

# **THE MUSTANG Memo**

*...a newsletter for Zion Grade School's families and the congregations of Zion and St. Mark's*

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## **Sharing Hope, Teaching Christ! Christ Centered – Academically Strong – Respectfully Operated**

*And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him.  
Colossians 3:17*

### **FROM THE School Administrator...**

Greetings! Thank you to everyone that joined us for the PTL meeting last Thursday and all of the sharing of ideas. PTL is looking for a Vice-President for next school year. If you have any interest, please reach out to the PTL board.

We were the largest group so far for the Longhorn's happy hour. Longhorn's gave us a check for \$1,100.00 for the fundraiser!!! Please mark your calendars for our next fundraiser at Jimmy John's on Thursday, April 24. Zion Lutheran School will receive 20% of all sales from 2:00-9:00 pm. Please spread the word about this event. We are very grateful for the opportunity!

I want to provide an update to all of our families regarding the Senior Pastor search for Zion Lutheran Church. The congregation has decided to extend a call to a temporary Intentional Interim pastor who has agreed to fill the position. This pastor will serve Zion for approximately two years and then the congregation will again open up the search for a Senior Pastor. On Sunday, April 27 at 9:20 am there will be a call meeting to extend that TIM call to Pastor Bradley Zerkel. Please continue to keep our congregation in your prayers.

Our tenth annual Auction for Education will be held on Saturday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Mayer Community Center. The theme this year is Black Tie Auction. Attendees are encouraged to dress up for the auction but it is not a requirement to enter. Please plan on joining us for the event. Reservations can be made by completing the form that was attached to the memo a few weeks ago and returning it with payment to the

office. Sponsorship and donation forms can be found in the school office. Please spread the word about this fun evening celebrating the work that is done at this school. Sponsorships, Ads, and Donations are due by Friday, April 25. Reservations need to be made by Monday, April 28.

Do you have family and/or friends that are looking for a school home? Do you have neighbors that have been considering a different option for their children? Word of mouth is our best recruitment tool. Please spread the word about Zion Lutheran School and that enrollment is open to new students for the 2025-2026 school year. If anyone has questions, please pass my contact information on to them.

Thank you to everyone that has already filled out the Homework survey. Currently, we have received just under 50% of responses. Our goal is to have a response for every student. Please take the time to fill that survey out prior to Easter Break.

God's blessings as you follow Jesus to the cross and empty tomb. There is no school on Friday or Monday. School resumes on Tuesday, April 22.

In His service,  
Joshua Baumann



## **Holy Week**



### PRAYER CORNER

Please keep the following students in your prayers on the day indicated:

- Tuesday, April 22 – River Rustad
- Wednesday, April 23 – Nicolette Lyrek
- Thursday, April 24 – Farrah Croyle
- Friday, April 25 – Jayce Jopp



### CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY Week of April 16 – April 25

- Wed., April 16 – Tyson Rogotzke
- Fri., April 18 – Charlie Olson
- Sat., April 19 – Ryan Buckentin
- Sat., April 19 – Rev. Aaron Beckman
- Mon., April 21 – Alaina Hilk
- Fri., April 25 – Hallie Kellermann

Happy birthday and God’s many blessings in the coming year!



Scrip is available for purchase during office hours Monday-Friday, 8am - 3:30pm. Scrip is always available 24/7 with the RaiseRight app or RaiseRight.com. Questions? Send an email to [scrip@zionmayer.org](mailto:scrip@zionmayer.org). It’s never too late to start earning rebates to apply to your tuition (Zion & MLHS), student assistance fund, or PTL special projects!



