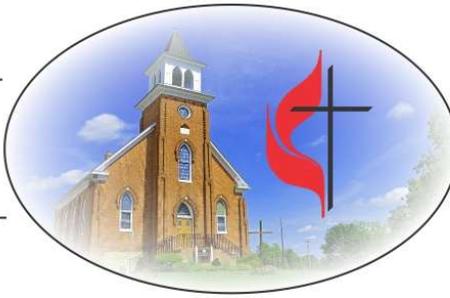


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# MT. ZION

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Sunday May 25, 2025

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# WEEKLY

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**Welcome to Mt. Zion!** Our message is rooted in the life, ministry, and teachings of Jesus. We embrace a biblical approach, sharing the "good news" in our daily lives.

Join us as we grow in faith and love together!

If you are visiting with us this morning or searching for a church home, we encourage you to connect with Pastor Shawn. Please fill out a green "Information Card" found in the pew holders in front of you. Drop it into the collection plate or give to Pastor Shawn when you leave today.

### Join Us for Worship

Join us this Sunday for a powerful Memorial Day worship service as we honor the courageous sacrifices of our fallen heroes and the ultimate sacrifice of Jesus Christ. Through scriptures like John 15:13 "Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends." We'll reflect on the call to live with selfless love and bold faith, lifting up our Gold Star families and celebrating their loved ones' legacy. Come ready to praise God and ignite your heart to shine Christ's light. Bring your family and friends for this is the day to worship together!



### WHAT IS MEMORIAL DAY?

Monday May 26, 2025

It is a federal holiday for honoring / mourning / remembering U.S. military personnel that have died while serving in the United States Armed Forces.

### ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY is June 8<sup>th</sup> – **RED is the color of the day**

Please plan to attend and join us for Mt Zion's 169<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

As Anniversary Sunday is rapidly approaching, a list of requested foods for the luncheon is on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up today!

Please consider making a dish or dessert to share.

See Becky Knop or Melanie Stranix with questions.

Let's make this a special fellowship day!

The Mt Zion "**Summer Singers**" will be starting on Sunday June 18<sup>th</sup>.

During the summer months, anyone who would like to sing during the special music time of Sunday worship is invited to join us. We will learn short choruses at 9:15 each Sunday morning. Music will be provided. These choruses will be easy to learn and add just a little extra to worship while the Faithful Few are resting for the upcoming fall session.

**Ushers & Fellowship coordinators needed: See Becky or Melanie for details.**

The **May / June Upper Room daily devotional** is available in both a regular and large print edition. It is free thanks to our sponsors. We urge you to make use of it. If you are not able to get your copy at the church please call 301-351-6689 and one will be brought to you free of charge.



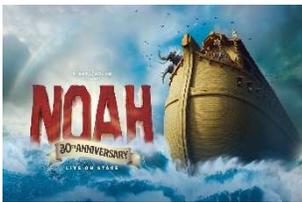
**We are grateful for your support of the ministry of Mount Zion!**  
Our average worship attendance for all of 2025 is 40.7

## WHAT'S ON THE SCHEDULE...



- May Ushers: Shirley Loveless & Eddie Wessel
- May 28<sup>th</sup> : Bible Study – 6:30pm in the Social Hall
- June 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> : Bible Study – 6:30pm in the Social Hall
- June 8<sup>th</sup> : Mt Zion's 169<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Sunday – Fellowship Sunday – **Wear RED**
- July 9<sup>th</sup> : Wednesday - Mt Zion Bus Trip To NOAH at Sight & Sound in Lancaster, PA

## A Mt. Zion Group Trip to SIGHT & SOUND In Lancaster, PA.



We are going to see the spectacular performance of *Noah!*  
Wednesday July 9, 2025 3:00pm (Show Time)  
Adults: \$115 Children (ages 3-12): \$74  
(Prices include show tickets and bus fare.)

Itinerary is as follows:

12:15pm - Depart Mt. Zion UMC

2:00pm - Estimated arrival at Sight & Sound (time for gift shop, concessions, etc.)

3:00-5:30 - "Noah"

7:30pm - Return to Mt. Zion UMC

Feel free to bring food/snacks onboard the bus during travel time (as long as the bus is left clean & tidy), plus there are concession stands at Sight & Sound.

We will not be stopping for a meal.

Place payments into a clearly marked envelope "NOAH Tickets" and put in collection plate.

**Last Sunday To Make Payment is May 25<sup>th</sup>**

**At this moment there are still 18 seats available.**

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Usher & Fellowship Coordinators: Becky Knop & Melanie Stranix

*Meet  
Our  
Staff*



### The Adventures Of ...

Our goat is hungry... He is sooo hungry... He is eating the plants downstairs.  
You will notice most of them are now missing.

**SOMEONE, PLEASE, FEED THE GOAT!**

Community Service has received approx. \$4,270 in 2025 so far. Thank You.