

# MT. ZION UCC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF 3.24.24

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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| <b>Mar 24 (Su)</b>   | <b>Palm Sunday</b><br>In-person worship service, 8:00AM<br>Adult Sunday School in Room 5, 9:00AM<br>In-person & streaming worship service, 10:30AM<br>Holy Dingalings during Worship, 10:30 AM<br>Kids Sunday School during worship, 10:30AM |
| <b>March 19 (Tu)</b> | <b>Tri-M Prayer Breakfast at Stonybrook Family Restaurant, 6:45 AM</b><br><b>Book Study in the Parlor, 10:00AM</b>   |
| <b>March 27 (W)</b>  | <b>Worship Choir rehearsal, 7:00PM</b>   |
| <b>March 28 (Th)</b> | <b>Great Expectations Bible Study in Parlor 9:30AM</b><br><b>Maundy Thursday Service in the Fellowship Hall, 6:30 PM</b>   |
| <b>March 29 (F)</b>  | <b>Good Friday service in the Sanctuary, 7:00 PM</b>   |
| <b>Mar 31 (Su)</b>   | <b>Easter Sunday</b><br>In-person worship service, 8:00AM<br>In-person & streaming worship service, 10:30AM  |

*He is Risen!*  
**Resurrection Celebration!**  
Sunday, April 9th  
8:00 & 10:30 AM  
1054 Ridgewood Rd, York  
Worship will also stream live at 10:30 AM  
on Facebook, YouTube &  
mtzionucc.org/streaming



Easter Sunday is Sunday, March 31st! We will be having services at 8 AM & 10:30 AM! Our 10:30 AM service will also be live-streamed on Facebook, YouTube, and the church website! We hope you will join us in celebrating the Resurrection of Christ!

### Holy Week Services

with Mt. Zion UCC



*Maundy Thursday*

March 28

Dinner Church at 6:30 PM



*Good Friday*

March 29 at 7 PM

*In-person & streaming (Good Friday only) on: Facebook, YouTube & mtzionucc.org/streaming*

*Sign up for Maundy Thursday dinner: ttsu.me/maundy*

Holy Week is fast approaching, and we will be holding two services, one on March 28, Maundy Thursday, and one on March 29th, Good Friday. This year, we will be having “Dinner Church” on **Maundy Thursday**, so the service will start slightly earlier, **6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall.**

Good Friday will remain at **7 PM in the sanctuary.** The Good Friday service will also be streamed, but due to technology limitations in the Fellowship Hall, the Maundy Thursday service will not be streamed. You can sign up for the Maundy Thursday dinner using the link below!

[ttsu.me/maundy](https://ttsu.me/maundy)

Dial-in Number for 10:30 AM Service:  
**888-719-1054**



Holy Humor Sunday  
Let's Make a Deal

April 7th  
One service @ 10:30 AM



Bring jokes and wear fun attire!!!

**Holy Humor Sunday: Let's Make a Deal**—Our Holy Humor service is coming on April 7th at 10:30 AM! **There will be ONE service that day!** All are encouraged to bring jokes and to dress as if they are coming to be on the *Let's Make a Deal* game show. Get ready for a morning of fun, laughter, & praise!

### Ronald McDonald House Cooking Volunteer Opportunity



Sunday, April 21st



Meet at church after 10:30 AM service



Planning Meeting after 10:30 AM service  
Sunday, April 14th

**Sign-up in side narthex**

Our next Cooks on the Road is Sunday, April 21st! This is a volunteer opportunity at Ronald McDonald House in Hershey to cook meals for families who are staying there while their loved one is undergoing treatment at the Children's Hospital.

If you are able to help, you will meet at the church after the 10:30 AM service, go to lunch, and then head up to Ronald McDonald House. Their kitchen can accommodate six individuals. There will be a planning meeting for those who sign up on Sunday, April 14th at 11:30 AM (after the late service). You can sign up in the below. Any questions, please call Barb Stebbins at 717-880-3237.

[ttsu.ronaldmcdonald](https://ttsu.ronaldmcdonald)

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## PRAYER REQUESTS

### Undergoing Treatment

Jen Kerchner  
Nancy Schwartz  
Ted Trout-Landen  
Rick Hogentogler

### Recuperating

Ted Trout-Landen  
Barb Everhart  
Robin Everhart

### Hospice Care

Eva Wolfe

You can call the church office, e-mail the office, or text 717-408-9280 to submit prayer requests. We also have a prayer chain e-mail where we lift up prayer requests. If you'd like to join that e-mail list, please contact Travis in the church office. Outside of office hours, for pastoral care call Pastor Amy at her land-line (717)384-6026.

MT. ZION MISSIONS



Our March monthly mission is the non-profit, RIP Medical Debt which helps relieve the medical debt for people within our region. RIP Medical Debt purchases medical debt in bulk from healthcare organizations, and also works to help to give more opportunities to those who have been unfairly burdened with exorbitant medical fees. For every \$1 given, \$100 of medical debt is forgiven. Thank you for your donations to this important program.

## Mr. Sandy's Helping Hands

- ♥ Sunday, April 28th
- ♥ Need Cooks (2:00-4:00 PM) & Servers (4:15-6:00 PM)
- ♥ Questions: Call Carol Hartman at 717-755-2588
- ♥ Sign up in the back narthex or by calling the church office

On Sunday, April 28th we will be cooking and serving meals for Mr. Sandy's Helping Hands for Veterans. The number of people we serve continues to grow so we really need your help. To sign-up there is a sign-up poster in the Narthex next to the coffee station or you can call Travis in the church office. Cooks should arrive at the church at 2:00pm, servers 4:15pm. Mission Core would like to thank all those kind hearts and willing hands who have participated in the past.

### CHILDREN'S MUSIC SPRING 2024



- 🎵 **Sunday, March 24th**  
Practice at 9:30 AM  
Holy Dingalings
- 🎵 **Sunday, April 28th**  
Youth & Children's Bell Choir  
Children's Choir
- 🎵 **Sunday, May 12th**  
Practice at 9:30 AM  
Children's Choir  
Holy Dingalings

Please note there will also be a practice for April 28th on **Saturday, April 27th from 10-11 AM.**

There are quite a few opportunities for children to participate in music this Spring! The intergenerational Bell Choir, Mt. Zion's "Holy Dingalings" will be playing on Palm Sunday, March 24th and Mother's Day, May 12th. Any and all are invited to play, no prior experience needed! We will have just a short run through on March 24th around 9:30 AM.

The children and youth bell choir will play on Sunday, April 28th for Youth Sunday at the 10:30 AM service.

The children's choir will sing on Holy Humor Sunday, April 7th, on Youth Sunday, April 28th, and on Mother's Day, May 12th. We've been practicing the children's choir songs during Sunday Funday. You can sign up for these opportunities below! Any questions, please contact Travis Pinci at 717-324-8511.

[ttsu.me/childrensmusic](https://ttsu.me/childrensmusic)

## 2024 FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

| 2024 Financial Report YTD |                |            |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------|
| Total Income              | Total Expenses | Diff       |
| \$71,255.23               | \$68,359.91    | \$2,895.33 |

### Weekly Attendance

| Date           | Attendance   |
|----------------|--|
| March 3, 2024  | 17 (8 AM in-person)<br>49 (10:30 AM in-person)<br>52 (streaming) |
| March 10, 2024 | 26 (8 AM in-person)<br>62 (10:30 AM in-person)<br>52 (streaming) |
| March 17, 2024 | 15 (8 AM in-person)<br>62 (10:30 AM in-person)<br>51 (streaming) |