

The Church Gathered for Worship

- Enjoying the Presence of the FAMILY

Greeting...Testifying...Sharing

- Entering the Presence of the FATHER

Singing His Songs...

*When Morning Gilds the Skies
Beautiful Savior
At the Cross
Oh the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus*

Remembering His Death ...

*The Power of the Cross
Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)*

Giving His Tithes and Our Offerings...

Janet Spencer

- Engaging the Truth of the SCRIPTURES

*"Living in the Parenthesis"
Matthew 13:3-23*

The Church Scattered for Witness

- Closing Song

#488, Be Thou My Vision

- Benediction

"If you are a guest with us today, we extend a sincere welcome and hand of friendship. Please take a moment to complete and place in the offering plate a "Response Card", available in the pew rack or from an usher. Feel free to use the Pew Bible today. **If you don't have a Bible you make take the Bible home as our gift to you.** Thank you, and please visit again real soon!"

Information for Parents

Nursery is available in Room 209 for children 3 and under. **4-year-old Preschool – 5th grade** are dismissed from the service for Kids Quest after the offering has been collected.

This Week "at Grace"

TODAY, SUNDAY, August 2, 2015

Morning Worship10:45 A.M.
Kids Quest11:15 A.M.
Church/VBS Picnic & Swim 3 – 8 P.M.

MONDAY

Vacation Bible School 9:00 A.M. – 12 Noon
"No Regrets" small group.....6-7:30 P.M.

TUESDAY

Ladies Prayer Team9:30 A.M.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting Noon

THURSDAY

Small Groups Check with Church Office
..... for times and locations

SATURDAY

Prayer Initiative6:30-7:30 P.M.

Upcoming Events

August

Church/VBS Picnic & Swim Today, 8/2, 3:00 P.M.
Elder Board.....Tuesday, August 4
CED Sunday, August 9
Deacon Board.....Saturday, August 15
MissionsTuesday, August 18
Elder Board.....Tuesday, August 25

Churchtime Schedule

Nursery – 3 yr old Preschool, Room #200

August 2Destiny & Renata
August 9Judy & Helper
August 16Angela Hall & Jackie Garcia
August 23 Beth & Jarrett Lord

Kid's Quest: 4 yr Preschool – 5th, Room #105

Begins at 11:15 A.M., after the offering:

August 2 Ann & Jeff Hay
August 9 John O. & Liz H.
August 16 Karina & Jose Guay
August 23 Jeff & Ann Hay

"Living in the Parenthesis"

Matthew 13:3-23



A BENEVOLENT OFFERING

will be received at the door today. This fund provides a helping hand to individuals who are experiencing temporary difficulty paying bills or providing for family needs. Thank you for your generosity.



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Notes and Announcements

August 2, 2015

Thank you to all the workers and helpers who made this year's Vacation Bible School so successful. The singing was inspirational, the crafts were instructional and the snacks were delicious.

High attendance was 44, with a total of 60 children reached.

Help us finish off this year's Bible school in grand form by joining us this afternoon, 3- 8 pm, for the picnic and swim at Shiloh Park



A Community of Character
Six Words Can Change a Community

The word for July and August is:
"Safety"
I take action to address harm.

Praise the Lord! A year to the day after the break-in at our church, Zion Police Department has identified the culprit. It is a juvenile who is currently in custody for several other related charges.

Cards for **Belinda McClure**, the young lady who was recently severely injured and lost her six-year-old daughter in a car accident, can be sent to her **in care of Tom and Mary McClure, 2801 Ezekiel Avenue Zion, Illinois 60099**

Tom will forward them to his brother who will give the cards to Belinda.



GMC Library Summer Hours

The Library will be open the first and fourth Sundays during the summer

The east parking lot has been seal-coated and striped, joining our wonderful new main lot. Many thanks to the men who have started landscaping along the wall in our new lot.