

# Voice of Zion & Peace

A NEWSLETTER FOR YOU

Zion Lutheran Church  
Caroline, WI

Peace Lutheran Church  
Split Rock, WI

August 2019

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## Fair Booth

The Outreach Committee is again sponsoring a booth in the commercial building at

the Shawano County Fair, August 28-September 2. We will be advertising our parish and handing out some promotional items. We will be looking for people to man the booth throughout the fair. 1-2 hour shifts likely.

If you would like to help out and let people know about our church families, please consider taking a shift or two (or 3, 4, 5...). Look for shift time sign ups at the churches.

## Prayer Concerns of the Parish



Bev Redman, Jason Kor, Dennis Pockat, Sharon Smith, Teresa Boysen, Megan Zirik, Rosie Marquardt, Wayne Arndt, Karin Seefeldt, Deloris Seefeldt, Colby Wanta, Ken Raether, Kathy Krueger, Jane Malueg, Michelle Malueg, Dorothy Lundt, Bruce Breitenfeldt, Rachel Handrich, Curt Clifford, Pastor Sachs, Dan Brandenburg, Ron Rindt, Alice Laufenberg, Angela Steinbeck, Mary Martin, LouAnn Herigas, Jordan Schadavies, Bard Harried, Ann Erdman, Diane Parsons, Kylie Heinz, Kacie Tiller and their babies, Kelsey Gast in the Air Force and our nursing home residents and shut-ins: Diane Meyers, Bernice Begrow, Gladys Wichmann, Paul Heger, Leonard & Ila Grunewald, Bernice Uecker

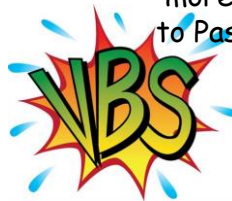


## Lumberjack Days

The time for Lumberjack Day's is back upon us from August 24-25. Peace is responsible for the pie stand this year, and we have most of the shifts covered. Look for the pie sign-up sheet at the church. The Outreach Comm. is again planning on entering a float in the Sunday parade. We will be planning it Aug 4 and will need help putting it together, as well as manning it during the parade. Look for info in the bulletin and on the parish Facebook page.



We will be offering Vacation Bible School again this month, 5-7th, from 5:30-7 pm at Zion. Theme will be "I Am Not Ashamed," and we will be looking at how our ancestors in the faith stood strong on their faith. All kids are invited-please invite any child you know! For more information, speak to Pastor Craig.



Pastor Craig will be attending the annual Convocation in Indianapolis, August 8-9, representing both Zion & Peace and the Mission District as Dean. He will be leaving on the 7th, and flying back on the 9th.

Pastor will also be on vacation the entire week of August 5-11, performing a wedding for a rugby teammate on the 10th.

If you have an emergency, contact him via the cell phone.





We will be holding a meeting on Sunday, August 4 at 11:15 at Zion to discuss both the float design and build for Lumberjack Days & Colorama and for our fall/winter activities. Please attend to see and help.

**Pastoral Acts in June/July**



- Marriage of Justin & Jada Malueg- June 15
- Funeral of Ron Mehlberg- June 22
- Baptism of Knox Malave- June 23



Peace would like to thank Dennis & Dawn Kersten for their recent work in repairing the walls in the kitchen. They prepped, filled, painted the walls, cleaned and painted the ceiling and ductwork, cleaned and repaired the cabinets and gave the floors a good cleaning. In total, they worked over 5 days and 58n hours! Thank you for putting the time and effort



**Meetings in August**

Outreach Comm. @ Zion – Sun. Aug. 4 @ 11:15 am  
Joint Council @ Peace – Sunday, Aug.11 @ 11:15 am



Don't forget you can listen to our sermons each Sunday on 92.3 at 6:45 am. If you would like to sponsor a week, the cost is \$50

Remember to tell your friends, neighbors and family members unable to join us on Sunday's to watch the Zion service on



our YouTube channel. You can watch either live or recorded. Best way to access is through our website: [www.zionpeace.org](http://www.zionpeace.org)

The Outreach Committee is planning on host a dinner in honor of our more "senior" members. This will be to simply to allow us to get together and to say our thanks to those who have taught us the faith for so many years.

We are currently planning for a September 22 meal, likely starting around 4 pm. We will be asking our confirmation students to help out, along with any SS or adult members as well. We will be needing a RSVP so to plan for the meal. We will be planning at the Outreach Comm meeting on Aug. 4. Please attend this if you would like to help out.

The Wisconsin/Upper Michigan Women of the NALC are inviting all women of Zion & Peace to a weekend retreat September 20-22 at the Green Lake Conference Center in Green Lake. It is a program focused on "discovering and understanding God's plan of our lives." Cost is \$35, plus lodging and meals. For more information, go to [www.thenalc.org/whoami](http://www.thenalc.org/whoami).



