

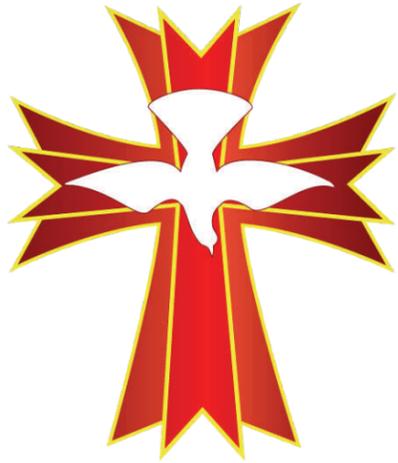
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Proclaiming Good News

June 2017



Pentecost

Worship Services

Sunday Morning: 8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
Sunday Morning: 10:30 a.m. Contemporary Service

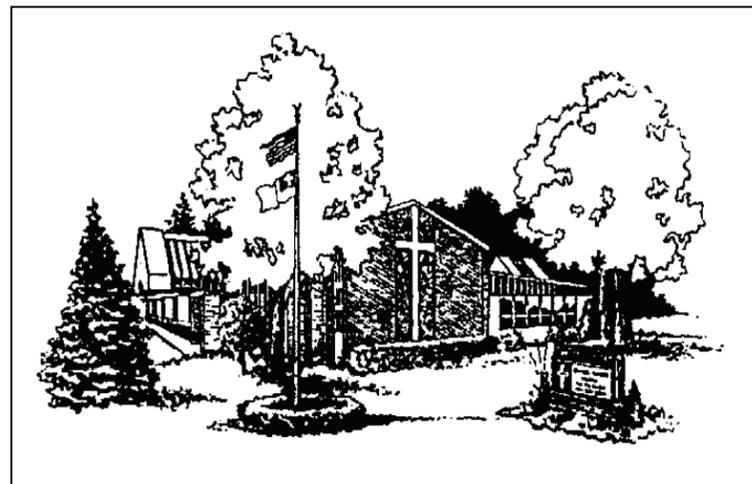
Sunday School Classes

(Adult Discussion) 9:15 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.
(Classes: All Ages) 9:15 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

Church Office Hours

Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Interim Pastor: The Rev. Hal Robarge 330-499-3913
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What Makes A Dad

*God took the strength of a mountain,
The majesty of a tree,
The warmth of a summer sun,
The calm of a quiet sea,
The generous soul of nature,
The comforting arm of night,
The wisdom of the ages,
The power of the eagle's flight,
The joy of a morning in spring,
The faith of a mustard seed,
The patience of eternity,
The depth of a family need,
Then God combined these qualities,
When there was nothing more to add,
He knew His masterpiece was complete,
And so, He called it ... Dad*

Author Unknown

Happy Father's



A Message from Pastor Hal

**My Very Best to My Dear Friends
in Christ and the disciples and
missionaries of Zion,**

“...to grow in love and service by grace.”

What gets me excited is dreaming, envisioning, and believing what Zion can be as we move forward in faith. The possibilities of what can be are endless, especially with those who are committed to the mission statement of Zion Lutheran Church and to their Lord, Jesus Christ.

Vision is an art form of painting on a canvas with words of what can be. I see Zion as a place where all people are invited and welcomed to come into a life-saving relationship with Christ as their Lord in three distinctive ways by using four words right from our mission statement: **Grow, Love, Serve** and **Grace**. Allow me

First, I believe the mission of Zion is to provide an opportunity for people to come into a life-saving relationship with Jesus. This is done by creating an atmosphere where people **GROW** by grace. We **GROW** because we are connected to God. We connect with God when and as we center around Word and Sacrament – hearing the Word of God proclaimed and fed with the presence of Jesus Christ. This happens at our worship services and in Sunday School. Jesus himself, “**GROW** in the grace and knowledge

Second, We provide an opportunity for people to come into a life-saving relationship with Jesus through **LOVE**. **LOVE** is a verb, not a feeling. Feelings change, **LOVE** does not change. We live in a community where we **LOVE** one another. We also **LOVE** those who are not a part of our community known as Zion Lutheran Church. **LOVE** is what we do!! – not how we feel!! Jesus said, “**LOVE** one another as I have **LOVED** you.

