

#### ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Love of God

Call to Worship: Revelation Song

Welcome & Greeting

Baptism of Eleanor MacGraw

Worship Song: Reckless Love

Announcements

Scripture Memory

Children are invited to Zion Kids

Moment for Missions: Jeremiah Kuria

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: Philippians 4:4-9

Message: Everyday Followers: Finding Peace in Anxious Times

Offering: Peace Be Still

Closing Song: It Is Well With My Soul

Blessing

**A FAMILY ROOM** is available for parents with babies and small children where you can watch the live stream of the worship service while comforting a baby or giving a restless toddler a little extra space to move around for part of the worship service. The Family Room is in the west hall of the education wing.

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### ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS

**TODAY** we celebrate the baptism of Eleanor Faith MacGraw. We will once again have the opportunity to write a blessing for our sweet little one - Eleanor. You are welcome to bring a blessing written ahead of time at home, or use one of the blessing cards on the table in the narthex. Together, let's pour out words of love and life over Eleanor!

**PRAYER REQUEST:** Alden Deiter is recovering at home from surgery on his hip. We extend our Christian sympathy to Steve and Kathy Northuis in the unexpected passing of Kathy's father, John Duiven, last Friday. John was also brother-in-law to Dick and Trudy Weber. Please pray for the family as they celebrate, remember and grieve a beloved man.

OUR THANKSGIVING EVE Service will be held on Nov 27 at 6:30 PM. As we enter this season of thanks, we invite you to give generously to the Thanksgiving offering that will support these ministries who are loving people in the name of Jesus both locally and around the world.



IT HAS been our joy to serve meals to the Serving With Dignity class for the past 6 weeks (the last one being tonight). I would like to take this opportunity to thank the core ladies Pattie Grooters, Jonell VanderWall, Judy Mekkes, Kathy MacGraw, Cindi Thompson, Carla Zoet, Kim Steenbergen, Kathy VanderWall, and Sheila Johnson who helped with the prep, serving, clean-up, and also were a sounding board for me with putting it all together. Great job ladies! Thank you also to those who jumped in and helped when they saw a need or asked if they could help in any way, I so appreciate you! Also, I want to thank those who made cookies, bars, or cake for the meals. They were awesome! It is our prayer that you all enjoyed being able to fellowship while sharing a meal together. Let's just say we had fun in the kitchen too!

**IF ANYONE** is willing to help put a few Christmas lights on a couple of trees/bushes outside in the front of the church please connect with Angie Walker. We'd like this done by December 1st.

**MUSICIANS:** we would like to try something new and have duets and trios of people playing Christmas music in the narthex or hallways as people enter the building during Advent this year. If this is something that interests you, please connect with Pastor Jeremy.

**THREADS UPDATE:** We had a steady flow of shoppers at Threads during the shopping day on Tuesday, November 5. We also welcomed 6 new families who were first-time shoppers at Threads. Here are the numbers from the November 5 shopping day at Threads.

- 57 Families Shopped (6 of these were new families)
- 184 People received clothing
- 741 Pieces of clothing were given away
- 121 Accessories were given away
- 50 Families used the PCP Store
- 0 Haircuts given (no volunteer hairstylists available)

This was the third month of the fall quarter (September - November), and we gave away over 3,200 articles of clothing during this quarter! What a blessing to be able to serve our community through this ministry and to be able to show Christ's love and compassion to them.

Thank you to the service day groups who made frozen meals and baked goods for the struggling Threads' families. These meals were extremely appreciated. Also, thank you to the service group who picked up donated clothing from the surrounding neighborhood. These donations, which included new socks and underwear, helped restock the Boutique.

Threads is not only about helping meet clothing needs, but it is about building relationships. This past month one of the moms that shops at Threads decided to come and help sort clothing with us on our sorting night. She wanted to find a way to give back in a way that she could. She then showed up a couple of weeks later with her daughter, so they could both help sort. What a beautiful way for her to serve and give back!

We continue to covet your prayers for this ministry and everyone involved in it. We especially ask for prayers for three of the moms who are battling cancer and for the husband of one of our volunteers who is also battling cancer. Please faithfully pray for these families. ~Jill

### ZION KIDS ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CHILD CHECK IN:** All children from birth through 5th grade must be signed in at the Zion Kids Check-In Kiosk located in the lobby by the front doors prior to participating in our kids ministries.

**ZION KIDS PROGRAMMING:** Children age 3yr-5th grade will be invited to their classrooms part way through the worship service. Here are the room assignments for the year:

Nursery - birth-2yrs (hall to the west of the sanctuary)

3 yrs-Kindergarten - Room 206

1st -2nd grade - Room 205

3rd-5th grade - Room 207

All children must be picked up from their classroom following worship. Please bring the corresponding tag from check-in to pick up your child.

## ZION YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

PAYMENTS for the following events are due on Sunday, November 24:

- •Middle School Winter Retreat #2 \$100.00
- •High School Winter Retreat #2 \$100.00

NOTE: Current student fundraising account balances were emailed to you. Account money may be used to pay for any event. Students must indicate this as their chosen method of payment when signing up for an event or on/before payment due dates.

# THIS WEEK

# **TODAY**

4:00 PM Serve With Dignity Class

6:00 PM Threads Sorting

WEDNESDAY

6:30 PM Praise Team Practice

WEEKLY OFFERING: November 10, 2024

Weekly Budget: \$11,518.09 Year to Date Budget: \$276,434.16 General Fund: \$8,989.73 Year to Date Contributions: \$217,830.52