



Eva & Luci —North Marion Girls Basketball (V)
Tues. Jan 7 5:30PM: Home game vs. Estacada

In Prayer:

**You crown the year with Your bounty, and Your carts overflow
with abundance. Psalm 65:11**

We pray that You crown this year with Your blessings, Lord. May Your provision overflow in our lives. Thank You for Your faithfulness in the past and Your promise to continue blessing us in the future. Amen.

Sermon Notes:



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

-January 5, 2025-

Prelude

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Hark the Herald Angels Sing (VT 247)

Lo How a Rose E'er Blooming (VT 216)

What Child is This (VT 267)

Offering Blessing

WORD

Children's Time

Scripture Presentation: Luke 2:41-52

Sermon

RESPONSE

Response Song

Child of Blessing Child of Promise (HWB 620)

Communion

SENDING

Benediction

Worship Leader: Jana Gingerich
Song Leader: Jana Gingerich
Children's Story: Mary Masingila



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*Thank you for joining us in worship today. Please contact our
Church Office if you would like to be included in our church
correspondence, if you would like prayer, or a pastoral visit.
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Sunday

8:30am Potluck Breakfast Fellowship
9:00am Sunday School classes for all ages
10:15am Worship Service
5:30pm Youth Regressive Dinner

This Week

Tuesday, 10:00am Bible Study via Zoom
Thursday, 6:30pm Zion Leadership Table meeting

Worship Schedule:

January 12: Pastor Steve will be preaching
January 19: Pastor Steve will be preaching

Nursery Schedule:

This week: Nancy Beachy, Jesse Fitzpatrick
Next Week: Kaitlin Kauffman, Alex Conner

Budget Report: Offering 12/29/24: \$20,307.80

BUDGET UPDATE

As of December 31, Zion has received donations of approximately \$326,100. While this amount is less than the budgeted amount of \$341,800, our expenses were also under budget for 2024, meaning that **all of our operating and mission expenses have been covered for the year**. Final numbers will be available in a week or two. Thank you for continuing to support our work here at Zion, and therefore also supporting the ministries that Zion cares so deeply about.

YOUTH REGRESSIVE DINNER TONIGHT - JANUARY 5

Starting at Zion at 5:30pm, we will spend the evening traveling to three different homes, where three different dinner courses will be waiting: dessert, the main course and appetizers.

Join us, and don't miss this great opportunity to eat dessert first!



THE ANABAPTIST HISTORY Sunday School Class

starts next week, January 12!
See insert for more information



ZION FAMILY RETREAT

Friday, January 24 to Sunday, January 26
at Drift Creek Camp

Come join us for a weekend of relaxation, fun, and fellowship!

Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board in the church foyer. There is no cost to attend, but we ask you to consider bringing a silent auction item as funds from this auction will benefit DCC. For questions, call or text Jenna/Jared Oyer or Ron/Kara Kropf. We hope to see you there!

MENNONITE DISASTER SERVICE Volunteer Opportunities

Last year, the Oregon Road Fire destroyed over 100 homes and 200 outbuildings in Elk, Washington. Now, the Washington MDS Unit is rebuilding six homes and is welcoming volunteers who can serve one or two weeks during the following dates:

- ◆ January 13-28
- ◆ February 16-28
- ◆ March 14-21

Currently, the six houses are weathered-in and ready for drywall and finishing tasks.

Please email Joyce at Washingtonunit@mds.org to sign up.



Anabaptist History Class—January 2025

Zion is excited to recognize the 500 year anniversary of the Anabaptist movement by offering a Sunday School class during the beginning of the year on Anabaptist/Mennonite history. Jerry Barkman is leading the class, which will begin meeting in January. The class will meet in both skylight rooms, and all "regular" adult Sunday School classes are encouraged to pause their meetings during this time to promote attendance of this special set of sessions.

We hope you all will be able to attend! If you have any questions, please reach out to Karie Smucker (kmsmucker@gmail.com) or Jana Gingerich (zionpastor_jg@canby.com).

Tentative Schedule for Anabaptist History class:

January 12: Beginnings

January 19: Anabaptism in Europe

January 26 - no class, church retreat at DCC

February 2: Movement to the U.S. and the New World

February 9: The Dutch Mennonite movement to Poland and South Russia

February 16: Mennonites Emigrate to Canada and U.S.

February 23: Anabaptism throughout the world

March 2: Current Western Mennonite Groups

Jerry's Bio: I was born and raised in Hillsboro, Kansas. My great-grandfather and family were part of the emigration of the Gnadenu Krimmer Mennonite Brethren in 1874. They settled in the Hillsboro area. I attended Tabor College and received my B.A. in Business Administration and later attended the Mennonite Brethren Biblical Seminary and earned my Master of Divinity Degree.

My wife, Margery, and I spent 7 years with Mennonite Central Committee in 3 assignments in Hong Kong, West Bank, Israel, and Swaziland in Southern Africa. In 1995, I began my work with Hope Village, serving as CEO until I retired in 2010.

Soon after we moved to Dallas, Oregon, in 1988, I became associated with the Pacific Northwest Mennonite Historical Society. I have served as president, treasurer and manager of the construction of the archives at Zion Mennonite Church.

In 2006, I took part in a historical journey to Ukraine and the Crimea. I was able to visit the village where my great grandfather lived and then visited the Crimea where my grandfather was born.