

ZION EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

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AT THE END OF THE SERVICE – be sure to greet those who are seated around you. **YOU are His Voice, His Hand**, to those who are worshipping with you.

FLOWERS are given to the glory of God by Rich Moench in loving memory of his wife, Sandy and their wedding anniversary, which would have been their 61st on November 3.

LUTHERAN HOUR “The Problem of Heaven” with Speaker Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. A message by Michael Zeigler for The Lutheran Hour based on John 17:1-5. (John 17:1-5) Listen to “The Lutheran Hour” locally on Sunday at 12:01 p.m. on KHBT 97.7 FM and at 6:00 p.m. on KJYL 100.7 FM or on the web at www.lutheranhour.org/AFN/listen.htm. “The Lutheran Hour” is also on XM’s Family Talk Radio every Sunday at 1:00 p.m. (EST). Today’s broadcast is sponsored to the glory of God by Tim and Jean Wredt.

JUSTIN CARLSON and MACKENZIE RITTGERS were united in marriage during a service yesterday, November 3, 2018, here at Zion. May our gracious Lord bless Justin and Kenzie with a long life together filled with His richest blessings and much happiness.

It has pleased Almighty God to call to Himself in heaven the soul of **EUGENE “GENE” HAROLD CASEY**, who died Thursday, November 1, 2018 at the Trinity Regional Medical Center, Fort Dodge, Iowa. Funeral arrangements are pending. May our gracious Lord comfort and sustain Gene’s family with the living hope that is found in Jesus Christ and in anticipation of the great reunion to come.

HOSPITALIZED THIS WEEK: Carol Christiansen, Methodist, Des Moines; Shirley Moench, home.

THOSE MOURNING THE LOSS OF LOVED ONES: Eugene “Gene” Casey Family; Kay Kollmorgen Family; Eugene “Bud” Larsen Family (brother of Darlene Kunert passed away).

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENTS: ATTENDANCE

Saturday-75; Communed-63; Sunday-114; Communed-88;

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE: OFFERINGS

WEEK #43 - 10/28/2018 Weekly Budget Needs to Date: \$8,091.00

DESIGNATED OFFERING: Weekly-\$3,877; Fellowship Hall Rent-\$50
Carpet Fund-\$50; Trinity/Deer Creek-\$1,785; Fellowship Hall Rent-\$50;
Reimbursement-Women's Bible Study Material-\$383.86;
Memorials: Carpet-Kay Kollmorgen-\$10; Nativity: Marvin Anderson-\$400,
Kay Kollmorgen-\$30, Eugene "Bud" Larsen-\$10;

ZION'S SCHEDULE THIS WEEK:

Today	11:30 a.m.	Soup Lunch Fundraiser for The Lotus Project
	4:00 p.m.	LYC
Tues.	9:15 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
	6:30 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
Wed.	10:00 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation
	7:00 p.m.	Adult Choir
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.	LWML Executive Board Meeting
	9:30 a.m.	LWML Circle
Sat.	6:00 p.m.	Worship
Sun.	8:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	8:45 a.m.	Youth & Adult Bible Studies
	10:00 a.m.	Worship

LYC will meet the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month from 4:00-5:00 p.m.

If you didn't get to see the movie "**God's Not Dead 2**", the DVD is in Zion's Library. You may check it out.

LUTHERAN WITNESS, the official publication of the LC-MS, is available to members. The cost for an individual subscription is **\$22.67**. Please consider reimbursing Zion. Place your offering in an envelope marked Lutheran Witness Sub. with your envelope number. We thank those who have reimbursed Zion. If you are not receiving the Lutheran Witness and would like to, please notify the church office.

LWML MISSION NOTES: For **NOVEMBER** we are collecting items for the Lutheran Family Service MomTalk Program in Fort Dodge. MomTalk is a group that meets for guidance and to discuss issues for new moms in a Christian setting. Items needed are: Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Shampoo, Conditioner, Antiperspirant, Laundry detergent, Children's training underwear, Socks for all ages, Quilts for kids and adults, Gift Cards for Christmas boxes. You can bring donations any time during the month of November and place them in the mission containers in the Narthex. Thanks.

