



ZION REFORMED

growing disciples who make disciples

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TODAY AT ZION

MESSAGE: Christianity at its core is not about thinking the right things about God or knowing our Bibles inside and out, but about following Jesus. The earliest believers were called Christians because they looked and acted like little Christs, little Jesuses. In Mark 7, Jesus has a conflict with the Pharisees about their marks of the people of God. Is it about following the right rules or the attitude of their heart?

ZION KIDS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Children's programming is held during the worship service for kids Pre-school through 5th grade. We will practice social distancing by requiring masks for children in K-5th and attempting to keep unrelated children 6 feet apart. We are following the recommendations in the MI Safe Start for Schools documentation. All children must be signed in at the Zion Kids Check-In Kiosk located in the lobby prior to participating in our kids ministries.

IN ADDITION to the General Fund, this week we are collecting a Love Offering for the Benevolent Fund.

SUNDAY SCHOOL room assignments:

Preschoolers - Room 206

Kindergarten - 2nd grade: Room 205

3rd-5th grade: Room 207

EASTER: This year we're going to be passing out "Eggs of Easter" kits (resurrection eggs) to our families along with a devotional. I'm looking for a few people to help me put them together on Wednesday morning, March 17 at 10:00am. It'll take about an hour. If you'd like to get out to the house, see others in person, and help put together a great resource that's an easy win for family discipleship, we'd love to have you join us! No Kids ministry experience required. All ages welcome and encouraged to help out! Please contact Rachel Brower at 616-669-3412, or rbrower@zionreformed.org if you'd like to join in.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Evidence

Call to Worship: Great Things

Welcome & Greeting

Worship Songs: Highlands (Song of Ascent)
Be Still My Soul (In You I Rest)

Children Dismissed to Sunday School

Announcements

Prayer of Confession - Words of Assurance

Worship Song: Broken Vessels (Amazing Grace)

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: Mark 7:1-23

Message: On The Mark

Closing Song: Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)

Parting Blessing

Message by Pastor Greg Brower

THIS WEEK AT ZION

TODAY

4:00PM High School Youth Group

5:45PM Middle School Youth Group

TUESDAY

7:00PM Elders meet

7:00PM Deacons meet

8:00PM Consistory meets

WEDNESDAY

6:30PM Praise Team Practice

WEEKLY OFFERING: February 28, 2021

Weekly Budget: \$10,506.28 Year to Date Budget: \$409,744.92

General Fund: \$ 6,743.00 Year to Date Contribution: \$400,118.47

ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGREGATIONAL CARE NEED: If you have a pastoral care need or concern we encourage you to contact your elder (assigned by last name):

Pattie Grooters (A-D)	Josh Sanders (E-H)	Brandon Deiter (I-M)
Steve Boersma (N-R)	Arlyn Zoet (S-U)	Mike Knott (V-Z)

It's not always easy to tell who needs an encouraging helping hand. If you know of someone in our church family, or if you personally need some help, please contact our Chair of Deacons, Chip Harkes at (616) 299-4804. Scripture encourages all of us to carry each others burdens (Galatians 6:2). You would bless us by letting us walk with you.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Continue to pray for those in our congregation dealing with ongoing health issues. Steve and Shawn Landstra have set up a CaringBridge page to keep people up to date on Steve's health. You can find the page at the link below: <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/stevelandstra>

DONATIONS of the following items (full size - not travel size) are needed for the Personal Care Pantry:

Laundry Soap	Bar Soap	Dish Soap	Disposable Razors
Shampoo	Conditioner	Toothpaste	Paper Grocery Bags
Deodorant	Tampons	Maxi Pads	Paper towels (1 or 2 pack)
Toilet paper (1-4 pack)			

Donations can be placed in the box in the narthex marked "pantry donations".

ZION YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEKLY Youth Group Meetings are held on Sunday evenings (mask are required) at the following times:

- *High School (9th-12th Grade) meets from 4:00-5:30PM
- *Middle School (6-8th Grade) meets from 5:45-7:15PM

