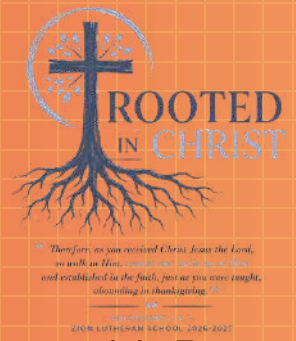


Zion Lutheran School

NEWSLETTER



Week of October 26-Nov 6

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Memory Verses

October 26-And I am sure of this, that He who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.
Philippians 1:6



November 2-Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God;
Isaiah 41:10

Important Dates

10/23	End of 1 st Marking Period
10/23	Outdoor Movie Night
10/26	Picture Makeup Day @10:00
10/28	Open Basketball (Girls Only)
10/30	1/2 day
10/30	Parent teacher conferences (11:30-5)
11/3	Basketball Camp Begins
11/5	Basketball Camp
11/9	Veteran Cemetery Clean Up
11/10	Basketball Camp
11/12	Basketball Camp
11/16-19	Book Fair
11/17	PTL Meeting 5:30 (all invited)
11/17	Basketball Camp
11/19	Basketball Camp
11/23	Thanksgiving Dinner(provided by PTL)
12/10	Christmas Store
12/16	Christmas Program @ church
	Childcare, Preschool, K-8
12/18-1/4	1/2 day. Beginning of Xmas break
12/21-23	Child Care Open (No school age)
12/28-12/30	Child Care Open (No school age)

Safety & Security

Beginning this week, we have some new procedures in place. During the school day, from 8:00-3:05 pm the double wooden doors in the main entrance will be locked. If you come in to pick your child up early for an appointment etc, you will need to pick up the phone and dial 100 or 102. We will ask you to identify yourself and then we will buzz the wooden door open for you. You will still need to ring the bell at door 1 to enter the entry way.



Christmas Store Needs

Its time to start thinking about the Christmas Store! Here are a list of things we are looking for:

- 1.Gently Used Marshall/Tj Max Christmas Bags (the ones for 99 cents by the register)
- 2.New or gently used gifts for women & men

Lunch Menus



Monday 10/26	Pancakes w/sausage
Tuesday	Beef Tacos
Wednesday	Meatballs w/Noodles
Thursday	Chicken noodle soup w/sandwich
Friday	Cheese & Pepperoni Pizza
Monday 11/9	French toast w/sausage
Tuesday	Chicken noodle soup w/sandwich
Wednesday	Chicken Alfredo
Thursday	Mac & Cheese w/nuggets
Friday	Cheese & Pepperoni Pizza

Cougar Code of Conduct

We would like to recognize the following students for their positive contribution to our school.



Graham C-Honor Property

Evelyn L-Honor Property

Olivia H-Honor God, Honor People

Camdyn S-Honor Property

Mrs. Priem-Honor God, Honor People

Jace C-Honor Property

Casey D-Honor Property

Arthur D-Honor Property

We are so proud of our Zion Students.

Cleaning Supply Fundraiser

Monday, October 26th is the last day to turn in your fundraising form and money.

Sell 5 items and you will get to enter the Money Machine!!!



From our Principal...

Exciting Things Are Happening at Zion!

What a great week at Zion! We kicked things off with our first Open Gym, and 22 kids came out to play! Even more exciting, three of the families joined us from other Lutheran schools. It was a wonderful opportunity to meet new parents and students and start building relationships before our combined basketball season begins in February. We're looking forward to working together, cheering each other on, and making some great memories on and off the court!

We also have some exciting news to share! Please join me in giving a big Zion welcome to Crystal Peruski, our new Social Media Director! Crystal brings a wonderful background in public relations from her time working at the Saginaw VA, along with the unique perspective and dedication that come from serving our country in the armed forces. We're also happy to have her daughter participating in our new Homeschool Enrichment Program!

We are thrilled to have Crystal join our Zion family and can't wait to see how she helps us share the amazing things happening at our church and school with the world. From our students' accomplishments to our faith-filled activities and growing programs, there is so much to celebrate at Zion!

As we head into another week, may God continue to bless our students, families, and staff. Thank you for being part of the wonderful things happening here!

