

# Tidings from



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## Four of our Flat Zelca's have returned to Zion!

by Shawn Brunelle

“What is Flat Zelca,” you ask? Early in 2015, the Sunday School kids made Flat Zelca (Flat Stanley’s cousin), wrote a letter telling about Zion and Warroad, printed a few pictures and a map, and sent them off to churches around the country with a request for the receiving churches to write back. On the Christian Ed bulletin board, you will find a sample of what we sent, plus the letters that have come back sharing about their communities.

Check out this fun project that our Sunday School students were involved in! You may even recognize a few of the names or faces from those churches who replied. Δ



We will be recognizing graduating seniors of Zion on Sunday, May 17 during 9:00 am worship. There will be fellowship time following the service with goodies, juice, and coffee served in the Fellowship Hall. Δ

## Council Briefs

by Brenda Baumann

The ELCA did a great job in creating the tagline, “God’s work. Our hands.” We first saw that tagline come to life with the overwhelming congregational support with the community-wide clean-up in fall of 2013. Over the last two years, it’s been used to promote the food packing event in partnership with the Kids Against Hunger organization. But it doesn’t need to stop there... only start there and just imagine what we could do at Zion.

Today, we are in a challenging situation with high contractor bids on the new church building project we often refer to as our “Mission Center.” But, that is not stopping us from negotiating to get the best possible price, nor is it stopping us from exploring creative ways to seek funding options. It’s God’s work in our hands.

On Sunday, April 19 the Council approved the establishment of an Advisory Committee. The role of this committee is to advise the council and act with urgency. It’s a collaboration of leadership on the capital and building committees, the treasurer, Pastor Bruce, and council president. The goal is to assemble factual information, financial scenarios, and establish a roadmap of possibilities to build the new church (or not). It’s God’s work in our hands.

The Zion Church Council has set Wednesday, May 27 at 6:00 pm as

the date for the Special Congregational Meeting to vote on the future direction of building a new church. Before that time, you can expect to receive information and updates to allow you to make an informed decision. It’s God’s work in our hands.

If there is ever a community of faith that can pull together during challenging times, it’s Zion’s congregation. It will take a commitment in time, talent, and treasures to make a new church a reality. What’s God calling us to do? Δ

## Special Congregational Meeting

Wednesday, May 27  
6:00 pm

Update on new building project and capital campaign; vote about proceeding.

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# FROM YOUR PASTOR

by Pastor Bruce Carlson

Thank you to those who became our snow removal crew for this past season. I enjoy saying that because everything looks better in green even if it has to be mown. Don't forget to sign up for a week of lawn mowing!

As we finish another year of Sunday school and confirmation, a well-deserved round of applause needs to be given to our leaders and teachers. A new style of teaching was introduced this year and the result was very successful. We ended up with more adults serving as each teacher was responsible for just one month. We had so many adults entering the lives of our young people this year. Thank you to all who shared their walk in faith!

Sunday, May 3 will be a wrap-up Sunday with our Sunday school sharing in worship as well as having our annual food packing event following the worship service. Join in this all-church service project! Breakfast will be served as well! This event needs your financial support as well. Thank you in advance for choosing to make a difference!

Summer gives us an opportunity to remain active but in different ways. We have church camp for our kids with camperships available. Some of our high school kids will be going to the Youth Gathering in Detroit. Vacation Bible School will be a welcomed addition to our life as well as we make this week available to our community. Your continued support makes all of this possible – thank you!

Our Wednesday night study and worship will continue with the

Wednesdays in July held out at the shelters at the Point. Included in that series of Wednesdays will be a worship service led by our VBS leaders and our kids. Join us for that addition to our life together.

As I have shared my appreciation for everyone's financial support, please continue your commitment. You make things happen with your support and, because of you, our mission as this community of faith continues to make a difference!

