Who We Are

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Refit® Ladies' ONLY
FREE Exercise Class
Thursdays @ 6:00 p.m.
Small Fellowship Hall

Celebrate Recovery®
A CHRIST CENTERED Recovery Program

Mondays
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Celebrate Recovery needs folks willing to serve in a life-changing, hands-on, Christ-centered ministry. If you have "hurts, habits or hang-ups" that need healing, Celebrate Recovery is looking for you! See Kathy Godail or Bro. Toby for information.

ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE
Go to our church website or app and click on the Give link.
www.newzion.net
Pushpay

WELCOME GUESTS!

We're glad you're here! We have nursery for infants through age 3 in the Family Ministry Center. You will receive a pager so you can be notified if needed. Please be sure to return the pager when you pick up your child. Thank you for worshipping with us today. We pray God speaks to your heart. Let us know how we can better serve you.

NURSERY SCHEDULE

Sunday November 22nd

8:00 a.m. Babies	Jamie & Brandon Voth
8:00 a.m. Toddlers	David & Jill Dawsey
10:30 a.m. Babies	Mary Guidry
10:30 a.m. Toddlers	Christy King
5:00 p.m.	**No Service**
6:00 p.m.	**No Service**

Children's Church November 22nd

8:00 a.m.	Josh & Abbey Fauntleroy
10:30 a.m.	Cod Talley & Jan Perry

Wednesday November 25th

NO ACTIVITIES

Sunday, November 29th

8:00 a.m. Babies	Kalinda Fauntleroy
8:00 a.m. Toddlers	Paul & Katie Tosso
10:30 a.m. Babies	Josh & Abbey Fauntleroy
10:30 a.m. Toddlers	Jeannie Janke
5:00 p.m.	**NoService**
6:00 p.m.	**No Service**

Children's Church November 29th

8:00 a.m.	N/A
10:30 a.m.	Cody Talley & Jan Perry

Wednesday December 2nd

N/A

Deacons to Count
November 22nd

Randy Hickman
Noel Maestri
Mark Dufrene

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, November 22nd
Worship Service 8:00 a.m.
Life Groups (all ages) 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
NO EVENING ACTIVITIES

Monday, November 23rd
Refit Ladies Exercise Class (SFH) 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Celebrate Recovery 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Tuesday November 24th
Ladies' Exercise Class (FMC) 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday November 25th
NO ACTIVITIES
CHURCH OFFICE CLOSES AT NOON

Thursday November 26th
HAPPY THANKSGIVING!
CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Friday November 27th
CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Sunday, November 29th
Worship Service 8:00 a.m.
Life Groups (all ages) 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
NO EVENING ACTIVITIES

Life Groups Attendance November 15th : 230

Tithes & Offerings

Sunday, November 15st 2026	**Weekly**	**Year-to-Date**
Weekly Offering Required for budget	$ 16,934.65	$778,993.90
Total Offering Given 11-8-26	$ 15,198.01	$772,680.46
Lottie Moon Missions Offering Goal	**$ 8,000.00**	
Missions given to date	**$ 5,395.65**	
Long Range Planning including **Building Fund** on hand	**$173,702.27**	
Playground Fund on hand	**$ -14,394.79**	



CRADLE TO CROSS PERFORMERS

Please pick up your Cradle to the Cross Costumes this morning between 9:00 am and 12:00 pm. Family Ministry Center, upstairs room 211.

THANK YOU!

Upcoming Meetings, Opportunities & Special Events

Sat. & Sun. Dec. 5th & 6th @ 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.....Cradle to the Cross
Thurs. Dec. 10th @ 6:00 p.m. .....WOM Christmas Pajama Party (SFH)
Fri. Dec. 11th @ 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.....Youth Pancake & Pajama Gift Exchange
Sunday, Dec. 13th @ 10:30 a.m.....Christmas Musical
Sunday, Dec. 13th 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m..... .....Children's Christmas Party
Thursday, Dec. 24th @ 5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.--------Candlelight Lord's Supper Service

POINSETTIAS

Orders are now being accepted for poinsettias, which will be placed in the church throughout the Christmas season. They can be purchased in honor or in memory of someone. The cost is $13 per plant. The order forms are on the table in the church foyer and are due by December 2nd.
If you have any questions see Beth Price.