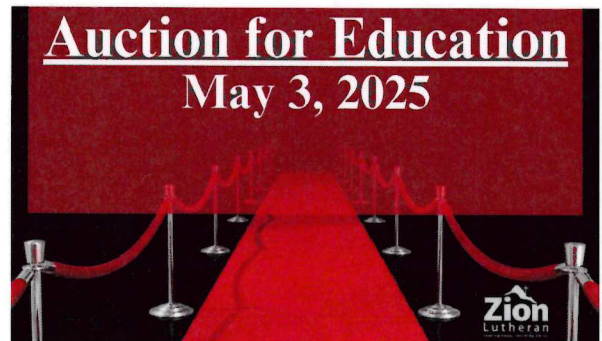
### THIRD TRIMESTER MISSION CHAPEL OFFERINGS WILL GO TO:

#### CROW RIVER HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Crow River Habitat for Humanity is dedicated to eliminating substandard housing locally and worldwide through constructing, rehabilitating and preserving homes; by advocating for fair and just housing policies; and by providing training and access to resources to help families improve their shelter conditions.

Third trimester goal: \$500.00  
Offerings to date: **\$339.04**

## Reserve Your Seats!



On Saturday, May 3, 2025, Zion Lutheran School will host its tenth annual Auction for Education. The theme this year is **Black Tie Auction**. This event will include a dinner, silent auction, and live auction.

How can you help?

- Please plan on attending this fun event!
- Spread the word and invite family and friends.
- Consider donating an item or asking your employer to donate an item, service, gift certificate, or sponsor the event.

Reservations can now be made by completing the reservation form and returning payment to the school office

- Reservation to the event is \$40
- Bottomless glass can be purchased for \$25
- Doors open @ 5:30; Dinner @ 7:00

If you have any questions, please see Mr. Baumann or email [auction@zionmayer.org](mailto:auction@zionmayer.org). Thank you!





**Zion Lutheran**  
Sharing Hope, Teaching Christ

**JOIN US IN WORSHIP!**

Maundy Thursday  
7:00 pm

Good Friday  
7:00 pm

Easter Sunrise  
6:30 am

Easter Festival  
Mayer Lutheran High School  
9:00 am



**Jimmy John's Fundraiser:**  
Plan on joining us  
**APRIL 24th**  
from 2:00 pm to 9:00 pm,  
at the Waconia location.  
\*20% of all sales will go  
towards curriculum updates\*

Jimmy John's  
140 Depot Drive  
Waconia, MN 55397




Advertisements received for our memo are scanned in color and attached to the electronic copy of the memo sent via Fast Direct and online at <https://www.zionmayer.org/parent-hub> this week attached is:

MLHS – Junior High Night



**MARK YOUR CALENDAR...**

April 18-21 – No School – Easter Break  
Wed., April 23 – Chapel 8:30am

**LOOKING AHEAD...**

- May 2 – Track & Field Day @ MLHS
- May 3 – Auction for Education
- May 4 – K-4 Sing @ Zion 10:30am
- May 5 – PS4 Hedtke Farm Day
- May 8 – PS3 Bike Day
- May 9 – PS4 Bike Day
- May 12 – PS3 & PS4 Como Zoo Day
- May 14 – Last Day PS3
- May 15 – Last Day PS4
- May 16 – Play Day @ Glencoe
- May 18 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation/Spring Banquet
- May 18 – K-7 Sing @ MLHS 10:30am
- May 22 – 1:30 Chapel/Kindergarten Graduation
- May 22 – Last Day of School

*In Honor of Mothers Reception.*  
**Sat, May 10, 10:00-11:30am**  
Located in the Zion Church Basement  
All Grandmothers, Mothers, & Offspring are Welcome

- Light eats
- Encouragement from Scripture
- Multigenerational fellowship
- A short presentation from *Enkrateia House of Hope* (women's shelter in Waconia)
- Door prizes



Kindly RSVP by May 4th

**VBS 2025**  
**June 9th - 12th**



**9:00 AM - 11:00 AM**  
**ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
[www.zionmayer.org/kids-ministry](http://www.zionmayer.org/kids-ministry)

121 Bluejay Ave N  
Mayer, MN 55360



**REGISTRATION OPENS MAY 1ST**



# ZION SCRIP ORDER FORM

Order Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks to:  
**Zion Scrip**

You can also order online  
 (shopwithscrip.com).  
 These vendors plus many more!  
 E-mail scrip@zionmayer.org for  
 the enrollment code.

