

MT. ZION UCC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF 11.17.24

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- November 17 (Su) Intergenerational Confirmation class, 8:30-9:30 AM**
In-person & streaming worship service, 9:45 AM
Children's Sunday school during the service
Worship Choir Practice, Choir Room, after the service
Installation for Rev. Amy Northridge, 2:00PM
- November 18 (Mo) Womens' Retreat Planning Meeting, 4th-6th grade classroom, 1:30—3 PM**
- November 19 (Tu) Book study in the parlor, 10:00 AM—12:00 PM**
- November 21 (Th) "Great Expectations" Bible Study in Room 5, 9:30 AM**
- November 24 (Su) Adult Sunday School in the Fellowship Hall, 8:30-9:30 AM**
In-person & streaming worship service, 9:45 AM
Children's Sunday school during the service
Congregational meeting, immediately following the service
Church council in Room 5, immediately following the congregational meeting
Mr. Sandy's Youth cooking baking, immediately following the congregational meeting
Mr. Sandy's cooking in the kitchen, 2:00-4:00 PM
J-Walkers ornament making, 3:00-6:00 PM

SAVE THE DATE

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
SUN. NOVEMBER 24TH
FOLLOWING WORSHIP
IN THE SANCTUARY OR ON ZOOM

To vote on the 2025 budget and approve 2025 Council Candidates

Our November congregational meeting will be held on Sunday, November 24th in the sanctuary and on Zoom. Please participate in the way that feels most comfortable to you. We do ask that you sign up if you plan to participate on Zoom, so we can send you the Zoom link. You can sign up using the link below. Agendas and the proposed budget will be forthcoming in the side and back narthex.

ttsu.me/congmeeting

Dial-in Number for 9:45 AM Service:
888-719-1054

Disaster Relief Donations

envelopes found in
back of sanctuary



A reminder that we continue to collect donations for Disaster Relief. We have a goal of \$4,000 to match the money that Mission core has already sent. Thanks to your generosity, we already have collected \$3,514.00 towards our goal. We're almost there! Thank you so much for your generosity!

Christmas Caroling @ Normandie Ridge

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8TH @ 3:00 PM

SIGN UP: [TTSU.ME/CAROLING](https://ttsu.me/caroling)



Poinsettia Sale

\$9.00 each
Red & white
Order by December 1st
Order form online or in
back narthex

The Christmas Poinsettia Sale has begun!

Poinsettias can be purchased for a donation of \$9.00 each. Complete the order form online or

the paper form found in the back narthex and turn in your payment in the box located in the back narthex or in the lock box outside the church. Make checks payable to Mt. Zion United Church of Christ. Orders are due by Sunday, December 1st. Thank you!

We are planning to bring some Christmas cheer to Normandie Ridge Retirement Community with Christmas Caroling! It will be on Sunday, December 8th at 3 PM. You can either meet us there at 3 PM or you can meet to carpool at the church around 2:30 PM.

We also are in need of cookies placed in baggies in packs of 6. We would like **only** snickerdoodles, sugar cookies, or chocolate chip cookies.

To sign up to attend and/or to bake cookies for the members of Normandie Ridge, please use the link below.

ttsu.me/caroling

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Undergoing Treatment

Jen Kerchner
Nancy Schwartz
Mark Miller

Recuperating

Robin Everhart
Matt Grimes
Lina Everhart
Janet Abel
Barb Everhart

Nursing Care

Earl Deveney
Rich Huber
Al Fauth
Adonna Barshinger

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 landline (717)384-6026.

MT. ZION MISSIONS



The Monthly Mission for November is Central Penn Food Bank specifically their military share program. Military Share is designed to provide fresh, nutritious foods for families with at least one member who served in the armed forces. Your donations will go towards this program.

Monthly Mission Receipts 2024

August 2024— Mr. Sandy's	September 2024—Blanket Sunday	October— Hospice & Community Care
\$1,671.50	\$2,264.00	\$2,425.00

Kid-Min November 2024

November 3	following service	Church World Service Health Kits
November 10	9:00 AM Practice/ play for 9:45 AM service	Children's Choir
November 24	11:00 AM FUN DAY	Sunday Funday
	3:00-6:00 PM FUN DAY	J-Walkers Ornament Making Party

Our kid's ministry has a bunch of activities in the month of November! You can see the activities in the graphic, and you can sign up for J-Walkers Christmas ornament making using the link below!

ttsu.me/jwalkers

November Youth Group

November 3rd	following worship	Church World Service Health Kits
November 10th	11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Faith Formation Hang Out
November 15th	5:00-8:30 PM	Friendsgiving Turkey Dinner & Board Games
November 24th	following congregational meeting	Cookie baking for Mr. Sandy's

Youth group has a busy November with packing Church World Service Kits, Faith Formation Hang Out, and a Friendsgiving event! Our last event in November is Cookie Baking for Mr. Sandy's on November 24th following the congregational meeting. You can sign-up below.

ttsu.me/cookiebaking

Homewood Home Auxiliary 2024 Memberships



As we head into Fall, the Homewood Home Auxiliary will be holding its annual membership drive. The cost is \$3 per individual and \$5 per family. These donations help to support our residents at Plum Creek.

We also are collecting donations of signed Christmas cards (please don't seal the envelope) to give to the residents at Plum Creek. Any questions, please see Doris Loucks. Thank you for your kindness and generosity!

STEWARDSHIP REPORT 2024

2024 Stewardship Report YTD

Total Income	Total Expenses	Diff
\$276,128.68	\$231,976.60	+\$44,152.08

Weekly Attendance

Date	Attendance
October 20, 2024	61 (in-person) 36 (streaming)
October 27, 2024	48 (in-person) 27 (streaming)
November 3, 2024	85 (in-person) 36 (streaming)
November 10, 2024	74 (streaming) 100 (in-person)