Pastor Bruce Δ

Some of you may already know about the "Simply Giving" program operated under the auspices of Thrivent Financial. It is designed to let you or your family's offering be given by direct transfer of funds from your account to the church account. For many of us, this is not a new concept. I personally pay a number of my bills by direct deduction from my account and find that this makes my life easier to manage, as I am sure many of you do also. By using the Simply Giving program available at Zion you can make your contribution in the same manner. A wonderful thing about Simply Giving is that it has a lot of flexibility. You can designate when in the month to make your contributions; once a month, twice a month, or on a weekly basis. Contributions can be directed to the general fund or to the capital campaign. You can even elect to give special amounts on Christmas and Easter. Once

Simply Giving is all about giving simply

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RELIEVE EDITORIAL STRESS:

**TURN IN YOUR ARTICLES EARLY!**

RE M I N D E R :

**DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES IS**

May 20

The next issue of Tidings will be a combined June/July summer issue.

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# Christian Education News

submitted by Shawn Brunelle,  
Christian Education Director

## Confirmation

Confirmation class has wrapped up for the 2014-2015 year, but there are still things to be done. All confirmation students, even those starting in the fall, are encouraged to take sermon notes throughout the summer. This is a good way to get a jump on next year's requirements and allows anyone who may be behind to catch up.

Those students being confirmed in October should be working on the following things:

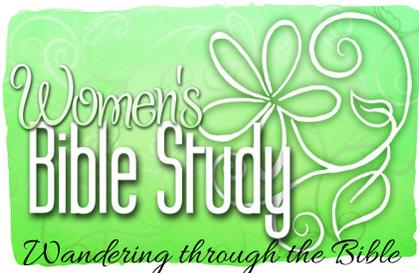
- Faith Statement- There is a list of questions to consider when writing your faith statement. These questions were sent home the last few weeks of confirmation and a copy of them can be found on the Christian Education bulletin board. All faith statements should be completed and turned in to the pastor or emailed to [zlcwconfirmation@hotmail.com](mailto:zlcwconfirmation@hotmail.com) by October 10.
- Bible Verse- Each student needs to select a Bible verse that will be used in different ways for their confirmation service. When you have selected your verse, please send it to [zlcwconfirmation@hotmail.com](mailto:zlcwconfirmation@hotmail.com). You should include the book of the Bible, chapter, verse, and write out the verse. Bible translations are different and we want to make sure your preferred translation is used.
- Faith Shield- Each student's faith shield will be displayed during the month of October. A blank shield can be picked up at

the church when you are ready to start on it. Shields are made on your time at home or with your mentor. Your shield should include your Bible verse, full name, and may include photos or drawings about yourself. The shield is to help people learn a little about you and your faith.

If you have any questions, please call Shawn Brunelle at 386-1733 ext. 15. Δ

## Sunday School Wrap-Up

Sunday, May 3 during 9:00 am worship the Sunday School kids will be showcasing a few things they have done throughout the year (prayer, songs, puppets, projects, etc.). Following worship, parents and students are asked to stay for a pancake breakfast and help out with our "God's work. Our hands." food packing event. Wear your jeans and yellow "God's work. Our hands." t-shirt if you have one, otherwise just wear a yellow or other favorite colorful t-shirt. Δ



All women are invited to come for a casual time of reflection, fellowship, and Bible study on Tuesdays at noon at Zion. We meet for about one hour to read and discuss the Bible, so you are welcome to bring your lunch if you wish. Δ



The Wednesday night schedule is changing for the summer months starting May 6. Supper will not be served, but there will be Bible study at 6:15 pm with worship to follow at 7:15. Δ



## Pick-a-Prize fun fundraiser ends May 3!

If you have not had an opportunity to purchase your tickets for the Pick-a-Prize Chance Auction, please do so soon. This fundraiser to benefit Vacation Bible School daycamp will be wrapping up on Sunday, May 3 during the food packing event.

There are 13 baskets of different themes to choose from. Once you purchase your tickets, you can pick the basket(s) you would like to win by placing a ticket in the basket's corresponding jar.

The winning tickets will be drawn on Sunday, May 3 at 11:30 during the "God's work. Our hands." food packing event.

VBS daycamp appreciates your support!