LWML Mission Committee: Joan A., Marian A., Jackie S.

Please remember in your PRAYERS THIS WEEK: Mary Grebe; Andrew Flatau; Jon Kuehnast; Gene Ruby; Michelle (Binger) Dornath (daughter of Joyce Fisher); Nola (Skow) Krier; Susan Allen; Joe Vanderhoff; Scot Slaikeu; Bert Kirchhoff, North Care Center; Arlene Moritz, Long Term Care, Humboldt; Linda Waderich and Velma Wood (mother of Jennifer Rolland), Hospice - Long Term Care, Humboldt Hospital.

A **Soup Lunch** will be held in the Fellowship Hall **today, November 4**, following the worship service to raise money for **The Lotus Project**.

JR. LYC Scrip Program: Orders are taken for Scrip Cards the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month. By buying groceries, gas or giving as gifts you support the Jr. LYC. The following cards allow Jr. LYC to make a reasonable profit:

- 1- Fareway – 3 percent back
- 2- Hy-Vee – 5 percent back,
- 3- Casey's – 3 percent back

The **Gemütlichkeit** Committee has distributed the **Committee Chairs and Member list** for the 30th Annual Gemütlichkeit Luncheon in your church mail box. Please check to see where your name is on the list. The Committee apologizes if it has inadvertently forgotten to include anyone. Please inform us of any omissions, misspellings of names or incorrect telephone numbers. If you are unable to work or provide what you are down for please contact your chair person or the Gemütlichkeit Committee. Thanks for your help and support in this LWML project.

Lynette Christensen – 515-293-1027

Amy Frehse – 890-2429

Jodi Giddings – 368-0260

Arloa Rapple – 368-3684

Mary Stolle – 604-4019

Bev Zinnel – 368-5266

Interested in organizing the **pumpkin pies on Thanksgiving Eve**? As it stands now we will be cancelling the pumpkin pie event we have been having after the Thanksgiving evening service. If you are interested in organizing and serving the event, please contact Pastor Aaron at 515-890-7558 or pastora@goldfieldaccess.net.

Extra Candy Post-Halloween? Candy for the children's messages is running low. The church is running short on the candy that we traditionally give out during the children's messages. If you would like to donate candy, please drop it by the church office or Pastor Aaron's office. Blessings!

Poinsettias add beauty to the chancel as we celebrate the birth of our Lord. The Evangelism Board requests that you consider giving a Poinsettia in memory of or in honor of someone or occasion. The cost is \$8 for one plant. The order form is on the back page of the November Newsletter. Please put the form in the box in the church office by next Sunday, **November 11** if you would like to purchase any. Thanks.

Operation Christmas Child: Pick up a shoebox in the Narthex and fill it with goodies for a child that would not otherwise receive a Christmas gift this year! You can donate the \$9 shipping online and print a label to go on your box and receive an e-mail later on as to where that gift went! Please have your boxes back to church by next **Sunday, November 11**. Contact Brianne with any questions – 368-1250.

Veterans Day Appreciation Supper will be held next Sunday, **November 11** at 5:00 p.m. in Our Saviour's Lutheran Fellowship Hall, Humboldt. This is a free meal to Humboldt County Veterans and their families. Choice of **chicken or steak, RSVP with meat choice to 515-890-2597 or 515-332-3438**. Thank you to our Veterans!

Adults of Zion - you are invited to a new Bible study which began October 28 at 8:45 a.m. in Room W17 (down by the fellowship hall). This world has a tremble to it. There are things that seem unsteady in this life. But when we belong to God, it allows us to filter our problems through the promises of God. When we choose to be people of the promise, we choose to build our lives on promises of God, not the circumstances of life. Max Lucado will lead us in '**Unshakable Hope - Building our Lives on the Promises of God**'.

MARK YOU CALENDARS: "SIT 'N SIP" for November will be on **Tuesday, November 13, from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m.** Stop at the Fellowship Hall for a cup of coffee, a snack and friendly conversation anytime from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. Come when you can and leave when you wish. Bring a friend!

