



ZION LUTHERAN SCHOOL WEEK OF JANUARY 30-FEBRUARY 3



**GATHER! GROW! GIVE! GO!
IN ALL THINGS
COLOSSIANS 1:18**




PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

MRS. GLUMM AND DR. FREDERICK, ALONG WITH OUR TEACHERS, ARE BUSY PLANNING FOR NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK WHICH BEGINS ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27. WE ARE EXCITED FOR THE GAMES, CONTESTS AND FUN ACTIVITIES IN THE WORKS. WE'LL EVEN CELEBRATE WITH A SPIRIT WEEK!

PLEASE WATCH THE NEWSLETTER AND YOUR CHILD'S BOOK BAG FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION COMING IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.



SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

- POPCORN DAY TOMORROW 
- SWEETHEART DANCE, FEBRUARY 11
- SCHOOL CLEAN UP DAY , FEB 18



FRIENDLY REMINDERS

We are still watching for the "Intent to Return" forms to come in. If you have not already done so, please fill yours out and return it to your child's teacher or the office. We need your input to begin planning for the 2023-2024 school year. If you lost your card, no problem. There are extras in the office.

ATHLETICS

YOU HAVE ONE LAST CHANCE TO CHEER ON OUR COUGARS!

- FRI FEBRUARY 3RD B-GIRLS 5:30 / B-BOYS 6:30 / A-BOYS 7:30 @ HOME VS SJ MIDLAND



COUGAR C TEAM, GRADES PK-2, BASKETBALL SEASON WILL BEGIN SIGN-UPS FOR PLAYERS AND COACHES THE WEEK OF FEB 6TH. PLEASE SEE THE FLYER BELOW



PTL UPDATES

VALENTINES DAY

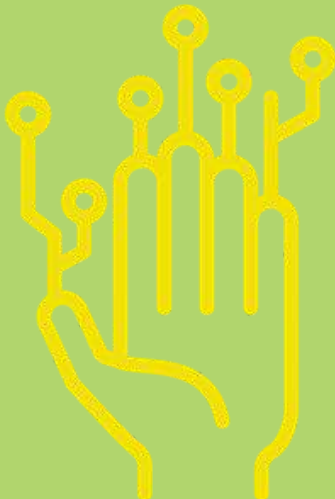
*CANDY GRAMS WILL BE SOLD BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL THE WEEK BEFORE VALENTINE'S DAY (FEBRUARY 6-10) FOR \$1 AND WILL BE DELIVERED ON FEBRUARY 14.

*VALENTINE'S DAY CLASS PARTIES WILL BE ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE SWEETHEART DANCE ON FEBRUARY 11 FROM 6-8. PLEASE SEE THE FLYER/TICKET ORDER FORM BELOW.

REFRESHMENT DONATIONS AND VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO ENSURE THIS EVENT IS A SUCCESS. PLEASE SEE THE SIGN-UP SHEET ON THE PTL BULLETIN BOARD IN THE HALL.

PASTOR'S POSTCARD



WHAT AN AMAZING GOD WE HAVE WHO GIVES AND GIVES AND GIVES SOME MORE. AS WE EXPLORE WHAT IT MEANS TO LIVE THE 5G LIFE, WE HOPE YOU CAN JOIN YOUR FRIENDS AT ZION FOR WORSHIP THIS WEEKEND. WE GATHER ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON AT 5 AND SUNDAY MORNING AT 9:30 FOR WORSHIP AND PRAISE AS JESUS TEACHES US ABOUT GIVING.

CHARACTER EDUCATION CURRICULUM

EACH MONTH, ZION SCHOOL WILL FOCUS ON AND DISCUSS A DIFFERENT CHARACTER TRAIT. THIS MONTH WE WILL EMPHASIS "KINDNESS". KINDNESS IS THE QUALITY OF BEING WARM-HEARTED, CONSIDERATE AND THOUGHTFUL OF OTHERS. HOW CAN YOU HELP?

HERE ARE THREE EASY THINGS YOU CAN DO AT HOME:

- **EXPLAIN IT:** GIVE YOUR CHILD AN EXAMPLE OR EXPLAIN HOW TO BE KIND.
- **MODEL IT:** CHILDREN LEARN THEIR VALUES BY IMITATING ADULTS, SO TRY TO SET A GOOD EXAMPLE. DURING THIS MONTH, TRY TO SHOW WHAT KINDNESS LOOK LIKE.
- **PRAISE IT:** IF YOU SEE YOUR CHILD DEMONSTATE ANY KINDNESS, GIVE THEM POSITIVE REINFORCEMENT.

PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED CALENDAR OF KIND ACTS

**ZION LUTHERAN SCHOOL 3RD QUARTER OFFERING
HEARTS FOR JESUS:**



WORLD MISSION DELIVERS THE WORD OF GOD IN AUDIO FORMAT TO ORAL LEARNERS LIVING IN UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS. WE BELIEVE THAT IT IS OUR RESPONSIBILITY AS CHRISTIANS TO FOLLOW THE GREAT COMMISSION, "THEREFORE GO AND MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS, BAPTIZING THEM IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER AND OF THE SON AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT" (MATTHEW 28:19-20). WHILE IT IS ALWAYS OUR DESIRE TO REACH EVERYONE, ANYWHERE, WE SPECIFICALLY FOCUS OUR EFFORTS ON REACHING THE UNREACHED; THOSE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD WHO HAVE NEVER HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR THE GOSPEL AND ACCEPT JESUS CHRIST.

