



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PROGRAM
ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

JUNE 1, 2025

TRUE NORTH VBS PROGRAM

"TRUSTING JESUS IN A WILD WORLD"

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Congregational Song: Here I Am Lord #574

-The VBS crews enter

Call to Worship:

Leader: When we wonder, we can...

Congregation: Trust Jesus!

Leader: When we feel alone, we can...

Congregation: Trust Jesus!

Leader: When we feel powerless, we can...

Congregation: Trust Jesus!

Leader: When we need hope, we can...

Congregation: Trust Jesus!

Leader: When we need help, we can...

Congregation: Trust Jesus!

Welcome

Opening Song: Let's Trust in Jesus

-All VBS students



WHEN WE WONDER, WE CAN TRUST JESUS

Navigating Life with the Bible

-” ANYONE WHO LISTENS TO MY TEACHING AND FOLLOWS IT IS WISE.”(MATTHEW, 7:24)

Spotlight Video

-John prepares the way and baptizes Jesus

Song-This is the Day

-Bruce and Earnest Crews

WHEN WE FEEL ALONE, WE CAN TRUST JESUS

Navigating Life with the Bible

-” COME TO ME, ALL OF YOU WHO ARE EARY AND CARRY HEAVY BURDENS, AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST.”
(MATTHEW 11:28)

Spotlight Video

-Jesus teaches about God’s love for us

Song-Hey, Hey Hey

-Kody and Clawdia Crews

WHEN WE FEEL POWERLESS, WE CAN TRUST JESUS

Navigating Life with the Bible

-” DON’T BE AFRAID,’ HE SAID, ‘TAKE COURAGE, I AM HERE!’
(MATTHEW 14:27)

Spotlight Video

-A Roman officer trusts Jesus

Song-Our God is Powerful

-All VBS students



YOUTH ATTENDING SUMMER CAMP

ANY YOUTH ATTENDING CONFIRMATION CAMP OR A SUMMER CHRISTIAN BASED CAMP, MAY QUALIFY FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF 75% OF THE CAMP COST BASED ON THE "EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT", IF APPLICABLE. FUNDS ARE PROVIDED THROUGH THE WILLIE & ANNA MEINTS ENDOWMENT FUND. QUALIFICATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- APPLICANT MUST BE A MEMBER OF ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
- ACTIVE IN SUNDAY SCHOOL & OTHER YOUTH ACTIVITIES AT ZION
- COMPLETE CAMP BEFORE ANY REIMBURSEMENT WILL BE HONORED
- SUBMIT APPLICATION & COPY OF PAID RECEIPT TO DEANN OLTMAN, 6677 E PICKRELL RD. PICKRELL, NE 68422. APPLICATION DEADLINE IS 12/1/2025.

APPLICATIONS ARE LOCATED ON THE WELCOME CENTER IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL.

THE NEXT HOSPITALITY EVENT WILL BE JUNE 15TH
HONORING ALL OUR FATHERS IN THE CONGREGATION.
COME AND JOIN US FOR A SNACK BAR AFTER WORSHIP.

GOLD CREST - MILDRED MEINTS, JANICE JURGENS,
DOREEN WALLMAN, MARILYN ROBINSON
HOMESTEAD HOUSE - ANORA SCHOEN, ROSANNA MILLER
OUR HOMES ASSISTED LIVING - RANDY OLTMAN
WILBER CARE CENTER - ERNIE JURGENS

OFFERINGS MADE EASIER

SCAN THE QR CODE TO THE RIGHT TO ACCESS ZION'S VENMO ACCOUNT & SUBMIT YOUR OFFERING. OFFERING ENVELOPES & ONLINE GIVING VIA VANCO ARE ALSO AVAILABLE. REACH OUT TO A COUNCIL MEMBER WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

Offering

In addition to the regular offering, VBS students will be passing around blue buckets for a noisy (loose change) offering. All offerings will benefit the Sunday School program and help to offset bible school expenses.

Offering Song: Shine, Jesus, Shine #671

Offering Prayer

Heavenly Father, **Thank you for the exciting adventures you set before us, and for leading us every step of the way. As we bring our offering to You today, we do it with joyful hearts; ready to give, ready to share, and ready to trust you in everything we do. In your name, Amen**

Lord's Prayer

WHEN WE NEED HELP, WE CAN TRUST JESUS

Navigating Life with the Bible

- "I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS, EVEN TO THE END OF THE AGE
(MATTHEW 28:20)

Spotlight Video:

- Jesus gives the Great Commission, and the Holy Spirit comes.

