

Stephen Ministry at Zion looks like Christian caregiving! Stephen Ministers try to be Jesus to people in need, and everyone needs Christian care at some point in their life. No one is exempt from the struggles and problems of everyday living. By listening, being there, and ministering through Christian resources such as prayer, blessing, sharing Scripture and encouragement, God's healing can flow to others. We thank God for six care

receivers that have benefitted from having a Stephen Minister at Zion. We ask that you pray for our Stephen Ministers as they walk with those that are hurting: Karen Kropf, Luanne Berkey, Carolyn Yoder, and Chris Keady; Pray for those in training to be Stephen Ministers: Ken Beachy, Jodi Hansen, and Julie Yoder.

We appreciate those who share their talents with the congregation! We especially thank Ed Hooley for his art of Jesus and the children, and for those who helped color the display which was on the worship platform Sunday morning, as well as others who helped with Lent and Easter visuals.

In Prayer:

Tom and Dorothy Brenneman ask for your prayers for Tom's upcoming surgery on May 9. The surgery will be a removal of his right kidney. The left one seems to be working fine. Thank you so much for your prayers and caring friendship.

Remember Lottie Sommer and Donna Ollis who are both recovering from surgical procedures this week. May they soon experience renewed health.

Pastor Steve is taking an intensive 4-week online continuing education course through Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary. Pray for Steve during this month as he studies.





Growing 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

ORDER OF SERVICE

-April 16, 2023-

Prelude GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Update from Vida Feliz Senior Center

Prayer for the Offering

Passing the Peace

WORD

Congregational Singing

Children's Story

Scripture Presentation: John 20:19-31; Acts 2:14a, 22-32

Sermon

RESPONSE

Response Song:

Prayers of the People

SENDING

Benediction

Prelude: Kristin Oakes Worship Leader: Ken Kauffman Song Leader: Louise Gingerich Children's Story: Jenna Oyer

Sunday:

8:30am Potluck Breakfast Fellowship 9:00am Sunday School classes for all ages 10:15am Worship Service (Zoom available)

This Week:

Tuesday 10:00am Bible Study via Zoom

Nursery Schedule:

Today: Stacy Berkey, Anne Bomar

Next week: Trina Fitzpatrick, Serenity Coulombe

Worship Schedule: April 23: Steve Bomar April 30: Steve Bomar

Budget Report: Offering 4/9/23—\$4,916

The Outdoor Space Task Force committee is completing the Mennonite Creation Care Network (MCCN) Greener Congregations Scoresheet. We would like your input by April 30th. You do not need to complete the scoresheet, but please review the link sent by email and share your knowledge with the committee so we can accurately portray our congregation's efforts. Contact: Kelly Yoder, Carolyn Yoder, Charlie Gingerich, Frank Howard, Serenity Coulombe or Steve Masingila



Aware Food Bank in Woodburn needs egg cartons. If you have extra, please leave them in the Fellowship Hall or give to Warde Hershberger or Charlie Gingerich.

Bridging Cultures Fundraiser Meal

Sunday, April 30, 11:30-1:30pm at Zion Join us for a delicious Mexican lunch and to learn about our programs

Oregon Mennonite Relief Sale—Saturday, October 21

(a week later than previous years)
Linn County Expo Center in Albany
Live auction of quilts, trips and experiences, tools, furniture,
and more. The event also includes kids' activities, baked goods,
hot breakfast, lunch, and all kinds of booths selling handmade
goods, fabric & craft supplies, used books, and fair trade items.
Proceeds support world relief through the work of Mennonite
Central Committee. An online auction begins one week prior to
the live event. More details at oregonmccsale.org



Plans are beginning for Zion's participation in the Hubbard Hopfest on Saturday, July 15.

We want to host a food booth with proceeds supporting sending kids to Drift Creek Camp. There is also a parade which we could enter. We'll be looking for volunteer help on that day. If you're interested or if you have ideas about being part of this community event, contact Pastor Steve (sbomar@zionhubbard.org)

This is also a great way to kick- off community outreach for Vacation Bible School—Sunday, July 16-Thursday, July 20

The Red Cross hosted the Vicki Iverson Memorial Blood Drive at Zion on April 5. There were 60 donors, including 17 first-time donors, with 60 units collected and 16 Type O donors. One single blood donation can help save more than one life! Also, a huge thank you from the Iverson Family for letting us hold the drive in the gym and to Steve Masingila for being onsite all day from setup through tear down. And thank you to those who are regular donors but this drive didn't fit into their regularly scheduled donations.