



# Announcements

October 28, 2018

Our Mission: To be a living example of the love of Jesus Christ.

## Welcome to Hope Lutheran Church!

If you are a guest this morning, please notice the staff and lay leaders wearing identification badges. They will be able to assist you with any concerns. For the hearing impaired: place your hearing aids on the "T" switch for direct audio input during the service. Large-print bulletins are also available from one of the ushers. Gluten-free communion wafers are available—just let the pastor know if that's what you prefer. Please join us this morning between services in the Lounge for coffee and refreshments.

We encourage children to participate in worship, however a staffed **NURSERY** is available for children through 3 years old during both worship services and faith formation time. The Nursery is located to the right of the Chancel (church front).

## MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO...

*Please indicate your next step on the back of Today's Connection Card and place in the offering plate. Take home this announcements page to serve as your reminder in the week ahead.*

- Re-read the Scripture found in John 14:23-29
- Contribute food for Backpacks of Hope
- Pray for Salem's Trunk or Treat tonight
- RSVP for Consecration Sunday

### Daylight Savings Time

Remember to turn back your clocks Saturday night and join us in worship at the new 10:00 am



### Sunday Morning Faith Formation Opportunities (10:10-10:50)

**Disciples in Training** is for all children ages 3 years old through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. This year's theme is Finding Jesus (meets starting at 10am in downstairs classrooms)

**Think. Believe. Do.** (TBD) is our new youth discussion for 7th grade – 8th grade in the Confirmation room upstairs.

**Wired Word** discusses current events in a Scriptural framework and how the Scriptures provide guidance to being in the world. (Meets in the library)

**Men's Group** is a place for men of all ages to gather in the Word and fellowship. Their current topic is Dialogues: Refugees. (Upper Room, use stairs by the Sanctuary)

**Women's Group** is starting a Bible study called "Looking for Lovely, Collecting the Moments that Matter" by Annie Downs. Please bring your Bible. (Chapel of Grace across from Family Lounge).

## Sermon Series



### Living Generously

What did Jesus mean when He said, "Whoever loses his life for My sake will find it?" How often do we stop to consider the commitment Christ expects? He's not talking about writing a check or checking a box, but living a life that is completely focused on giving to others that which He has so graciously given to us.

This sermon series is different than others we have done. It includes a series of films that tells the story of the Donovan family as they seek to understand what it means to live the words of Jesus. Each week we will see a glimpse of their journey as they take risks, experience suffering and joy, and find themselves transformed by the call of Jesus.

### November 4th Consecration Sunday

Our Living Generously series will culminate on Sun Nov 4, Consecration Sunday. On that day, we will have **one service at 10:00 a.m.**, followed by a catered luncheon at 11:30 a.m. This will be your opportunity to demonstrate your generosity by returning your 2019 Estimate of Giving Card.

We will finish the church year by looking to Jesus for instructions in our prayer. Beginning on November 11<sup>th</sup> we will spend 3 weeks looking at Jesus modeling prayer and how as disciples we can pray like Jesus.



- November 11 Matthew 6:5-15
- November 18 Luke 6:12-16
- November 25 Mark 14:32-42

## Prayers

Christian Sympathy is extended to Diane Barnes on the death of her son, David. Condolences can be sent to Diane at 436 Harvest Court, Waterville OH 43556



## TODAY'S MINISTERS

**READER** 11:00 Scott Elston

**WORSHIP ASSISTANT** 11:00

**TELLERS** John Day

**Crucifer** Chloe Roehrig

**WELCOME Team** 9:00 David Guy & Joan Knestrick  
Jim & Margaret Hentges  
Julia Peuhl

11:00 Freda Baum,  
Carol Meuser

**COMMUNION ASSISTANTS** 9:00 Jacob Henry  
11:00 Paul & Sally Ravas

**Announcements:**

**The Altar Flowers** are given by Jack & Sarah Puffenberger in honor of Libby Puffenberger's 10th birthday. The red rose on the altar is in celebration of Ralph Kunze's 93rd birthday. Happy Birthday Libby and Ralph!

