

Zion Mennonite Church

Zion Mennonite Church covenants to grow together as a Christ-centered community, worshipping God, extending our Anabaptist branch into our world, bearing the lasting fruit of discipleship, and planting the seeds for God's reign through hospitality, service, and reconciliation with God and others.

October 24, 2021

Prelude
GATHERING
Welcome and Announcements
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Offering Prayer
Passing the Peace

WORD
Children's Story
Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-21, 26-27
Message: Tongue-Tied Series—chapters 7-9

RESPONSE
Prayers of the People
Song

SENDING
Benediction

Worship Leader: Ken Beachy
Song Leader: Charlie Gingerich
Children's Story: Jana Gingerich
Prelude: Kristin Oakes

9:00am
10:15 am

This Morning:
Sunday School Classes for all ages
Worship Service in person
or on Zoom <https://zionmennoniteoregon.org/>

This Afternoon:
No Activities

This Week:
Tuesday 10:00am Bible Study via Zoom
[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81190699512?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81190699512?pwd=MnllR1l1Z1haejZ2NmpETGdRZFVlZz09)
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Wednesday 5:30pm Prayer Team meets on Zoom

Worship Schedule:
October 31—Steve will be preaching
November 7—Steve will be preaching

Please continue to practice Covid precautions in conjunction with Oregon Health Authority guidance.

The Pastor Congregation Relations Committee (PCRC) is conducting a Major Pastoral Review of Pastor Jana Gingerich's ministry with Zion. Each person is invited to complete a Review form. Copies were emailed and are available on the table in the back of the sanctuary. Please consider the question posed and write in your assessment of Jana's job performance. Included is a synopsis of the Associate Pastor's job description. Please keep these duties and tasks in mind as you are evaluating Jana's work. All forms must be returned no later than noon on Tuesday, October 26. *You must include your name.* Forms can be returned to the Church Office by email or paper copies can be dropped in the Offering Box at Church.

Thank you for your response.
PCRC—Frank Howard, Luanne Berkey, Jared Hansen

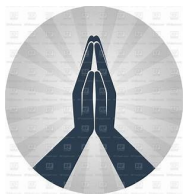
Budget Report: Offering 10/17/21: \$11,976.82.
\$79,472 is needed by year end to meet budget

New Adult Sunday School Class Starting October 31.

The class will be reading and discussing the book, Tongue-Tied by Sara Wenger Shenk. The book is about learning the lost art of talking about our faith. Wenger investigates the reasons that people who claim the name of Christ are so reluctant to talk about him. Pastor Steve has been including aspects of the book in his sermons series this fall.

The class will meet in the upstairs classroom across from the youth room. During the first class, we will be discussing the first chapter of the book. Contact Stan Oyer if you have any questions (oyer@canby.com). More books have been ordered and should arrive soon. Contact the Church Office

Zion's Payer Group continues to be committed to praying for the church and members of the congregation. You are invited and welcomed to join their weekly prayer time. They are currently meeting on Zoom at 5:30pm on Wednesdays. They meet in-person at the Church on the first Wednesday of the month at 5:30pm. If you have any questions, or prayer requests, please contact Jana Gingerich or Luanne Berkey



On behalf of the Good Cheer Committee, Steve Hershberger recently visited Leroy Kenagy. Leroy received some hazelnuts from Zion and immediately began to eat and enjoy them. He wishes to thank Zion for the visit and for the prayers and concerns after his recent procedure.

Thank you for your continued love and generosity. We are so grateful for your unwavering support. Together, with your donations, we are able to partner to continue to build a community where people are safe, valued and empowered. We are stronger together. Thank you so much.

—Bridging Cultures Board

A family in our community has lost their home and possessions in a devastating house fire this week. Zion is partnering with 91 School to provide some immediate assistance to the family. If you would like to help, donations of cash, checks and gift cards are being collected. Write checks to Zion MC, with "fire" in the memo line. At some point later, more material donations may be needed, but for now monetary donations are the most practical.

Donations can be dropped off at Church during office hours or on Sunday.

In Prayer:

With thanksgiving Steve Phillips has been able to apply for and has been offered two jobs. Pray for clarity as he makes the decision of which to take and for encouragement and continued good health and spirit to begin working full-time again.

Pray for the Jorge and Laura Guijosa family who lost their home and belongings in a house fire on Miller Road this week.

Continue to pray for the 17 missionaries with Christian Aid Ministries who were kidnapped in Haiti. Updates on the situation can be found at <https://christianaidministries.org/updates/haiti-staff-abduction/>

May God bless all who are there to care for those who are at their lowest, especially in health and care services. May they know God's persevering strength and hope.

With Praise and Gratitude:

For our Christian Education Commission, Chaired by Vonnie Oyer, and including Primary Sunday School Superintendents Stacy Berkey and Karen Kropf and the many adult and primary Sunday School teachers, our Library Committee, VBS Directors, and others who bring Christian education and faith formation to all of Zion.

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Regular Office Hours:
Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 9am—noon