



# *The Saltshaker*

June 2026

Kokomo Zion Church

Pastor Keith Chanley

Josiah Queen, along with Brandon lake, has a song called "Can't Steal My Joy." <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qiAw7an2opU> In the song there is a line "What the world couldn't give, no it can't take away". It got me to thinking about what else does the world try to steal from us that it can't? Perhaps another way to think about it would be what other attributes does Christ give us in our relationship with him that the devil tries to steal but has no authority to take? Now, we can give them away but they cannot be stolen from us. So, we are going to be spending a few weeks, starting on Father's Day, examining those attributes. They are (this is not an exhaustive list of all Christ gives us by any means), joy, peace, hope, power, growth, forgiveness, grace, and movement. Being aware of what it means to have a life of these attributes will help us be prepared against the devil's attempts to cheapen our lives and make them less than what Christ intends for us. Don't let the enemy take from you what he has not given.



### **Fish and Tenderloin Supper**

Although summer is just beginning preparations are underway for our annual Fish and Tenderloin Supper which will be on **Sept 26, 2026**.

The missions committee recently decided that this year's proceeds will go to the Kokomo Rescue Mission's building fund (90%) and the Urban Outreach UP program (10%).

As a reminder, last year's supper raised over \$21,000 profit. Can we do it again?

Regardless of whether we match it or not, we are praying for another successful mission event



**June 23 from 12:00—4:00 there will be a blood drive at Kokomo Zion Church.**

The drive is sponsored by Versiti (Blood Center of Indiana). All of the blood donated that day will go to the two hospitals in Kokomo. You can use the following link to make an appointment to donate blood. Please tell you friends and neighbors. They are welcome to come and donate as well.

[https://donateblood.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive\\_schedule/11638400](https://donateblood.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/11638400)



**June 28th @ 3pm,**

**An Afternoon of Worship**

Join Matt, Zion Choir, orchestra, and friends in an afternoon of worship through hymns, praise songs, and anthems.

**MATT'S CONCERT**  
**June 26th @ 7:00 pm**  
**The Music of America**  
Celebrating the 250th anniversary  
of our country's founding.  
This is his monthly concert at  
Kokomo Zion Church.  
Notice the day and time change.



**Scripture Sisters are on break until July**

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My father didn't do anything unusual. He only did what dads are supposed to do—be there.

- Max Lucado



**HAPPY FATHER'S**

Saturday, June 27th at 1:00 pm

Benefit Concert

It will be held at Main Street UMC. Sally Duke, Matt Gerhard, and others will perform a concert to benefit Kokomo Urban Outreach.