**Backpacks of Hope** We are providing backpacks of food for 18 students in need at Old Orchard Elementary. We are in need of peanut butter (no larger than 16 oz), cans of tuna, cans of spaghetti or baked beans, fruit or applesauce cups, or Easy Mac. Donations can be placed on the white shelves across from the family lounge.

**Lunches with Luther** Tuesday we begin a new three week series on the Old Testament Wisdom Literature. We will look at Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, and Job. All are welcome. We bring a sack lunch and begin eating at noon and the lesson starts at 12:30 PM.

**Bead for Life** Sunday morning, Nov 18, BeadforLife, is coming to Hope with their beautiful fair-trade jewelry. Kim Whetstone, will have a wide variety of lovely jewelry (created from hand-rolled paper beads) and other products made by hard-working Ugandan women. Proceeds from the sale will support BFL's goal of empowering one million women in developing countries, by 2027.

**Blue Holidays Service** Advent Lutheran Center (Corner of McCord & Sylvania) is hosting a Blue Holidays service Sunday November 18th 2:00-4:00. See Carol Meuser for more information.

**Concert featuring Abby Paskvan** November 18th 4:00-5:00, Hope is pleased to host Abby Paskvan, 2013 Christian Country Female Artist of the Year. See Miriam Wilson for more information.

**Attention Guardian Angels** Our guardian angel letters went out adults this past week. If you were expecting to receive a letter and have not received one by the end of the week, please be in touch with Sue Scott at [suescott427@gmail.com](mailto:suescott427@gmail.com) or (419) 277-0213.

**HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM**

- Ministers:** The Members of Hope
- Senior Pastor:** Kevin Maxey, (Home 567-288-2072) [pastorkevin@hopetoledo.net](mailto:pastorkevin@hopetoledo.net)
- Associate Pastor:** Kristin Hunsinger, [pastorkristin@hopetoledo.net](mailto:pastorkristin@hopetoledo.net)
- Organist/Pianist:** Matt Raisky, [mraisky@hopetoledo.net](mailto:mraisky@hopetoledo.net)
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- Financial Secretary:** Peggy Miller, [pmiller@hopetoledo.net](mailto:pmiller@hopetoledo.net)
- Custodians:** Mike Hoskins and Nick Zurawski
- Children's Ministry:** *Currently Hiring*

Looking Ahead

Nov 4 Consecration Sunday  
(One worship at 10:00 am)

Nov 18 Bead for Life  
Blue Holidays Service  
Concert: Abby Paskvan

Nov 21 7pm Thanksgiving Eve  
Worship

Dec 15 Siberian Solstice Concert

**This Week at Hope: October 28–November 3**

**TODAY** 9:00 am Contemporary Worship  
10:00 am Disciples in Training in Downstairs Classrooms  
10:00 am Adult Spiritual Formation  
11:00 am Traditional Worship  
12:15pm Vision, Management, Finance Teams in Lounge

**MON** 11:00 am Staff Meeting in Lounge  
7:00 pm Collaboration in Choir Room  
7:30 pm Alanon in Basement

**TUES** 12:00 pm Lunches with Luther in Lounge  
8:30 pm AA in Larson Hall

**WED** 12:45 pm Wiley Home

**THURS** 7:00 am Bible Study in Library  
6:30 pm Endowment Team in Library

**FRI** 8:00 pm AA in Larson Hall

**SAT**

**SUN** Day Light Savings Time Ends  
10:00 am One Worship for Consecration Sunday  
11:15 pm Luncheon in Larson Hall



**SERVICES LIVE ON THE INTERNET**

You can listen or watch live via [www.hopetoledo.net/equipping/listenlivepodcast](http://www.hopetoledo.net/equipping/listenlivepodcast)

**PARKING:** Indian Road parking lot is designated for disabled and seniors. Please be considerate by parking in the Secor Road parking lot, on Bancroft Street or the angle parking spaces on Indian Road.



**SUNDAY WORSHIP:** 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Service | 10:10 a.m. Spiritual Development | 11 a.m. Traditional Service

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