Third, we provide an opportunity for people come into a life-saving relationship with Jesus through our **SERVICE** with **LOVE** and **GRACE**! We **GROW** in maturity as God’s people when we do **SERVICE** in this manner. We are doing very good in our **SERVICE**, but we can do better and become great in our **SERVICE**. Jesus said about himself “.. that I have not come to be **SERVED** but to **SERVE**”. He calls his followers to have the same mind-set.

Finally, we provide an opportunity for people to come into a life-saving relationship with Jesus when everything we do is done by God’s **GRACE**. God knows that he could do the things we do and do them much better. Yet, God accepts us with our flaws and weaknesses and calls us with his **GRACE** to be his disciples and partners with him to demonstrate that same grace with others in order that they too, might, “. . .to **GROW** in **LOVE** and **SERVICE** by **GRACE**.”

SUNDAY IS COMING and with it the opportunity to invite others to worship, grow and serve...THESE ARE STILLTERRIFIC TIMES FOR WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION ... times we remember that God came to earth as our Savior and rose from the grave in victory over sin, Satan, and death!

THESE ARE SPECIAL TIMES... it’s God’s time and GOD’S SPECIAL PEOPLE gather faithfully to worship him each Lord’s Day. You are invited and encouraged to be present each Sunday at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. for worship.

I look forward to seeing you at one of our exciting worship services with a smile on your face and a friend by your side whom you brought with you!

*God bless and love you abundantly,
Pastor Hal*

Father's Day Word Search

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DAUGHTER
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WONDERFUL

Our Sick, Shut-Ins, and Elderly as of June 2017

Listed below are those we know to be sick, shut-in or elderly. They are mentioned in the hope that our members will remember to pray, visit and send cards to them. The list will vary month to month as those who have been ill have fully recuperated from their ailments and others added. This is one way to show our

Betty Lloyd St. Joseph Senior Living 2308 Reno Drive Louisville, OH 44641 330.875-5562	Dick & Barbara White 2026 Penhurst Circle NE North Canton, OH 44720 330.498.0778	Mary John 812 Lorena St. SW North Canton, OH 44720 330.499.6235
Chuck Danner Whitewood Village 3146 Whitewood St. North Canton, OH 44720 330.499.4576	Barbara Achauer 2533 Hyacinth Drive North Canton, OH 44702 330.499.7533	Verle & Ruth Elsass 5397 Portage St. NW North Canton, OH 44720 330.497.7088
Dick Spall Whitewood Village 3146 Whitewood St. North Canton, OH 44720 330.499.7369	Orrin & Eileen Bose 1500 Chatham North Canton, OH 44720 330.499.2499	Susan Everhart 2048 Redwing Canal Fulton, OH 44614 330.408.7160
Susan Heyard 1354 Devon Dr. NW North Canton, OH 44720 330.499.9858	Maureen (Moe) Alters 906 Valley Drive NW North Canton, OH 44720 330.497-0459	Linda Smith 3818 Ennis Circle NE Canton, OH 44705 330.806-8370

Praise the Lord! It's Summer!

President's Report – Mark Votaw

Happy June Everyone! By the time the newsletter comes out we will have had our annual meeting. I expect that we will seat a full slate of Council Elders. This is fantastic. We have had some holes on Council for a while. It will be great to have a full house.



Summer can be a slow time at Zion. We know many of you are off having a great time and seeing the world. But we miss you when you are gone. Stay in touch! Snap a pic and send it to your church family. Use the email address NCZion-eers@gmail.com. Don't wait put it in your phone NOW so you can find it when you see a herd of turtles crossing the road or a five pound hamburger. How about a Selfie from Mt Rushmore or a family picture with the biggest ball of twine on earth.

Zioneers on the March!

The ballots looked a little different this year. There were several Council seats that were one-year terms. The Constitution sets out which seats are elected in even vs odd numbered years. We have moved some folks around to cover gaps and get folks on the right seat on the bus. This has created problems with folks serving even years terms in odd year chairs. (Does that make sense?) This should now be all corrected.

Speaking of the Constitution



As you know Council has spent this year learning to lead; figuring out all of the tasks that need to be done to keep this community operating. Carol Rossbach has been sorting out what each of the elders is "Supposed" to do according to the Constitution and Bylaws. Guess what, – in some cases that is very different from the way things are happening today. We have begun to identify several changes to our guiding documents that should be addressed like issues of volunteer vs. elected deacons and Job Descriptions for Council elders. We want to be ready for a new pastor with a governance plan that follows ELCA guidelines, but reflects the way that Zion works best. I think we will be ready to begin to address them by the time we get to the budget meeting in the fall.

