



# THE ZION TIMES

HOME IN THE HEIGHTS

JUNE 2012

GROUNDING IN CHRIST † RESPONDING TO THE GOSPEL  
SERVING OTHERS † ZION IS CALLED!

## Thank You From Pastor Tracey

My heartfelt thanks to all those who made my installation service and reception on May 20 so very special. Thank you to our musicians who worked so hard, to our staff who gave their very best, to Karen Blackwood, Lauren Wuertz and the call committee for planning and hosting the reception, and to all who brought desserts and helped out. Words cannot express the joy of the day. Thanks for inviting me to join the Zion family. ~PT

## Red Hymnals

In an effort to update our worship resources, we would like to purchase red hymnals for all of our pews. Currently, we have 25 books located at the back of the sanctuary, but we are still in need of about 130 to have enough for all pews. If you would like to purchase a red hymnal in honor or memory of someone, please check the Sunday bulletin for the insert. Hymnals are \$25, and you may write whatever sentiment you choose to honor or memorialize your loved one. For further assistance or questions, please contact Melissa in the office at 713-869-1493.

## Pastor Tracey's Continuing Education

On the afternoon of June 17, following worship, I will fly to Chicago for three weeks of study. I am taking three classes this summer which will fulfill requirements for my doctoral program in preaching. I will take a class on presentation and performance, a class on preaching difficult texts, and a class which will prepare me to write my thesis. I am grateful for the time Zion has allowed me to pursue my passion and to further my education. Martha Stoerner has invited Rev. Bill Bentzinger to provide pulpit supply while I am away. Pastor Bentzinger will preside at worship and teach adult ed on Sunday, June 24 and on Sunday, July 1. I will return from my studies on Friday, July 8. I will rely on your prayers while I am away from you, and I will keep you in mine. ~PT

## Take Me Out to The Ball Game

Join the Astros this June for an uplifting Faith and Family Night concert at Minute Maid Park! This exciting event features a free postgame concert with Third Day on Saturday, June 23rd. The Faith and Family Night concert will begin after the 3:05 pm game. Your game ticket is also your ticket to the post-game concert. Special ticket pricing. Call the church office at 713-869-1493 for more information.

## Heavenly Harps

Karin and Joy Gunderson, a mother-daughter musical duo known as Heavenly Harp, will give a free concert Wednesday, June 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. The Heavenly Harp concert consists of harp solos and duets, harp and flute duets, harp and 2-part vocals, harp and Native American flute pieces. There is no fee for the concert, just a free-will offering and the ability to have CDs/DVDs available. The ministry of Heavenly Harp was founded in 2004 with the mission of making available to anyone, anytime, anywhere the unique healing benefits of harp music combined with the power of scripture and prayer. Invite your friends and family!

## Good News!

The Lutheran magazine is now available on line (<http://www.thelutheran.org/article/digital.cfm>). Cost is only \$5 a year for each subscription. Stumbling block: we must buy 20 for \$100.00. If you can send Lauri Tokoi an email commitment for the %5, and he gets 20+ commitments, he will place the order and then collect the \$5.00 from you. Lauri has a subscription already, so you can see what it looks like, etc. (He can send you a zipped, FlashPlayer version). See or email Lauri at [LTokoi@weilercorp.com](mailto:LTokoi@weilercorp.com) if you have questions.

## Day Camp: Let Your Light Shine Bright

Lutherhill Day Camp is scheduled for July 30—August 3, 8:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m. at Zion. Please let Dianne Bathe know if you can volunteer anytime that week, whether it is all five days or just one. Even if you can't be there in person to help out, there will be a sign-up sheet to donate items needed for camp. Here are a few areas that need church volunteers.

- \* Planning
  - \* Crafts
  - \* Clean-up
  - \* Snacks
  - \* Classroom Helper
  - \* Provide Dinner/Housing/Lunch for Lutherhill Staff—5 total
- Please contact Dianne Bathe at 713-869-1493 or [dbathe@zionlutheranhouston.org](mailto:dbathe@zionlutheranhouston.org).

## Gift of Life

We will have our second blood drive of the year, June 24th from 8:30 am—12:30p.m. in the Sarah Room. Be sure to eat a good breakfast before you donate. The donation you make may help your family or a dear friend. Give the Gift of Life. Sign up sheet is in the foyer!

