

Through Zion's Window

AUGUST 2018

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

01 – Nathan Egholm
04 – Emma Brittenham
05 – Bud Newbecker
06 – Larry Rather
06 – Mike Johnson
07 – Dave Jaeger
11 – Heidi Tunak
12 – Ruth Peirick
13 – John Seidschlag
15 – Shauna Clemans
16 – Scott Schultz
23 – Linda Schmidt
26 – Sally Schoenike
31 – Greta Altreuter
31 – Jim Schmidt

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:

06 – Jerry & Peggy Liesener
07 – Jim & Shari Franke
22 – Paul & Danielle Balmer
24 – Scott & Carmen Schultz
28 – Bruce & Carrie Petersen

ACOYLTES

05 – “God’s Work, Our Hands”
12 – Kyle Schlieve
19 – Kristofer Schultz
26 – Nolan Altreuter

GREETERS

05 – “God’s Work, Our Hands”
12 – Millie Moldenhauer
19 – Bill Jaeger
26 – Paul & Wendy Egholm

ASS’T MIN

05 – “God’s Work, Our Hands”
12 – Anna Gramling
19 – Carrie Wendorf
26 – John Siedschlag

USHERS

*Paul Egholm Team
Sally Schoenike
Allen & Mary Lee Petersen

ALTAR GUILD

Carrie Wendorf
Katherine Wendorf

LAY READER

Ele Mack

PROJECTION OPERATOR

05 – “God’s Work”
12 – Carly C.
19 – John Siedschlag
26 – Heidi Tunak



View from the Pews

Sunday, June 24	57
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Sunday, July 8	38
Sunday, July 15	Ecumenical
Sunday, July 22	44

Would you like to enjoy this summer weather in January? Ventures in People (VIP) is sponsoring a cultural trip to Haiti in January 2019. That's the organization we've supported by providing water filters to families in the Mirebalais area. We will visit schools, hospitals, an orphanage and the market. We'll also work with youth in the afternoons. For a one-day adventure you can join the water filter crew and distribute buckets to families in the small villages. A trip announcement and a registration form are located at the VIP website, www.viphaiti.org. Kathy Hetzel is one of the trip organizers and can share more information or answer any questions, 262-224-2557.

OKTOBERFEST

Oktoberfest 2018

Plans are under way for our Annual Oktoberfest polka worship service. Mark your calendar for Sunday, October 7.

The Good Time Dutchmen Band will lead the music and singing at an 8:45 a.m. service. Following the service, worshippers are invited to "Gemütlichkeit Under the Tent" until 11 a.m. when dinner will be served in the Fellowship Hall. This year, Zion members will again prepare the delicious meal which will include: Baked Ham and Oven Baked Chicken, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut stuffing, vegetable, dinner rolls, dessert, and beverages. Tickets are available from Heidi Tunak- \$10 for adults, and \$5 for children ages 4 through 10,

At 1 p.m., the festivities move to Maple Inn in Old Ashippun for a polka dance, complete with door prizes and raffles. Tickets for the dance are \$5 at the door.

The Zion ladies' quilt raffle has become a tradition at Oktoberfest, and this year is no exception. The winner will be drawn at 5 p.m. at the dance.

Oktoberfest is one of Zion's annual fundraisers. ALL members are encouraged to support this effort by selling and buying raffle tickets and participating in the worship service, dinner, and dance. Pick up your raffle tickets from the Siedschlag's before or after church services. Tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10.

Simply put, here are some of the ways YOU can make Oktoberfest a success:

1. Attend
2. Volunteer to help with the meal-see Debbie Guenther
3. Attend
4. Sell raffle tickets-See an Oktoberfest Committee Member
5. Attend
6. Bake desserts to be served with the meal
7. Attend
8. Donate prizes for the small raffles-Homemade items are nice and so enjoyed by the winners
9. Attend
10. Help with set up/clean up

If you have questions about how you can help, see any Oktoberfest Committee member below and sign up on the sheets posted in the Narthex. You can help make this our annual event a huge success!

Quilt on Display

This year's quilt will soon be on display in the Narthex. Doreen Schultz has tickets for the machine quilted, Scrappy Maple Leaves Quilt in various shades of leaf colors. Be sure to get your ticket supply from Sandy and Doreen so you can start selling. Ticket prices are \$4 each or 3 for \$10. Thank-you to Ele and Sandy for the beautiful quilt!

The Phone is Ringing

If it's someone from Zion, please answer and say, "Yes!" Since we are doing our own meal preparation again this year, we need to add more helping hands to the list of faithful workers.

There are lots more jobs that need volunteers. Here's a sample:

Meal preparation and serving
Beverage servers
Cut desserts, plate, refill cake plates on each table
Ticket takers
Clean up crew
Weigh, wrap, or sell leftovers



Don't be shy! You have the talent and expertise to do any number of things, just say, "Yes." Please let Debbie Guenther know your availability.

September Coffee Hours

Oktoberfest committee members are planning coffee hours leading up to Oktoberfest by providing a variety of ethnic treats following worship services. Come to worship; stay for a taste of the Old World. If there is anyone that would like to assist with hosting or serving on one of the Sundays, a sign-up sheet will be posted in the Narthex.

The next planning committee meeting will be
Wednesday August 29 at 6 p.m.
Please attend to bring your ideas! Everyone welcome!

Planning Committee Members: Lester/Carol Schuett, Heidi Tunak, Doreen Schultz, Debbie Guenther, John/Christine & Natalie Siedschlag, Carrie Wendorf

Evangelism News



God's Work, Our Hands/Day of Service

The first weekend of August is dedicated to serving the community in which we live.

Once again the MS Bike Tour will roll down the road. Volunteers are needed. Please contact Carrie Wendorf.

Explore other opportunities to serve. Here are a few ideas to consider.

- ❖ Visiting with the elderly
- ❖ Helping a neighbor
- ❖ Delivering a meal or cookies to someone under the weather
- ❖ Picking up litter

Love your neighbors and make your community a better place. Now is the time for you to take action!

Piggly Wiggly Receipts

The cash register receipts you dropped in the box during the months of May and June totaled **\$4,819.57!** A percentage of that total translates into a generous donation by Piggly Wiggly to the youth bank account.

Reminder: Piggly Wiggly prefers the receipts not be rolled and rubber banded. Flat and/or folded is okay.

Thanks for turning in your CURRENT receipts. It's an easy fund-raiser for Zion youth! "Shop the Pig!"

Doreen Schultz
Evangelism Committee

Zion Artisan & Vendor Sale

Zion will host another Artisan and Vendor Sale! Spread the word...Vendors can pick up registration forms at church or from Doreen. Space rental is only \$20 for an 8x10 booth. A real bargain! Contact Doreen Schultz for more information.



*Zion Artisan
&
Vendor Sale*

November 10, 2018
10 to 3

Free
Admission

Featuring a bistro luncheon:
Soup/Salad/Sandwich

Bake Sale - Raffle Drawings

Zion Lutheran Church ELCA
2 blocks west of Hwy 67 on Hwy O
N557 Main Street, Ashippun WI

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"God's miracles are to be found in nature itself; the wind and waves, the wood that becomes a tree – all of these are explained biologically, but behind them is the hand of God."

-Ronald Reagan