The Call Committee has pushed the Go Button! Bishop Allende and Pastor Bierman have cleared our profile. So Pastor Bierman is now playing matchmaker. He is looking for pastors interested in congregations like ours. This is a process that takes a while. He will bring us three candidates the first time around. These will all be folks who have read our profile, and are interested in serving here. I would expect that we will probably have some interviews this summer. We continue to pray for wisdom and guidance as we move through this process. We ask God to know His Call.



Another Surplus in April! That is a good thing! The mild winter worked in our favor for sure. Thank You all for you continued support. At the time of the Council Meeting the "Pass the Baton" fund was almost \$2000.00. That is nearly halfway – Arm Twisting Free! I love it.

Thank you all for sharing your lives with our community. We only work when we work together in His name.

Yours in Christ,
Mark Votaw

P.S. End of Summer GrillFest17 – Labor Day Weekend! I can already smell the smoke.

THE CALL PROCESS

On May 22, 2017, Bishop Abraham Allende of the NEO Synod approved Zion Lutheran's Ministry Site Profile (MSP) for posting to the ELCA website! The MSP is available throughout the ELCA and is listed on the Current Openings page of the ELCA website.

The MSP is the vehicle that the Call Process Administrator, Pastor Karl Biermann, refers to in his efforts to locate prospective Pastors who appear to be appropriate candidates for Zion to interview, with a view toward ultimately becoming our partner in our efforts to fulfill our mission and achieve our vision.

The Call Committee will continue to keep the Congregation apprised of pertinent developments in the Call Process.

Faithfully,

Your Call Committee:

Laura Thompson (Chairperson)
Rob Frock
Cathy Harvey
Marissa Keating
John Long
Brian Walters
Jim Fidler (Council Representative)

RESOURCE MINISTRY

It is now five months in a row of budget surpluses! In April, 2017, generous contributions to the General Fund and Parsonage Rental Revenues offset utility expenses that were lower than expected and resulted in the biggest monthly surplus of the year, more than doubling our surplus for the year to date.

We continue to contribute to the ELCA NEO Synod Benevolence and are in a solid position to support other worthy benevolent endeavors.

We also have good news concerning the "Pass the Baton Fund", established to ensure we have the financial resources to provide for living and transportation expenses for those individuals interviewing with Zion Lutheran as part of the Pastoral Call Process. To date, we have raised almost \$2,000 toward our \$5,000 goal.

Thanks to the generosity of the Congregation, Zion

Lutheran has the resources to sing God's praises and do His work.

Jim Fidler
Resource Elder

WITNESS MINISTRY

I'd like to thank all the AAIC Hunger Walk participants, Laura and Christopher Thompson, Kay Reiss, Cathy Harvey, George Martin, Ron and Linda Tvorik, LJ Brown, Jayne Schrader, Renee, Ben and Drew Keith and friends of Zion! It may have been a little chilly on May 7th but the sunshine and generous atmosphere warmed us up. Thank you to Community Christian Church for being such great hosts and Pastor Darla Ann Kratzer for leading the organization efforts. A donation of \$1,000 was approved by church council on behalf of Zion Lutheran Church and another \$500 was raised by our group of walkers. The Akron-Canton Regional Food Bank will be able to provide 6,000 meals at local programs such as our very own Food Pantry from our generous members' donations. Thank you Zion!

Heather Hoffman

CARING MINISTRY

A **BIG THANK YOU** to Heather Hoffman for promoting the May 7th *Akron Area Interfaith Council Hunger Walk* and to all the Zion members who participated. It was **GREAT FUN** for a worthy cause. It was announced that over \$12,000.00 was collected to help the *Akron-Canton Regional Food Bank*.

We welcome back our Food Pantry helpers who went South for the winter months. It is nice to be working with them again and all of Cathy Harvey's team. For the month of June the Food Pantry and Clothing Closet will be open on the 6th and 20th. Set-up time is 9:00 AM and the doors open at 1:00 PM. Many of our Food Pantry workers go out together for lunch before the one o'clock hour. Thank you to those who have been dropping off spaghetti sauce, pasta of all kinds, peanut butter, jelly, canned fruit, cereal, vegetable and cream soups. At this time the Food Pantry has enough chicken noodle and tomato soup but can still use the other items mentioned. Household items and toddler's clothes, sizes 2 to 4 are still needed in the

Congratulations Graduates!