# What's Going On at Zion...

## Father's Day Carnations

On Father's Day, Sunday, June 17, a large bouquet of red and white carnations to honor and remember our fathers and special men in our lives will be front and center in the Sanctuary. Proceeds from your gift of \$5.00 per carnation will benefit Texas Lutheran University, an undergraduate ELCA university of the liberal arts sciences and professional studies. Carnations will be available to take home after worship

## Eight Decades of Song

Houston Choral Showcase will perform "Eight Decades of Song," June 16, 2012, at 3:00 p.m. and at 7:30 p.m. in the St. John School Lowe Theater located at Buffalo Speedway and Westheimer. Enjoy great music from yesterday and today, great choreography and great guest performers. Tickets are \$10 in advance, \$15 at the door and \$8 for groups of 8 or more. For additional information contact Bob Stahl at 713-683-0102.

## June Benevolence Offerings

### Benefit Texas Lutheran University

Texas Lutheran University (TLU) is located in Seguin, Texas. With an enrollment of approximately 1,400 students, it offers degrees in the liberal arts, sciences and professional studies. TLU has continuously been listed in *U.S. News & World Reports'* annual ranking of best colleges in the nation. Won't you help continue this proud tradition of quality education grounded in Christian faith by giving to TLU?

## Zion Readers Book Club

The book club will not meet during the summer months (June and July). The next meeting will be August 23, at 6:00 p.m. in the Parlor, and we will discuss One Hundred Years of Solitude by Gabriel Garcia Marquez. If you are interested or have questions concerning the Book Club, you can email Dorothy at dmahlmann@att.net. If you enjoy reading and getting together with some great folks, come and join us. We always need input on good books, so let us know of suggested books. Happy reading!

## The Gathering Team Says Thank You!!

The Gathering members say thank you to everyone for supporting our Fiesta Dinner fundraiser on May 10. Your generous support allows us to provide this ministry for not only Zion, but the community as well. A special thank you goes to all those who helped with the set up, shopping, cooking, serving, clean-up, and whatever needed to be done. Needless to say, it was another great event for everyone.

## Many Thanks

Elsie Brennan says "thanks to all my friends at Zion for the beautiful cards and flowers that were sent for my birthday. Your kindness touched my heart."

## The Million Book Project

The ELCA Youth Gathering is encouraging you to give a book this summer to children in New Orleans as an in-kind offering! The average child in Louisiana is 2.5 years behind grade level. Children often lose important skills when they are not reading over the summer. Let's leave a million books as a gift from our church this summer! See Dianne Bathe for more information.

### How to give books:

Go to [Gulfcoastsynod.org/books](http://Gulfcoastsynod.org/books)

### Make a choice:

1. Donate online now—take advantage of our special partnership with Scholastic Books \$15 = 4 books, or
2. Look at the book list and select a book to either ship or bring with you to New Orleans.

## Sack Lunch Sunday Continues

Join us in the Mary Room the last Sunday of each month to assemble sack lunches for the homeless. As you are shopping during the month, please remember that we need bottled water, canned meats, fruit cups, hand wipes and peanut butter crackers. Drop these by the kitchen marked for Sack Lunch Sunday anytime during the month. Help us feed God's children.

## HIM Food Pantry

### Celebrating Three Years of Success

Put July 15 at 12:30 on your calendar. Pastor Tracey will bless the food pantry, and then we will have potluck lunch and cake to celebrate three years that Heights Interfaith Ministries has been open. In those three years, we have served over 11,000 families. We have handed out Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners, begun an Elderly Food Delivery Program and enriched the lives of many volunteers and clients. God has been good as we serve our neighbors. We are still in need of help; so for our birthday celebration we are collecting change: "PENNIES FOR POUNDS." We ask that you bring a present of food. We have a shortage of peanut butter, canned meat, pinto beans, shampoo and soap. Thank you for your support for the last three years and for many more to come.