Song- Help Me, Jesus

- Ponder and Juneau Crews

Closing Remarks & Prayer

Song: Power Shuffle

- All VBS Crews



PLEASE JOIN US IN THE PARISH HALL FOR FOOD AND FUN! EVERYONE IS INVITED!

Thank you!

Thank you for attending Zion's 2025 VBS closing program. Be sure to pick up your child's craft projects which are organized by VBS crew and located around the sanctuary and fellowship hall.

We would like to give a HUGE thank you to all who donated VBS supplies and food for the lunch.

A **VERY** special thank you goes to those of you who gave your time to help us at VBS this week! Without all of the volunteers and donations, VBS would not be possible. You have shared God's love with our children and we are grateful for your time and your servant's heart!

Our Awesome Volunteers:

Crew Leaders: Sarah Bartlett, Nicole Grummert, Paige Mahler, Kenna Jantzen, Millie Garton, Nora Glynn, Madison Fikar, Bryleigh Ideus, Kayla Jantzen, Lily Wiese, Ava Meints, Karley Jantzen, Beth Buhr, Nolan Buhr, Ellis Freeman, Mason Hippen

Volunteers: Danelle Evers, Sammie Garton, Jordan Freeman, Cindy Jurgens, Courtney Schlake, Alyssa Lieneman, Heather Hippen, Kate Meints, Jess Ideus, Angie Grone, Hunter Grone, Bentley Hart, Connie Thornburg, Lanette Nelson, Pat Jobman, Pastor Gary, Elli Steinbach, Doreen Remmers, Brooke Jensen, Carrye Meints

**We're sure there are some that we missed, so THANK YOU to everyone!



VBS CREWS

JUNEAU

Hank Bartlett
Brylee Behrendt
Eloise Blecha
Gus Daubendiek
Mavis Dorn
Mary Freeman
Ellie Grummert
Clement Hippen
Micah Jensen
Theodore McKernon
Molly Milburn
Maverick Podany
Graham Schlake
Harry Siebert
Baxter Thornburg

BRUCE

Chapel Bergen*
Emmit Buhr*
Brooks Coffin
Gus Garton*
Heston Grone
Lennon Hofstetter
Emerson Ideus
Mac Ideus*
Emma Lane
Layton Lieneman
Everly Meints
Blakely Peters
Claire Pribyl
Chloe Remmers
Mac Sutter*
Zella Thornburg
Alivia Wehrbein*
Aubrey Wiese*

PONDER

Gemma Behne
Henry Behrends
Josephine Bell
Carrick Eickoff
Dorothy Freeman
Brantley Glynn
Sutton Harms
Bridger Hippen
Hudson Ideus
Hamilton Jobman
Taurasi Jobman
Palmer Parks
Leighton Rist
Baylor Scott
Evelyn Young

EARNEST

Carson Behrends
MJ Detert
Lincoln Eickoff
Beau Gronewold
Boone Hippen
Logan Hippen
Chesleigh Ideus
Connor Jensen
Everett Meints
Declan Milburn
Shane Parde
Aiden Schlake
Hudson Schlake

*denotes a speaking
part in today's program

CLAUDIA

Ace Bartlett
Everett Behrendt
Collier Bergen
Emmy Blecha
Rory Detert
Claire Freeman
Rhett Harms
Breckyn Harms
Harper Knoll
Jaxson Lane
Ava Remmers
Harrison Pribyl
Marlowe Sutter
Greta Thornburg
Kade Wiese
Beckett Leehy
Declan Leehy

KODY

Calvin Bell
Jake Buhr
Case Fossler
Hayes Grone
Lane Grummert
Coral Harms
Allison Ideus
Luna Meints
Paul Nelson
Tucker Parks
Emery Rist
Bennett Wiese
Oliver Young

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HELPING WITH WORSHIP TODAY- VBS PROGRAM
WORSHIP LEADERS.....PROGRAM BY THE VBS KIDS
GREETERS.....COUNCIL
SPECIAL MUSIC.....KIDS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF
SAMMIE GARTON