SENIOR CITIZEN (70 & OLDER) THANKSGIVING DINNER: The LYC will once again host and serve the Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, **November 18**, at 5:30 p.m. Invitations are being sent to members of the congregation 70 and over. **Please RSVP to the church office** at 332-3279 or zion@goldfieldaccess.net **by November 14** if you plan to attend. Come and enjoy a delicious turkey dinner and a fun evening!

Gemütlichkeit tickets may be purchased at the Zion church office or from Marilyn Kuehnast, Doris Gillespie, Renae Dreyer and Lori Stein. Prices are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. Please make checks to Zion LWML.

LWML has **CARDS** for sale! **Sympathy, Wedding, Anniversary, Birthday, Get Well, Etc.** Individual cards are \$1.00 and the price for boxed cards is listed on back of the box. Check out cards on the cart and table in Narthex.

Zion has been asked to have **Food Pantry Workers** for Monday, **November 26 (need 2 more)**. They would like 3 workers **from 9:00 a.m.-noon**. Please be there at 8:45 a.m. Please let Bev in the office know (515-332-3279 or zion@goldfieldaccess.net) if you can volunteer. Thank you in advance!

It is time once again to **decorate the church for Christmas!** The Evangelism Board will be decorating the Sanctuary and outdoors on **Tuesday, November 27 at 6:00 p.m.** Please plan to come and help and enjoy the fellowship of decorating our church. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

Looking for **Song Leaders for the Contemporary Service!** The contemporary service committee is looking to add new voices into the mix. We'd like to add yours! If you are interested in singing for the contemporary service please contact Pastor Aaron at 515-890-7558 or pastora@goldfieldaccess.net. The committee is also open to singing from the rear of the church in the balcony if that would make singing easier.

CARPET and PAINT PROJECT: **Thank you** to all who gave donations and memorials to this project. New carpet has been installed in the fellowship hall and down the hallway to the fellowship hall, as well as a layer of flooring (vinyl) along the north wall (by the kitchen). Memorial money has been given in memory of Marvin Anderson (father of Paul Anderson), Al Hippen, Diane Jensen, Kay Kollmorgen; Ray Kunert, Harold Schnell (brother of Arlene Moritz), Jolene Wilhelm (mother of Dave Wilhelm and sister-in-law of Donna M. Day), and Mike Williams (son of Virgil and Marian Williams). You may continue to donate to this project. Money for the project can be given in the offering marked 'Carpet Project,' or with the pink "Growing in Christ" envelopes found in the back of the church (for safety still mark it 'Carpet Project'). Thank you for your generosity.

NATIVITY SCENE: **Thank you** to all who have given through donations and memorials to this project making it possible to order **Mary, Joseph, the baby Jesus**, and an **angel** through Bronners Christmas Store in Frankenmuth, Michigan. These four pieces have arrived. A **knocking lamb** has been purchased in memory of Harold and Marj Kropf (parents of Marian Anderson and Don Kropf), a **shepherd** has been purchased in memory of Mike Williams (son of Virgil and Marian Williams), and a **standing ram** has been purchased in memory of Marvin Anderson (father of Paul Anderson). Memorial money has been given in memory of Mary Ford (mother of Russ Naeve), Al Hippen, Pat Johnson, Kay Kollmorgen; Ray Kunert, Eugene "Bud" Larsen (brother of Darlene Kunert); Margaret Lucas (grandmother of Lincoln Mason), Vernon Schulze, and Judy Tannor (niece of Doris Kuehnast). We will add more figures to the set as the funds become available. We have a member of the congregation making the wooden stable. Please continue to help with this project when possible with memorials and donations. We will leave the bucket set out for donations. Any spare change you have will continue to be appreciated. Thanks for your support. The Evangelism Board

The **2018 Flower Chart** is posted south of the east bulletin board in the Narthex. Please consider this opportunity to give thanks and praise to our gracious Lord. Thank you. **Sunday available: December 2.**

If you would want to **receive by text weather closing for Zion**, send a text to: 81010. In the message part of the text type: @aflatau. This will sign you up for the group. When events at the church are cancelled, you'll receive a text notifying you of what's going on.

