

IN OUR
Thoughts and Prayers
Prayer List

Family of Pam Harrison
Carla Hankins, Al Jones, Lisa Elder, Nancy & Jake Honeycutt,
Gibson Moon, Faye Childrey, Betty Fox, Pete Parkerson,
Jeanette Moldovan, Raymond Forrest, Joan Lee Green,
Chuck Phaneuf, Terry Crockett, Geraldine Snapp

Care Facilities

Walter Reed Convalescent – Evelyn Hartman
PO BOX 887, Gloucester, VA 23061
The Hamilton at York Convalescent
Frances Edmondson – Room 109
Ellen Rhinehart – Room 110
York Convalescent
Marshall Forrest – Room 8
Ron Bennett – Room 11
Rose Marie Hopkins
113 Battle Rd, Yorktown, VA 23692

Family and Friends of Zion

Armond Crump, father of Marie Rowley
Wayne Cunningham, brother of Sondra Hickmott
Charlie Obaugh, relative of Elsie Henley
Gail Loudin, cousin of Cammie Butler
Victoria Laine, friend of the Boyd's
Ray Otte, father of Beth Tyree
Carey Whitley, Alice Amory, Nancy Barrick
Shirley Umphlett, mother of Pat Williams
Larry Raymer, brother-in-law of Jessie Raymer
Barbara Thomas, mother of Gayle White
Michael Webb, relative of Debi Hargis
Richard Blackwell, relative of Debi Hargis

Zion United Methodist Church
UPCOMING

Sept. 28 – 6:30 pm ZUMM Dinner & Meeting
Oct. 7 – 2:00 pm Celebration of the Life of Pam Harrison
Oct. 9 – 6:30 pm Finance Committee Meeting
Oct. 11 – 6:30 pm Church Council Meeting
Oct. 13 & 14 – Social Hall Reserved
Oct. 19 – 6:30 pm ZUMM Dinner & Meeting
Oct. 21 - 6:30 pm Movie Night and Halloween Celebration
Oct. 25 – 6:30 pm Church Council – to approve 2024 Budget
Oct. 25 & 26 – 9:00 am – Baking Fruitcakes for the Bazaar
Nov. 2 – 2:00 OR 6:30 pm – Advent Book Study
Nov. 2 & 3 – 9:30 pm Set up for Bazaar
Nov. 4 – 9:00 am – 2:00 pm Annual Church Bazaar
Nov. 5 – 2:30 pm Charge Conference at Chestnut Mem. UMC
Nov. 9 – 2:00 OR 6:30 pm – Advent Book Study

Weekly Events

Monday – 5:30 pm – Handbell Rehearsal
Tuesday – 10:00 am – 2:00 pm Bazaar Workshop

2024 Pledge Cards

The 2024 Finance Updates and Pledge Cards were mailed a few week ago. We ask that you prayerfully consider your 2024 offering to the church and return them by September 29. Extra letters and cards are available on the table by the office. Cards can be dropped in the offering baskets or mailed to the church.





Ushers Needed - We need your help "passing the plate". To resume collecting the offering in this more traditional way, volunteers are needed to help each week. If you are willing to be an usher, contact the church office or call, text or email Scott Dayton at smdayton40@gmail.com, or 757-303-0650. Scott will build a schedule and remind volunteers before the service each week.

Fall Arrangements for Sale –The Bazaar Ladies are steadily working each Tuesday to prepare for the Annual Bazaar on Saturday, November 4. There are several fall arrangements for sale on the piano in the Social Hall and in the Commons.



York County Food Closet Update –This week Ben & Norman delivered 11 bags of food to the food closet. Their biggest needs right now are cereal, mac & cheese, stew, creamed soups, canned fruit, and instant mashed potatoes. Thank you for your

support of this vital ministry.

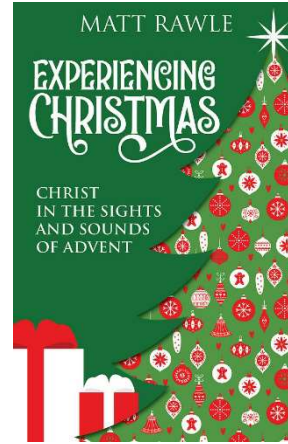
Cesar's Address – Many have requested Cesar's address to send him a note or words of encouragement. His address is:



Cesar A. Lodiha
4500 Massachusetts Ave NW
Nrh 30
Washington, DC 20016

Online Giving

If online giving is more convenient for you today, please scan this QR Code which will lead you to the E-Giving page on our website.



Advent Book Study – Thursday's November 2, 9, 16, & 30 at 2:00 pm OR 6:30 pm.

Things just look, smell, and taste differently during the Advent and Christmas season, and these differences are a sign to us that God is about to do something radical and different. Christmas is when God surrounded the divine with senses of his own. That first noel was when God had eyes to see suffering, ears to hear our cries, and hands to hold those in need, and all of these senses were bundled in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. "This will be a sign to you," the angel told the

shepherds, and they traveled to Bethlehem and found a child. What signs do you see during the Advent and Christmas season that point you to the divine? **Please call the church office to sign up.**

Zion United Methodist Men News –

The next scheduled Men's Meeting is this Thursday, September 28 at 6:30 pm. Cooks are needed for the meals. If interested, please contact George Stephenson 757-713-2114.



PORT Dates for Zion – Our first commitment is Tuesday, November 14 for meals, guest sign-in, and storage of belongings. November 15 volunteers are needed to assist guests in getting their belongings at 4:30 am. The other two dates are in mid-December and the first of March, more information to come about these dates.

Coming in October

MOVIE NIGHT & HALLOWEEN CELEBRATION



Volunteers are needed for Movie Nights, and are asked to contact the church office or Doug Crockett if you are willing to help with these fun events.