

Opportunities to Serve This Week at ZSJ:

Today (2-22)	9:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion led by Praise Team
	10:15 am	Fellowship/ Sunday School
Wednesday (2-25)	8:30 am	ZSJ Piecemakers
	5:15 pm	WELCA Lenten Supper 7-8 th Confirmation Class
	6:00 pm	Handbell Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Midweek Lenten Worship
	7:45 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thursday (2-26)	2:00 pm	West Fork Food Pantry
Next Sunday (3-1)	9:00 am	Worship with Holy Communion
	10:15 am	Fellowship/ Sunday School Youth & Family Committee
	10:30 am	WELCA Board Meeting
	2:00 pm	JAM

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: Ray R, Christy M, Jon S, Sue K, Keely S, Marcy M, Crystal B, Cheryl R, Patricia S, Steve H, Wendy J, Lori M, Karla C, Zayne F, Jim M, Kay R, Crystal C, Jeri B, Sharon S, LaVonne C, Norman M, Sheryl

T, Buck H and Kay E.

Thank you to Jason and Dawn G for the beautiful altar flowers in honor of their wedding anniversary!

Wednesday Midweek Lenten Worship will be Feb 25, Mar 4, 11, 17 & 25 @ 7 pm. These services will include Pastor Kim's "Return to the Lord" liturgy and a sermon series based on Max Lucado's book, *You Are Not Alone*.

First Lenten supper will be Wednesday Feb 25, 5:15-6:15, hosted by the Women of ZSJ. Menu will be 3 kinds of soup, with bread, crackers, relishes and dessert. Drive thru pick up is available at the east alley door. A freewill donation will be gratefully accepted and used for the kitchen countertop project.

Sunday March 1 we will celebrate Bold Women's Sunday. The ministries of the Women of ZSJ are as varied as they are and reach those in our congregation, community and around the world. Please join us in thanking these wonderful, caring women who do so much for all of us!

An Easter lily garden will again decorate the sanctuary during the Easter season. A lily may be purchased for the garden through the church office or directly from *Forever Yours* in Sheffield for \$25.00. Make your check payable to *Forever Yours*. All orders must be made by Palm Sunday, March 29. If you are giving a lily in memory of someone or plan to bring a lily on your own, please let the church office know so that it can be noted in the Easter morning bulletin.

World Day of Prayer presentation will be Saturday March 7 @ 9:30 am @ Zion Reformed Church. There will be a program based on the Women of Nigeria, singing by the Sheffield Philharmonic and light refreshments.

YOUTH AND FAMILY

- ❖ **SS class meets every Sunday @ 10:15 am.**
- ❖ **7-8th Confirmation class will resume Wed, Feb 25 @ 5:15 pm.**
- ❖ **Next JAM is March 1 @ 2 pm.**

SS offering project this semester is ELCA Good Gifts animals. Our goal is \$500. Our current total is \$80.