In Our Prayers This Week

It's so important that we remember one another in prayer. During this week, please focus your prayers on the following members who were picked randomly: Ellen B.; Scott, Sandra, Alex, and Samuel G.; Jared J.; Larry N. and Sally B.; Chris. St. V.



Flowers

The flowers for Sunday are sponsored by sponsored by Pat M. and Dennis M. and are on memory of Oliver S.

If you would like to sponsor the altar flowers for any given Sunday, please contact Zion's office (715-735-7898 or zion.lutheran.marinette@gmail.com); they cost $15

What's Around the Corner?.

Nov. 4:	SPARK, 5:30 p.m.; Confirmation, 6:30 p.m.; Choir, 6:30 p.m. Praise Band Practice, 7:30 p.m.
Nov. 5:	Menominee Valley Conference gathering at Bethel LC, Menominee, 6 p.m.
Nov. 8:	24th Sunday after Pentecost, 9:30 a.m. worship with Holy Communion and via YouTube. Praise Band Sunday. Coffee hour after worship.
Nov. 10:	Sew for Missions, 9 a.m.; Council meeting, 6:30 p.m.
Nov. 11:	Veterans Day, Office Closed. SPARK, 5:30 p.m.; Confirmation, 6:30 p.m.; Choir, 6:30 p.m.
Nov. 15:	25th Sunday after Pentecost, 9:30 a.m. worship with Holy Communion and via YouTube. Hymn sing.

Birthday Blessings to You!

Sharon S., Mary T., Mike H., Lisa C., Carol M., Barb B.



Celebrating Baptismal Birthday's This Week!

Mark S., Vicki G., Jack H., Alexa O., Barbara G., Nora P., Chad F.

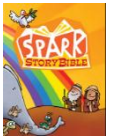


Upcoming Coffee Hour!

We will be having a coffee hour after worship on Nov. 8. Please join us! If you would like to sponsor a coffee hour, call the office at 715-735-7898 to reserve a date!

SPARK Bible Story

The SPARK Story Bible reading for today is found on page 314; "Ten Bridesmaids based on the reading from Matthew 25:1-13.



Thank You to Our Worship Leaders!



Thank you to Delanie S. for serving as our lector; to Karen S. as our communion assistant; to Carol J. for setting and cleaning up communion; to Dave J. as our usher; Eric M. and Gage S. for handling AV; and Emma W. for serving as our acolyte Sunday!

Our servers for next week are Sue B. as our lector; Terry L. as our communion assistant; Barb G. will be setting and cleaning up communion; Karen S. as our usher; Kim G. and Troy C. will be handling AV; and Nik W. as our acolyte.

If you'd like to volunteer to serve as a worship leader, please contact Ann B. Thank you for your consideration!



Tithes & Offerings for Nov. 1-2

General Fund: $2,219
Poinsettia: $45
World Hunger: $10
Helping Hand: $50
Capital Improvement Fund: $55

Our mission and ministries are possible thanks to the Lord's labor through our faithful living and giving. The Spirit invites us into Jesus' way of generosity as we worship God by sharing our offerings. Thank you so very much for your continued contributions. Every little bit helps. You are making a difference! Again, thank you

Note of Thanks!

To My Zion Family,

I just want to send a heartfelt thank you to all of you for the love and support given to me and my family both before and after Lanse died. It means so much to me to have such a wonderful faith family — all the cards, texts, calls, hugs were and are still so important to me as I begin to navigate the next chapter of my life. The funeral and luncheon after were great — I have had many compliments on how special and beautiful everything was and whether the kitchen crew hired out!! I feel very blessed to be a part of such a special family!

Love you all,
Karen and Ella (our schnauzer baby!)



November Eternal Light



The Eternal Light for November is sponsored by Jim C. and is in loving memory of Magnilde and Pastor Johannson.

NGLS Dungeons & Dragons Club

The NGLS has an online Dungeons & Dragons Club for young people between 6th-12th grade. Upcoming gaming dates are:

- Sunday, November 22, 4:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Contact: Stefanie E. at youthcoordinator@nglsynod.org for the Zoom link or if you would like to be part of this growing club!

Friendsgiving Youth Event

Youth between 6th -12th grade are invited to enjoy food, friends, and football on Sunday, Nov. 15 from noon to 3 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 923 5th St., Menominee. Participants are encouraged to bring a favorite dish or snack to share. The Packers game will be playing on TV and there will also be games and crafts. Friends are welcome! RSVP to Stefanie E. at youthcoordinator@nglsynod.org



Also, you can save the date for our December event. We will be sharing cookies and singing Christmas carols with residents at the Luther Home on Sunday, Dec. 13 at 1:30 p.m.



Ruth Circle Group

The Ruth Group will meet Thursday, November 19th, in the family room at Zion at 3 p.m. for our monthly Bible study. All are welcome to attend!

Sew for Missions Update

Our Sew for Missions group made 39 quilts that were boxed and taken by the Lutheran World Relief to be sent out to states and other countries in need. Thank you to everyone who has given material and monetary donations! The group is always in need of donations for the cost of material. Thank you for your generosity!





November Collection

Zion is Called to Go Where Jesus Leads and our Social Ministry Team is committed to showing our congregation ways to live out that calling in our community. During the month of November, we will be collecting food items to help people celebrate the CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY.

Everything we collect in November will be delivered to the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry. By collecting in November, we can get these items delivered EARLY in December and help everyone plan for their holiday meals.

Ideas for SHELF STABLE items for a Christmas meal are:

- Cookie mixes, sprinkles, icing, peanut butter, chocolate stars/kisses, peppermint candies
- Instant potatoes, stuffing mix, biscuit mix, gravy mix or jarred gravy
- Cranberry sauce, canned yams, French fried onions, canned corn, canned green beans
- Canned apple and/or other pie filling, shelf stable pie crust
- Shelf stable milks such as Almond, Rice or Soy
- All other non-perishable food items such as canned vegetables, fruits and proteins especially chicken or turkey are certainly appreciated also!

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Poinsettias serve as beautiful Christmas decorations. If you make a donation of at least $15.00 you may take one of the plants home following the 8:00 p.m. service on Thursday, December 24, 2026. You may also designate it as a gift in memory or honor of someone.

If you are willing to purchase one or more Poinsettia, please fill out the form below and place it in the offering plate.

The order forms and payment must be received in Zion's office by Monday, November 23.

GIVEN BY_____

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IN HONOR OF_____

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AMOUNT CONTRIBUTED: $_____

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PLEASE ENCLOSE THIS FORM WITH YOUR MONEY AND DROP OFF AT ZION, MAIL TO ZION OR EMAIL ZION'S OFFICE @ ZION.LUTHERAN.MARINETTE@ GMAIL.COM SO WE CAN SUBMIT OUR ORDER.