VITAL STATISTICS FOR LAST SUNDAY
SUNDAY SERVICE 71GIVING \$1,738.00

THIS WEEK IN THE LIFE OF ZION
TODAY
10 VBS PROGRAM
PICNIC TO FOLLOW AT THE PARISH HALL

WEDNESDAY
5:30 PM ADAMS 8U SOFTBALL TRIANGULAR (HEBRON &
BLUE SPRINGS)
7 PM COMMITTEES
7:30 PM COUNCIL

THURSDAY
5:30 PM ADAMS A'S 8U BB VS NBA 7U
7 PM ADAMS A'S 9U BB VS SEWARD

NEXT SUNDAY - TIME CHANGE FOR WORSHIP
9 AM WORSHIP/COMM/COFFEE FELLOWSHIP BY GRACE
CIRCLE

HELPING OUT NEXT SUNDAY
PASTOR.....REV. GREG BERGER
ORGANIST.....SHIRLEY GRONEWOLD
ACOLYTES.....BROGAN IDEUS
MILLIE GARTON
LECTOR.....DOUG PARDE
GREETERS.....DENNIS & PATTI BEHRENS
DARWIN & SUSAN BUSS

JUNE ALTAR GUILD: ANNETTE WIESE, RHONDA FOSSLER,
LINDA IDEUS, DEANN OLTMAN.

JUNE TABLE TROOP: DOUG & RHONDA DORN (LEADER), GARY
WIESE, JOHN & MARCIA BUSBOOM, DOUG & RHONDA DORN,
DUANE & JANICE PARDE, LEANN FOSSLER.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
WELCOME TO WORSHIP! A WARM WELCOME TO ALL OUR
VISITORS. WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU VISIT AGAIN!
WE ASK YOU PLEASE SIGN A VISITOR CARD LOCATED IN
THE PEWS AND BRING THE INFORMATION SECTION OF THE
CARD TO THE INFORMATION CENTER DESK, LOCATED IN THE
FELLOWSHIP HALL OR PLACE IT IN THE OFFERING PLATE.
WE ARE SO GLAD YOU ARE HERE!

ATTENTION/REMINDER - SUMMER WORSHIP TIME CHANGE.
STARTING SUNDAY, JUNE 8TH WORSHIP WILL BE AT 9:00
AM.COME AND WORSHIP THIS SUMMER AND THEN STAY FOR
COFFEE FELLOWSHIP EACH SUNDAY.

BLAKE AND MARISA LENNERS WELCOMED THEIR SON, DREW
THOMAS LENNERS, BORN ON MAY 20, 2025. GRANDPARENTS
ARE STAN AND MARY LENNERS; GREAT GRANDPARENTS ARE
DON AND ELNORA LENNERS.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

THE COUNCIL IS LOOKING FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO WOULD LIKE TO VISIT MEMBERS OF OUR CONGREGATION IN CARE FACILITIES AND THOSE MEMBERS WHO MAY BE HOMEBOUND. IF YOU HAVE AN INTEREST, PLEASE REACH OUT TO ANY COUNCIL MEMBER.

WILLOW CENTER "BABY BOTTLE" FUNDRAISER BEGAN ON MOTHER'S DAY & GOES THROUGH FATHER'S DAY!

PICK UP A BOTTLE TO FILL WITH CHANGE OR CASH! SET A PERSONAL GOAL OR CREATE A TEAM CHALLENGE AND GIVE SUPPORT TO SOMEONE FACING AN UNPLANNED PREGNANCY! YOUR GIFT ALLOWS THEM TO FIND HOPE IN THE MIDST OF A CRISIS!

FIFTH SUNDAY OFFERING IN JUNE IS DESIGNATED FOR ZION'S FULLER PARK.

FULLER PARK ACTIVITIES

JUNE 4TH: 5:30 PM ADAMS A'S 8U SOFTBALL TRIANGULAR (HEBRON & BLUE SPRINGS)

JUNE 5TH: 5:30 PM ADAMS A'S 8U BB VS NBA 7U
7:00 PM ADAM'S A'S 9U BB VS SEWARD

ATTENTION MIDDLE SCHOOLERS

CAMPING ON THE LAWN JUNE 26-27TH

JOIN US FOR A TWO-DAY CAMPING ADVENTURE AT FULLER PARK, PICKRELL, NE! WE'LL KICK THINGS OFF THURSDAY EVENING WITH FOOD, GAMES, AND A MOVIE UNDER THE STARS. THEN STICK AROUND FOR THE FULL DAY OF FUN ON FRIDAY WITH MORE ACTIVITIES, FELLOWSHIP, AND GREAT FOOD. BRING YOUR OWN TENTS, LAWN CHAIRS, AND INVITE YOUR FRIENDS – EVERYONE IS WELCOME. THIS IS A FREE EVENT. SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER NOW.