Noisy offerings  
will be collected on  
Sunday, May 17.

All donations will go toward  
our future "God's work. Our  
hands." project.

Graduating  
Seniors  
of Zion:



Seniors, if you haven't yet brought  
in your photo announcement for  
display on the church bulletin  
board, please drop it off as soon as  
possible. Δ

Thank you for your  
"Our Family" upc  
barcodes!

Zion's Christian Education  
ministries receive \$.05 for every  
label we send in. The upc barcode  
collection box is located on the  
Christian Education bulletin  
board.



Acolytes, please sign up  
on the servant board  
(across from the men's restroom).  
Your help with worship is  
needed and appreciated.

**Kids, your help is  
needed!**

Sign up on the  
servant bulletin board to  
help collect noisy offering  
each month during  
worship.

*Greetings and Happy Spring!*

*VBS will be held at Zion on July 27-30. The theme for this year's Pathways Day Camp is Endless Love! We will explore the Old Testament stories of God's unwavering, overpowering, and endless love for his people. We have a fun and Spirit-filled week planned for you. We'll spend our time playing fantastic games, worshiping our awesome God through crazy camp songs, go on field trips, laugh, and praise our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. You will have a wonderful time! Below are some of the specifics for your planning purposes.*

- *Day Camp starts each day at 11:30 am. Campers should be dropped off between 11:15 and 11:30 am.*
- *Day Camp ends at 5:00 pm. Campers must be picked up at this time.*
- *Campers need to bring a sack lunch and a water bottle or screw top drink container each day. Please label these! Snacks and beverages will be provided mid-morning and/or afternoon.*
- *All campers must have a registration/health form on file before participating in the Day Camp program. This can be turned in on day 1 of camp.*
- *We will be outdoors at times during our Day Camp experience. Please dress for the weather. Sunscreen and a hat are encouraged. Wear tennis shoes or other shoes appropriate for running games. Sandals are discouraged. Campers are encouraged to bring a Bible to camp each day, but it is not required. Please ensure jackets/extra clothing are labeled with your child's name.*
- *Bring your friends and spread the word! This camp is open to all kids entering Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall of 2015. They do not have to attend Zion to attend VBS.*

*With more than 800 million (1 in 8) people going hungry every day, we decided to partner with ELCA World Hunger for our offering this year. We are called to love endlessly and without boundaries and we ask that the congregation help us share the love of a full belly, medical care, and fresh water with those in need. Anything is appreciated and makes a difference. We think this is a great way to help bring awareness to our kids and count all of our blessings! Look for further details as July approaches on a food drive that will benefit our local food shelf.*

*Look for registration forms on the bulletin board as summer nears and please contact us if you have any further questions about our Day Camp. If you would like to volunteer to help out with the Day Camp program or provide treats for snack time, contact us as well.*

*See you at camp!*

*Sincerely,*

*Kristi Lien – 218-689-1368  
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Zion Lutheran Church – Warroad*



# 2015 ELCA Youth Gathering Delegates



*The 2015 ELCA National Youth Gathering will be held in Detroit, Michigan July 15-19. Attending from Zion Lutheran are five young ladies: Krysten Bratlie, MacKaelie Herr, Olivia Lien, Grace Pederson, and Katie Johnston; and their chaperone, Lynn Kofstad. They will leave Moorhead, MN July 11 and travel with Pathways with stops in Chicago, on Lake Michigan, and Ohio as a few highlights of the trip. The girls have been fundraising since August and would like to thank the Zion congregation, along with friends and family, and Diane Saurdiff for all the support and help they have received. Support has been tremendous and the girls are very grateful!! Please keep this group in your prayers as they continue growing and learning God's way.*



Krysten Bratlie is 16 years old and is a sophomore. She is involved in the Trap Shoot Club. Krysten is looking forward to the gathering as a way to help the people of Detroit and to spend time with other youth from around the country. Two of Krysten's favorite memories in the fundraising process was the fall rummage sale and serving meals for the congregation. Krysten is thankful for the support from her family and from the congregation as the group prepares for the youth gathering. Romans 8:38-39, "For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord." is Krysten's favorite Bible verse.



