music for the special services of Advent. We also are preparing for the song service on Sunday, Dec, 24 and for Christmas Day. We're already looking ahead to our concert on February 11th. We hope to welcome more new members very soon!

Church Band

Rehearsals continue in preparation for Christmas Day. We really could use more clarinet and flute players! It's not too late to join! Rehearsals in December will be held on Tuesday, December 5, Tuesday, December 12, and Monday, December 18. All rehearsals start at 7:00 PM.

Bookkeeper Position

Our current financial bookkeeper plans to step down. We are looking for a new person to fill that 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.

Scrip

For a complete list of available cards, see our order sheet or visit shopwithscrip.com or pick up an order form which has many items on it. Contact Rhonda Heling for more information or to place an order. Text me at 920 676-6277 or email at rhonstef@gmail.com. Scrip cards make great gifts. Scrip gift certificates are also available. Please get your orders in early if you want Christmas Gifts. The last day to order for Christmas would be December 10. Otherwise, we cannot guarantee it will ship in time for Christmas.

Rhonda will sell Scrip the first two Sundays in December in the church basement between services. You can drop off orders at the office anytime and Nancy will get them to Rhonda.

Soup for Souls

Thank you to anyone who has helped share the love of Jesus with those around us this past year utilizing the Soup for Souls Ministry. As we head into the Christmas holiday, the Soup for Souls Ministry will be delivering meals to some of our congregation members and truly appreciates everyone who assisted with making the meal delivery possible. Thank you to Sally Suchomel for providing a Thrivent Card this month for Soup for Souls. As you visit friends and relatives this Christmas season, we continue to encourage you to share the love of Jesus with them. The meals are restocked and ready to be delivered!

Food Pantry

We served 26 families during the November 4th giveaway. Each family received pork or chicken, eggs, nonperishable items, and fresh produce including apples, cranberries, heads of lettuce, potatoes, tomatoes, and cilantro.

We have stopped our application process with Feeding America and are currently finalizing a partnership with Paul's Pantry in Green Bay that is anticipated to start in January. We appreciate their enthusiasm to help feed families in our community!

If you or someone you know needs assistance, please call the food pantry phone #(920) 246-5435 to schedule an appointment. Volunteers are welcome to join us for our next giveaway on Jan. 6th from 7-10 am!

Fun Day

December 5: Kings, Queens, and Castles December 12: Library and Books December 19: CHRISTMAS!!!

Youth Group

Past Events:

- Corn Maze 21 youth attended our Corn Maze event which included a meal at school and then traveling to Polly's Pumpkin Patch for a wet and muddy corn maze. No one got lost and lots of laughs were had as we were challenged to find all 18 stations.
- Cookies for Shut Ins 10 Youth gathered in November to bake cookies for our shut in members. At least 10 types of cookies were made at this service event and a bible study on "Clinging to Christ" was led by Pastor Enderle.

Upcoming events:

- Babysitting Night: We need all our youth to help babysit children of members so parents can have a night out.... Saturday, December 2nd from 5 to 8 at Morrison Zion Lutheran. Pizza and snacks will be provided. Scan this QR code to sign up to help at this event:
- •Youth Group Christmas Party: Saturday, December 16th from 6 9 PM All youth group members are invited to our Christmas party at Immanuel Shirley. A meal will be provided and we will play some fun games. Bring a wrapped \$10 gift (food is acceptable) for a fun gift exchange. Hope you can join us!
- •Save the Date! Youth Group Sledding Event!: Mark your calendars for Saturday, January 13th for a fun trip to Kewaunee Winter Park to enjoy their sledding hill. Watch announcements for more details as we get closer.
- •2024 WELS International Youth Rally is-June 25-28, 2024 in Boulder, CO. Registration is \$410 and will be in early 2024.

This is a free program held in the Morrison Zion Church basement every Tuesday morning from 8:30am - 10:30am, unless there is no school at Morrison Zion. The focus is to learn school readiness and the love of Jesus, while having lots of fun with peers. Children ages 3 & 4 (already potty trained) are invited to attend. Please share with a friend or a neighbor if they had a child recently turn 3! If you have any questions, please contact Danielle Ripp: dani.pues27@gmail.com.

Knight for a Day!