HOW CAN ZION HELP?

TREASURE MP3 PLAYERS ARE OUR SOLAR-POWERED AUDIO PLAYER. THESE HARD WORKING, COMPACT UNITS ARE PERFECT FOR PEOPLE WHO CANNOT READ OR WHO ARE ORAL LEARNERS, MEANING THAT THEY LEARN OR PROCESS INFORMATION BY SPOKEN RATHER THAN LITERATE MEANS.

THE MESSAGES, (AVAILABLE IN OVER 4,000 LANGUAGES/DIALECTS), THAT CAN BE DOWNLOADED ONTO THE TREASURES RANGE FROM THE FULL BIBLE TO CHILDREN'S BIBLE STORIES TO DAILY DEVOTIONALS.

THESE UNITS, COST EFFECTIVE AND SMALLER THAN MOST SMART PHONES, CAN EASILY BE CARRIED BY HAND OR POCKET, OR HUNG BY THEIR CARRYING STRAP. THE TREASURE IS LIGHTWEIGHT AND FIELD TESTED IN THE MOST HOSTILE OF ENVIRONMENTS, YET EASY-TO-USE. AND THE ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE – EARPHONES, CHARGERS, AND SOLAR SPEAKERS – MAKE THEM THE COMPLETE PACKAGE.

POTENTIAL IMPACT: OVER 100 PEOPLE FOR EACH TREASURE AUDIO BIBLE!

100 DAYS OF SCHOOL



100 DAYS OF LEARNING



100 DAYS SMARTER



MRS. PRIEM'S CLASS SHOWS OFF THEIR 100 ITEMS

100
DAYS OF
LEARNING



100 DAYS FLEW BY



100 DAYS WITH FRIENDS



YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR

SNACKS . MUSIC . DANCE . FUN

6pm - 8pm

\$2 per person

Pre-event tickets are on sale! Fill in the information below and return to your teacher with payment. There will also be tickets sold at the door.

Name: _____

Number of tickets needed: _____

Total dollar amount due: _____

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are asking for church and school volunteers to join us February 18th from 8:30 a.m to Noon

SCHOOL CLEAN UP DAY

*Lunch and
Child Care Provided*

Please RSVP by February 16th as this will help us plan what projects we can accomplish.



**PLEASE RSVP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AT 989-893-5793 OR AT
SCHOOLSECRETARY@ZIONBAYCITY.ORG**

ATTENTION
ZION LUTHERAN

**YOUNG 5'S, KINDERGARTEN,
1ST & 2ND GRADE STUDENTS**

**PEE-WEE
BASKETBALL
SEASON IS COMING
SOON!**

**PLEASE CONTACT HOLLY ESSEX
BY FRIDAY, JANUARY 27TH IF
YOUR CHILD WANTS TO PLAY**

**ADMISSIONS@ZIONBAYCITY.ORG
TEXT 989-225-6935**

Be Kind

FEBRUARY

keep CALM & be KIND

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
spread kindness	 KIND	1 Write a thank-you letter to your teacher.	2 Compliment a classmate.	3 Say hi to someone you've never talked to.	4 Leave a box of goodies on the principal's desk.	5 Give someone a fist bump.	
6 Tell your parents how much you love them.	7 Organize a game at recess that involves your whole class.	8 Partner up with someone new during an activity.	9 Surprise the custodian with a card or a small treat.	10 Put fun notes in your school's teacher mailboxes.	11 Write a letter of appreciation to your music teacher.	12 Make an effort to be extra cheerful today.	
13 Hold the door open for someone.	14 Give one of your used books to a classmate.	15 Make kindness cards to pass out to strangers.	16 Say thank you as much as possible in a day.	17 Brighten someone's day with a joke.	18 Eat lunch with someone new.	19 Ask a friend how his or her day is going.	
20 Prepare a meal for a loved one.	21 Give a hug to your former teacher.	22 Start an anonymous compliment jar in your school's office.	23 Volunteer to help clean a classroom.	24 Make a kindness poster to hang in your school.	25 Pick flowers to give to your school's secretary.	26 Tell three people why you are grateful for them.	
27 Teach someone something new.	28 Help someone who is struggling with their work.	Invite someone playing alone to join in your game.	Offer to tidy up an area of your classroom.	Help a classmate organize their desk.	Leave positive sticky notes on three people's desks.	Pick up trash outside.	
Bake cookies to bring in for the aides or paraprofessionals.	Set up a thank-you note station at your school.	<p>Kindness count: _____ / 28 <i>DS</i></p> <p>How many kind acts did you complete this month?</p>					 <p>be KiNd</p>

KINDNESS