We are very proud of who they are and their many accomplishments, and want to wish them only the best as their journeys in life continue. May God bless Eric, Nathan and Carley richly in all they do.

Eric Ray Dague will graduate from North Canton Hoover High School on the afternoon of Sunday, June 4th. He is the son of Darlene and Steve Dague. Eric has been active in school, church, and Boy Scouts. While at Hoover, he studied American Sign Language for 3 years and was inducted into the ASL National Honor Society. He also took video productions for 3 years, which he plans on pursuing at Stark State College and Kent State taking Digital Media Technology and Video Productions. Eric also threw discus for Hoover's Track team for 2 years.

Outside of Hoover, Eric has been active in Boy Scouts for 8 years and is currently working to finish earning his rank of Eagle Scout. Eric also has been an acolyte at Zion for 4 years, a participant in our Easter and Christmas programs, dinners & services, a participant and volunteer leader for Zion's vacation bible school and has helped with many service projects over the years.

Nathan Hunter Fox will graduate from North Canton Hoover High School on Sunday, June 4th. He is the son of Dean and Debbie Fox. Nathan has been a part of the Zion family since he was baptized as an infant. He has participated in the Easter and Christmas Programs each year, been a part of the Lenten and Advent dinners and services, helped with many service projects and events at Zion and served as an acolyte. One of Nathan's favorite things at Zion has been Vacation Bible School. He has been attending VBS since he was one! He enjoyed being a student, volunteer and Pre-School teacher over the past 18 years.

While at Hoover, Nathan played basketball and baseball for four years in addition to his studies. He earned All-Federal League, All-District and All-County Honors in both sports and All Ohio Honors in basketball his senior year. He also kept busy in the summers with travel baseball. In what little spare time he has, Nathan enjoys being outdoors hunting, fishing and riding four wheelers, and hanging out with his friends. In the Fall, Nathan will be attending Ashland University to study Exercise Science with post graduate plans for Physical Therapy School. He will also be continuing his baseball career at Ashland.

Carley Margaret Frank will graduate from North Canton Hoover High School on Sunday, June 4, 2017. She is the daughter of Jeff and Connie Frank. Carley has been active at Zion since she was a young child. She has participated in Christmas and Easter plays with Sunday School as well as helped with youth dinners. She has also been involved with Vacation Bible School as a student, helper and teacher. As Carley got older she became an acolyte for Sunday service. She has also helped with the Youth Missions Craft Show for many years.

At Hoover High School Carley was a member of the marching band and concert band for two years, playing the flute. She is an executive board member of the Art Club and has participated in Model UN. Carley's passion is art, and she has been developing her talent since elementary school. During her senior year she has taken both Art 4 and Advanced Placement Art. She has recently been involved with the opening of Studio 525, a student run art gallery located in Hoover High School. Carley will be continuing her education in the fall at the University of Cincinnati where she will study advertising and communications.

Office. Please turn in your completed forms by **Friday, July 7th** in order to help us order sufficient supplies. We will still accept registrations during the week of VBS if space is available.

We are all looking forward to a great week for our kids, staff and parents, as we all learn about and strengthen our faith in God!

SERVICE at VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

As always, we will focus on service this year, a great tradition at Zion's VBS. We have planned many service projects, some familiar and some different. The children will experience how important serving others and God is in their lives! We hope they will see that no matter how old you are, you can truly make a difference! The following is a summary of some of this year's projects:

THE OFFERING – There will be a contest each day between the boys and girls to collect change as our offering. Each team will have a jar and the most money collected wins! This money will then be donated to Wernle Youth & Family Treatment Center.

OUR FOOD PANTRY – We ask that each child bring in a food item each day, if possible. The most needed items are cereal, spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, jelly and macaroni & cheese. This food will help stock Zion's Food Pantry, which has been about the ministry of helping many families in the community for over 16 years.

QUILT SQUARES – The children will once again create quilt squares for Zion's Quilters to sew quilts for Lutheran World Relief. We will raffle one quilt, chosen by the winner, on Friday. Tickets will be available during the week. As usual, it's one ticket for \$1.00, or six tickets for \$5.00.