## Preschool Family Says Thank You

Todd, Katie, Cole and Baby Hannah, —a Zion Preschool family— say "thank you for the beautiful blanket for our little Hannah. It already seems to be one her favorites as we begin to settle into our new routine. She is happy to have something to call her own that isn't a hand me down from her big brother. We also appreciate all the support from the teachers in the Two's classroom as we made our transition from a family of three to a family of four. It was comforting to know that Cole was in warm hands while we ran back and forth to the hospital to watch Hannah grow stronger and stronger. We are so fortunate to have Zion in our lives."

# What's Going On at Zion...

## Preschool News for May 2012

Bible Verse: "For the grace of God teaches us to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives." Titus 2:11-12

Our fruit of the spirit for May was "self-control." In chapel, the Toddlers sang "If You're Happy and You Know It." We learned about God's rules for happy living – the 10 commandments. We brought canned pinto beans for the food pantry.

Other activities:

- ★ We wore black and white and ate Oreos for snack.
- ★ Arts Alive "went to the dogs" on "Dog Daze."
- ★ We made and gave Mother's Day presents.
- ★ We read the books Chicka Chicka Boom Boom, Harry the Dirty Dog, The Race, Rainbow Fish and Around the World With My Red Balloon.
- ★ We completed our "growth booklets" and also learned about some ocean creatures.
- ★ We learned about fractions – whole vs. part, and practiced reading number and color words.
- ★ We made our handprint t-shirts for graduation.
- ★ We pretended to travel on all sorts of vehicles in the large centers on Transportation Day. We even flew in an "airplane."
- ★ We rehearsed for and presented "I'm Glad I'm Not An Alligator" following the graduation ceremony for our pre-K class. It was great fun!
- ★ We brought our bikes to school and rode under the pavilion.
- ★ We jumped on a bounce house and cooled off at splash day.
- ★ We celebrated the end of the school year with parties.

**Our first summer session begins on Tuesday, May 29.**

## Building Use & Stewardship

Zion has GREAT facilities in a convenient location. We enjoy making our space available for groups and organizations in the community. We ask any organization/group/ member using the building please be good stewards.. When leaving, make sure lights are off and air conditioners are set to their resting temperature. For everyone's safety, please check to make sure all doors are properly shut and locked. If you have any questions regarding building use, please contact Melissa at 713-869-1493.

## Happy Birthday to You!!

6/2	Karl Rieger	6/17	Marian Ullrich
6/3	Sam Sakowitz Jr.	6/19	April Wiederhold
	Garnold Tomchesson	6/20	Eddie Bench
6/6	Patti Beltz	6/23	Ryan Akbar
	Milton Fuchs Jr.	6/24	Lynette Tidwell
6/8	Virginia Puentes	6/26	Ann Frank
6/9	Philip Gallagher		Anna Savitz
	Kim Molandes	6/28	Dawn Jaeger
6/11	Gina Riley	6/29	Cindy Daily
6/15	Debbie Blackshear		Brenda Kruemcke
6/16	Kate Primrose		Adrian Lauck

## Happy Anniversary

6/5	Jody & Ali DeLuca	13 years
6/8	Wallace & Linda Mitchell	21 years
6/9	Kirby & Velorie Dippel	56 years
6/10	David & Melanie Kingery	11 years
6/13	Darrell & Lynette Tidwell	48 years
6/20	Edward & Holly Tatuaca	14 years
6/24	Jerry & Gina Riley	12 years
	Sam Jr. & Bambi Sedita	38 years
6/25	John & Dianne Bathe	29 years
6/28	Ruben & Dorothy Mahlmann	53 years

## Weekly Bible Study

Wednesday Bible Study meets every Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. in the Resource Room. All are welcome! If you have any questions, please contact James Conrad at 281-447-6122.

## The Zion Times

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped put the June Zion Times together. **The deadline for the July newsletter is June 15, 2012.** Please submit articles to Melissa at [mmclaurin@zionlutheranhouston.org](mailto:mmclaurin@zionlutheranhouston.org) or leave your article in the church office. The June newsletter and calendar can be viewed at [www.zionlutheranhouston.org](http://www.zionlutheranhouston.org).

