

## In Prayer:

Jesus, You know what it is like to feel that God has abandoned you. You know pain and loss better than anyone else. Come to us now and let us feel your presence. We know that you are close to the brokenhearted and comfort those who mourn. Help us to let you into our grief, to give you our anger and doubt. Jesus, pull us out of the void. In your name, Amen.

The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit. -Psalm 34:18

### **Sermon Notes:**

Access Zion's online giving option at https://zionmennoniteoregon.org/GIVE or scan:





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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 -March 30, 2025-

Prelude GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Offering Blessing

Passing the Peace

WORD

**Congregational Singing** 

Children's Time

Scripture Presentation: Luke 16:19-31

Sermon

**RESPONSE** 

Response Song

Prayers of the People

**SENDING** 

Benediction

Prelude: Kelsey Sommer Worship Leader: Jana Gingerich Song Leader: Charlie Gingerich Children's Time: Chris Keady Speaker: Steve Bomar

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. zionmc@canby.com | 503-651-2274

#### Sunday

8:30am Potluck Breakfast Fellowship 9:00am Sunday School classes for all ages

10:15am Worship Service

#### This Week

Tuesday, 10:00am Bible Study via Zoom Thursday, 9:00am Zion Mennonite Women gathering

#### **Nursery Schedule:**

This week: Clark Yoder, Toby Keady Next Week: Ron Kropf, Steve Masingila **Budget Report:** Offering 3/23/25: \$1,750

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL SERIES

On April 13, the Sunday School class that meets in the East Skylight Room will begin a study of "The Myth of a Christian Nation: How the Quest for Political Power Is Destroying the Church" by Greg Boyd. All are welcome to join. Books can be purchased online at Amazon or a used copy can be purchased at <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/jps.com/">https://doi.org/10.1007/jps.com/</a>. One copy of the book is available in the church library.

### APRIL IS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

Liberty House is offering free online training opportunities for parents and grandparents on Social Media Safety, Cell Phone Best Practices, Internet Safety, and more. For more information, and to sign-up, go to <a href="mailto:Prevention@LlbertyHouseCenter.org">Prevention@LlbertyHouseCenter.org</a> or call 971-599-5876.

# SENSITIVE LOCATIONS, SACRED SPACES PRAYER VIGIL Thursday, April 3rd at 3:30pm PST

On April 4th at 7am PST the hearing for *Mennonite Church USA et al. v. United States Department of Homeland Security et al.* will take place. The hearing can be accessed by the public at the toll-free number: 833-990-9400 (Meeting ID: 117076001). A prayer vigil will be held at the National City Christian Church in Washington, DC on April 3rd and can be accessed via livestream. To register for the livestream, visit https://tinyurl.com/mr3xdv58.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

# DRIFT CREEK CAMP CLEAN-UP WEEKEND Friday, April 11 through Sunday, April 13

Volunteers are especially needed on Friday and Saturday, if possible. Please RSVP to Brenda Kauffman at <a href="mailto:bkauffman@driftcreek.org">bkauffman@driftcreek.org</a> if you plan to attend so that meal and lodging accommodations can be arranged.

## THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE OREGON UNIT OF MENNONITE DISASTER SERVICE

The Annual Meeting of Oregon MDS will be held April 26 at Lebanon Mennonite Church. If you would like further information, please see the flier on the bulletin board in the church foyer.

### **EASTER EVENTS**

## GOOD FRIDAY DINNER April 18 at 6pm

Come take part in a reflective, candle lit dinner on Good Friday here at Zion. The meal will consists of soup, bread and grape juice, with readings and optional hand/foot washing to create a meaningful experience together. There is a sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board in the church foyer. Volunteers are still needed, so please contact Serenity Coulombe by phone or email if you're able to help.

### EASTER POTLUCK BREAKFAST

Bring a dish to share and start celebrating Jesus' resurrection at 8:15am on Easter morning with the Potluck Breakfast Fellowship. It's a great way to start off the day *and* keeps your kitchen clean for your gatherings later on in the day!