God's blessings to you and your family this week!

Basket Ball Information



Open Gym for Basketball

October 28 (3:05-4:00)

Girls only (2nd grade - 6th grade)

Contact Info



website: school.zion@baycity.org



email: schoolsecretary@zionbaycity.org



phone: 989-893-5793

From Pastor Baerwolf

"Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path"; (Psalm 119). We do not always need to see the entire road ahead to take the next faithful step. God's Word gives us light for today. As our children memorize Scripture, we pray that these words will stay with them—not only for a chapel lesson or memory test, but for the moments in life when they need encouragement, direction, comfort, and hope.

If your family does not have a church home, we would love to invite you to come and hear that life-giving Word with us. At Zion, we gather each week to be reminded that Jesus is the Light of the world and the One who leads us. Worship with us Sundays at 9:30 a.m., Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m., or Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. Come as you are and let us walk together in the light of Christ.



Openings

We have openings currently in our Pre-3 Room!

Pre-3 ages are from 3-5 years old! Being potty trained is NOT required!



October & November Birthdays!

Sloane H. – October 29

Beth – November 6



Childcare!

If you have any clothes that your child has outgrown, we would love to have them as extra clothes for our kiddos! A reminder that it is getting cold out and remember to bring jackets and warm clothing for your child!



Child care is open Monday-Friday

7:00 am – 5:30 pm

Before and After Care are available for our

school age students as well.

Rates: Infant/Toddler \$8.00 per hour

$\frac{3}{4}$ year olds \$7.00 per hour

School Before Care: \$10

School After Care: \$15

School Before/After Care same day: \$20

Staff

Principal: Mrs. Reinbold

Administrative Assistant: Ms. Kussro

Child Care Director: Miss Morrow

Lead Infant Teacher: Miss Lexie

Lead Toddler Teacher: Miss Cindy

Lead Pre-3 Teachers: Miss Ally/Miss Madison

Childcare Aides:

Miss Lillian

Miss Anna

Miss Sharon

Miss Hailey

Miss Ava

Miss Ajay

Miss Grace



October 2026

LUNCH MENU

Lunch Price
\$4.25

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 Spaghetti w/meat sauce Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	2 Pizza Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	3
4 French Toast Sausage Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	5 French Toast Sausage Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	6 Nachos w/meat Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	7 Chicken Alfredo Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	8 Mac & Cheese w/chicken nuggets Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	9 Pizza Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	10
11	12 Pancakes w/sausage Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	13 Traveling Tacos w/meat Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	14 Chicken Noodle Soup w/half Sandwich Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	15 Spaghetti w/meat sauce Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	16 Pizza Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	17
18	19 French Toast Sausage Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	20 Nachos w/meat Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	21 Mac & Cheese w/chicken nuggets Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	22 Chicken Alfredo Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	23 Pizza Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	24
25	26 Pancakes w/sausage Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	27 Beef Tacos Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	28 Meatballs w/noodles Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	29 Pizza Fruit/Vegetable Salad & Milk Sub Sandwich	30 Half Day No Lunch Served	31



Updated 10/9/26

October 29 is now Pizza

2026

NOVEMBER



LUNCH MENU

Lunch Price
\$4.25

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 French Toast Sausage Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	3 Chicken Noodle Soup w/half Sandwich Fruit/Vegetable Safed/Milk Sub Sandwich	4 Chicken Alfredo Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	5 Mac & Cheese w/chicken nuggets Fruit/Vegetable Safed/Milk Sub Sandwich	6 Pizza Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	7
8 Pancakes w/Sausage Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	9	10 Nachos w/meat Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	11 Spaghetti w/meatSauce Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	12 Meatballs w/noodles Fruit/Vegetable Safed/Milk Sub Sandwich	13 Pizza Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	14
15	16 French Toast Sausage Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	17 Beef Tacos Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	18 Chicken Alfredo Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	19 Mac & Cheese w/chicken nuggets Fruit/Vegetable Safed/Milk Sub Sandwich	20 Pizza Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	21
22	23 Thanksgiving Dinner for Lunch	24 Pancakes w/Sausage Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich	25 No School	26 No School 	27 No School	28
29	30 French Toast Sausage Fruit/Vegetable Safed & Milk Sub Sandwich					

GIRL SCOUTS

Troop 50596



Where?

