

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **AFCs:** These communities are grouped by age (AFC1: 18-30's, AFC2: 30's-50's, AFC3: 50's+). Getting involved in an AFC is a great way to become more familiar with the Zion family. AFCs meet during the Sunday School hour (9:45-10:45am) on Sunday mornings, as well as for social events.

### Winter AFCs

- AFC 1 *Forgiveness* (Stu Kerns) Southwood Center
- AFC 2 *First Peter: Living Stones* (John Frese) Southwood Center
- AFC 3 *I am Catholic, but not Roman Catholic* (Keith Ghormley)  
Zion Coffee House

- ◆ **Awana** Meets January 25 at 6:45PM
- ◆ **Super Bowl Party** Come watch the game on the big screen, February 5th in the Zion Coffee House. Bring a snack, bring a friend, drinks will be provided.
- ◆ **The fifth Sunday Mercy Offering** will be taken on Jan. 29th. This special offering is used to provide for Zion congregants and community needs.
- ◆ Zion will take a van to the 2012 **L'Abri conference in Rochester Minnesota**, February 11 and 12. Go to the L'Abri web site to get a registration brochure: <http://www.labri.org/conferences/rochester12/rochester-labri-reg-conf-2012.pdf> The theme of this year's conference is *In The Beginning: Celebrating & Defending the Doctrine of Creation in a Naturalistic Culture*. Also contact the office if you are interested, so transportation can be coordinated.
- ◆ Do you and your little ones need to get rid of some cabin fever? Come see the "**Wild Puppets**"! Pioneer Park staff will be presenting this fun and educational puppet show at Zion from 10:00 - 11:00 am on Wednesday, February 1. The show is geared for preschoolers through 3rd graders. Please join us!

## COMMUNITY NEWS

- ◆ **Nebraska Walk for Life Saturday**, January 28, 2012 10 a.m. West Side, State Capitol, 14th & K Streets. For more information, go to [www.nerighttolife.org](http://www.nerighttolife.org).
- ◆ **16th Annual Iron Man Conference** sponsored by The Navigators, March 17 at the St. Benedict Conference Center in Schuyler NE. Register online at [www.ironmanconference.com](http://www.ironmanconference.com). There are brochures on the Zion welcome table with more information.
- ◆ **Celebrate Recovery** This is a Christ-Centered recovery program meeting every Friday night, 6:30 pm at Lincoln Berean (70th & Hyw 2).

## WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

- ◆ **Women's Bible studies** from January through mid-May. Babysitting provided only on Tuesday mornings. "Christology" beginning Tuesday, January 10th, 9:15 am at Zion Church and meeting every other week. The same lesson will begin Thursday, January 12, 7:00 pm at the Howlett home, meeting every other week. "Dust to Glory"--the first five books of the Bible beginning Tuesday, January 17th, 9:15 at Zion Church and meeting every other week. The same lesson will begin Thursday, January 19th, 7:00 pm at the Howlett home, meeting every other week. Contact Marsha Howlett at [Marsha\\_Howlett@sil.org](mailto:Marsha_Howlett@sil.org) or 402.484.8457.

## YOUTH MINISTRIES

- ◆ Collizion (HS) and Hasidim (Middle School) meets Wednesday, January 25. Hasidim begins at 6:45pm and Collizion begins at 7:30pm.

## MEN'S MINISTRIES

- ◆ **Zion Men's Ski Trips**—February 17<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> and March 10<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>. Contact Bryce Gillett for more info 402.310.9340 or [bryceg@hockenbergs.com](mailto:bryceg@hockenbergs.com)

BUDGET UPDATE

General Fund Giving received for 3 weeks in January \$20,565

General Fund Giving needed for January \$32,700

**Sunday Morning Nursery Schedule**

Jan. 22

- 8:15 (Inf & Tod) Mary Ann Anderson, Linda Poppema
- 9:35 (Inf) Lynn Locklear, Bess Ghormley
- 9:35 (Tod) Linda Smith, Laura Sypal
- 10:45 (Inf) Debbie Russnogle, Lily Ealy
- 10:45 (Tod) Chelsea Kelly, Annie Hotz, Breanna Bender

Jan. 29

- 8:15 (Inf & Tod) Susan Meckel, Tracey, Olivia & Claire Smith
- 9:35 (Inf) Diane Downing, Scott Weldon
- 9:35 (Tod) Dan & Laura Kramer
- 10:45 (Inf) Brenda Helvey, Marta Jonson
- 10:45 (Tod) Ashley Hodge, Mary James, Hudson Downing

*Nursery Coordinators:*

Early Service Kim DeGroot 402.643.4794

Late Service Lisa Michel 402.540.5745



*Young Jesus Among the Doctors*  
Rembrandt, 1652. Luke 2:46.

**Calendar of Events January 22-January 28**

**Sunday, January 22**

- Early Worship Service .....8:30AM
- Christian Education.....9:45AM
- Worship Service ..... 11:00AM

**Tuesday, January 24**

- Women's Bible Study ..... 9:15AM

**Wednesday, January 25**

- Awana/Youth Group ..... 6:45PM
- Theology 101.....7:00PM

**Thursday, January 26**

- Women's Bible Study .....7:00PM

**Saturday, January 28**

- Foodnet..... 9:15AM

**Sunday Greeters**

Jan 22

Jan 29

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| 8:15 Sanctuary  | John Anderson    | David Kuncl        |
| 8:15 East Door  | MaryAnn Anderson | Kevin Kment        |
| 10:45 Sanctuary | John Parish      | Roger Steinmeyer   |
| 10:45 East Door | Karen Parish     | DeNeice Steinmeyer |