Come Experience a live presentation of Jesus' life!



Saturday & Sunday December 5th and 6th
6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.



See the story of Jesus unfold from the comfort of your car with people, live animals, authentic costumes and vivid scenery.



"What We Need To Know To Make Us Thankful"
Psalm 100
SERMON NOTES

I. His C_____ to us (vs. 1-2)

A. S_____ to Him. (vs. 1)
1. W_____ we are to do - joyfully shout and speak to to the Lord.
2. W_____ is to do it - "all ye lands"- everyone

B. S_____ the Lord. (vs. 2a) - "with gladness" (1 John 5:3)
1. The M_____- serve the Lord
2. To M_____- with gladness - do it joyfully - Christ in us

C. S_____the Lord (vs. 2b) - "come before His presence with singing" (Matthew 6:33

II. His C_____to us about Himself (vs. 3)

He reveals Himself to us.

A. He communicates so that we can know Him
P_____. (vs. 3a; Psalm 23:1)
"know ye that the Lord He is God"

B. He communicates His P_____ to us (vs.3b)
He made us, created us, sustains us. As believers, He's ours. (1 Corinthians 6:19-20)

C. He communicates that we are His P_____
(vs.3c). His people and sheep of His pasture
He provides for us and protects us.(1 Peter 2:9; Psalm 95:7; John 15:16)

III. His C_____ to us (vs.4)

A. The A_____ we are to take - "Enter into His gates"..."and into His courts"- Come to worship Him - the gates and courts in the temple.
1. The P_____ - the house of God, the church (Hebrews 10:25)
2. The P_____ - from the outer gates to the inner courts - draw closer to God - (James 4:8)

B. Our A_____ as we enter
1. With Gratitude - "with thanksgiving"
"Be thankful unto Him" - for the privilege of worship.
2. G_____ Him - with praise, "bless His Name"

IV. His C_____ (vs. 5)

A. His C_____ - "For the Lord is Good"
That's Who He is. Good in all things.

B. His C_____ to us - "His mercy is everlasting"
Neverending mercy

C. His C_____ - "His truth endureth to all generations"
The Bible is truth. Jesus is truth. (John 14:6)

The weekly bulletin & past sermons are available on-line at www.newzion.net.
If you would like a FREE copy of a sermon, please see a sound technician or Bro. Toby.
If you have information to be included in the Church bulletin, please submit to the office or e-mail to newzion@newzion.net by Wednesday afternoon.

November 22nd, 2026
Worship Services
8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m

Prelude		Pianist
Call to Worship	**"Goodness of God"**	
Welcome & Ministry Opportunities		Bro. David
Lottie Moon International Mission Offering		Promo Video
Invocation		Bro. David

FELLOWSHIP TIME

Fellowship Hymn	**"He Has Made Me Glad"** **"Give Thanks"** **"Forever"**	Led by Adult Choir
Offertory Hymn No. 644	**"Count Your Blessings"**	

Worship through giving His tithes and our offerings.

Offertory Praise	**"Have Your Way"**	Miss Jadyn Wood

****Dismiss Children's Church (ages 4-2nd grade)****

Today's Message: **"What We Need To Know To Make Us Thankful"** Bro. Clark

Psalm 100

Hymn of Response No. 320	"**Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus**"	
Benediction		
Postlude		Pianist

NO EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE



LADIES' EXERCISE CLASS -
Tuesdays & Fridays @ 9:00 a.m. (FMC)

NO CLASS FRIDAY NOVEMBER 26th

Weights, Bands, Balls (Water Bottles/Soup Cans! Bring what you have) Work at your own pace and stregnth level. ALL ages Welcomed!



NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

November 22, 2026