Zion Lutheran School, Bay City
1707 S. Kiesel Street

When?

Wednesday, October 28th
@5:30 pm

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of...

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CHARACTER**

...who make the
world a better
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SCHOOL PORTRAITS

2026-2027



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MAKEUP DAY

ZION LUTHERAN - BAY CITY

October 26, 2026

NO PRE-PAY • ONLINE ORDERING ONLY

VERY IMPORTANT

- 1 Orders placed before 11/15/2026 will be delivered to school.
- 2 Orders placed after 11/15/2026 will be subject to reorder pricing, shipping charges and shipped directly to your home.

AFTER pictures are taken you will receive an email to view your child's pictures and order packages.

If you don't receive an email please see alternate option below to view and order:

- Go to www.harbourlightphotography.com
- Click on SCHOOLS
- Gallery: Zion Lutheran Bay City Fall 2026
- Password: Given to you By Zion Bay City
- Email: Type in Your Email

Contact HLP at kimw@harbourlightphotography.com

PACKAGES

PACKAGES

Multiple Background Choices Available Online When Ordering

Deluxe	Most Popular	Basic	Individual Units	Products
Same Background 1 - 8x10 2 - 5x7's 8 - Wallets 1 - Digital Download	Same Background 1 - 8x10 2 - 5x7's 8 - Wallets	Same Background 2 - 5x7's 8 - Wallets	1 - 8x10.....\$15 2 - 5x7\$15 4 - 3.5x5.....\$15 8 Wallets.....\$15 16 Mini Wallets ...\$15	2 - Large Magnets \$15 1 - 10x8 Calendar (Jan-Dec) \$15
\$45 Save \$30	\$35 Save \$10	\$24 Save \$6		

Build Your Own Packages

- NEW**
- Build Your Own Package of 7 Units\$75
Save \$30
 - Build Your Own Package of 5 Units\$55
Save \$20
 - Build Your Own Package of 3 Units\$35
Save \$10

Unit Size Options

- 1 - 8x10
- 2 - 5x7
- 4 - 3.5x5
- 8 Wallets
- 16 Mini Wallets

Option To Choose A Different Background Per Unit

Digital Download

Digital Download \$30
High-Res Image of Individual with
Copyright Release (Emailed to you within 24 Hrs.)

Shipping & Handling \$7.00

Note: Ship to Home Orders - ordered by deadline will be shipped after HLP receives the order at the studio.



Helping uScore On and Off the Field

Liquid Laundry Pacs



2 Gallon Laundry Pacs - 300 Ct - \$65

Liquid Laundry Detergent



5-Gallon Bucket - \$50

Laundry Detergent Sheets



20 Single Loads - 60 Double Sheets - \$35

Scent Booster Beads



1 Gallon Fresh Scent Beads - \$50

Dishwasher Pacs



2 Gallon Dish Pacs - 200 Ct - \$40

Body Wash



1 Gallon Sea Salt - \$30

Handcrafted Soap Bundle



1 Shampoo/1 Conditioner/2 Soap Bars - \$30

Trash Bags - 13 Gal



24 x 28 White Drawstring Bag - 400 Ct - \$60

Trash Bags - 55 Gal



38 x 58 Black Trash Bag - 100 Ct - \$60

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- 300+ Laundry Loads Available
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YOUTH BASKETBALL CAMP

