

Zion Reformed Church

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THE APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude & Silent Meditation

Welcome

*Greeting (Unison)

Children's Time (Fifth grade & younger)

Hymn

"As the Deer"(v1,2)

Silent Prayer

*Hymn #382, "Be Thou My Vision"(v1,2)
Call to Worship Shawn Hill
*Hymn #529, "O, How I Love Jesus" (v1,2)

*Prayer of Confession (Unison)

GOD OF MERCY WHOSE SON, JESUS CHRIST, LONGS TO GATHER US IN THE WIDE EMBRACE OF HIS LOVE, WE CONFESS THAT WE HAVE BEEN WAYWARD CHILDREN. WE HAVE DISOBEYED YOUR COMMANDS; OUR EARS HAVE BEEN DEAF TO YOUR CALL; OUR HEARTS HAVE BEEN COLD TO YOUR LOVE. IN THOUGHT, IN WORD & IN DEED WE HAVE HURT OTHERS & DISHONORED YOUR NAME. IN YOUR GREAT MERCY RECEIVE US YET AGAIN AS YOUR BELOVED CHILDREN, NOT BECAUSE WE ARE WORTHY, BUT FOR THE SAKE OF HIM WHO LOVED US & GAVE HIMSELF FOR US. AMEN.

Special Music Ladies Trio

THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture Mark 7:31-37

Message Prayer of Blessing Offertory

*Doxology (#625) and Offertory Prayer

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

*Hymn #473, "Victory in Jesus"(v1,2)

"Let's Talk About Jesus"

*Benediction

*Ben. Response "Make Me a Servant"

Announcements

Postlude *Please stand if able.

As all who have gathered are united in praising God, may the spirit of Christ's love be stirred within each of us today.

A special Thank You to Shawn Hill for leading our service today.

A special Thank You to Karen, Jen and Elizabeth for sharing their talent with us today.

Please join us for fellowship following the service.

AUDIO/VIDEO: Duane Next Week – Jesse/Carma

CHILDREN'S TIME: Wendy Next Week - Pastor

CHILDCARE: Sammy/Barrett Next Week – Sammy /Marli Fellowship: Brian and Ann Next Week – Hosts are needed

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

MON PASTOR AND FAMILY ARRIVES HOME!

WED 2:30PM SUPPORT GROUP; 4:30PM SPRING CLEAN UP; 6:30PM FAMILY MINISTRY: HAPPY BIRTHDAY. PASTOR!

SUN 9:15am Service; SS Choir and Class

Palm Sunday; Children meet at 9am

PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING IN PRAYER: TONYA HALSNE, BEV MOORE,

DALE BUTSON, BRIAN LUPKES, JILL SCHADE, ANGIE DEVRIES

PASTOR AND FAMILY AS THEY TRAVEL HOME!

PRAYERS CONTINUED ...

PRAYERS CONTINUED FOR JONAH VANHORN, BAKKER DEVRIES AND MARLENE DYKSTRA

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS: MARIE JURGENS, DARLENE MEINTS, GORDON MEYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- *ALL LADIES WHO ARE INTERESTED IN SINGING ON EASTER SUNDAY: PRACTICE FOLLOWING THE SERVICE TODAY. Q: SEE KAREN
- *EASTER LILIES: ORDER FORMS ARE AVAILABLE BY THE "CATCH ALL" BOX. LILIES ARE \$25. ORDERING FROM: FOREVER YOURS, SHEFFIELD. DEADLINE TO ORDER IS TODAY. Q: SEE ROSE. THANK YOU.
- *ZION SUPPORT GROUP: WED. @ 2:30PM
- *GROUNDS CLEAN UP: WED. @ 4:30PM; PLEASE BRING GLOVES AND SEE RYAN KOENEN FOR ANY ADDITIONAL TOOLS NEEDED. PLEASE STAY FOR FAMILY MINISTRY MEAL AND MINISTRY! FOLLOW UP DATE IF NEEDED: WED., APRIL 5, 4:30PM BEFORE FAMILY MINISTRY. (HOPE CIRCLE WILL MEET APRIL 12, 7PM)
- *March Family Ministry: WED. @ 6:30PM, March 29 (Pastor's BIRTHDAY)
- *YOUTH FOR CHRIST COMEDY CAFÉ: MARCH 30, WINDSOR THEATRE, CALL 800-822-1495 TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT OR COMEDYCAFE.ORG
 YELLOW FLYERS ARE BY "CATCH ALL" BOX ALONG WITH A POSTER ON THE BULLETIN BOARD FOR MORE DETAILS!
- *PALM SUNDAY IS NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 2: PLEASE HAVE YOUR CHILDREN MEET AT 9AM IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL.
- *Maundy Thursday Service: April 6, 7pm @ Zion; UCC will be our guests. Fellowship will follow: If your last name begins with "A-L" please bring bars; if your last name begins with "M-Z" please bring sandwiches.
- *PRAYER-O-THON: PLEASE SIGN UP FOR A PRAYER(S) TIME. THE POSTER IS IN THE FOYER. EVERYONE IS ENCOURAGED TO COME TO THE CHURCH THROUGHOUT THE DAY AND NIGHT TO PRAY. PLEASE EMAIL YOUR PRAYER REQUESTS TO ZIONCHURCH2029@GMAIL.COM BY MONDAY, APRIL 3.
- *Good Friday Service: APRIL 7 @ UCC.
- *CELEBRATION* PLEASE JOIN IN CELEBRATING MARDEL'S 90TH BIRTHDAY! OPEN HOUSE: APRIL 2, 1:30-3PM, ZION FELLOWSHIP HALL. NO GIFTS, PLEASE. *ST. PAUL LUTHERAN SCHOOL IS HAVING AN OPEN HOUSE: APRIL 4, 6-7:30PM. SEE BULLETIN BOARD FOR DETAILS.