There are also **SCRIP**  
 gift certificates available!

MAXIMUM invoice for Bob's Repair  
 or Mayer Lumber is \$5,000

**Please attach invoice.**

Turn in to the office by the 15th of  
 each month to guarantee vendor  
 payment by the end of that month.

### Questions?

Email: scrip@zionmayer.org  
 Zion Office: (952) 657-2339

<b>ORDER TOTAL:</b>	
\$	_____
Office Use Only:	
Filled by:	_____
Check	<input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> GC <input type="checkbox"/>
Check/GC #	_____
Check/GC #	_____
Check/GC #	_____
Entered Scripware:	_____
Date:	_____

QTY	DENOM	VENDOR	DONATED	TOTAL
<b>RESTAURANTS</b>				
	\$10	Arby's	8%	
	\$25	Buffalo Wild Wings	8%	
	\$10	Chipotle Mexican Grill	10%	
	\$10/25	Dairy Queen	6.5%	
	\$25	Domino's Pizza	8%	
	\$10	D'Vinci's (Waconia)	9%	
	\$25	Jimmy John's	8%	
	\$10/25	McDonald's	2%	
	\$25	Olive Garden (Darden)	8%	
	\$10	Papa Murphy's	8%	
	\$10/25	Starbucks	4.5%	
	\$10	Subway	4.5%	
	\$10/25	Taco Bell	5%	
	\$10/15/20	Unhinged Pizza	5%	
<b>GROCERIES</b>				
	\$25/100	Cub	4%	
	\$100	Instacart	4%	
	\$25/50/100	Kwik Trip ***GROCERY ONLY***	20%	
	\$25/50/100	Mackenthun's	2%	
<b>GAS STATIONS</b>				
	\$50/100	BP	1.5%	
	\$25/50/100	Casey's	3%	
	\$25/100	Cenex	3%	
	\$25/100	Holiday	4%	
	\$25/50/100/200	Kwik Trip	10%	
<b>RETAIL AND CLOTHING</b>				
	\$25/50/100	Amazon	1.7%	
	\$10/25	Barnes & Noble	8%	
	\$25	Bath & Body Works	12%	
	\$100	Dick's Sporting Goods	8%	
	\$25/100	Home Depot	4%	
	\$100	Kohl's	4%	
	\$25/100/500	Menards	3%	
	\$25/100	Mills Fleet Farm	3.5%	
	\$25/100	Scheels	8%	
	\$25/50/100	Target	2.5%	
	\$25/100	Total Wine	7%	
	\$25/50/100	Visa	1.25%	
	\$25/100	Walgreens	5%	
	\$25/50/100	Walmart/Sam's Club	2.5%	
<b>LOCAL ESTABLISHMENTS</b>				
	Inv. Amount	Bob's Repair	5%	
	\$10/25	Elephant Joe's	10%	
	\$25	Haven & Home Décor	10%	
	\$25/100	Holasek - Flower Power	5%	
	\$10/25/100	Journey 2 Wellness	10%	
	Inv. Amount	Mayer Lumber - \$5000 max	4%	
	Inv. Amount	Melissa Jopp Photography	7%	
	Inv. Amount	R&V Auto Service	5%	
	#24-	Scrip Gift Certificate	2%	



# JUNIOR HIGH NIGHT

Calling all 6th, 7th & 8th Graders!

MUSIC BY  
PROFESSIONAL DJ

BLACK LIGHTS

WHITE OUT

# PARTY

FRIDAY, APRIL 25

7 - 9 PM

\$5 PER PERSON @ DOOR

CONCESSIONS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

PHOTO  
BOOTH

GLOW  
PAINT

GAMES & PRIZES



MAYER LUTHERAN GYM | 306 SEVENTH AVE NE | MAYER, MN