## Special Gifts Were Given

...in honor of Pastor Tracey's installation as Pastor of Zion to the Heights Community Children's Choir

## In Loving Memory of

...*LaVerne Eickenhorst* by Emma Valdes and Holy Comforters

...*Polly Murray* by Kathy Roesler

...*Andy Gibson* by Brenda Kruemcke

...*Susan Buck* by Brenda Kruemcke

# What's Going On at Zion...

## *Pastor's Page* June 2012

### People of Pentecost

<sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup>And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup>Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. <sup>4</sup>All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. (Acts 2:1-4)

We know from the Book of Acts, that on the Day of Pentecost, the Holy Spirit came just as Jesus promised. The Spirit appeared as fire and wind and in many languages. The Spirit moved and stirred and changed people, and three thousand of those who witnessed the events of that day were baptized. Afterwards, those believers began to regularly meet together. They went to worship, and they shared meals. They prayed together, and they were generous in their giving.

These events are often referred to as the birth of the church. It makes sense. These are the things we still do when we gather as the church; but, I wonder...

When you think of the word *church*, what is the first thing that comes to mind? Is it a building? Is it people? Is it people in pews or people in action? In Greek, the word for church is *ecclesia*, which is best translated, "called out ones." In other words, at its root, the church is made up of those who are called out or set aside for a purpose. What's the purpose? The purpose is Pentecost. Here's what I mean.

The Spirit's coming changed things. You cannot experience wind and fire sent from God and be the same. You cannot hear and understand languages you've never heard or understood before and go on with life as usual. You cannot be stirred and changed and claimed and sent and then continue to do things the way you have always done them.

I am so glad to be part of the community at Zion because you already understand this. Calling a new pastor was a response to Pentecost. Voting in favor of the Heights Community Children's Choir was a response to Pentecost. And, I am sure, whatever we do next, together, will be a response to Pentecost.

Let's always be those who are sent out for such a purpose.

**Yours in Christ,**  
*Pastor Tracey*

### Heights Community Children's Choir Director

My name is Jamie Abrams, artistic director for the newly formed Heights Community Children's Choir. I have been excited about becoming involved with the HCCC since John Markert first approached me about the project in early March and my enthusiasm continues to blossom as the program begins to take root. As a ten-year resident of The Heights and a parent of young children in our community, I am so happy that the children in our area will soon have exposure to a positive, fun, quality music making experience through this new outreach through Zion Lutheran Church.



I have been singing in choirs in the greater Houston area for as long as I can remember, from primary school through college, followed by six years of teaching in the public school system in Cy Fair and Spring ISD's. Participation in choir was such an integral part of my development- building character and self-confidence, intrinsic motivation to be a strong link on my team and creating long-lasting friendships with my fellow choristers... but it was also a lot of *fun*. I am so honored and excited to have been chosen by the HCCC board and Zion Congregation to help foster a similar experience with the children in the Heights Community.

My husband Erik and I, who met in choir at The University of Houston and continue to sing in choirs around the Houston area, have lived in The Heights for almost ten years. We have a 15 month old son, Hudson, and a baby due in early September.

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Many of us are unaware of the rich Lutheran insights that have been helpful in understanding the many ways that God engages us through the Bible. The Book of Faith Initiative, begun in 2005 as encouragement for all congregations of the ELCA to study Scripture, recommends a four-fold method of study: devotional, historical, literary, and Lutheran. Join Pastor's class each Sunday morning as we open Scripture and join the conversation, alternating among these study methods. There are no wrong answers, anyone can participate, and you need not have been in class the previous week to participate this week.

# What's Going On at Zion...

## Please Keep In Your Prayers

Gertrude Arnold  
Esther Ashmore  
Elsie Brennan  
Ann Boysen  
Dorothy Brinkmeyer  
Leigh Buquo  
Eleanor Case  
Jennifer Zwahr Castro  
Gladys Caulking  
Garrick Davis  
Louis DiGiovanni  
Pauline Dillard  
Mike DeVinny  
Ann Frank  
Gabriel Ginns  
Bobbie Lenert Harris  
Karl Hassebrock  
Betty Hess  
Josephine Foltermann Hugo  
Lee Karnei  
Jannie Kopp  
Joshua Kopp  
Tina Kopp  
Martha Koska  
Buddy Laher  
Nell Lungwitz  
Danielle & Jeff McNey  
Mary Meyer  
Ralph Mueller  
Michelle Patterson  
Esther Preuss  
Maxine Pyle  
Billy Rawlinson  
Charles Raymond  
Shirley Reuter  
Gary Roesler  
Betsy Rose  
Warren Sallach  
Billy Skinner  
Martha Thorn  
Carol Van Fleet  
Ed Vana  
Sylvia Villegas  
Anthony Williams  
Joy Wuertz