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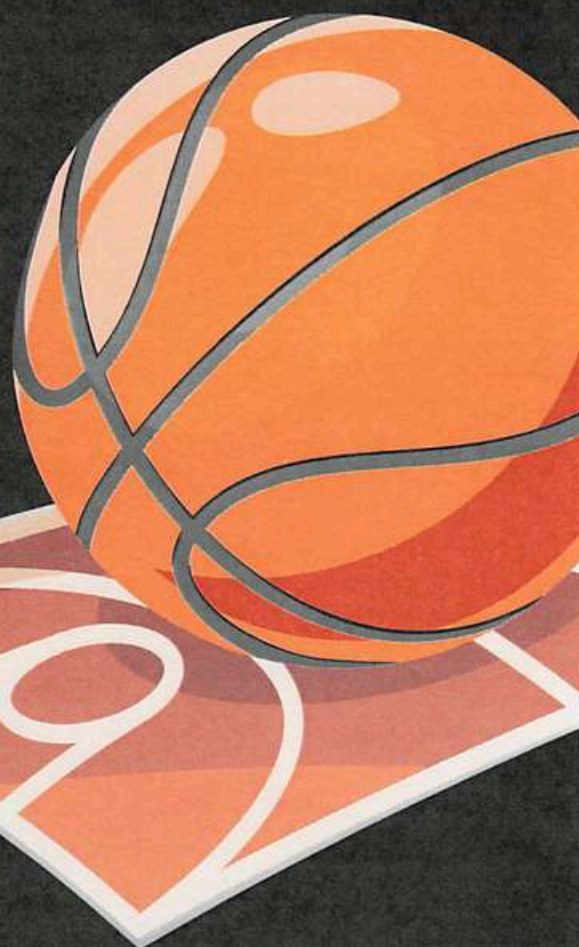
\$65

For one Child

\$110

For two
Children

includes a T-shirt and snacks
Payment due by Nov 3rd



Boys and Girls
ages 4-9

November

Need to be signed up by Oct 29

3rd, 5th, 10th, 12th, 17th, 19th
FROM 3:30-5:00

At Zion Lutheran School

school's number (989)893-5793

1707 S Kiesel St, Bay City, MI 48706

Call Bella Smith at (989)439-6939 for more information



sign up here

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November 16-19

Zion Lutheran School Calendar 2026-2027

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Final Version - 12.18.25

Important Dates

Aug 18-19, CPR, Orientation
Aug 25, 2026, First Day of School
Aug 22, 2026, Open House
June 1, 2027 Field Day
June 4, 2027 Last Day of School

Working Periods

MP 1 Aug 25-Oct 23
MP 2 Oct 23-Jan 22
MP 3 Jan 22-Mar 25
MP 4 Mar 25-Jun 4

Fire Drills: Thursday, 9/17/26, Wednesday, 9/30/26, Tuesday, 10/20/26, Friday, 4/23/27, Wednesday, 5-19-27

Tornado Drills: Thursday, 3/11/27, Wednesday, 4/14/27

Days Off

Sept 4-Sept 7, 2026 Labor Day Weekend
Oct. 30, 2026 Professional Development:
NWEA Training (8 AM - Noon)

Nov 25-27, 2026 Thanksgiving Break

Dec 22-Jan 2, 2026 Christmas Break

Mar 26-Apr 4, 2027 Spring Break:
Good Friday,
Easter/Easter Monday

May 28-31, 2027 Memorial Day Weekend

NWEA Testing Dates

Fall Testing Window: Sept 21-25. Make Up Window: Sept 28 - Oct 2 (Week 4)

Winter Testing Window: Jan 19-22. Make Up Window: Jan 25 - 29

Spring Testing Window: April 19-23. Make Up Window: April 23-30

Opening Chapel on Tuesday, Aug 25. Every Wednesday at 8:15

Staff Meetings 2nd Tuesdays of each month at 3:30

CDSC Board Approved: 2/19/26

Scrip/Raise Right---On Hand Order Form



Place	Amount	Number of Cards	\$Amount
Applebee's			
Arby's	\$10		
Amazon	\$25		
Bob Evan's	\$25		
Buffalo Wild Wings	\$25		
Burger King	\$10		
Cracker Barrel	\$25		
Golden Coral	\$25		
Home Depot	\$25		
Jet's Pizza	\$10		
KFC	\$10		
KFC	\$25		
Latitude 43	\$25		
Meijer	\$25		
Meijer	\$100		
Menards	\$25		
Menards	\$100		
Mister Car Wash	\$10		
Olive Garden (darden)	\$25		
Panda Express	\$25		
Speedway	\$25		
Speedway	\$100		
Starbucks	\$10		
Subway	\$10		
Taco Bell	\$10		
Walmart/Sam's Club	\$25		
Walmart/Sam's Club	\$100		
Wendy's	\$25		

Order form and Payment are due in the church office by noon on the 1st or 15th of each month.

You will be contacted on those days to make arrangements to pick up your order.

TOTAL DUE

Cash or Check # _____

Name: _____	Phone: _____
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