Grace Pederson is in 10th grade and is 16 years old. She is involved with hockey, volleyball, golf, and enjoys fishing, scrapbooking, 4-wheeling, and tubing! Grace does not have a favorite fundraising memory because she has had a blast in everything done so far. The group has always made the activities a fun time, plus Diane makes awesome food to top it off! Grace is looking forward to the trip because they are trying to make a difference and helping out in the community. She hopes to leave Detroit on a good note and have a feeling that she was able to help someone out and put a smile on their face. Grace is thankful for her amazing parents and her friends. Grace's favorite Bible verse is Isaiah 41:10, "So do not fear; for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand."



Katie Johnston is in 11th grade and is 17 years old. Katie is involved in volleyball, hockey, golf, and trap shooting. She also likes to spend time outdoors hunting, fishing, and doing water sports. She is excited to attend the gathering to meet new friends, participate in community service projects, and to strengthen her faith. Katie's favorite memory in the fundraising process was the second rummage sale that the group held and she is thankful for her family, her friends, and her health. She feels very fortunate for her caring family that has been a huge support in helping

prepare for this trip. Katie's favorite Bible verse is "I can do all things through Jesus Christ who gives me strength." Philippians 4:13.



Olivia Lien is 17 years old and in 11th grade. She is involved in volleyball, hockey, and softball. Olivia is also involved in 4-H and raises chickens. She is looking forward to the youth gathering and believes it will be a great experience to be at an event with 30,000+ youth her age and to help with projects that they will do in a large city. Olivia's best memories in preparing and fundraising for the trip was the way the group all worked together and all of the support received from the congregation. Olivia is thankful for all of the opportunities we get in our small community and church. Olivia's favorite Bible verse is 1 Thessalonians 5:17, "Never stop praying."



MacKaelie Herr is 16 years old and a sophomore. She likes to play hockey, embroider, bead, and hang out with her friends. One of her favorite memories in preparing for the trip has been the bake sales—which fits in perfectly with things she is thankful for in life—food, friends, and family!

MacKaelie is looking forward to the trip and believes that an impact on her life will be in the experience and seeing different cultures and more of the world and that she will become more aware of life outside of Warroad.

MacKaelie's favorite Bible verse is Matthew 19:26, "With God all things are possible".





WOMEN  
OF  
ZION

by Julie Jones

## Women's Cluster One Spring meeting

Please plan to attend the Cluster One Spring Meeting on May 2 at Zion beginning with coffee served at 8:30 am. Mount Carmel will join the Warroad ladies to host morning coffee. The theme is "We Are One in Christ" with special guest speaker, Pastor Vicki Saude-Worthington. A business meeting will follow with several Northwest Minnesota Synodical Women's officers present. Registration and lunch is \$15.

Mission quilts crafted by the Warroad Zion quilting group will be on display. Also on display and available for purchase will be Fair Trade coffee. These items are perfect for birthdays, thank you gifts, and great for home use, too.

Please bring a bar of soap for the "Lutherans in a Lather" project and an item for the Warroad Food Pantry. Invite a friend to attend. Contact Julie Jones at 386-3692 with questions. Δ

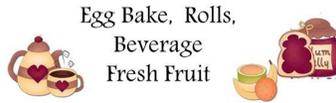
## Women of Zion Executive Meeting

The Women of Zion Executive Meeting is scheduled for May 12 at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The Rebecca Circle will lead devotions and serve refreshments. On the agenda will be WELCA scholarship applications, serving summer coffee, and the June 14 Red, White, and Blue Fundraiser Brunch. All work group leaders and circle leaders are encouraged to attend. Guests are always welcome. Δ

## Save the Date:

Women of Zion  
Red, White and Blue  
Fundraiser

Sunday - June 14, 2015  
Serving at 10:00 a.m.



