# Zion Goshert's United Church of Christ March 7, 2021

Directions for worship at the end of these announcements.

# Welcome to everyone joining us today for Worship.

Bruce Farrell, Pastor Jean B, Secretary Roberto M, Music Director Tara Z, Accompanist

# UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

Today	10 a.m.	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent. Demo Day	
Wednesday(s)	9 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Church office hours	
Sun. March 14	2 a.m.	Daylight Savings time begins: spring forward!	
	10 a.m.	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent. Jesus is Anointed ~ Worship One Great Hour of Sharing offering	

# PRAYER REQUESTS

#### If you have prayer requests, please contact the pastor.

Our shut-ins: Joyce, Pauline, Kenneth, Ida, June, Joann

Health concerns: Carl, Jean, Trey, Tim, Nancy, Rick, Eric, Sherry, Donald, Barb, Melissa, Kenneth, Tom, Maggie, Alice, Wayne, Suzanne, Shannon, Neil, Christopher, Paul, Ron, Martha, Tracy, Ken and Lorraine, Jason, Linda, Mona, Roma, Brian, Kay, Lisa, Ann

*Bereavement:* The families of Emma, Anna Mae (Marilyn's mother), Dick, Jean (Jen's grandmother), Janet, Dorothy, Gwen, Deb, Dennis, Sarah, Rudy

Other: Edward, Grace S., Jen T., Kathy S., Tina, Ginny

Medical field and first responders: Susan, April, Rachel, Chelsea, Courtney

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Upcoming Worship**

❖ now– April 4 The Way of the Cross ~ Walking with Jesus though the some of the lesser-known

events of Holy Week as recorded in Mark.

An 8-week series for worship to more fully appreciate His Resurrection that we

will celebrate on April 4.

❖ March 14 Jesus is Anointed ~ The Worth of Worship: Mark 14

April 1 Maundy Thursday worship at noon in the Sanctuary and the phone and broadcast 7 p.m.

Easter ~ Resurrection Sunday Celebration *at 11 a.m.* in the Grove (weather permitting)

#### **2021 Newsletters**

The Spring Newsletter is being published in mid-March. Last minute inclusion deadline is TODAY. Send them to the pastor please.

Blood Drive

Wednesday, March 10. 11a.m. – 7 p.m. at the Prescott Fire Hall

Call to register: 800-771-0059



Trailer Project. A nearby family's trailer had a fire rendering it uninhabitable. Since it is difficult to buy fire insurance for older trailers, Consistory has authorized a collection to aide this family. Six other churches have also contributed. If you are able to help, please make your check out to Zion Goshert's UCC and mark it for the Loy Trailer project. Thank you for your help and your prayers..

#### Ash Wednesday

Thank you for the strong turn-out! Forty-four people participated.



#### LCCM noon meal

Thanks to those who helped with the noon meal preparation and to Rebecca G for coordinating this event 2/27.



#### Virtual Four Chaplains' Run/walk

Thanks to those of you who ran or walked to raise scholarship money to train chaplains for ministry to service personal and their families for years to come.

Don't forget to enter your times or mileage at https://evangelical.edu/events/four-chaplains-run/You may still contribute a gift through the church through Easter; designate it "Four Chaplains".

Authorized by Consistory



#### **1604 Mount Zion Road**

We bought this property adjacent to our church in August 2020.

Now we need to pay for this long-term faith effort. We are up to about \$133,550 of \$210,000.

A thermometer poster representing giving toward the project is on display in the narthex.

### SAVE THE DATES

LCCM Noon Meal Preparation: April 24, July 3 and December 4 Chicken Barbeque: May 15, October 9



### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Joe F.	Today	Nancy S.	Thursday
Jason B.	Monday	Maggie L. and Jamie G.	Friday
Nancy H.	Wednesday	Michelle D.	Saturday

# INFORMATION

- Worship bulletins & announcements sent each week to all whose email address is in the church directory. Please add info@ziongosherts.org to your contact list to make sure you receive the email. Thank you!
- For pastoral care: call/text 717-222-1401 or e-mail bruce.d.farrell@gmail.com.
- **Pastoral day off:** Thursday from 6:30 p.m. to Friday 6:30 p.m.
- Announcements: Send information to Jean B
- **Lectors**: If you are not able or available, please procure your own substitute and let the pastor know or ask him for help.

## GIVING

We continue to do ministry and have expenses during the pandemic. Thank you for your continued giving.

You may bring your offering to worship or Wednesday office hours.
You may mail your check (not cash) to the church or to Jessica N (see the Church Directory).
You may give via **Tithe.ly**. Joe M (see Church Directory) is our contact person if you need help with tithe.ly.

### DIRECTIONS FOR WORSHIP DURING THE PANDEMIC

We are currently having worship in the sanctuary, on Facebook, and the phone. *If you have access to one of latter two alternatives, please consider using one to mitigate risks.* Announcements and the worship bulletin will be available at church and via email and computers.

### In the Sanctuary

- 1. An effective mask properly worn is required at all times when you are inside the church for all those two years old and over.
- 2. Please try to come early to keep seating to six-foot distancing (i.e. every other pew).

On Facebook. https://www.facebook.com/ziongoshertsucc/ live or when you have time.

On the telephone: 717-202-4403 Please note: if you receive a busy signal, keep calling back.