SERVING AT SUNDAY'S WORSHIP 8/09 & 8/12

Pastor... Rev. James Groleau

Lector... Lori Frome

Communion Set-up/Clean-up– Bev Brandl, Donell Bedroske

Communion Servers... Steve & Matthew Sprotte

Acolyte... Brynlee Butkus, Jamison Block, Griffin Colby, Abbie Koebach

Ushers...Sun... Steve & Matthew Sprotte, Lee & Aaron Hoernke

Video.... Phil Huber

SERVING AT SUNDAY'S WORSHIP 8/16 & 8/19

Pastor... Rev. James Groleau

Lector... Riley Burt

Communion Set-up/Clean-up– Diann Empey, Karen Huber

Communion Servers... Lyle & Aiden Burt

Acolyte... Cameron Gumz, Kaitlyn Colby, Remie Preisinger, Mackenzie Steen

Ushers...Sun... Mike Gaetz, Jay & Braxton Smith, Dave Bedroske, Darian Scheer,

Video.... Kurt Frome

ZION NEWS & NOTES

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Welcome to Zion!

We welcome to the Lord's table those who are baptized and repentant Christians who agree and believe that Jesus' body and blood are received along with the bread and wine for the forgiveness of sin.
If you have questions, please speak to Pastor before service.

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

THIS WEEK WITH THE LORD

Sunday 8/09
9:00 am Worship

Tuesday 8/11
9-11:00 am-CUP

Wednesday 8/12
10:30 am Worship

Sunday 8/16
9:00 am Worship

LET US PRAY FOR

Jeffrey Klement (Great Nephew of Carolyn Golz)
Al Prehn
Phil Kunze (Cheryl Kunze's Brother-in-law)
Lois Niemi *Kathy Schwoch*
Tammy Johnston

Those with long term needs

Carol Kuehling
Daniel Schmidt (Donell Bedroske's brother)
Rev. Roger Brockmeyer
Larry Mader *Georgie Smith*
Ruth Jacobson *TravisTreankler*
Karen Schjoneman

Pastor's General Office Hours

Tuesday & Thursday
9am-12noon
Wednesday in the office but
9:30 Daycare lesson
and 10:30 Worship

Last Week: Zion Attendance

Sunday 96 Wednesday 86

July Offerings to Gen. Fund	*$24,446.00*
July Expenses	*$20,587.00*
Budget Met	*3859.00*

WEEKLY PRAYER

O Lord God, You have called us through Your Holy Word. Send now Your Holy Spirit that we may gladly hear, faithfully believe, and joyfully follow Your Son, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns forever. Amen.

Thank You for Your Prayers

Thank you to our church family for you faithful prayers for Loren Gronwoldt, Cheryl Kunze's brother. We are grateful to share that Loren is doing better, and we thank God for His healing hands and continued care. We are also thankful to share some wonderful news! Cheryl's Kunze's brother-in-law Phil Kunze is doing very well following his liver transplant. We give thanks to God for His blessings, the skilled medical team, and the many prayers that have been offered on his behalf. Please continue to keep them both in your prayers as they continue on their road to recovery.

Church Insurance Policy

The Board of Directors has been reviewing our church insurance due to rising costs. After comparing several providers, a proposal offering significant savings was found, but it would reduce replacement value coverage. The Board is carefully considering this trade-off. If you have any question or concerns, please speak with a member of the Board of Directors.

RightNow Media

Another matter the Board of Directors are contemplating pausing the RightNow Media account due to financial constraints and limited usage, If you would like to see this ministry continue, please share your thoughts with a member of the Board of Directors.

Ark Encounter

We are thankful to share that our Ark Encounter trip group has returned home safely! We had a wonderful time and truly appreciate your prayers and support.

Online Giving

Online giving is now available. Scan the barcode or go to zioncolby.org/give

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Fall Ministries Are Coming Soon!

Plans on underway for the start of our fall ministries! We are excited to begin another season of growing in faith and fellowship through Sunday School, Bible Study, Senior Youth and our new fellowship group, F.R.O.G.S. (Faithful Retired Old Guys). Watch for start dates and additional details.

F.R.O.G.S.

FROGS (Faithful Retired Old Guys) is a new fellowship group for retired men to enjoy coffee, fellowship, and card games. We'd like to see if there's enough interest to get the group started. If you'd be interested in participating, please sign up on the sheet on the rectangular bulletin board.

Stewardship Corner

As forgiven people, we have the redemptive purpose of living a life of faithful service to others in Jesus' name. Christ's love for us and our love for him make our lives of servanthood possible. Through a loving relationship with Him, we are willing to live lives in faithful service.

Lutheran Hour Radio

There are 2 Sundays in 2026 (September 6 & September 13) that are in need of a sponsor for the Lutheran Hour on WDLB. Please call Lisa Snortheim @715-659-4006 if you are interested in sponsoring one of these dates.

Your Church

We have a new service for you to listen to the sermon each week. Simply dial the number:
1-715-316-4098
The message will start automatically. You will hear Pastor James Groleau as he gives the message for the week.
The recording is updated every Monday morning.
This was meant for our shut ins, but others may find they want to listen to the sermon again!
Try it, and give us your feedback.