MT. ZION UCC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF 02.16.25

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Feb 16 (Su) Intergenerational Confirmation Class in Room 5, 8:30 AM

In-person & streaming service, 9:45 AM

Children's Sunday school during the 9:45 AM Service

Church Council in Room 5, 11:00 AM

J-Walkers/Youth Valentine's Cookie Baking, 3:00-6:00 PM

Feb 17 (M) **Church Office closed in observance of Presidents' Day**

Feb 18 (Tu) **Book study in Room 5,** 10:00 AM

Feb 20 (Th) **"Great Expectations" Bible Study in Room 5,** 9:30 AM **Worship choir practice in the choir room,** 7:15 PM

Feb 21 (F) Galentines Chick Flick in the Fellowship Hall,

7:00-10:00 PM

Feb 23 (Su) **Adult Genesis Bible Study in Room 5,** 8:30 AM

In-person & streaming service, 9:45 AM

Children's Sunday school during the 9:45 AM Service Congregational Meeting in the Sanctuary and on Zoom,

following the service

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

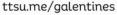


The next Kid-Min event will be J-Walkers and Youth who will have a Valentine's Day Cookie Baking event from 3:00-6:00 PM on Sunday, February 16th! You can sign up using the link below!

ttsu.me/valentinescookies



Galentine" Chick Flick Night Friday, February 21, 2025 Doors Open: 7:00 PM Movie Start Time 7:30 PM





On Friday, February 21st we'll be having a "Galentine's" Chick Flick event and the movie will be the beloved musical *Grease!* The doors will open at 7 PM and the movie will start at 7:30 PM. The Community Life Committee will supply popcorn and beverages. Please bring along a snack to share if you wish. You may want to bring along a comfortable chair and blanket to watch the movie. Please RSVP by Monday, February 17th. You can sign up using the link below!

ttsu.me/galentines



Join us this Lent as we look at the extremes and find God there and in Everything In Between.
Beginning on Ash Wednesday, March 5th, we will investigate Scripture to see where God shows up in the midst of Faith & Action at our 3 PM & 7

PM services with Holy Communion. There will be supper together at 6 PM. We are looking for donations of soup and salad for that night. We also ask that you sign up if you are attending so we know how many people to prepare for. The sign up link is below and can be found in the weekly e-mails. You can also call the church office to sign up.

ttsu.me/ashwednesdaydinner

WELCOME TEAMS & LITURGISTS



Sign up in the weekly e-mails or by calling the church office

We are in need of welcome teams and liturgists for March/April 2025. We'll need extra volunteers since we will be having Wednesday services during Lent and special services during Holy Week. You can sign up for either of these roles using

the links found in the weekly e-mails or by calling the church office. Thanks for all you do for Mt. Zion!

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Undergoing Treatment

Nancy Schwartz Mark Miller

Recuperating

JR Hogentogler Darren Schildt Barb Waltemyer

Nursing Care

Loretta Albaugh Adonna Barshinger Al Fauth Rich Huber

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 February's Monthly Mission will be going to disaster relief, particularly to relieve the devastation of the fires in California. Thank you for your support

Recent Monthly Mission Receipts			
November— Central Penn Food Bank (Military Share)	December— Christmas Fund	January-YWCA	
\$1,369.00	\$3,353.00	\$1,194.00	



Our February congregational meeting will be on Sunday, February 23rd immediately following the worship service (around 11:00 AM). We will vote on approving the 2024 annual report and honoring our outgoing council members at this meeting. You can participate on Zoom, but we do ask that you sign up so we can send you the Zoom link. You can sign up using the link below. The Annual Report is available in the side and back narthexes and digital copies can be found in the weekly e-mails.

ttsu.me/congmeeting

Offering **Envelopes**

Your offering envelopes for 2025 can be found in the side narthex. You can pick them up on Sundays during worship or stop by the church during office hours to pick them up.



We are looking to get the handchime choir up and running again! Charlie Hull is willing to direct the choir and we are hoping to get the group together to play sometime during the Easter season!

We're hoping to have practices on Thursdays from 6:00-7:00 PM in the bell choir room. The bell choir room can be found on the left hand side of the hallway where the church office is located (across from the 4th-6th grade classroom). If you are interested, simply sign up using the link below. We

ask that you express interest no later than Sunday, February 16th, so that we have time to begin practices.

ttsu.me/handchimes

STEWARDSHIP REPORT 2025

2025 Stewardship Report YTD			
Total Income	Total Expenses	Diff	
\$26,198.90	\$30,510.66	-(4,311.76)	



In the event of inclement weather, please check WGAL (www.WGAL.com) website, Mt. Zion's website (www.mtzionucc.org), the church voicemail, or Mt. Zion's Facebook page for changes.

<u>Weekly Attendance</u>		
Date	Attendance	
January 19, 2025	No service due to snow	
January 26, 2025	76 (in-person) 48 (streaming)	
February 2, 2025	66 (in-person) 40 (streaming)`	
February 9, 2025	55 (in-person) 60 (streaming)	