DAILY PROJECTS – The children will work on several service projects throughout the week at Zion and at home.

SCHOOL KITS – We will be collecting items for school kits to help children in our community which will be distributed through our Food Pantry. Items needed are backpacks, paper, notebooks, folders, binders, glue, pencils, erasers, crayons, scissors, rulers and markers. Please bring in any donations by the morning of Friday, July 14th. If anyone in the congregation is interested in donating items, please leave the items in the Church Office.

We are looking forward to a great week and hope you will join us! We are still in need of volunteers for the week! Please consider joining us one, two or all five days. It truly is a rewarding and enjoyable experience with a great group of kids! Sign-up sheets are located in Luther Hall for lots of food and supplies needed for the week, along with donation cans for those who are interested in helping. If you have any questions, or would like to volunteer, please call Debbie Fox at 330-966-2433 or email at dfox521@sbcglobal.net.

As always, thank you, thank you, thank you for your great support!

Clothing closet.

Thank You for your support.

Peace,
Ron Tvorik

ZION'S FINANCIAL FACTS IN APRIL 2017

April Income	\$ 20,223.10
Income through April	\$ 68,827.37
April Expenses	\$ 19,507.09
Expenses through April	\$ 67,327.92

April Surplus	\$ 716.01
2017 YTD Surplus	\$ 1,499.45

Food Pantry Fund	\$ 8,891.17
Zion's Youth Fund	\$ 7,848.40

We thank you for your generous support!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

There will be no Sunday school for our children and adults throughout the summer. Sunday school will resume on September 10, 2017.

WOMEN OF ZION

The Chancel Guild is making an appeal for members to save containers for distribution of flowers after the 10:30 am worship service. Container sizes are 1# coffee cans (metal), #2 fruit or vegetable cans, or #40 oz. juice cans. These cans may be left in the church office or given to any chancel member.

Reminder, the women's "Gather" bible study group that meets on the third Tuesday of the month has been cancelled for June and July. We will resume in August with new topic material for the next nine months. We invite all women to join us.

Comfort Givers will continue to sew and invite all women of all ages to join us. We will find some area to keep your hands busy. Come and enjoy lively conversation, refreshments, coffee, and tea. Joy an laughter through out! All of our Comfort Givers share the sentiments of the following poem:

"A Quilter"

by Larry Howland, Elsie, Michigan

A quilter brings us comfort

On the chilliest of nights,
With unseen hands she tucks us in
And softly dims the lights.

What many others throw away,
She knows that she can use.
She brings together every square,
Arranging varied hues.

With simple needle and mere thread,
And batts without a form,
She sews each piece with tender love
To keep us snug and warm.

The Lord has helped her understand
The value of things old.
She swaddles us in memories,
Each precious to behold.

In His Service,
Betty Tracy

LUTHERAN MEN IN MISSION

Northeastern Ohio Synod Seminary Scholarship Golf Outing to benefit men and women entering the ministry will be held Saturday, July 8, 2017 with a 9:00 am shot gun start. Event is being held at Arrowhead Golf & Banquet Center, 1500 Rogwin Circle NW, North Canton, OH 44720. Registration fee of \$75 per golfer which includes green fees, cart, steak dinner, and refreshments. Deadline for reservation and payment is June 30, 2017. Registration forms are available in the church office. Please contact Bernie Bresson by phone at 330.704.3499 or 330.875.2362 or by e-mail lmm6bres@gmail.com for more information.

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU

Dear Members of Zion: I would like to thank all of you for your thoughts, prayers, cards, and support during my surgery and now my chemo treatments. I am blessed to have so many praying for me. God is giving me the strength to get through this and is keeping me strong. I hope to see you soon.

Love, Susan Heyard

Dear Pastor Robarge: Thank you for officiating and your kind help at this most difficult time for us.
Cassandra Dixon & The Family of Andrew Kolm

Dear Pastor Robarge: Thank you for the opportunity to visit Zion on April 30th. You and everyone were so welcoming. I hope to visit, again, in 2018.

