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Welcome to Zion Lutheran Church!

In Jesus' name we welcome you to worship today. May God bless you through his Word of grace and give you the peace and joy that come only from Jesus!

Welcome Guests!

We pray the service will be a blessing for you. Please do us the honor of filling out the guest register located in the narthex. Should you desire any further information about Zion, our Pastor will be happy to speak with you after the service. Additional notes about our Church are printed on the back page of this bulletin.

THEME OF THE DAY

Jesus reveals himself as the prophet sent from God.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Lord God, you know that we are surrounded by many dangers and that we often stumble and fall. Strengthen us in body and mind, and bring us safely through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST LESSON

Jeremiah 1:4-10

The word of the LORD came to me. Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you, and before you were born, I set you apart. I appointed you to be a prophet to the nations. But I said, "Ah, LORD God! I really do not know how to speak! I am only a child!" The LORD said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a child.' You must go to everyone to whom I send you and say whatever I command you. Do not be afraid of them, because I am with you, and I will rescue you, declares the LORD." Then the LORD stretched out his hand and touched my mouth. The LORD said to me: There! I have now placed my words in your mouth. Look, today I appoint you over nations and kingdoms to uproot and to tear down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant.

PSALM OF THE DAY

Psalms 78 Pg. 95

SECOND LESSON

1 Corinthians 12:27-13:13

You are the body of Christ, and individually you are members of it. And God appointed in the church: first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then miracles, healing gifts, helpful acts, leadership abilities, kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Are all miracle workers? Do all have healing gifts? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? But eagerly seek the greater gifts. And now, I am going to show you a more excellent way. If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels but do not have love, I have become a noisy gong or a

clanging cymbal. If I have the gift of prophecy and know all the mysteries and have all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away everything I own, and if I give up my body that I may be burned but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient. Love is kind. Love does not envy. It does not brag. It is not arrogant. It does not behave indecently. It is not selfish. It is not irritable. It does not keep a record of wrongs. It does not rejoice over unrighteousness but rejoices with the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never comes to an end. But if there are prophetic gifts, they will be done away with; if tongues, they will cease; if knowledge, it will be done away with. For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part, but when that which is complete has come, that which is partial will be done away with. When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I put away childish things. Now we see indirectly using a mirror, but then we will see face to face. Now I know in part, but then I will know fully, just as I was fully known. So now these three remain: faith, hope, and love—and the greatest of these is love.

VERSE OF THE DAY: Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord is on me, he has anointed me to preach good news. Alleluia.

GOSPEL **Luke 4:20–32**
 He rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him. He began to tell them, “Today, this Scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.” They all spoke well of him and were impressed by the words of grace that came from his mouth. And they kept saying, “Isn’t this Joseph’s son?” He told them, “Certainly you will quote this proverb to me, ‘Physician, heal yourself!’ Do here in your hometown everything we heard you did in Capernaum.” And he said, “Amen I tell you: No prophet is accepted in his hometown. But truly I tell you: There were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah, when the sky was shut for three years and six months, while a great famine came over all the land. Elijah was not sent to any of them, but to a widow of Zarephath, in Sidon. And there were many lepers in Israel in the time of Elisha the prophet, yet not one of them was healed except Naaman the Syrian.” All those who were in the synagogue were filled with rage when they heard these things. They got up and drove him out of the town. They led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, in order to throw him off the cliff. But he passed through the middle of them and went on his way. He went down to Capernaum, a town of Galilee, and was teaching them on the Sabbath. They were amazed by his teaching, because his message had authority.

SERMON **Not Just Another Voice** **Luke 4:20–32**

This Week at Zion Feb. 3rd - Feb. 11th

Today	9:00am Worship with Communion 10:00am Fellowship 10:15am Sunday School 10:15am Bible Class
Monday	10:00am Congregational Leaders Meeting 6:30pm Worship with Communion
Wednesday	10:00am Bible Class 3:15pm Confirmation 5:30pm Choir
Thursday	1:30pm Ladies Aid Meeting
Sunday	9:00am Worship 10:00am Fellowship 10:15am Sunday School 10:15am Bible Class 11:00am Church Council
Monday	6:30pm Worship

**Did you notice the trophy for the
2019 Car Show in the Narthex?**

Bulletins

The bulletins today are given by Caroline Bloch in loving memory of her mother’s birthday on February 6th.

Ladies Night Out

Wednesday February 13th

4:30 PM Social

5:00 PM Dinner

La Cabana in Marinette

Please sign up in the Fellowship Hall or call Marquita Limberg at 715-582-3304. All women from the congregation are invited to attend.

The Newest Meditations

Booklets are in the Narthex.



Worship Attendance

Weekend of January 27th 121

Bible Study Attendance

Sunday Morning Bible Class No Class

Wednesday Morning Bible Class No Class

Our Gifts to Our Lord **\$2,104.80**

Current \$1,465.00

Direct Deposit \$450.00

Plate \$144.00

Fellowship/Lighting Fund \$45.80

Visit Our Website

zionpeshtigo.org

Bulletins, Newsletters, Calendars ,
& Sermons are all available there.

