

MT. ZION UCC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR WEEK OF 07.13.25

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- July 13 (Su)

In-person & streaming worship service, 9:45 AM  
Ronald McDonald Planning meeting in the parlor, following the service
- July 15 (Tu)

Book study in the parlor, 10:00 AM  
Book study on Zoom, 6:30-8:00 PM
- July 16 (W)

Playtime at John Rudy Park, 6:30-7:00 PM  
Walking worship at John Rudy Park, 7:00-8:00 PM
- July 17 (Th)

Great Expectations Bible Study in Room 5, 9:30 AM
- July 20 (Su)

In-person & streaming worship service, 9:45 AM  
Cooks on the Road to Ronald McDonald House, following the service

Pastor Amy will be on vacation at family camp from Sunday, July 13th (following the service) to Saturday, July 21st. If you have pastoral care concerns, please contact the church office by phone or by e-mail. Thank you!

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



Mt. Zion Summer  
of MYSTERY & MAYHEM  
(the fun kind!)  
Trivia Night  
Friday, June 20th  
6:30-8:30 PM  
Sign up in weekly e-mails  
Mt. Zion at the Revs  
Thursday, July 31st  
6:30 PM  
ttsu.me/revsgame  
August Water Day  
Sunday, August 17th  
11:00 AM - 1:30 PM  
ttsu.me/augustwaterday

Our Summer of Mystery and Mayhem continues!

In July, we will go to see the York Revolution on **Thursday, July 31st at 6:30 PM**. We do ask that you sign up so we know how many tickets to order. Tickets cost \$10 a piece. If the cost is a hardship to your family, please reach out to Pastor Amy. You can sign-up to join us using the link below. Please sign up no later than **Thursday, July 17th** so we have time to distribute the tickets.

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YMCA & YWCA  
YORK NEW AMERICAN WELCOME CENTER



Donations needed:

- Shelf-stable items (rice, beans, ect.
- Toiletries (shampoo, body lotion, diapers, ect.
- Cleaning supplies (dish detergent, laundry soap)

Place donations on table in back narthex

Questions? Contact Nancy Sleeper at  
717-266-4668

The local YWCA'S & YMCA'S York New American Welcome Center who help families resettle in our area. They help with English as a second language, with filling out paperwork, schooling and jobs.

We received information that the local

Haitian community who arrived in 2021 is in dire need of assistance. They are refugees whose Temporary Protected Status was revoked, which means they lost their ability to work in the USA. Because they are not allowed to work many of their basic needs are not being met.

We would like to collect items during the month of July, so when you shop each week, please pick up a few items to share. We will have bags in the Narthex for you to add your gifts. You can see the list of most needed items in the graphic. Contact Nancy Sleeper at 717-266-4668 with any questions.



Our next Cooks on the Road is Sunday, July 20th. If you are able to help, you will meet at the church after the 9:45 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, July 13th around 11:00 AM (after the service). You can sign up using the link the below. Any questions, please call Barb Stebbins at 717-880-3237.

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Core Planning Sessions

All are invited to participate in Core Planning Sessions, where we discuss the goals of each ministry area and the budget implications. Sessions will be held in Room 5.

Community Life Core	Sun. 7/27, 8:15 AM
Spiritual Form. Core	Sun. 7/27, following church
Generosity Core	Sun. 8/24, following church
Youth Core	Sun. 8/24, 5:00-7:00 PM
Mission Core	Mon. 8/25, 10:00 AM
Worship Core	Sun. 9/07, following church
sign up at <a href="https://ttsu.me/coreplanning">ttsu.me/coreplanning</a> or call church office	

Throughout the months of July, August, & September, we will be having core planning sessions where we will look back at the previous year and then set goals for the new year for various ministry areas.

You can see the dates and times of each sessions as well as the sign up link below!

**Please note: The Community Life meeting has been changed from Sunday, August 3rd following the service to Sunday, July 27th at 8:15 AM.**

**Community Life:** Sunday, July 27th, 8:15 AM  
**Spiritual Formation:** Sunday, July 27th, following church  
**Generosity (NEW):** Sunday, August 24th, following church  
**Youth:** Sunday, August 24th, 5:00-7:00 PM  
**Mission:** Monday, August 25th, 10:00 AM  
**Worship:** Sunday, September 7th, following church

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Walking Worship continues on Wednesdays through the months of June and July. Join us for time to play at 6:30 PM and then Walking Worship beginning at 7:00 PM. We hope to see you there! Please look for announcements on Facebook and at church if there are changes due to excessive heat.

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Undergoing Treatment

Mark Miller  
Nancy Schwartz  
Melody Stine

Rehabilitation

Barb Drescher  
Dennis Hartman

Recuperating

Tom Bair  
Matt Grimes  
Jim Firestone  
JR Hogentogler  
Darren Schildt  
Barb Waltemyer

Nursing Care

Loretta Albaugh  
Adonna Barshinger  
Al Fauth  
Rich Huber

You can call or e-mail the church office to submit prayer requests. **Please note the number to text joys and concerns to is no longer functional.** 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.

Recent Monthly Mission Receipts		
April—Undue Medical Debt	May—Opportunity International	June– Mr. Sandy’s Homeless Center for Veterans
\$3,637.00	\$2,243 + 6,034.22 (donations that we had collected from York association)=\$8,277.22	\$1,838.00

MT. ZION MISSIONS



During the month of July, our monthly mission collection and in-kind donations will go towards Central and York City school districts. We are collecting different items for each school. The list can be found in the above graphic, on the containers in the back narthex, or listed below. You can place donations in the back narthex. Please call the church office if you have any questions about the items.

Central York School District

Pencils & pens  
Pencil cases  
Crayons, markers, & colored pencils  
Glue & glue sticks

York City School District

Toiletries for men and women  
Pad/tampons for girls  
Cleaning/household supplies (bleach, hand sanitizer, paper towels, sponges, dish soap)  
Polo uniform shirts (5/6-7/8)  
Uniform shorts for kids 10-14 years of age

STEWARDSHIP REPORT 2025

2025 Stewardship Report YTD		
Total Income	Total Expenses	Diff
\$143,096.00	\$166,473.12	-(23,377.12)

Summer 2025 Questions	
July 13	<p><b>Heaven &amp; The Second Coming</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>What is heaven really like and will I recognize my relatives?</li><li>May I see my loved ones in heaven?</li><li>Will we “recognize” our friends and relatives in heaven or will we just be “spirits” worshipping God together?</li><li>How is my papa doing in heaven? I hope he’s doing fine?</li><li>Will I recognize my loved ones in Heaven? Will they greet me, or will their heavenly lives take on new meaning beyond their earthly relationship with me?</li><li>How will we “really” know it is Jesus when he returns?</li></ol>

Weekly Attendance	
Date	Attendance
June 15, 2025	49 (in-person) 35 (streaming)
June 22, 2025	71 (in-person) 35 (streaming)
June 29, 2025	54 (in-person) 50 (streaming)
July 6, 2025	70 (in-person) 34 (streaming)
July 20	<p><b>Sin and Forgiveness/Hell</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>Is it possible to sin all your life and still be forgiven if you say you accept Christ right before you die?</li><li>Why doesn’t God forgive the sin of the Holy Spirit?</li><li>Does God make mistakes? (i.e. the flood)</li><li>Are people who complete suicide forgiven if it’s a sin? Will God admit them to heaven?</li></ol>
July 27	<p><b>Divorce</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>What God has joined together let no man put asunder. Why does the devil cause divorce?</li></ol>