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Our mission: We gather in faith to worship Jesus as Lord, grow through grace, and share the good news of Jesus Christ Our vision: to be a community of faith who follows Christ, loves one another and ministers to the needs of others

Today, 2:00 pm: Graduation at Kulm School. Congratulations to all the graduates, especially Braeden and Addison.

June 2-5, 5:30-8:00 pm Community Vacation Bible School at Kulm School. Anyone willing to help is asked to contact Andrea or Casey. They will gladly give you an opportunity! There is a cost this year of \$20 per student. We would like to defray the cost for the students. There is a basket on the hall table where donations may be left. Thank you!

Zion is looking for a church custodian. It is a paid position. Please contact President Neal Berntson if interested. His number is 701-269-5057. If you are willing to help out temporarily, please contact Neal.

## Introduction

Easter initiates a new day. It anticipates a new heaven and a new earth. The risen Christ is making all things new. In the mystery of holy baptism God has made new people of us. Today Jesus invites us to see everyone in a new light—through the lens of love.

## Psalm 148

Hallelujah! Praise the Lord | from the heavens; praise God | in the heights.

- <sup>2</sup> Praise the Lord, | all you angels; sing praise, all you | hosts of heaven.
- <sup>3</sup> Praise the Lord, | sun and moon; sing praise, all you | shining stars.
- <sup>4</sup> Praise the Lord, heav-| en of heavens, and you waters a-| bove the heavens.
- <sup>5</sup> Let them praise the name | of the Lord, who commanded, and they | were created,
- <sup>6</sup> who made them stand fast forev- | er and ever, giving them a law that shall not | pass away.
- <sup>7</sup> Praise the Lord | from the earth, you sea monsters | and all deeps;
- <sup>8</sup> fire and hail, <sup>1</sup> snow and fog, tempestuous wind, do-<sup>1</sup> ing God's will;
  - <sup>9</sup> mountains | and all hills, fruit trees | and all cedars;
- <sup>10</sup> wild beasts | and all cattle, creeping things and | flying birds;
- <sup>11</sup> sovereigns of the earth | and all peoples, princes and all rulers | of the world;
  - $^{12}\,\text{young}^{\,\mid}$  men and maidens, old and  $^{\mid}\,\text{young together.}$
- <sup>13</sup> Let them praise the name | of the Lord, whose name only is exalted, whose splendor is over | earth and heaven.
- <sup>14</sup> The Lord has raised up strength for the people and praise for all | faithful servants,
- the children of Israel, a people who are near the Lord. | Hallelujah!