

MT. ZION



Sunday April 27, 2025

WEEKLY

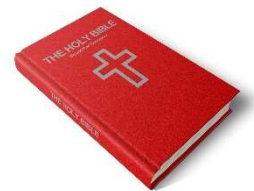
Welcome to Mt. Zion! Our message is rooted in the life, ministry, and teachings of Jesus. We embrace a biblical approach, sharing the "good news" in our daily lives. Join us as we grow in faith and love together!

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.



SATURDAY MAY 3RD 8:00 TIL 2:00 – SPRING FLING
Mt Zion will host a Spring Fling Craft Show & Yard Sale
Also includes a Bake Table, Silent Auction,
Breakfast sandwiches & Lunch available for purchase.
All are invited ... Bring some friends!

As we gather this Sunday for our first week in the journey from Easter to Pentecost, join us for a powerful message, *From Fear to Faith*, based on John 20:19-23. We'll explore how Jesus met His disciples in their fear, offering peace and purpose, and how He does the same for us today. Come expecting encouragement, community, and a fresh reminder that the risen Christ is with you, empowering you to step into His calling. Bring a friend and let's worship together!



Our **NEW VIDEO SHORTS** (4-5 minutes) at: youtube.com/@MountZionUMC-Finksburg
These are not from our Sunday service. See for yourself!



EASTER at Mt. Zion
Thanks to all who attended Easter services.
Both services turned out very nice. The Fellowship and snacks after the 7:00 service were enjoyed by many.

Have you ever noticed the Banners hanging on the back wall of the sanctuary?

Ask a friend to join you for church. Let people know of Mt Zion UMC Finksburg!

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

The March / April 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 that the faithful are supporting the ministry of Mount Zion!



In the "Year 2025" we need \$2154 each week to meet our Operating Expenses (current expenses).
For the year 2025 we are \$3235 BELOW our yearly need.
Our average worship attendance for all of 2025 is 41.5

WHAT'S ON THE SCHEDULE...



- April Ushers: Roger & Megan Davis
- April 30th : Bible Study – 6:30pm in the Social Hall
- May 3rd : Mt Zion Spring Fling – Crafts & Flea Market – 8:00am til 2:00pm.
- May 6th : Church Finance / Trustees Meeting – 7:00pm
- May 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th : Bible Study – 6:30pm in the Social Hall
- May 11th : Fellowship Sunday – Mother's Day
- May 20th : Church Council Meeting – 7:00pm
- June 8th : Mt Zion Anniversary Sunday

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.)

Interested in joining us? If you have not already done so, see Mark Hemler or Pastor Shawn to be added to the list!

We will not be stopping for a meal but we can bring food/snacks on the bus ride and there are concessions at the theatre. All are welcome to participate. See Pastor Shawn for details.

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

If you have not as yet purchased your tickets, please do so soon.

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Church Council Chair: Dan Armacost / Trustees & Finance Chair: Bill Tighe

Usher & Fellowship Coordinators: Becky Knop & Melanie Stranix

*Meet
Our
Staff*



Our lawn was getting a bit tall and the goat was so hungry that we had to let him outside to eat the grass and help keep the lawn mowed. Watch where you step!

SOMEONE, PLEASE, FEED THE GOAT!

Community Service has received approx. \$3,410 in 2025 so far. Thank You.

Have suggestions for what should be featured in the WEEKLY? Let Mark know.