



## Upcoming Events & Happenings

### 2018 Holiday Simply Give Campaign

Ionia Meijer has partnered with the Zion Methodist Church Food Pantry to fill the shelves for those in need of a meal during the upcoming season. The “2018 Holiday Simply Give Campaign” will host a special Double Match Day on Friday, December 7th at the Ionia Meijer location. For every \$10 you give, Meijer will DOUBLE your donation and provide \$20. So...every \$10 donation you make on December 7th will become \$30. Why stop at \$10? Donate \$20, \$30, \$40 or more and watch it GROW!

All funds will be used for food products in the Zion Food Pantry that assist over 200 families each month. The Soup Kitchen feeds up to 60 individuals each week. The total cost for the Food Pantry services can reach \$7,000 per month. This is why your generous donation on December 7th is so very important. Stop by Meijer on Friday, December 7th and “pay it forward” with a donation. Your gift will be a helping hand to families in need of a warm meal this Christmas Season. If you are unable to make a donation on December 7th at Meijer, the regular campaign runs until December 29th where they will match dollar for dollar. Stop by our community partnering Meijer and ask about the “Holiday Simply Give Campaign.” The Zion Food Pantry cannot maintain this special cause without YOUR support. What better way to give back to the community we live in! Mark your calendar today as a reminder!

### County Concert at the Ionia Theatre

Country recording artist William Michael Morgan will perform live at the Ionia Theatre on Sunday, December 9th. Doors open at 4pm and the concert kicks off at 5pm. Tickets are priced at \$40 for reserved seating and \$25 for general admission. You won't want to miss this Nashville recording artist as he performs his #1 hits. For more information, visit [www.ionia-theatre.com](http://www.ionia-theatre.com)

### Wreaths Across America

The Civil Air Patrol will be hosting a wreath laying ceremony in honor of the fallen on December 15th at 11:50am in the Chapel of Sunset Memorial Gardens located on South State Road (across from Meijer). Members of the community are welcome to attend. For more information, contact Major Shawna Hoekstra at (616) 430-1348.