If you have changed your **phone number** or are now using only a cell number, have a new **e-mail address**, or have moved and have a new **physical address**, please contact the church office at zion@goldfieldaccess.net or 332-3279 with your new phone number, e-mail address, and physical address.

UDMO would like different churches to donate different items each month to ensure a good mix of products to distribute. Any donation accepted but would like the focus to be on the designated items for the month. For **November** it is **Toothpaste or Toothbrushes**. Please take to Humboldt Co. Food Pantry, 2219 220th St. on Mondays 9 a.m.-12 p.m. or Thursdays 1-4 p.m.

Donate blood on Monday, **November 5** at the Humboldt Community **BLOOD DRIVE** held in Our Saviour's Fellowship Hall from 1-6 p.m. For more information or to schedule an appointment please contact LifeServe Blood Center at (800)287-4903 or online at www.lifeservebloodcenter.org.

Join **KJYL's Shareathon Barbecue** Wednesday, **November 7** from 5-7 p.m. A BBQ with all the fixins! Fun for all ages and free so bring the family to the KJYL Studios located at 103 West Broadway in Eagle Grove. **KJYL SHARE-A-THON!** Conversation/Music/Friendship on **November 7 & 8**. 100.7 FM, KJYL Christian Radio, PO Box 325, Eagle Grove, IA 50533, 1-888-810-5595, KinshipRadio.org . Listen On-Air or On-Line.

Christmas Applications are being accepted for the Humboldt County Ministerial Association Christmas Boxes for Low Income individuals and families. Applications may be picked up at the Humboldt County Food Pantry or Upper Des Moines Opportunity (UDMO). **Applications must be received before 4:00 p.m. Thursday, November 8, no exceptions.** If any questions, please call UDMO at 332-3631. If you would like to make a **monetary donation** you may mail your donation to: Christmas Food Box Program, Humboldt County Ministerial Association, PO Box 401, Humboldt.

Women of Zion and friends are invited to attend **N.W. Iowa Women's Conference** on Saturday, **November 10**, from 9:45 a.m.-4:00 p.m. at Faith Community Church, Palmer. Only \$30 and includes lunch! Register online at faithccpalmer.org. Email registration@faithccpalmer.org or leave a message at 1-515-329-6367 with any questions.

You are invited to **St. Mary's Fall Festival** Sunday, **November 11**, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Parish Hall. Broasted Chicken Dinner: Adults-\$10; Children's menu (age 4-8)-\$5; 3 & under free. Tickets are available at the door and Feather My Nest for Less in downtown Humboldt.

THE FALL APPEAL

FOR FOOD ITEMS & FUNDS TO PROVIDE FOOD
FOR PEOPLE IN NEED THROUGH
THE LOCAL FOOD PANTRY

Food Items & Contributions will be collected at

Humboldt County Churches

Beginning Sunday, November 11
through
Sunday, November 25

You may send monetary donations to:

HCMA Food Pantry
PO Box 401
Humboldt, IA 50548

Sponsored by:

Humboldt County Ministerial Association

Please bring donations to the west door of the
County Engineers' building (located east on Highway 3)
2219 220th Street
between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. Monday,
November 19 and Monday, November 26.

ITEMS NEEDED IN THE HUMBOLDT COUNTY FOOD PANTRY

FOOD ITEMS

- Pork and beans
- Chili beans
- Kidney beans
- Canned carrots
- Canned corn
- Canned turkey
- Rice
- Instant potatoes
- Dry beans
- Cooking oil
- Tomato items
- Sugar
- Flour
- Cake mix
- Macaroni
- Noodles
- Spaghetti
- Helper dinners
- Macaroni & cheese
- Crackers
- Peanut butter
- Fruit juices
- Pancake mix
- Pancake syrup

HYGIENE ITEMS

- Laundry soap
- Dish soap
- Deodorant
- Shampoo
- Tooth brushes
- Tooth paste
- Toilet paper
- Paper towels

Monetary Donations

This is used to purchase items that the Food Pantry may be in need of that is not on the shelf.