

If you have someone or something you would like included in these prayers, please indicate your request(s) below. The ministry team will pray for these people and requests this week.

For prayer requests during the week:

Let the church office know via email at ZionElginPrayers@gmail.com

MINISTRY TEAM	
PASTOR	DAVE DAUBERT
DEACON	MARLENE DAUBERT
WORSHIP LEADERS 8:30 A.M.	
ORGANIST	GARY HILLQUIST
GREETER	MICHELLE BANNERMAN
USHER	DENNIS MATCHINSKI
LECTOR	JEANNE MEYER
WORSHIP LEADERS 10:45 A.M.	
MUSICIAN	JEFF GROSSER
GREETER	CECELIA EHRETH
USHER	ELIZABETH THAMES/MADDY HAND
LECTOR	ROBIN HONAKER
CHILDREN'S SERMON	DEACON MARLENE
WORSHIP LEADERS AT BOTH SERVICES	
COMMUNION BREAD	JANE GONDEK
OFFERING COUNTERS	CHRIS WARGO/DALE EDWARDS
MINISTERS	ALL MEMBERS OF ZION

Worship Attendance Last Week:	8:30AM	19
	10:45AM	55

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"Grounded in Christ: Sent to be a blessing"
 September 29, 2024
 Sunday Worship 8:30 and 10:45 AM

Welcome! Zion is a Reconciling in Christ congregation. We extend God's extravagant welcome to people of every age, class, color, and ethnic origin, people of all sexual orientations and gender identities, people who are single, married, divorced, separated, blessed or partnered and people who are temporarily abled, disabled, or of differing abilities.

We are glad you are here! If you are a guest, we invite you to fill out the tear-off section and put it in the offering box so we can send you a thank you note for coming today.

We also invite you to take a peace candle (found at the welcome station) with you when you leave today to share the peace.

HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK:

Spiritual Practices this Thursday at 10AM on Zoom. We will continue with the second half of the book, "Blessed are the Women: Naming & Reclaiming Women's Stories from the Gospels" by Claire McKeever-Burgett. Please read Chapter 8 (Edith Rachel, Sara and Leah). A link will be sent out this week. If you are not on the mailing list and are interested, please email Deacon Marlene at DeaconMarlene@ZionElginIL.org.

The memorial service for Joy Flathau will be this Saturday at 11 AM. A light lunch will follow.

GROUNDED IN CHRIST:

Adult Education will conclude its two-week session on forgiveness and reconciliation at 9:45 in the library.

SENT TO BE A BLESSING:

Fall is in the air, and that means Elgin's annual CROP Walk is right around the corner! The CROP Walk raises money and awareness to fight hunger, both locally here in Elgin and around the world. This year's CROP Walk will be held on Sunday, October 27, at 1:30 in Elgin's Civic Center Plaza. Please join our team at <https://events.crophungerwalk.org/cropwalks/team/zion-lutheran-elgin-elca>, or see Rebecca Rizzo for a collections envelope. If you are unable to walk, please consider sponsoring one of our walkers. If you have any questions, see Rebecca Rizzo.

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES AND HAPPENINGS:

Jennifer and Clint Moyer-Humes were married September 21. They will be having a reception for their Zion family next Sunday, beginning at 9:30 in the overflow area. We hope you will come and be part of this joyous celebration!

Men's Ministry will meet Monday, October 7 at 6:30 at Moretti's on Route 20.

Note this is a change due to Columbus Day.

Do you enjoy the fun of Halloween? This year for the first time, Zion is doing a Trunk or Treat for kids in the neighborhood in partnership with SWAN and EPEL (Elgin Partnership for Early Learning). The goal is to continue to build relationships with our neighbors. We are in need of 3 ways of assisting:

1. Trunkers! Trunkers are people who decorate their trunk and pass out candy (or a non-edible item.) We ask that trunkers use their creativity to decorate their trunks in a non-scary way.
2. Folks willing to help with activity stations as well as someone to coordinate volunteers.
3. Candy or funds for candy! Just bring in individually wrapped candy for distribution.

Please see the sign up on the sign up table. We need a minimum of 5 trunks, but there is no maximum! We're also looking for folks to help with activities.

This week at Zion we are praying for: Renate V. (severe headaches), our Golden Doodle (epileptic seizure), students and teachers as classes are back in session, Melanie, Sylvia, Shane, Adrian, Colt and Wm, the two Gracies, the Stock family, the Stoffregens, Reiko (formerly Leiko), Nancy Voross, Tammy Dominick, Melodie Webber, Misty, Heather & Dan, Gregg, Darlene, Angela, Kathy, Sherry, Julie & family, Jerry & Carol, Ardelia, Chuck, Pete & Bev, Harold & Catherine, Rachael, Violet, Ruth, Noel, Pat, Sue, Brian, Raul, Natalie, Traci, Jackie, Meghan, Grace, Paula, Al & Susan Meyer, Amanda, Ellen, Susie, Josh, Jake, Joe, Allison, Jimmy; from David and Gudrun: We ask for prayers for our good friend Beth Ruyle who is now undergoing chemotherapy for leukemia, however, is in a very weakened state, and for strength for her husband Craig; from Linda Bailey, thank you prayer that Bill's CAT scan on his arm was ok.

Happy Birthday to:

- September 29 Niels Dorgan
- September 30 Kris Kovari
- October 4 Maverick Matchinski
- October 4 Jacob Russell
- Belated birthday:
- September 23 Alma Garcia

If you would like to make a cash or check donation, please drop it in the offering box outside the sanctuary, towards the front doors.

If you would like to make an electronic donation, please visit our website [Zion Lutheran Church – Grounded in Christ — Sent to be a Blessing. \(zionelginil.org\)](http://Zion Lutheran Church – Grounded in Christ — Sent to be a Blessing. (zionelginil.org)). There are instructions for both online and app options for on-going giving. Thanks!

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, September 29, 2024

- 8:30 AM Early Worship
- 9:45 AM Sunday Education for All
- 10:45 AM Late Worship
- 2:00 PM Apostolic Assembly

Monday, September 30, 2024

- 6:30 PM Faith, Fun + Picnic Series Debrief on Zoom

Tuesday October 1, 2024

- 5:30 PM Soup Kettle (We serve)
- 8:00 PM AA

Wednesday October 2, 2024

- 2:30 PM Ice Pop Wednesday
- 5:00 PM Choir
- 6:30 PM Peace and Wellness Service

Thursday, October 3, 2024

- 10:00 AM Spiritual Practices
- 1:00 PM AAUW/ACLU speaker
- 7:00 PM Apostolic Assembly

Friday, October 4, 2024

- Office Closed
- 6:30 PM AA – Lower level

Saturday October 5, 2024

- 9:30 AM Prayer Shawl
- 10:00 AM AA
- 11:00 AM Joy Flathau memorial service
- 8:00 PM AA

Sunday, October 6, 2024

- 8:30 AM Early Worship
- 9:30 AM Wedding Reception Jennifer & Clint Humes
- 9:45 AM Sunday Education for All
- 10:45 AM Late Worship
- 2:00 PM Apostolic Assembly
- 3:00 PM AA District

Welcome to Zion Lutheran Church

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- I am a visitor.
- I am interested in membership.
- I would appreciate a visit.
- I would like more information about Zion Lutheran Church.

Other _____

Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

Comments: _____