**For prayer requests, please call:**  
Virginia Dietrich- 713-682-4473  
Kathy Roesler- 281-351-1546

## June Servers

### June 3

AM—Candi Patterson  
CS—Carolyn Morris  
Proj—Alice Bongers  
Acolyte—Will Jennings

### June 10

AM—Lauri Tokoi  
CS—Linda Tokoi  
Proj—Carolyn Keys  
Acolyte—Alex Lauck

### June 17—Father's Day

AM—Kathy Roesler  
CS—Delores Muske  
Proj—Ron Mahlmann  
Acolyte—John Euscher

### June 24

AM—Karen Schroder  
CS—Peggy Fortner  
Proj—Alice Weaver  
Acolyte—Faith Thurman

### Ushers

Dianne Bathe	Awald Bortz
John Bathe	Ryan Fortner

### A Team

Erna Lee Barrett	Gerry Thielemann
Ali DeLuca	Pat Rogers
Gloria Zwahr	

## Our Christian Sympathy Extended to...

Family and friends of Kermit Hugo who died on May 5, 2012.

Family and friends of John Dellagiacoma who died on May 7, 2012

May the Lord of comfort visit these families in their sorrow and give them strength.

## Altar Flowers

....were given by the Zion Call Committee in honor of Pastor Tracey on her installation day and in honor of all Zion's graduates.

## Altar Candles

...were given to the glory of God in loving memory of Ruby Heckmann by Harry Heckmann.



## *My Faith Journey*

*Awald Bortz*

I guess I should be considered a traditional Christian, or maybe not so traditional in today's world. I was baptized, confirmed and married at Zion Lutheran, and this church has been an integral part of my life and my family's. I can't remember ever having an "awakening" since God, Christ and the church were there from my earliest recollections. I guess I should be considered a "born Christian" rather than a "born again Christian."

To put it into historical perspective, I grew up during the depression and Second World War. Week-end activities during that era were very limited and Sunday was "church day." We had two morning services with Sunday school and an evening service. Mom and Dad were always avid Christians, very active in the church, so my sister and I developed accordingly.

This became especially true when I was ten years old in 1939 and my dad built the parish hall. In addition to classrooms on the first floor, the second floor included a large meeting room with kitchen and a stage. With the addition of the parish hall, the church became the center of activity on more days than Sunday. Periodically there were stage plays, presentations, dinners and various activities presented by the men, women, or youth that helped keep this young man at church.

Then came the post war years and the tremendous challenges as a result of growth in Houston's population and in Zion's congregation. Early in this period Uncle Sam sent me on an all-expense paid trip to the Korean peninsula. I didn't enjoy much of the 15 months I spent there. However, during that time I learned a lot about relationships with people from all walks of life. This was greatly helpful to me later in both my business and religious endeavors.

Returning to my wife, my business, my church and shortly a group of my own rug-rats, I again became immersed in Zion's activities (church council, various committees, Sunday school teacher, and long time choir member).

In my later (retirement) years, my involvement in activities at Zion has diminished. However, I am still willing to contribute what few talents I have to my God and my church and am still available when called.

Today's world presents Christianity and Zion challenges far different from those in my active years in the congregation. The next generation has to address this.

The question presented about my favorite biblical passage? Thinking back over the past years, I would say that the most famous, the one most commonly cited and the one that truly states my Christian feelings would be John 3:16 *"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."*

Several weeks ago we had that fast moving storm with heavy rain, high winds, and the threat of tornados. After it passed, I went outside to look around. There were still heavy clouds and a dazzling rain. Suddenly, for a brief time, the area became brighter. I thought then how similar that is to the trials, tribulations and dark periods of your life. The Lord will light your way if you will ask.

