



Messenger

Zion Lutheran Church

June 2017

Worship Schedule

Traditional 9:00, Contemporary 11:15

June 18-September 3

Traditional 9:00, Contemporary 11:00

824 NE 4th Avenue Camas, Washington

Pr. Thomas S. Tweed

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SERVICE

COFFEE HOUR

June 4 Frank, McElhaney
Graduate Recognition
June 11
June 18 Dessert Auction
June 25 Breitenbucher, J Johnson

FLOWERS

June 4 Meeker
June 11 Porter
June 18 Laedtke
June 25 Brech

LECTORS

9:00
June 4 Norm Bembenek
June 11 Mary Lynn Bartlett
June 18 Paul Dailey
June 25 Frank Farrington
11:15
June 4 Karen Rezabek
June 11 Jean Dossett
11:00
June 18 Alan Hansen
June 25 Juy Bahl

ALTAR GUILD

Rae Gessford, Marian Koppang

GREETERS

June 4 Janet Hurd
June 11 Barbara Vahsholtz
June 18 Nancy Bibler
June 25 Janet Brooks-Schmunk
11:15
June 4 Judy Straub
June 11 Janet Brooks-Schmunk
11:00
June 18 Julie Della Valle
June 25 Judy Bahl

ACOLYTES

9:00
June 4 Jaycob Alder
June 11
June 18
June 25
11:15
June 4 Emily McElhaney
June 11
11:00
June 18
June 25

What's Brewing?



Tuesday, June
27, 7:00 pm

A Beer At A Time, 216 NE
3rd Ave, Camas

Topic: Fashion and the Bible
Leader: Deanna Eichler
Bring a friend and join the
discussion

This month:
Council /Calendar - insert
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PRAYER CHAIN

Gale Smith, Austin Tapia,
Chic Hull, Mary Christensen,
Dakota M., Rose Boggs, Ralph
Quiring



Graduate Recognition

On Sunday, June 4, **Meghan Finley, Hayden Meeker, Dakota Newton, and Annabelle Vail** will be recognized for their high school graduation and **Kristen Sonju** for her Bachelor of Arts degree in Communication from University Nevada Las Vegas. Congratulations!

Ladies of Zion: *Ladies' Lunch*

Join us for **Ladies' Lunch** on Tuesday, June 13th at 12:30 pm at Chinese Gardens, 3218 NE 2nd Ave, Camas, 835-8688. Please join us for a wonderful mid-day break with food and fun. All ladies are welcome!



Dear Zion,

Thank you so much for your thoughts, prayers and delicious food during my recovery from recent surgery. Your kindness and care mean a lot and are greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
Mike Nerland

A big thank you to **Elaine Knutson** for serving as our organist for over 10 years. Her commitment to Zion was amazing, even playing with a broken wrist one Easter morning. We thank her for her dedication, and hope in near future we may celebrate her at a special coffee hour.

Zion Lutheran Church Council

Zion Quilters say "Thanks and God's blessings" to all who helped prepare for Ingathering Days on May 5-6. You donated, gathered, boxed, taped, weighed, and transported a half ton of quilts, personal care kits and school kits for Lutheran World Relief. Many thanks!

With praise and gratitude to God,
 who loves and loves and loves,
 you are invited to the Ordination of

Bree Joan Truax

By the grace of God and the call of the church,
 Bree will be ordained into the
 Ministry of Word and Sacrament on:
Saturday, July 1, 2017
 at 2 pm at
Zion Lutheran Church
 824 NE 4th Ave. Camas, Washington

Reception to follow. All are welcome!

Clergy are invited to vest; the color of the day is red.
All are invited to wear red as a sign of the Holy Spirit
 in and through this Rite of Ordination.

Bree has received a call to
 serve alongside
 Immanuel Lutheran Church
 in Rock Falls, Illinois.



Mercy, peace and love be your in abundance! (Jude 1:2)

Thanks for sharing life with me! When I look back over the years that have brought me to this time and place there are countless of individuals and communities who have shaped my life. I am deeply grateful for each and every experience that has brought me into these days!

By special permission of Bishop Clements of the Northern Illinois Synod, I will be ordained at Zion Lutheran in Camas on July 1st. **You are most welcome to join in the celebration!** If you are planning to come from a distance, please let me know. There is absolutely no pressure to attend! **Thank you for being a part of my life and journey of faith!**

I begin serving at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Rock Falls, IL on June 1st and will be flying back for ordination. I will be enjoying family time through May 25th and then head east in a Penske truck where my belongings will be stored until the house I am in the process of purchasing closes on or before June 20th. I am looking forward to serving alongside the people of Immanuel Lutheran Church!

