words of Gratitude

A special thanks to the Bel Canto Choir, Music Professor Ken Rodgers, and Director Dr. Russell Adrian, for sharing the gift of storytelling and worship through music here at Zion. May you be blessed in your travel and ministry as you have blessed us this weekend.

Thank you to all the volunteers who spent multiple days cleaning up our cemetery, taking the time to pressure wash headstones to create a tidy resting place for those departed. Both Zion, and the family and friends of the deceased, sincerely appreciate your care of the grounds.

In Prayer:

We pray for those leaders of our communities, our church, our country and our world, that they may make decisions that are in accord with God's commandments that bring life, justice and peace.

For those who have died by actions of violence, that they may be raised with Christ who died for them and that they may know the unending life and glory of the kingdom of peace and light.

For those who have survived violence, that they will be sheltered in compassion of God and our community and that, feeling the compassion of Jesus, they may find healing and hope.

For those who commit acts of violence against others, that their hearts may be moved by Christ's grace, and that they may be transformed by the Spirit of love.

For ourselves, that we will work together to end violence and bring life, peace and security to our world. Amen.



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 -May 25, 2025-

Prelude GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Bel Canto Choir & Congregational Singing

Offering Blessing

Passing the Peace

WORD

Bel Canto Choir & Congregational Singing

Children's Time

Scripture Presentation: Galatians 1:13-17, 2:11-21

Special Music: Bel Canto Choir

RESPONSE

Response Song

Prayers of the People

SENDING

Benediction

Prelude: Lois Yoder Worship Leader: Jana Gingerich Guest Song Leader: Russell Adrian Children's Time: Kiara Yoder



Sunday

8:30am Potluck Breakfast Fellowship9:00am Sunday School classes for all ages10:15am Worship Service

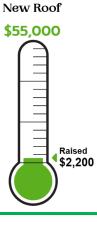
This Week

Tuesday, 10:00am Bible Study via Zoom

Nursery Schedule:

This week: Alex Conner, Kelsey Sommer Next week: Steph Moyer, Eliza Gingerich

Budget Report: Offering 5/18/25: \$18,899.23



ANNOUNCEMENTS

PENTECOST PANCAKE BREAKFAST—JUNE 8
!!! Please note the change in worship schedule below !!!

- 8am Pancake Breakfast starts
- 9am Outdoor Worship Service
- ♦ 10:15am Sunday School

Come celebrate Pentecost Sunday with us as we share breakfast and worship together under our solar structure; then stick around for Sunday School at 10:15am. Volunteers are needed for set-up, cooking, and clean-up. If you are available to help, email the office at zionmc@canby.com.

DRIFT CREEK'S SUMMER CAMP—STARTING JUNE 13

Summer break is right around the corner, and Drift Creek is working hard to solidify their final counts. Programs are offered for all children who have finished K-12 grades, and are designed to "foster wonder, nurture relationships, build community, and be a place where youth feel supported in their journey towards faith...". If you have yet to register your child for this special experience, please do so today at driftcreek.org.

There are also multiple opportunities to help at DCC, starting with a clean-up day Friday, August 8. Kitchen volunteers are needed various weekends in September, October and November, and paid, full-time positions for 2-3 caretakers are needed come fall. If interested, please reach out to Tony and Brenda Kauffman at info@driftcreek.org.

GIVING OPPORTUNITIES



VECINOS UPDATE

Vecinos is part of Zion's Mission and Service Commission, and during the past few months, we

have hosted events here at Zion and at Chemeketa Community College. Our most recent meal event was on April 26 at a farm in our community. More of these meals are in the works at various locations in the Hubbard/Aurora area, with the next one taking place on Saturday, June 7.

Many thanks to all of those who volunteer their time (and elbow grease) to support this mission. It takes a village to host and engage with our neighbors. Now, Vecinos is asking for your financial support, which enables us to purchase food, plates, utensils, tents, tables, chairs, pots, pans, etc., that make these events possible.

Financial contributions can be made through Zion; see details below. If you have questions, please contact Charlie Gingerich or Steve Masingila.

FUNDS NEEDED TO REPLACE SANCTUARY ROOF

The roof on the sanctuary building needs to be replaced, as the current shake roof was installed in 1999 and is now in disrepair. The estimated cost for a new roof is approximately \$55,000. During the Spring Congregational Business Meeting, approval was given to begin fundraising immediately in hopes of replacing the roof before next winter. If you have questions, please contact Stan Oyer or Clark Yoder.

Contributions to support either of these needs can be made by:

- ◆ Check written to Zion Mennonite Church with "Vecinos" or "new roof" designated in the memo line
- ◆ Cash with a note stating "Vecinos" or "new roof" attached
- online at https://zionmennoniteoregon.org/GIVE or by scanning the QR code

Any and all contributions are appreciated. Thank you!