Give me a call and let's set a date. **Peace in Christ, Pastor Cliff Nunn**

MORE EVENTS/NEWS

Walsh University's 7th Annual Fit Family 5K Fun Run will be held on Saturday, June 17, 2017. Cost is \$25 5K adult race/walk, \$20 Walsh alumni and student rate, and \$8 Kids fun run. You may register on-line at www.walsh.edu/fitfamily. Pre-register before June 12th for Race T-shirt.

Fit Family 5K Race/Walk is part of the Subway Race Challenge, the 5K starts on the Walsh University Campus and winds through the beautiful surrounding community. Come support community health and wellness and educational scholarships for Walsh University Physical Therapy students.

Kids Fun Run - Kids of all ages are welcome to participate in a 0.5 mile run (two track laps). Parents are welcome to accompany their children.

7:30-8:30 am Same Day Registration and packet pick-up

8:30 am Kids Fun Run (0.5 mile)

9:00 am 5K Race & Walk starts

St. Stephen Martyr Lutheran Church: In celebration of the 500th anniversary of the Reformation and the 50th anniversary of St. Stephen Martyr Lutheran Church, Loren C. Veigel, organist, will present "Music of the Lutheran Church", an organ concert based upon hymns. He will be assisted by vocalists Julie Meinhart Dewald, soprano and Alan Irvin, baritone. This program will take place on June 4th at 3:00 p.m. at St. Stephen Martyr Lutheran Church, 4600 Fulton Dr. NW, Canton, Ohio. A free will offering will be taken and a cookie reception will follow.

Christian Music Fest: A Summer MusicFest will be held on Market Square in Downtown Canton, Thursday, June 22nd, Thursday, July 13th, and Thursday, August 10th.

Through this outreach, the participating churches and Christian bands are hoping to spread the word of Christ's love and grace through music.

Market Square is located on the west side of Market Avenue North between 3rd and 4th Streets. The event is free. Attendees are encouraged to bring

lawn chairs or blankets for seating. A Prayer Tent will be on location.

Thursday, June 22nd (Rain Date June 23rd)

4pm Worship Team—Canton Nazarene
5pm Danny Fill—Walsh University
6pm Sounds of Hope
7pm Praise Team—St. Stephen Martyr Lutheran
8pm Dogwood Lane

Thursday, July 13th (Rain Date July 14th)

5pm We The Church—New Pointe
6pm PCC Worship—Perry Christian Church
7pm Revitalize—Walsh University
8pm Master Plan

Thursday, August 10th (Rain Date August 11th)

5pm Roslyn Pratt
The Bryant Family
First Church of God in Christ
EN-RICH-MENT Frontline Dancers
6pm Jerusalem Baptist Church
The New Beginnings Band
7pm Michael Kelley & Next Level

News from the Zion Sunday School



Happy Birthday to:

Upcoming Events – Mark your calendars!

Week of July 10 – 14th: Vacation Bible School - Monday thru Thursday 9am – 12:30pm & Friday 9am – 1pm

Sunday, September 10th: Start of 2017-18 Sunday School Classes

Sunday School – Pre-K thru High School

As a reminder, we will be taking a break this summer from Sunday School. There will be no Sunday School classes this summer. We will start up again in September when classes resume on Sunday, September 10, 2017.

We want to once again thank all the families for participating in Sunday School this year and all of the Sunday School staff and teachers for their time and dedication to the awesome youth of Zion.



Good News from Joan Cogan

THE 2017 FLAD/GRANDJEAN-ELLIOTT \$2,000.00 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT IS NATHAN FOX. Nathan, a graduate of Hoover High School, will start college at Ashland University. Nathan strives for academic excellence, strong moral character, and continual faithfulness. He, without a doubt, exemplifies a life of discipleship surrounded by Christ's love. His essay clearly stated how critical it is to continue building a relationship with God through prayer. We offer our richest blessings to this fine young man!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR VBS: JULY 10-14TH

Join us July 10th – 14th for Vacation Bible School this year. VBS will be from 9 am – 12:30 pm Monday through Thursday and 9 am – 1 pm Friday. Registration and sign in will begin each day at 8:45 am so we can get our morning started right at 9 am!

Stay tuned for the details on this year's program and theme. Like every year, there will be great lessons, great music, games, snacks, crafts and service projects.

Our VBS program is designed for children age 4 through those who have completed 5th grade. Our youth who have completed 6th grade and higher are invited to help during the week. We have many volunteer & service opportunities that will be planned for these youth! Registration packets are available in the Church