Free-will Donation  
Bake Sale  
Gift Items for Sale

Proceeds Support the Women of Zion's Projects



*A sincere thank you to all those who reached out to me during my recent losses. Your thoughts, prayers, and support is truly appreciated. May God's blessings be with you.*

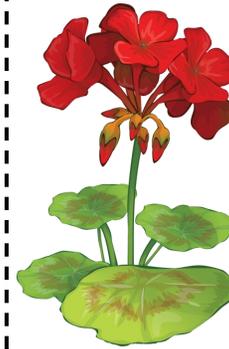
Joyce Wright



Can you sew, quilt,  
knit, or crochet?  
You can?!  
We need you for  
Prayer Threads!

We are running low on our stock of Prayer Threads. If you are able to help out by making an item or two for Prayer Threads, it would be greatly appreciated. Shawls, lap robes, throw quilts, etc., can be left in the banner room in the tub marked "Prayer Threads."

## Pentecost Geraniums



Pentecost Sunday is May 24. Geraniums will be ordered to be planted in the west flower bed. All orders should be placed by Monday, May

18. The cost is \$4.50 per plant. Please include payment with your orders and drop in the offering plate or at the church office. Contact Julie Jones at 386-3692 for more information.

Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_

Donated by: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_ No gift message needed  
(The donor's name is printed with no "in honor of" or "in memory of" message.)

In Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

In Celebration of \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

# May 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><b>Abbreviations</b></p> <p>(R) or ( ) Building use requested/granted</p> <p>FH Fellowship Hall</p> <p>OR Overflow Room</p> <p>FR Fireside Room</p> <p>SS Sunday School</p> <p>Room # _____</p> <p>K Kitchen</p> <p>YR Youth Room</p>					1 6:30 am- Men's Bible Study	2 8:30 am- Women of the ELCA Cluster 1 Gathering (8-2 K, FH, S, OR)  Set-up for Food Packing Event
3 9:00 am- Worship led by Sunday School, with Holy Communion 10:15 am- Sunday School students/parents participate in Food Packing Event 10:15 am- Food Packing Event and Breakfast (9:00-2:00 K, FH, OR) 10:00 am- Worship & Music Committee meeting	4	5 12:00 pm- Weekly Wanderings for Women Bible study 1:30 pm- Staff Ministry Team meeting	6 12:00 pm- <i>Items for Bulletin due</i>  6:15 pm- Adult Bible study 7:15 pm- Worship with Holy Communion	7 1:00 pm- Grief Support	8 6:30 am- Men's Bible Study	9
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17 9:00 am- Worship with Holy Communion (Noisy Offering) and Senior Recognition 10:00 am- Senior Recognition Coffee 11:15 am- Council Meeting	18	19 12:00 pm- Weekly Wanderings for Women Bible study 1:30 pm- Staff Ministry Team meeting	20 12:00 pm- <i>Items for Bulletin due</i> <i>Items for Tidings monthly newsletter due</i>  6:15 pm- Adult Bible study 7:15 pm- Worship with Holy Communion	21 1:00 pm- Grief Support	22 6:30 am- Men's Bible Study	23
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## May Volunteers

### Ushers/Greeters

#### *Sunday Morning Services*

5/3 Laurence & Avis Wright  
 5/10 Gary & Pam Rachuy  
 5/17 Brad/Brenda/Sara Baumann  
 5/24 Rod & Joyce Pearson  
 5/31 Wayne & Sharon Smith

#### *Wednesday Evening Services*

5/6 Mike & Eilene Marsh  
 5/13 Mike & Eilene Marsh  
 5/20 Volunteers needed  
 5/27 Dylon Hoy

### Lectors

#### *Sunday Morning Services*

5/3 Kamarra Brunelle  
 5/10 Deb Erickson  
 5/17 Cindy Sandahl  
 5/24 Deb Erickson  
 5/31 Cindy Sandahl

#### *Wednesday Evening Services*

5/6 Mike Marsh  
 5/13 Brenda Windahl  
 5/20 Volunteers needed  
 5/27 Volunteers needed

### Communion

#### *Sunday Morning Services*

5/3 and 5/17  
 Altar Care and Assistants  
 Harriet Heinen  
 Heidi & Tom Lien family