On Tuesday, January 9, Morrison Zion Lutheran School would like to welcome children ages 3 and 4 to spend the morning in Mrs. Geidel's 4K/5K classroom from 8:30am – 10:30am. Knight for a Day is a

free event where kids will do fun activities with the current 4K/5K class, eat a snack, and join for recess! The kids should bring their own snack and



water bottle. In order to plan for the morn ing, please register your child by January 1 with the following link https:// forms.gle/7gfg1dWS7sb53cHD9 or use the QR Code. Contact Mrs. Geidel with any questions: hillary.geidel@mzls.org

School News

Join us November 19 at

St. Norbert's Honors Band

Congratulations to 8th graders - Kiley Hassemer and Clayton Schmidt for being selected to play in the fall honors band festival at St. Norbert's College. On November 11th, they participated in a day of rehearsals ending with a concert featuring 2 bands made up of 7th, 8th and 9th graders from throughout northeast WI and upper MI.

Mediations

New meditation booklets are in the racks. Pick one up for yourself or a friend. A donation of \$5.00 is greatly appreciated.

Organ Lesson Fund

Morrison Zion has an organ lesson fund to encourage youth in our congregation to use their gifts to glorify God in music. A member is currently learning organ and has used his gifts in worship services several times already. The fund is used to pay for his lessons and other necessary supplies. Current funds will pay for a few more months of lessons. Look to your designated envelops to help support this fund and continued organ lessons.

Happy Birthday Jesus!

This free event will be December 9 from 9-10:30am at MZL School. We will have fun listening to the story of Jesus' birth, doing a craft, playing games, and enjoying a snack. Children ages 3 (potty trained) through 4th grade are invit-



ed. Registration is required by December 1.

Pep Band

Join us on Friday, December 15 as we invite all instrumentalists to play along with our grade school band at the home basketball games. We will play before each game and at half time. Even if you haven't played your instrument for a very long time, come on out and give it a try! Contact Mrs. K. if you would like to play but need an instrument to use. We'll see what we can do.

4K and 5K Mrs. Geidel

4K and 5K have been having so much fun in school. This group of littles has lots of energy and so much love for their Savior. They are working hard to prepare their songs and recitations for the Christmas Service and are excited to share the message of Jesus' birth. In Bible class this month the students are going to learn about David and Goliath, The Three Men in the Fiery Furnace, and begin the New Testament with the angle coming to Mary and Jesus' birth. In reading class the 5K students are continuing to practice their CVC words and are learning new sight words. So far they have learned 30 and are going great. The 4K class will continue to work through the alphabet by learning I and J and then reviewing letter A-J. In math the 5K students will begin to learn how to add and subtract and learn different strategies to help them solve problems. The 4K class is going to learn about 2D shapes and their attributes. Kindergarten will begin learning about holidays around the world in social studies. They will learn about Mexico, Germany, Italy, Sweden, India, and Israel. In science the students will explore paper, learn how it's made, and have a chance to make their own. 4K and 5K want to wish you all a happy holiday season and Merry Christmas.

This month I am putting together a wrapping station to help my students practice wrapping which will also work our fine motor skills. *I am looking for small boxes and any scrap wrapping paper*. I appreciate any help.

Grades 1-2 Mrs. Kuchenbecker

In November we studied the very early history of America. We learned about the Pilgrims and the hardships they faced in their first year in America. We compared life in the past to life to-day. We visited Pinecrest Historical Village. We made pancakes, played parlor games, and attended a classroom from long ago. The class enjoyed preparing the food for a Thanksgiving feast with their parents. We made butter, mashed the potatoes, made pies, biscuits and muffins. Thanks to our head cooks who guided us in our work! We are thankful for all the things that made our cooking much easier than how the Pilgrims would have had to do it!

The second graders are adding and subtracting with 2 digit numbers with regrouping. We're reading long vowel words, and studying nouns and verbs. The first graders continue to learn more ways to do simple addition and subtraction. We're reading short vowel words, and learning nouns and verbs too. The class successfully completed its first reading challenge and enjoyed a fun afternoon celebrating.

Our main focus now is to learn our parts for our Christmas worship service. The students are excited to share the message of Jesus' birth through words and song. From our classroom to all, have a very happy and blessed Christmas!

Grades 3-4 Mrs. Hagenow

The celebration of Christmas is approaching quickly! The 3rd and 4th graders are busy practicing their Christmas songs and recitations and are excited to share the news of our Savior's birth in the upcoming Children's Christmas Eve Service. They are learning about how to find the area of different shapes as well as working with graphs in Math. In Language Arts, we are studying vowel pairs and working on writing fact and opinion essays. We are investigating how water is a critical factor in our weather and climate and how it interacts with other materials in Science. We continue looking at communities in Social Studies with our focus this month on how communities change over time and how they grow. The 3rd and 4th grade classroom wishes everyone a very Merry Christmas season!