Knox Malave Baptism- June 23

Malueg Wedding- June 16



Heartfelt  
**THANKS**  
TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!

**August Birthdays & Anniversaries**

**Zion**

- Daniel Handrich- August 2
- Indy Fritz – August 4
- Beatrice Klitz – August 4
- Ann Pahkamaa- August 6
- Leah Jobe- August 9
- Maverick Handrich- August 9
- Mackenzie Malueg – August 13
- Allison Breitenfeldt- August 16
- Ferdinand Malueg- August 17
- Sue Raether – August 18
- Deb Handrich- August 19
- Kendra Barrow- August 22
- Michael Wuske – August 22
- Dean Watters – August 26

**Peace**

- Sharon Netzel – August 1
- Ainsley Heinz- August 5
- Korrah Flemming- August 6
- Steve Natzke- August 8
- Brett Tiller- August 13
- Wendy Nehring – August 25
- Maxine Williams – August 25
- Nathæn Wanta- August 28
- Loghan Wanta- August 28
- Avery Avila- August 30

**Happy Anniversary**

- Daniel & Brittani Handrich- August 1
- Steve & Terri Krueger – August 2
- Ron & Donna Wuske- August 11
- Ralph & Sharon Netzel – August 11
- Aaron & Shawn Malueg- August 11
- Frank & Joyce Buss – August 14
- Ryan & Karen Mijal- August 23
- Richard & Elizabeth Reissman- August 24
- Bill & Marcilene Fournier- August 27
- Jesse & Ashlee Blum- August 27

Lay Readers: Please Sign up

Fellowship servers: Open

Zion Ushers: Daryl Erdmann

Zion Altar Guild: Jean Fritz & Janice Malueg

Radio Sponsorship:

Aug. 4: Leroy & Bernice Uecker

Aug. 11: Open

Aug. 18: Open

Aug. 25: Maxine Williams; Leroy & Bernice Uecker



...to Allen Jobe for being elected into the National Honor Society

...Mary Kreklow for earning All-

Conference in track for 1600 & 3200 M

...to Nathaen Wanta for earning most dedicated for Tigerton track

...Allen Jobe, Bethany Kreklow, Nathaen Wanta, Mary Kreklow, Loghan Wanta for being named to "A" honor roll at Tigerton for 4th quarter. Also to Colby Wanna for making "honorable mention"

...to Angie Koeppel on passing the Family Nursing Practitioner Certification Exam

We are looking for someone to take over the production of the monthly newsletter. This is open to anyone at Peace or Zion. Typically, takes 2-3 hours of work at month. Can use the church's laptop or your own. If you would like to do this, please see Pastor Craig.

... to the Outreach committee for serving fellowship in June in honor of Father's Day

...to those who served fellowship after the A/C dedication @ Peace

... our ushers in June: Ryan & Mason Breitenfeldt

... our ushers in July: Dennis & Yvonne Schoen

... to our Altar Guild at Zion: June: Char & Gina Breitenfeldt

... to our Altar Guild at Zion: July: Roger/Peg Krueger & Dennis & Yvonne Schoen

... for sponsoring the radio broadcast: Gordon Spiegel, Dennis & Yvonne Schoen, Pastor Craig & Wendy

...to all who helped out at the Outdoor service and potluck

...to all who helped at Ron Mehlberg funeral



### **Zion Monthly meeting-July 21, 2019**

Our meeting was called to order by Ron Wuske. Members present were: Ron Wuske, Mike Handrich, Rod Riska, Dennis Schoen, Bruce and Char Breitenfeldt and Pastor Craig. MSC Rod/Dennis to approve the secretary's report as read. MSC Char/Bruce to approve the treasurer's report as printed.

**Pastor's report:** Things are coming together well with the plans for VBS Aug. 5-6-7. The Outreach committee will sponsor a booth at the Shawano Fair again this year and would welcome volunteers to help with it. PC ask for vacation Nov. 25-Dec.8 (he'll be in Europe Nov. 26-Dec. 6). MSC Ron/Dennis to approve.

**Old Business:** Char reported on the Backpack program. Information received from Jackie Suehring showed that 35-45 children receive food over a week-end with \$2.34-3.00 spent per child each weekend. MSC Char/Bruce to continue our support of the Backpack program. The sign in front of the church received new shrubs on either side by Dale Klitz and Terry Verg. The shrubs were donated by Bruce and Char Breitenfeldt. Ron Wuske is checking on replacing the light and getting magnet letters/numbers instead of the metal ones currently being used. Ron will try pressure washing the stone on exterior of church next week.-MSC. Rod/Dennis to purchase a commercial-type vacuum cleaner costing no more than \$400 using funds from the Building fund.