Thanks be to God for you!

-Bree Truax

VBS/Day Camp

is July 31-Aug 3!!! Plan to attend!

Our theme is **"The Water of Life"** building on Isaiah 43:2:
"When you pass through the waters, I will be with you".

Bible Encounter themes are lived out each day through worship, songs, skits, arts and crafts, and games as campers learn about and experience God's love and grace. Day Camp begins Monday, July 31 at 9:00 and runs until 2:00 each afternoon through Thursday, August 3. Ages for Day Camp are those who have completed kindergarten through those who have completed fifth grade. Sign up forms are available at the Information Center and on the website, and we are looking for adult and youth help with VBS. We also need your help to provide housing for 3 or 4 Lutherwood staff, who will arrive on July 30th. Soon a list will be available of items and supplies needed! Please contact Madlin Baltzell at 360-513-3159 or mcbaltzell@outlook.com to volunteer or for any questions.

Lite Side

from Anguished English by Richard Lederer

Classified Classics

Lost: small apricot poodle.

Reward. Neutered. Like one of the family.

For sale: antique desk suitable for lady with thick legs and large drawers.

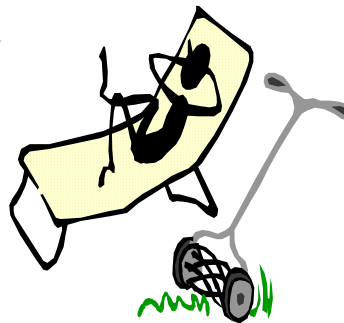
Four-poster bed, 101 years old. Perfect for antique lover.

Dinner Special - Turkey \$2.35; Chicken or Beef \$2.25; Children \$2.00.

Now is your chance to have your ears pierced and get an extra pair to take home, too!

Lawn mowers needed

THANK YOU for signing up to mow the church lawn and care for the grounds. The mower is in the lawn mower room near the breezeway. You can mow the lawn in a little over a half hour!!! Sign up at the Events Table in Danielson Hall. THANKS for serving God and others through caring for our church grounds!!





**ANNUAL
MEETING**

June 11

10:10 am

in the Social Hall

All active, confirmed members please attend! Your
vote is important!

**Working out on
Wednesdays**

The S.A.I.L.
exercise class
(Stay Active &
Independent for Life) will
continue through the end of
June, take July and August off,
and be back in September! The
group meets at Zion on
Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30 in the
Social Hall. The goal is to
decrease the risk of falls through
greater strength and balance.
Led by certified instructor Sinéad
Farrell (pronounced Shi-NAY),
the class is open to adult men
and women. Exercises can be
done sitting or standing. Wear
closed-toe shoes and
comfortable clothing. A donation
of \$2.50 - \$5.00/session is
suggested. For more
information about S.A.I.L. please
contact NW Orthopaedic
Institute at 253-627-5144.



**Remember Zion's
Endowment Fund**

Think about making a
planned gift of kindness during
your lifetime. Giving a gift now
helps the church you love. There
are many options through
lifetime giving arrangements
that may benefit you, your
family, and Zion. Lifetime giving
complements your estate
planning and often improves
your current financial and tax
situation.

Consider a planned gift of
kindness to Zion now! For more
information about making a
planned gift, call a member of
Zion's Endowment Fund team:

Leslee Froehlich	512-925-0391
Bill Danielson	892-9492
Madlin Baltzell	513-3159
Phil Brech	834-5182
Ron McKnight	834-4984

FINANCIAL DIGEST

APRIL

BUDGETARY INCOME YEAR/DATE 99,666.03
BUDGETARY EXPENSES 108,083.81

BUDGETARY OFFERING MONTH YEAR/DATE

2017	30,902.84	99,666.03
2016	24,724.78	99,431.90

ATTENDANCE COMPARISON			# of Sundays	Avg/YR to Date
2017	1114	2898	17	170
2016	614	2715	16	170



Zion Lutheran Church Staff:

Ministers	Entire Congregation
Senior Pastor	Thomas S. Tweed
Music Director	Angeline Case-Stott
Organists/Pianists	Joan Vincent
Nursery Attendant	Lydia Keller
Custodian	Tye Cobb
Council Officers:	Pres. Ron McKnight
	Vice Pres. Joe Keller, Sec. Barbara West
Administrative Assistant	Patricia Hagensen

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"As a welcoming Body of Christ, we celebrate and share God's saving grace for all."

"God's Work. Our Hands."

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