Grades 5-6 Mr. Geidel

November has been a month of academic growth paired with lessons in time management following the beginning of basketball. School is in full swing and they are learning and growing every day. We have begun our discussions of the Third Article of the Apostle's creed. In 5th grade math, we have begun looking at division. In 6th grade math, students have begun looking at algebraic equations and evaluating expressions with variables. Reading the 5th and 6th graders were learning to persuade by presenting a well researched argument. In Grammar, we focused on increasing our ability to describe things in greater detail with descriptive writing. In Science, each student prepared presentations and became experts on a planet in our solar system. Social Studies has finished up looking at early North American cultures. We continue looking at the 7 elements of art and have begun our study of shape.

Grades 7-8 Mrs. Muchka

Happy November! It's hard to believe that it's already December! In Christ Light we are now focusing our study on the prophet Isaiah and the message God is sharing through him. The seventh and eighth graders are learning about percent relationships and graphing linear equations in Math. In American History our focus is currently on the Gilded Age and Progressivism in early America. Our students have been writing expository essays in English class.

We have also been spending time preparing to share the good news of Jesus' birth on Christmas Eve! We hope to worship with you this Advent and Christmas season! Please keep the seventh and eighth grade classroom in your prayers!

Christmas Presentation

On Friday, December 8 at 2:00pm our students will sing and play instruments in the gym. Please mark your calendar and plan on attending. Invite relatives and friends.

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Midweek Advent Worship

On November 29 we began 4 weeks of midweek Advent devotional services at 11am and 7pm with soup suppers. The theme is "The Clothing of the King."

MLHS Choir

The Manitowoc Lutheran High School Lancer Singers choir will join us Sunday, December 17.

Advent/Christmas Hymn Sing

On the morning of Christmas Eve, Sunday December 24 there will be an Avent/Christmas Hymn Sing during the 8 am service.

Christmas Eve Children's Program

On Sunday, December 24 at the 10:30am service grades 4K through 8th grade will present the Children's Christmas Eve Program. They will also have the same service at 6:00pm on Sunday, December 24.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

Join us Sunday, December 24 at the 11:00pm for a Christmas Eve Candle-light Service.

Christmas Day Worship

Join us Monday, December 25 at the $9{:}00$ am for Christmas Festival Worship with communion.

New Years Eve

On Sunday, December 31 we will have Sunday worship with communion at 8am and 10:30am. The theme will be a mixture of Christmas and New Years. There will be no evening New Years Eve service.

Morrison Zion Athletics

Do you love to watch basketball and volunteer? Help is still needed for our home basketball games. We are looking for volunteers to work in the concession stand or run the scoreboard/clock. Please use the link or the QR code to sign up to help for our home basketball games! Thank you for your support! https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4CABA623A2FE3-morrison1#/



Upcoming Basketball Games

Fri., Dec. 1st HOME vs. Algoma

5:00pm B Girls 6:00pm B Boys 7:00pm A Boys NO A Girls

Fri., Dec. 8th AWAY vs. Trinity Brillion Updated Times

6:00pm A Girls 7:00pm A Boys Mon., Dec. 11 Scrimmage at Trinity Green Bay

6:00pm A Boys

Fri., Dec. 15th HOME vs. Sturgeon Bay

5:00pm B Girls 6:00pm B Boys 7:00pm A Girls 8:00pm A Boys

Tues., Dec. 19 Scrimmage at Wayside

6:00pm A Boys

Thank You

- Thank you to everyone who helped out with Truck Jam in October! Thank you to the volunteers who brought their vehicles and taught the kids about them! Thank you for the awesome candy donations!
- Thank you to everyone who attended our Fall Story Hour in November! We had 15 kids who enjoyed listening to fall stories, made a leaf wreath, and ate a pumpkin patch pudding snack! Thank you to all our volunteers who helped make this event run smoothly!
- Thank you to everyone who supported the Morrison Zion Athletics fundraiser! The funds that were raised will support our young Christian athletes and the ongoing costs of our athletic programs. Thank you for your continued support!

Church Lighting

The Leadership Team approved replacing the lights at church. The cost will be around \$35,000 for the lights and installation. We will need help moving pews to install the lights.

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