

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! Our 10th annual Auction for Education was a huge success! While we are waiting on a few final numbers, the auction raised over \$32,000, which is higher than last year! Thank you to everyone who came to the event, donated items, purchased drawing tickets, bid on items, or did anything else that helped make it a success. It was great to spend time with school families along with family and friends of Zion Lutheran School. I want to thank the auction committee – Nikki Baumann, Laura Dukowitz, Stephanie Geislinger, Lindsey Hoeft, Miki Nahmensen, and Katie Baumann – for all of their work to make the event a success. If you would like to join the auction committee, please reach out to any of the current members. The group meets a couple of times a year to plan the event and responsibilities are split among the group. We had 16 students volunteer to help at the event. Thank you for your help!

Play Day, our annual three school fun day, is Friday, May 16 and is at Glencoe. Students should be dropped off at Oscar Olson Park in Glencoe by 8:45 and the day ends after the All School Relay at 1:30. If a parent is not attending that day, students should be picked up in Glencoe by 1:45. A FastDirect email with information will be sent soon.

Our Spring Banquet is Sunday, May 18 following the 10:30 service. The 10:30 service includes grades K-7 singing and 8th grade graduation. The service will be held at Mayer Lutheran and the banquet will be in Zion's gym. A FastDirect message with information will be sent soon.

We are excited to share that Mrs. Larissa Skoglund

has accepted the 3rd grade teaching position at Zion Lutheran School. Mrs. Skoglund is currently a teacher at Watertown-Mayer and has seven years' experience teaching in private and public schools.

In His service,
Joshua Baumann

Thank you for your support!





PRAYER CORNER

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

- Monday, May 12 – Charles Russell
- Tuesday, May 13– Henry Russell
- Wednesday, May 14 – Sophia Hanna
- Thursday, May 15 – Ashley Konnad



CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY Week of May 7 – May 16

- Thurs., May 8 – Farrah Croyle
- Fri., May 9 – Ada Gatz
- Sun., May 11 – Noa Croyle
- Sun., May 11 – Rafe Croyle
- Fri., May 16 – Jolee Templeman

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

Play Day

Friday, May 16 – All Day

Each year we set aside one day for Play Day which is a track and field day between Zion and two other schools. This year First Lutheran in Glencoe is hosting. Your child will be participating in events all day long. The day starts in the morning with a devotion and ends after the All School Relay in the afternoon. Your child can either purchase concessions or bring a bag lunch. It is a fun day of cheering on the Zion student body.



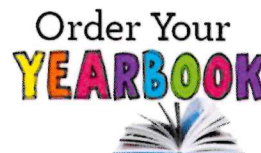
THIRD TRIMESTER MISSION CHAPEL OFFERINGS WILL GO TO:

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: **\$502.83**

All are welcome to come and celebrate Mrs. McManus and give well wishes! Cake and coffee will be served.



Make sure to order your 2024-2025 Zion Yearbook! Cost is \$20 each and checks should be made payable to Zion PTL. If turning orders in with the office, order deadline is May 22.

Spring All School Awards Banquet

Sunday, May 18 @ 12:00 pm in the school gym

It is tradition for our PTL to sponsor a spring banquet. Over the years this has become a special celebration for ALL of the students. The 8th graders are our VIP's for the day! Eighth grade graduation will be during Zion's 10:30 service at MLHS. At the banquet, 8th graders sit at the head table and each of them creates a collage of their growing up years for the event. All the students have their artwork from the school year displayed around the gym. We also award other achievements for the year such as honor/merit roll, spelling bee winners, athletics, etc. This event is for the whole family and extended family if you wish. The PTL provides the meat and potato for the lunch and it is potluck (provided by all the families) for any of the other items. This lunch starts at 12:00 following the 10:30am church service. The 7th grade parents are in charge of planning the event. It's a great way to end out the year and acknowledge the students for their hard work. We hope to see all of you there!



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 – Wizard of Oz

VBS 2025
June
9th - 12th
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
www.zionmayer.org/kids-ministry
121 Bluejay Ave N
Mayer, MN 55360
Zion Lutheran
REGISTRATION
OPENS MAY 1ST

**WHATEVER:
A YEAR-END CELEBRATION
OF
FAITH, FUN, AND FELLOWSHIP!**

Zion Lutheran
FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN

Register Here

Ages 5 and Up (including Grandparents) | 9:30-11:15 am Saturday May 17th | Feed my Starving Children 18732 Lake Dr E Chanhassen

Let's end the school year with a joyful day of service together at FMSC, packing meals for children in need.
REGISTER HERE BY MAY 10: <https://shorturl.at/E7Xeh>

Inspired by Zion's theme verse:
"And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus..."
-Colossians 3:17



MARK YOUR CALENDAR...

Thurs., May 8 – PS3 Bike Day
Fri., May 9 – PS4 Bike Day
Mon., May 12 – PS3 & PS4 Como Zoo Day
Wed., May 14 – Last Day PS3
Wed., May 14 – Chapel 8:30am
Thurs., May 15 – Last Day PS4
Fri., May 16 – Play Day @ Glencoe
Sat., May 17 – Feed My Starving Children 9:30-11:15
Sun., May 18 – 8th Grade Graduation/Spring Banquet
Sun., May 18 – K-7 Sing @ MLHS 10:30am
Wed., May 21 – K-8 Field Trip – MN Zoo
Thurs., May 22 – 1:30 Chapel/Kindergarten Graduation
Thurs., May 22 – Last Day of School

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

ORDER TOTAL:	
\$ _____	
Office Use Only:	
Filled by: _____	
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Date: _____	

QTY	DENOM	VENDOR	DONATED	TOTAL
RESTAURANTS				
	\$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%	
GROCERIES				
	\$25/100	Cub	4%	
	\$100	Instacart	4%	
	\$25/50/100	Kwik Trip ***GROCERY ONLY***	20%	
	\$25/50/100	Mackenthun's	2%	
GAS STATIONS				
	\$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%	
RETAIL AND CLOTHING				
	\$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%	
LOCAL ESTABLISHMENTS				
	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%	

The Mayer Lutheran Theater Department Presents

THE WIZARD of OZ

By **L. Frank Baum**
With Music and Lyrics by
Harold Arlen and E. Y. Harburg

Background Music by
Herbert Stothart

Dance and Vocal Arrangements by
Peter Howard

Orchestration by
Larry Wilcox

Based upon the Classic
Motion Picture owned by
Turner Entertainment Co.
and distributed in all media
by **Warner Bros.**

Adapted by **John Kane** for the
**Royal Shakespeare
Company**



May 9-11, 2025

May 9 & 10 - 7 PM | May 11 - 2 PM

Mayer Lutheran Fine Arts Center Theater

Tickets: Adults-\$15, Students age 12 & under-\$10

Tickets online at mayerlutheran.org/tickets or at the door

**306 7th St NE
Mayer, MN 55360**



**mayerlutheran.org
952-657-2251**

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