

Finding the Way back to Mayberry Adult Bible Study continues on April 27. This class will be a fun look back at the classic Andy Griffith TV show and how it relates to our faith today. Come and enjoy!

Midweek Lenten worship continues on Wednesday, April 9. @ 7 pm. This service includes the “Return to the Lord” liturgy that Pastor Kim wrote. The sermon series is based on the Max Lucado book entitled *Stories for the Soul*. Thank you to Nancy R for leading worship while Pastor Kim and Diane are on vacation.

New Sanctuary Digital Piano update as of April 2: We are @ \$4200 on our way to \$6000. Thank you to all who have donated so far!!

The next Lenten supper will be Wednesday, April 9, 5:15-6:15 pm. Our hosts will be the ZSJ Youth and the menu will be breakfast! Drive thru is available by coming to the alley door. Freewill donation will benefit the ZSJ Youth.

The 150th Anniversary committee could use your help! Here are some suggestions:

- * Pick up some save the date postcards and send to family and friends who may not be members
- ♦ Written or verbal family stories
- ♦ St John Confirmation pictures from 1909, 1910, 1912, 1914, 1916, & 1941 & Zion Confirmation picture from 1915
- ♦ Donate to our anniversary projects, a wildflower memory garden @ the cemetery, new Bibles & ELW hymnals and/ or a new digital baby grand piano for the sanctuary.

YOUTH AND FAMILY

- ♦ **Sunday School meets Sundays @ 10:15 am.**
- ♦ **7-8th Confirmation meets Wednesdays @ 5:15 pm.**
- ♦ **Next JAM is Wednesday May 7 @ 2:45 pm.**



SS kids will sing with the Chancel Choir next Sunday, April 13. Please have your child here by 8:40 to rehearse before worship. There will be no SS on Easter Sunday!

The SS offering for this semester will be Leader Dogs for the Blind. The children have set a goal of \$500 and are currently @ \$401.00.

7-12 Youth will be hosting the April 9 Lenten Supper and then enjoying some group activities. Please be here by 5 pm.

ALL 7-12 Students: Good Friday schedule: 3 pm Rehearsal; 5 pm supper & Easter Breakfast setup; 7:30 pm Worship

Opportunities to Serve This Week at ZSJ:

Today (4-6)	9:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion
	10:15 am	Fellowship/ Sunday School WELCA Board Meeting
Monday (4-7)	6:00 pm	Rebekah Circle Bible Study
Tuesday (4-8)	10:00 am	Bible Study Video Available
Wednesday (4-9)	8:30 am	ZSJ Piecemakers
	5:15 pm	Supper hosted by ZSJ Youth 7-12 Youth Group
	6:00 pm	Handbell Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Lenten Midweek Worship
	7:45 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thursday (4-10)	2:00 pm	West Fork Food Pantry
Saturday (4-12)	10:00 am	Lois Brinkman Visitation
	11:00 am	Lois Brinkman Funeral
Next Sunday (4-13)	8:40 am	SS/ Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	9:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion
	10:15 am	Fellowship/ Sunday School
	10:30 am	ZSJ Church Council Meeting

Welcome to worship at ZSJ this morning!

- ♦ Please sign the attendance sheets in your pews.
- ♦ Spark leaflets and activity bags for children are available from the ushers. When returning your bags, please put them in the designated spot for cleaning.
- ♦ Our bulletins and inserts can now be downloaded from our website onto your personal portable device: www.zionstjohn.org
- ♦ Hearing devices are available from the ushers.
- ♦ Our teddy bears in our midst worship with us and are meant to be loved and cuddled. When it is time, they will be sent to another place to share our love of Jesus with others in need!
- ♦ Free devotional materials are available on the usher's table & the display in the Narthex.
- ♦ Electronic giving is available on the church website, use the “donation” tab on the homepage or download the “Vanco Mobile” app on your phone.

Please keep in your prayers: Cindy R, Sarah P, Ray R, Christy M, Louise K, Carolyn R, Pat H, Jon S, Steve & Sue K, Patty B, Keely S, Marcy M, Crystal B, Drew H, Doug D, Dusty M, Cheryl R, Kay R, Dean D, Bishop Steven U, Sue R, Darwin M, Steve H and Sawyer A.