

4/9/2024 email to congregation

Effective Immediately, new office hours will be 9a-4p Mon-Weds, 12p-4p Thurs, Closed Fri.

This change will ensure continued support to the congregation as well as accommodate our busiest times.

Please join us for a Meal and Midweek activities on Wednesday, April 10.

Dinner 5:15p Menu: Balsamic pork tenderloin, apple coleslaw, and roasted mini potatoes.

6:15p Midweek kids, Bible Study and Confirmation Class.

Art Ministry Please stop in Blends to enjoy Zion's own Shirley Rohrer's incredible artwork of Michigan Lighthouses.

Helping Others Ministry is still collecting health aid items during April to distribute in our community. Please see the display in the hallway and pick up a list of items needed.

Student Saxophone Recital-Sunday, April 14, 7:30-8:30pm

The congregation is invited to attend a student recital on Sunday evening.

Chaitravi Kulkarni from Toronto, Canada, is a candidate for the Master of Music degree majoring in performance, studying under Dr. Henning Schröder.

Chaitravi holds a bachelor's degree from Western University.

On Saturday, April 20, Youth in 6th-12th grades are invited to a service project at the St Luke's Diaper Bank.

No, you don't have to change any diapers...we just repackage them and put them into amounts for maximum distribution efforts.

Sign up by emailing or texting Aaron.

Mark your calendar for a **Mission Roadmap Weekend** with author and speaker Greg Finke.

On Saturday, May 18 from 8:30am - Noon we will hear about how to reach out to our community both individually and as a congregation.

Some breakfast items will be provided (especially coffee) and lunch will follow! Watch for a sign up on the kiosk coming soon as well as more details.

Thank you for all the amazing support and contributions that made **Read-a-Thon 2024** a success for Friends of Jesus Preschool!

Students read 663 books during the month of March. If you are still interested in making a donation, cash or check can be placed in the locked drobox outside the preschool office

or by making an online donation and choosing Friends of Jesus Preschool from the drop-down. Thank you!

Weekly meditations continue to be posted Mondays and Fridays on Zion's Facebook

(On Wednesdays we share a preview of Sunday's lessons to ready you for worship – feel free to share with friends!)

WKZO radio ministry / Sundays 9:30am / WKZO

Pastor Brelje Tuesday 10:00am, 1st Letter of Peter

Pastor Mike Wednesday 6:15 Bible Study Class

Pastor Tim Men's Study, Saturdays 8am, Book of Acts
Pastor Tim Sunday 9:15am, Gospel of Mark (in Gathering Area)

Food Gathering for LOAVES and FISHES! April is Canned Tuna month.

Donations can be placed in the gray tubs outside the office.

Church Office hours:

Mon - Weds 9am to 4pm, Thur 12pm-4pm

382-2360 / zion@zionkazoo.org

Church Office staffing changes As noted last week, Marta's last day onsite will be 4/11.

Please welcome Brenna Harrington and Debbie Kipp to Zion's Office team, and please be patient and gracious as they acclimate to their roles.

For pastoral assistance:

Pastor Mike 419-203-6770 / Pastor Couch 598-8167 / Aaron 271-2848

If you have been hospitalized, are newly confined to home or a residence facility, or have a new address

or phone number, or email address, please call the church office and let us know!

Thank you for your continued financial support. Any additional, regular support would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you also for your prayers and the many other ways you are involved in and support our ministry!

To make an online donation, or to set up regular online giving, follow this link:

<https://www.kindridgiving.com/app/giving/zionkazoo>

Prayers: Please keep Kim DuBois in your prayers for her recent hospitalization.