

# A Warm Welcome

**Welcome Rev. Nick Johannes!**  
Thank you to Rev. Nick Johannes for presiding over today's service. Please give him a warm welcome!

## **In Our Prayers This Week**

It is so important that we remember one another in prayer. During this week, please focus your prayers on the following members who were picked randomly: Don and Jo Schutt; Brook Rose; Sandra Tessmer; Bill Tipple; Julie, Justin and Niklas Williams.



## **Flowers**

The flowers for Sunday are in honor of Jo and Don Schutt's 60th wedding anniversary; they are given by Carol Magnuson.

Please call Zion's office (715-735-7898) or send an email ([Zion@newbc.rr.com](mailto:Zion@newbc.rr.com)) if you would like to sponsor the flowers for a specific Sunday. The cost is \$15.

## **What's Around the Corner?**

- August 13:** 11th Sunday after Pentecost, 9:30 a.m. worship with Holy Communion and via Facebook Live. With guest pastor Rev. Nick Johannes.
- August 20:** 12th Sunday after Pentecost, 9:30 a.m. worship with Holy Communion and via Facebook Live. Contemporary service.
- August 27:** 13th Sunday after Pentecost, 9:30 a.m. worship with Holy Communion and via Facebook Live. Vocal duet by Barb Grom and Karen Sylvester.



## **Celebrating Baptismal Birthdays this Week**

- August 16: Fyfe Thill  
August 19: Mason Krah  
August 20: Sam Gressel, Sarah Jagielski

## **August Eternal Light**

The Eternal Light for the month of August is sponsored by Jim Cook and is in memory of Hillive and Bill Cook.



Bulletins

## **Large Print Bulletins**

If you require a large-print bulletin due to sight issues, please contact the office and let us know! We can print off a bulletin with the words to the liturgy and hymns. Please call the office (715-735-7898) or email [zion@newbc.rr.com](mailto:zion@newbc.rr.com) if you require one!



## **Birthday Blessings to You**

August 15: Fay Brummond, Larry Melgary

August 16: Linda Walker

August 17: Joni Rudell

August 18: Sarge Rudell

August 20: Brooke Rose

## **Thank you to our Worship Assistants!**

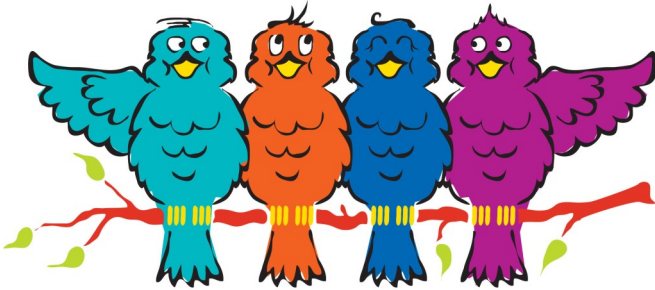
Thank you to Johanna Zuehls for serving as our lector and communion assistant; to Dean Schoen for serving as our usher; to Maryellen Radloff for setting and cleaning up communion; and to Daniel Zuehls for serving as our acolyte on Sunday.

The volunteers for next week are Daniel Zuehls as our lector; Steve Hoheneder as our communion assistant; Nora Plym as our usher; Jane Landenberger will set up and clean up communion; and Anthony Sims will be our acolyte!

If you'd like to volunteer to serve as lector or usher please contact Ann Buscher at 715-735-3017. The readings for the particular Sunday will be shared with you days in advance and a copy will be printed for you to use. Thank you for your consideration!



## **“Stepping in Faith” Stewardship Initiative**



# INVITE A FRIEND

have no answers except to say that I'm right there with you. I really need to get past this fear. I offer this prayer.

Dear Lord God, Give us the courage we need to share our faith with others. I have this wonderful invitation to give to someone. Lead me to recognize who that someone might be and give me the courage to follow through and hand them the invitation. All this I pray, in my loving Lord and Savior's name. Amen

On July 23<sup>rd</sup>, and the two weeks thereafter, all those attending worship received an invitation from the Stewardship and Generosity Committee with instructions to hand them out sometime during the year. One of the hardest things there is to do is approach someone you know and ask them to come with you to worship. It's far easier to ask them to lunch, make a charitable contribution, anything except worship. We really need to break through this fear. I

## **School Food Pantry Collection**

We're collecting food items to stock the school pantries as they start a new year. The kind of items that can be sent home with even the youngest kids to prepare for themselves. Your Social Ministry Committee will split the food between the Marinette and Menominee School Districts at the beginning of September. Please donate items that can be eaten as is or can be prepared using only water. Microwavable meals are good. Place your donations in the narthex by the collection baskets between July 2<sup>nd</sup> and August 27<sup>th</sup>.



Here are some suggestions:

- Meals that are ready to eat such as Chef Boyardee; Dinty Moore; Spaghetti O's; canned fish, chicken, ham; cracker or pretzel snack packs; Pop Tarts; granola bars; breakfast bars, fruit roll ups; beef jerky; trail mix; nuts; dried fruit; juices.
- Meals that just need water and a microwave: soups, cereals, oatmeal cups. Many companies make individual serving cups like: A Taste of Thai Noodles, Rice-A-Roni, Idahoan potatoes, Minute Rice.

### **Tithes & Offerings for August 1-7**

General Fund: \$3, 723  
Altar Flowers: \$15    World Hunger: \$100  
Boiler Fund: \$5      Bell Fund: \$5  
Capital Improvement Fund: \$40

*Thank you so very much for your continued giving and generosity. Every little bit helps. You are making a difference! Again, thank you!*



### **Open Altar Flower Dates!**

Zion has altar flower sponsorships available. The cost of sponsoring the flowers for one week is \$15.00. Dates are reserved on a first come first serve basis. You can take the flowers home after service! To reserve a date, please call or email Zion's office at 715-735-7898 or email [zion@newbc.rr.com](mailto:zion@newbc.rr.com).

**Current dates that need sponsoring are: August 20th and 27th; and September 3rd, 10th and 17th!**

### **Coffee Hour**

Coffee Time is back! If you would like to sponsor coffee hour, contact our office to see if there is a date available. Food is not a requirement for putting on a coffee hour. Simply making the coffee and sharing in fellowship is the goal of a coffee hour!

There will only be a coffee hour if there is a sponsor.



# THANK YOU!

## Notes of Thanks

### Sew For Missions:

The Sew For Missions group would like to thank the congregation for their recent monetary and material donations! It is all greatly appreciated and the group is happily trucking along with making quilts for local nonprofits and for the Lutheran World Relief boxcar in October. Again, thank you for your generosity!

### Don Schutt:

Thank you to everyone for their concern, calls, cards and prayers during my time of recovery. It was much appreciated!!

### Elsa Limberg:

Thank you for the gift you have given me! The graduation card was very sweet and thoughtful of you. Thank you for the keychain! I really like the quote from Jeremiah and the 2023 charm. I plan to make you, the church council, and the congregation proud of me and my future, Thank you for every opportunity Zion has provided me with. Especially my time on the church council, SPARK, and allowing me to be a part of the church community. I will not let you down. Thank you!



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