**New Business:** Rod suggested sending an informative letter to all members re: decline in financial giving to the church. PC said he saw a mouse in the basement. Ron will set some traps.

Our next meeting will be the Joint Meeting at Peace on Aug. 11. MSC Rod/Mike to adjourn.  
We closed with the Lord's Prayer.



Respectfully submitted,  
Char Breitenfeldt, Zion Council Secretary

### **Peace Church Council Meeting-July 7, 2019**

The monthly meeting of the Peace Lutheran Church-Split Rock was called to order by President Paul Kersten at 9:40 am Sunday, July 7, 2019. Members present with Paul Kersten, Larry Pringnitz, Steve Natzke, Dennis Kersten, Alan Breitenfeldt. The Secretary's was approved as printed. The Treasurers report was presented by Steve and approved. Additional information was discussed for new projects of Air Conditioning, updating electrical. Total \$5582. AC paid by Scott Spiegel family, additional from Church Maintenance.

**Old Business:** Discussion about locking in price of LP. Moved by Steve, seconded by Dennis to lock in price of \$1.11. Carried by voice vote. Discussed work to be done by Kersten excavating. They are behind due to weather. Will be done when they have time. Ground very soft. It was reported that kitchen wall repairs have been completed. Dennis and Dawn Kersten completed the work and donated time and materials. Thank you! Dennis reported that Krueger Sign and Electric had fixed the Cross, updated lighting. Total cost of \$590. It was moved by Steve seconded by Dennis to pay from Memorial fund. Motion passed by voice vote. Dennis reported that the organ has been tuned and the tuner reported that the organ is in good shape. Dennis and Steve K are checking on roof leaks and possibly adding more insulation. Dennis and Steve are also looking at storage shed roof and will look at options for replacement. There will not be an event at Blue Ribbon Schools this year. Steve reported that shifts are looking good for Pie Stand at Lumberjack Days. Pie list will be out soon. It was reported that the Kreklow family would help with a brat fry in Tigerton if someone else organized it. A request will be in bulletin. A plaque has been ordered for the dedication from the Scott Spiegel family. The dedication will be July 21 with fellowship to follow.

**New Business:** Pastor has requested off for November 25 to December 8. It will include Sunday's December 1 and 8. We will look at possible substitutes.

Next meeting will be August 11 prior to Joint Council meeting. Moved by Steve, seconded by Larry to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 10:10



Respectively submitted,  
Alan Breitenfeldt



Outdoor Service



Father's Day Fellowship



**Peace Financial Report**

**Receipts in May(Portion)**

Current Expenses: \$1645  
Loose offering: \$93  
Benevolence: \$100  
Memorials: \$4793.19

**Total: \$6699.31**

**Disbursements (Portion)**

Pastor salary, benefits & prof.: \$1983.38  
Maintenance: \$5823.65 (A/C)  
Organist & Janitor: \$203.17  
Shared Expenses: \$179.03

**Total: \$8196.87**

**Zion Financial Report**

**Receipts in June (Portion)**

Current Expenses: \$4671  
Loose offering: \$142  
Benevolence: \$490  
Radio: \$200  
Building Fund: \$30  
Shared Expenses: \$114.9

**Total: \$5618.82**

**Disbursements (Portion)**

Pastor salary: \$3118.28  
Pension: \$863.76  
Phone, internet, webpage: 250.32  
Electricity/Heat: \$263  
Organists, Janitors, Sectr.: \$188.39  
WTCH: \$180  
Postmaster: \$76

**Total: \$5005**

(2019 Benevolence donations: \$3305)

**Luther on...Trust**



He alone it is to whom we must flee as to a holy Anchor and our sole Refuge when we think we are lost. This is our task supreme: to become able to call upon God as a benign and forgiving Father, such as He ever is, even when we feel that God is against us and angry with us and that we are sinners who have deserved wrath and damnation. And so indeed God must be judged, not according to what we see but according to His promises, in which He has assured us that He would be our Father and our God. When, therefore, He does good to us, when He does not try or smite us, He must not be relied on merely for that reason...We should regard Him with reverent awe. On the other hand, when He afflicts us, we should not mistrust Him and not despair because what He does has a meaning that is different from what we think.

-Exposition of Jonah 2:3, 1525

On July 17, Pastor Craig, as Dean and on behalf of the NALC, participated in the ordination of Jospeh Pinzl at Zion Lutheran, Wausau. Rev. Pinzl will serve both the NALC & LCMC as a chaplain, along with serving at Zion, Wausau (ELCA) as pastor.



This is our church newsletter and we want to hear from you! If you have a community, personal, or congregational event or story you would like to share, please contact Pastor Craig at [churchoffice@zionpeace.org](mailto:churchoffice@zionpeace.org) or Peg Krueger at [pkreegs@gmail.com](mailto:pkreegs@gmail.com). Thanks!



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