#### *Wednesday Evening Services*

5/6 and 5/20  
 Altar Care and Assistants  
 Jack & Gloria Steinhauer

### Acolytes

#### *Sunday Morning Services*

5/3 Ella Rourk  
 5/10 Rachel Hunter  
 5/17 Ella Rourk  
 5/24 Volunteer needed  
 5/31 Volunteer needed

### Lawn Mowing

Week beginning ....  
 5/4 Keith Landin  
 5/11 Volunteers needed  
 5/18 Jim Hallan  
 5/25 Volunteers needed



## Attendance

	Sun. AM	Mid-wk. PM	Week Total
4/1		62	
4/2		59	
4/3		61	
4/5	71		
4/5	246		499
4/8		39	
4/12	90		129
4/15		33	
4/19	147		180
4/22		37	
4/26	115		152
4/29		tba	

- \* Maundy Thursday Seder Meal, 5:30 pm
- \*\* Good Friday worship service, 6:30 pm
- \*\*\* Easter Sunrise Worship service, 6:30 am
- \*\*\*\* Easter Worship service, 9:00 am



## Radio Broadcast Sponsorship

- April 5 - by Virginia Storey in memory of Lester Storey and Heath Evans.
- April 12 - by Jeff & Becky Huff in honor of their anniversary on April 7.
- April 19 - by Maynard Pearson and family in loving memory of Gwen Pearson's birthday April 16. Forever in our hearts.
- April 26 - by the Wright family in thanks for all things.

You may sponsor a broadcast by signing up outside the church office. The cost is \$85. Δ

## Tithes and Offerings

### **Offerings for week ending 3/29:**

General Offering: \$2,711.00  
 Building Fund: \$79.00  
 Food Shelf: \$96.05

### **Offerings for week ending 4/5:**

General Offering: \$6,982.96  
 Building Fund: \$1,006.50  
 Benevolence: \$27.50

### **Offerings for week ending 4/12:**

General Offering: \$2061.01  
 Building Fund: \$29.00

### **Offerings for week ending 4/19:**

General Offering: \$5445.47  
 Building Fund: \$829.00  
 Computer: \$100.00  
 Noisy Offering: \$172.50

(Food Packing Event)

### **Offerings for week ending 4/26:**

To be announced Δ

*(Continued from page 2)*

you are set up in the program, it is very easy to change your giving amounts, giving dates, or redirect your offerings to different funds if you so choose. This direct deposit plan not only makes your life easier, but also helps the church with its financial planning, by knowing that your contributions will be deposited into our account on certain dates. We know that some people like to place an envelope into the plate each week as it passes by and some may feel uneasy in not doing so. If this is the case, there is a Simply Giving card available in each pew for you to use.

The choice to participate in Simply Giving is of course purely voluntary, but we would ask you to prayerfully consider whether it is a possible option for you. If you are interested in signing up or receiving more information, please contact Vicki in the church office or stop by to pick up the form to make it happen! Simply Giving is about *simplifying* your way of giving back to God a portion of that which He has first given you. Δ



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Tidings from Zion  
 May 2015

**D O N ' T M I S S O U T !**

**“God’s work. Our hands.”  
 Food Packing Event and Breakfast  
 May 3**

We’re planning our third food packing event to be held on Sunday, May 3 when we will pack meals for the hungry! There will be two work shifts: Shift 1 will be 10:15-11:30 and Shift 2 will be 11:30-12:45. Breakfast will also be served beginning at 10:15, so you can eat either before or after your work shift.



Helpers are needed for both food packing and working in the kitchen.

Your financial support is needed to support this event. Please earmark your special donation as “Food Packing Event” and place it in the offering plate or mail it to Zion at PO Box 61, Warroad.

**PLAN TO ATTEND**

**Special  
 Congregational  
 Meeting**

+++  
 Update on new building  
 project and capital campaign;  
 vote about proceeding.

**Wednesday,  
 May 27  
 6:00 pm**

