

## **Zion Cares 4 Concord Kids (ZC4CK)**

The ZC4CK fund allows members of the congregation to make financial contributions to a protected fund. This account is held by the school for families that endure financial hardships that prevent their children from attending our school. This financial hardship might be as simple as funding extended care while a family works or providing a month's tuition for a temporary hardship or as extensive as providing a yearlong tuition break for a family that needs it. The funds are distributed by the assigned committee. Please mark your offering envelope ZC4CK or donate online at <https://zionconcord.churchtrac.com/give>

## **The Churches-Stained Glass Windows**

This is an ongoing project where we do one set of windows as funds are raised. The cost per set is \$6,300.00. We currently have \$2000.00 towards the next set.

Online contributions can be made at: <http://zionconcord.churchtrac.com/give>

## **Flowers & Eternal Candle**

Sign-up sheets are posted outside the office. Sign up to honor a loved one or celebrate a special day. The cost for the flowers is \$45.00. If you would like to light the candle in memory of a loved one, the cost is \$10.00.

## **GIFT CARDS**

Need a quick gift? Buy a gift card through the Zion-Concord PTO, and a portion of your purchase supports the school. Gift cards are available in the office or can be ordered through Raise Right. Learn more at <https://links.zionconcord.org/scrip>.

Questions? Contact [pto@zionconcord.org](mailto:pto@zionconcord.org).

## **Teacher Giving Tree**

This year, the school has updated the **Giving Tree** near the front door with which each teacher may wish for extra supplies for their classroom (i.e., to do a special project/ add an enhancement to a chapter of the curriculum, etc.) Teachers have filled out a tag with an item they are wishing for. Simply take a tag, purchase the item, and deliver it to the school office with the tag

### **Work Parties**

The Board of Trustees leads work parties to do minor projects throughout the campus. Things like painting, minor repairs, deep cleaning etc. All skill levels needed! **The parties are on Monday evenings June 1<sup>st</sup> -August 17<sup>th</sup> 2025 with food at 6:00 pm**

## **This Week at Zion May 24th – May 31st, 2026**

### **Sunday**

9:00 am Divine Service -- Pentecost  
10:00 am Coffee Hour – Altar Guild  
10:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Adult Bible Class

### **Tuesday**

7:30 pm Men's Bible Study

### **Wednesday**

7:00 pm Vespers  
7:45 pm Choir Practice

### **Thursday**

6:30 pm Classical School Informational Meeting – Open to families

### **Sunday**

9:00 am Divine Service – Holy Trinity  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation following service  
10:00 am Coffee Hour – School Board  
10:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Adult Bible Class

*Mortgage Balance: \$142,933.39*



*(subject to change) "Please Mark your Calendar as follows."*

### **May:**

May 25 **No School- Memorial Day**  
May 28 **Pre K- Last Day and Early Dismissal**  
May 29 **K-8 ½ Day Early Dismissal**

### **June:**

June 1<sup>st</sup> **Work Parties Start 6 PM**  
June 2<sup>nd</sup> **Family Night Out - Chick-Fil-A**  
June 7 **Picnic Church at 10:00 AM | Picnic to follow**

*Worship*  
**SCHEDULE**  
**Divine Service Schedule**

**Sunday 9:00 AM & Wednesday 7:00 PM**

We are live streaming Sunday at 9:00 am (10:00 am Special Services). Below is the link to view services online. You can also watch it on our Facebook page. The link will also lead you to previous services, buttons to view and/ or print the order of service.

<https://www.zionconcord.org/onlineservices>

**Online Giving**

Your tithes and offerings continue to be very important for the viability of our church and school. Please mail them to the church or use the link for online giving at: <https://www.zionconcord.org/churchtrac>

**Zion Concord Lutheran School**

Enrollment is now open for the 2025-2026 school year! Please go to our website, [zionconcord.org](http://zionconcord.org), to fill out the application for enrollment. Spread the word to family and friends about Zion-Concord Lutheran School. Registration is ongoing for our Preschool.

**Adult Bible Classes**

**Tuesday** Men's Bible Study @ 7:30 pm.

**Saturday** Ladies Bible Studies @ 10:30 am. See or contact Susan Das for any information.

**Sunday** at 10:20 am in the lounge, Pastor Greg will be leading a combined Adult Bible Class

**Bells Practice and Choir Rehearsal**

Bells are off for the summer.

**Wednesday**, Choir Rehearsal from 7:30 pm – 8:30 pm.

If you have any questions, you can contact Kantor Mark Trapp.

**Family Night Out – Chick-Fil-A:**

**June 2nd**, Come support our school, Zion-Concord, by getting food between 5 PM to 8 PM from the **Chick-Fil-A** located at **235 South IL Route 83, Elmhurst, IL 60126**

A portion of amount spent on your meal will go to support Zion-Concord.

To order online, use the mobile code: **ZION26**



**St. Matthew's Looking for Donations**

St. Matthew's Church in Chicago is looking for donations of Men's Coats and also Adult Men's Diapers. If you are interested in making a donation, please drop it off in the church/school office.

**Looking for Volunteers**

Interested in serving on our church council? We are currently looking to fill the Vice-Chariman position. More information can be found on half sheets in the back of church.

If you are interested in serving, please contact the church office at (630) 766-1039 or e-mail the chairman, Jay Witt at [jwitt@zionconcord.org](mailto:jwitt@zionconcord.org).

**Summer Camp Begin at Zion-Concord**

June 1, - August 7, 2026 from 9:00 am- 3:00 pm one time registration fee of \$25.00 and \$199.00 per week. Register Here: [www.zionconcord.org](http://www.zionconcord.org), 630-766-0228, 865 S. Church Road Bensenville, IL. 60106.

We have flyer available, outside the the church and school office.

**9th – 12th Grade program – St. Paul's Brookfield**

St. Paul's Lutheran School in Brookfield, is pleased to announce the opening of its new 9th–12th grade program, extending its Classical Lutheran Education to the high school years starting in the Fall of 2026. Rooted in the pursuit of truth, goodness, and beauty in Jesus Christ, this program equips students with the tools for lifelong learning, thoughtful reflection, and faithful service to others. Students will engage a rich curriculum; including literature, history, science, mathematics, and the arts, all within a Christ-centered environment that nurtures both academic excellence and spiritual growth. Families are invited to explore this unique opportunity to partner in forming young adults grounded in faith, wisdom, and virtue. Contact Principal Kate Thielke for more information: [kthielke@spbrookfield.org](mailto:kthielke@spbrookfield.org).

**Picnic - June 7th**

Our Church Picnic is scheduled for June 7<sup>th</sup>. Church will be outside starting at 10:00 AM. We are looking for volunteers to help with various parts of the day. Please consider signing up for a time slot on the sheet outside of the office.

ATTENTION BAKERS: Our annual auction is part of the picnic again this year. Those interested in making something to add to the auction, please let us know via the sign-up sheet in the hallway outside of the office.

