

Luci - Woodburn Varsity Girls Soccer Tues, Oct 14, 6:30PM: Home game vs. Crescent Valley

Luke - North Marion Varsity Boys Soccer Thur, Oct 16, 4:00PM: Home game vs. Cascade

In Prayer:

Loving God, we pray for joy to fill our hearts this October. May we find delight in Your presence and rejoice in all the blessings You have given us. Let the joy of the Lord be our strength, lifting us up even in difficult times. Help us to serve those around us in joy, and therefore to spread joy to others. Amen.

Sermon Notes:

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







Zion Mennonite Church

A congregation of Mennonite Church USA

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 -October 12, 2025-

Prelude

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing

Offering Blessing

Passing the Peace

WORD

Congregational Singing

VBS Presentation

Children's Time

Scripture Presentation: 1 Samuel 3:1-21

Sermon

RESPONSE

Response Song

Prayers of the People

SENDING

Benediction

Prelude: Lois Yoder Worship Leader: Karen Tro Song Leader: Seth Gingerich Children's Time: Vonnie Oyer 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 Fellowship Breakfast 9:00am Sunday School Classes for all ages

10:15am Worship Service

This Week

Tue, 10:00am Bible Study via Zoom

Nursery Schedule:

This week: Karen Kropf, Shawn Epp

Next week: Carolyn Yoder, Wanda Rohrer-Heyerly

Budget Report:

10/05/25 Offering: \$5,868.40

2025 My Coins Count Total: \$1,433.28

UPCOMING EVENTS

FALL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING Sunday, October 26

After the church service, there with be a potluck meal followed by the Fall Congregational Meeting. This meeting is intended for both members and regular attenders. It is a great opportunity to better understand, ask questions, and discuss the various topics being proposed by Zion Leadership Table.

The meeting agenda, 2025 Annual Report, minutes from the previous Congregational Meeting, and an affirmation ballot were emailed out this last week. If you would like an absentee ballot prior to the meeting, please contact the church office. If you did not receive the email but would like to, please contact us at: zionmc@canby.com.

Memorial Service for Barbara Dinsmoré

All are welcome at Barbara Dinsmore's Memorial Service at 2pm on Saturday, October 25 at Zion.

Following the service, there will be a pie and ice cream reception in the Fellowship Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

We are looking for volunteers to take one of the Sunday morning breakfast shifts each month. These individuals would arrive at 8am to make coffee and help set-up for the Potluck Fellowship Breakfast, as well as clean-up afterwards. Please reach out to Jennifer Gingerich if you are interested.

CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATES

It may not feel like it yet, but Christmas card season is closing in, and we want to help you with your mailing lists! If you have yet to submit your information to the church office to be included in the Church Directory, please do so by this **Wednesday**, **October 15th**. Name, address, phone number, email and picture are all appreciated, but at your discretion. Please send your info to zionmc@canby.com

WEEKLY DEADLINE FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS & SERVICE MEDIA

If you have announcements, service media, paper copies or other details for Sunday morning that require preparation by the church staff, please have those requests to the office by 9am Thursday morning. Thank you!

words of Gratitude

Thank you for thinking of me with the passing of my sister. I received beautiful flowers from the Good Cheer Committee, and when the Gingerich Women visited on September 26 and were singing, it brought much joy to my heart. -Carolyn Neuschwander

Thank you, Zion, for your school kit donations for Mennonite Central Committee. We collected 2,269 items, which amounts to anywhere between 52 to 110 school kits, depending on the item. You are helping students receive an education and sharing God's love with some of our youngest global neighbors! - Cynthia Hockman-Chupp