

Worship Helpers

Council Representative January: Bill Sinell

The Council Rep is responsible for reading announcements today. Any additional church-related announcements, please contact that person before the service.

Scripture Reader: Sue Felmlee

Greeters:

Acolytes:

Music: Betty Jo Braun

Head Usher: Ron Weyl

Many thanks to those serving this morning!

YOU ARE NEEDED! We invite you to review the opportunities for participating listed on sign-up sheets in the narthex. There are many open dates that worship assistants are needed. Please check the listing and sign up.

Church Office Hours	
Monday	8:30 - 5:00
Tuesday	8:30 - 5:00
Wednesday	8:30 - 5:00

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Announcements—January 14, 2024

Heavenly Father, what joy it is to know that You know everything about me. Even the things that I do wrong can never separate me from Your unfailing love. Help me to live out this truth in my life, and may I do only those things that are pleasing in Your sight. In Jesus' name I pray, AMEN. <https://prayer.knowing-jesus.com/Psalm/139>



Annual Meeting of Zion United Church of Christ Sunday, January 28, 2024 Following the Worship Service

The Annual Meeting of the Zion congregation will be held on Sunday, January 28th. This is a time for reviewing our ministry in 2023, and looking ahead for our work together for God in this New Year.

Annual Reports are available

Pick up a copy (just one per household, please). Look it over to prepare for the annual meeting. Bring it with you to the Annual Meeting.



God has uniquely equipped every person in the Church with specific skills and gifts. As Christians, we are tasked with utilizing the gifts in our community and within our congregation. Some of the opportunities to volunteer include to read Scripture during worship, or serve as an usher, acolyte, or greeter on Sunday morning. The 2024 Sign-up sheets for each of these opportunities are now on the table in the entry way. Let's fill the pages with volunteers!

The Zion Fellowship will meet on Sunday, January 21, following the worship service. All members of Zion are considered to be members of Zion Fellowship. Please take the opportunity to become involved.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES ON CALENDAR

Sunday	1/14	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
		10:00 a.m.	Radio Broadcast
		10:00 a.m.	Social Hour
Wednesday	1/17	5:00 p.m.	Wednesday Supper and Education
		6:45 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Sunday	1/21	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
		10:00 a.m.	Radio Broadcast
		10:00 a.m.	Fellowship Meeting
		10:00 a.m.	Social Hour

WEEKLY REPORT OF GIVING AND WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

January 7, Attendance:	66
January 7, Offering:	\$9,129.020
Amount needed weekly for budget:	\$5,472.00

Zion Fellowship Soup and Sandwich Lunch
January 28, following the Annual Meeting

Menu:

Several kinds of soup, three choices of sandwiches,
dessert, and beverage.

There is a sign-up sheet on the entry table for volunteers to help set up and to bring a dessert. Please put this on your calendars and think about how you can help out

YOUR MEALS WILL BE FEEDING KIDS SOON...

The meals you packed at our Chanhassen, MN location on November 8, 2023 were shipped to:

Convoy of Hope in Haiti on Tuesday, November 14, 2023

Food for the Poor in Guatemala on Wednesday, November 15, 2023

Precious children will be eating a nourishing meal soon because of you. Thank you. You've made an incredible difference.

Did you know? Meals usually take between two weeks and six months to travel to their destination. It all depends on where in the world they go and how hard it is to get there. They cross the ocean by ship or plane and wait in line to clear customs. Then they journey by car, bike, canoe or even donkey to reach our partners. Many hands carry these meals to children and families in need.

Today's Radio Broadcast and the bulletins are sponsored by Zion Members and Friends. Thank you to all who give to this ministry.

Sponsor a Radio Broadcast

Our members and the general public have the opportunity to worship via radio. Our morning service is recorded and then broadcast on radio station KCHK 1350 AM & 95.5 FM at 10:00 a.m. Sunday mornings. If you would like to sponsor a radio broadcast, please contact the church office at 507-665-6441, or sign up on the sheet in the narthex. The cost is \$140. This is a valuable ministry for our homebound members and our community.

The Zion Fellowship Board is seeking three new members to join us on the Board for the new year beginning January 1. All confirmed members of Zion UCC are Zion Fellowship members. If you are interested or know of someone who may be interested, please contact a Board member or notify the church office. (Board Members: Elaine Cronk, Cindy Braun, John Pioske, Alexandra Braun, Sue Felmlee, and Delores Loewe.)

Soup's On!

At St. Paul's UCC, 111 S. 6th Street, Henderson,
Sunday, January 21, 2023
from 11:00—1:00.

Enjoy a variety of 4 soups and sandwiches.

Cost: Free Will Offering Accepted

Menu: Chicken Dumpling, Cheeseburger Soup, Vegetable Beef Soup, Sauerkraut Soup, Egg Salad and Ham Sandwiches, Dessert & Beverages.

Church School classes for all levels will meet on Wednesday, January 10th, at 5:00 p.m. beginning with a shared meal, before dismissing to the classrooms.