# June 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>27</b> <b>Pentecost</b> <b>9:45 AM</b> Sack Lunch Ministry <b>11:00 AM</b> Worship	<b>28</b> <b>Memorial Day</b> Office Closed <b>8:00 AM</b> Parents Day Out <b>8:30 AM</b> Holy Comforters Sewing Group <b>6:30 PM</b> Houston Choral Showcase	<b>29</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school	<b>30</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>11:00 AM</b> Bible Study <b>5:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:30 PM</b> Constitution Meeting	<b>31</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>5:00 PM</b> HIM Food Pantry	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> HIM Food Pantry <b>6:00 PM</b> AA Grp
<b>3</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> LMM Paper Drive <b>9:45 AM</b> Adult Ed/Godly Play (G.P.S.) <b>11:00 AM</b> Worship	<b>4</b> <b>8:00 AM</b> Parents Day Out <b>8:30 AM</b> Holy Comforters Sewing Group	<b>5</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>6:30 PM</b> Eve Circle Mtg <b>6:30 PM</b> Houston Choral Showcase Board Mtg <b>7:00 PM</b> Men In Mission Meeting	<b>6</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>11:00 AM</b> Bible Study <b>5:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:00 PM</b> 100 Year Committee Meeting	<b>7</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>10:00 AM</b> The Gathering <b>5:00 PM</b> HIM Food Pantry	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> HIM Food Pantry <b>6:00 PM</b> AA Grp
<b>10</b> <b>9:45 AM</b> Adult Ed/Godly Play (G.P.S.) <b>11:00 AM</b> Worship	<b>11</b> <b>8:00 AM</b> Parents Day Out <b>10:00 AM</b> Mary & Martha Circle Mtg <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp	<b>12</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>10:00 AM</b> Rebecca Circle Mtg <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp <b>7:30 PM</b> Hope Circle Mtg <b>7:30 PM</b> Woodland Heights Civic Club	<b>13</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>11:00 AM</b> Bible Study <b>12:00 PM</b> The Nourishing Table <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp <b>5:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting <b>7:00 PM</b> Heavenly Harps	<b>14</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp <b>5:00 PM</b> HIM Food Pantry <b>6:00 PM</b> Advisory Board Meeting <b>6:30 PM</b> Cornerstone Grp	<b>15</b> <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp	<b>16</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> HIM Food Pantry <b>6:00 PM</b> AA Grp
<b>17</b> <b>Father's Day</b> Happy Father's Day <b>9:45 AM</b> Adult Ed/Godly Play (G.P.S.) <b>11:00 AM</b> Worship	<b>18</b> <b>8:00 AM</b> Parents Day Out <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp	<b>19</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp	<b>20</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>11:00 AM</b> Bible Study <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp <b>5:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:00 PM</b> 100 Year Committee Mtg	<b>21</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>9:30 AM</b> Morning Fellowship Group <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp <b>5:00 PM</b> HIM Food Pantry	<b>22</b> <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp	<b>23</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> HIM Food Pantry <b>3:00 PM</b> Roesler Wedding <b>6:00 PM</b> AA Grp
<b>24</b> <b>8:30 AM</b> Blood Drive <b>9:45 AM</b> Adult Ed <b>9:45 AM</b> Sack Lunch Ministry <b>11:00 AM</b> Worship	<b>25</b> <b>8:00 AM</b> Parents Day Out <b>8:30 AM</b> Holy Comforters Sewing Group <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp	<b>26</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp	<b>27</b> <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>11:00 AM</b> Bible Study <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp <b>5:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting	<b>28</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>7:30 AM</b> Pre-school <b>12:00 PM</b> KidCam Camp <b>5:00 PM</b> HIM Food Pantry <b>6:00 PM</b> Book Club	<b>29</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> Chandler Wedding	<b>30</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> Chandler Wedding <b>10:00 AM</b> HIM Food Pantry <b>6:00 PM</b> AA Grp



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Pastor  
Director, Music Ministry  
Director, Family & Youth Ministry  
Organist  
Office Administrator  
Financial Secretary  
Nursery Attendant  
Samaritan Center Psychologist  
Director, Heights Community Children's Choir

### Advisory Board

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Gerry Thielemann  
Alice Weaver

President  
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Treasurer  
Secretary  
Member-at-large  
Member-at-large  
Member-at-large

### Sunday Schedule at Zion

9:45 a.m. Adult Education  
9:45 a.m. Godly Play (G.P.S.)  
11:00 a.m. Worship

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