2019 MOHW Conference

The 10th annual Men of His Word Conference (Theme: BUILT ON THE ROCK) will be held at the Best Western Premier Waterfront Convention Center in Oshkosh on Saturday, February 9, 2019. Please go online at www.menofhisword.org to register and get details about schedule, breakout sessions, keynote speaker, cost, etc.

Hope to see you there!

Special Voter's Meeting

On February 10th, directly after church, there will be a special meeting which the only business conducted will be to vote on if we will pursue getting a Staff Minister to serve here at Zion. This vote will be taken in church before dismissal to obtain the largest number of voters as possible.

Hunter's Safety Course

There will be a hunter's safety course offered here at Zion starting 5:00 PM February 22nd and ending on February 23rd at 2:00 PM. You can either sign up on the WDNR "Go Wild" website or talk to Matt Gullicksen (715-938-3018).



Bulletin Dedications

If you would like to make a donation by dedicating the bulletins to a loved one, just put \$5.00 in an envelope with the pertinent information and drop it in the box in the fellowship hall. When doing this, please write out your complete request clearly and please don't abbreviate. **Also, write your name on the wall chart next to the box.** Please note that our policy is that there can be more than one dedication per Sunday. This way you never miss your special date.

Congregational Church Leaders Meeting

On Monday, Feb 4th at 10:00am, we will be having a congregational leaders meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the future of Zion and to make sure that the needs of each group are being met. If you would like to be a part of our planning for the future here at Zion, we would also love to have you attend. We have come to the point where many of our plans from the past have come together, so now we are looking to the great things the Lord will bring about our future.



Area Youth Group Bowling at the Gutter Sunday, February 24th

Meet at Church to leave at 12:30pm

We will meet up with other teens at Calvary in Abrams and then make our way to the Gutter in Green Bay for Bowling. The cost for bowling is \$7.00, but bring some extra if you plan on snacks.

Ladies Aid Meeting

February 7th, 1:30 PM

Why Your Input Counts?

For a number of months we have been discussing the idea of calling a Staff Minister to serve the youth and families of Zion. During that time the Church Council has tried its best to explain that position and how it will serve our members. The Church Council has also laid out its plans to cover the expenses connected with the position. Now it is up to you. We are asking the members of Zion to prayerfully consider this decision. We understand that it is a big decision for our congregation, but firmly believe that the Lord will guide our steps.

This Sunday we will offer another question and answer opportunity after the worship service. If you would like to ask a question you are free to do so, if you would like to have your question privately answered just talk to one of the members of the Church Council. If you have not done so, please take a moment to fill out the survey in your church mailbox and drop it off in the office.

The Church Council is taking this decision very seriously and we want input from the whole congregation as we move forward.

If we call someone to serve as a Staff Minister we are not only making a commitment to the congregation but also to the called worker who will be serving in this position. If we commit to calling a Staff Minister that means we are also committing to support that position with our prayers, encouragement and even our finances. If we do call a Staff Minister, the Council wants you to realize that there is a lot of work ahead before we may see results, but are fully convinced that just as the Lord has blessed us in the past he will bless us in the future.

On Sunday, February 10, our congregation will be voting for the Staff Minister position. The plan is to have the voting members of the congregation pick up a ballot before the start of the service and fill it out. During the offering you will be asked to place the ballot in the offering plate. Following the offering the Church Council will be counting the votes and at the end of the service will announce the congregation's decision. Please pray that the Lord will bless us in this pivotal decision within our congregation.

Note To Visitors

We sing the Psalms! Before the service it might help to read through the instructions on page 63 of the hymnal.

Personal Prayers for Worship may be found on pages 10-11 of the hymnal.

If your child becomes restless, that's okay....We love having children in worship at Zion. Feel free to step into the fellowship hall or to use the cry room near the west entry until your little one settles. There are speakers in both areas.

Restrooms are at the west end entry area also. Changing tables for babies are in each.

Holy Communion

Holy Communion is celebrated on the first and the third Sundays of each month (and the Mondays after). In the Lord's Supper, our Savior offers unworthy sinners a personal pledge of forgiveness of sins through His body and blood. As He draws repentant sinners to himself, he also draws them into a special bond of fellowship with one another. In the WELS, we demonstrate this special fellowship bond in what is called "close communion." Thus, if you have never communed with us before, we ask that you first speak with our pastor. He will share with you the steps toward establishing communion fellowship. Thank you for respecting our practice. Personal preparation help is found on page 156 in the hymnal.

Our Mission Statement

As a family of believers in Christ and members of His Kingdom, our congregation exists to worship, praise and honor the Triune God, share His pure Gospel message, encourage one another to grow stronger in faith through daily use of the Word, and urge each other to demonstrate such faith in daily living.



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Service Order

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Welcome Bell

Hymn - 283

Lesson - Jeremiah 1:4-10

Psalm 78 Pg. 95

Lesson - 1 Corinthians

12:27-13:13

Verse of the Day

Gospel - Luke 4:20-32

Hymn - 556

Sermon

Nicene Creed

Offering

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

The Sacrament

Hymn - 452 vs 1-3

Closing

Hymn - 452 vs 4

Announcements

Fellowship