



Announcements

March 31, 2019

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

Welcome to Hope Lutheran Church!

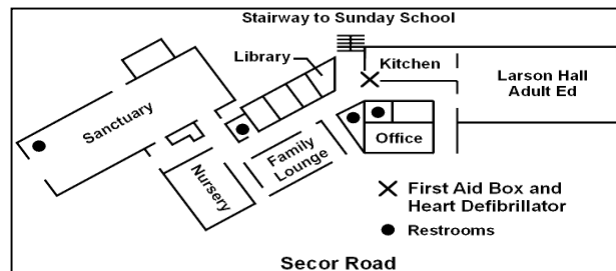
- If you are a guest this morning, please notice the staff and lay leaders wearing identification badges. They will be able to assist you.
- For the hearing impaired: place your hearing aids on the "T" switch for direct audio input
- Large-print bulletins are also available from a member of the Welcome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

We encourage children to participate in worship, however if needed, 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 Matthew 25:1-13
- Spend 10 minutes making a list of distractions
- Identify one way you can serve while you wait.
- Invite a friend or neighbor to Easter worship.



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

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

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)

Alpha is a video series on the essentials of Christianity. The group is open to men & women of all ages to gather in the Word and fellowship. (Upper Room, use stairs by the Sanctuary).

Women's Group is using 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).

Lent at Hope:

Sunday Sermon Series:

Every time we pray the Lord's prayer, we pray, "Your kingdom come," but do we really stop to think about what that means? What does God's kingdom really look like? Is it what we expect? Each week we will reveal a little bit more of exactly what this kingdom really is.



- March 31 – Ready?
- April 7 — Say What?
- April 14 (Palm Sunday) – Who is this?
- April 18 (Maundy Thursday) -What's in this?
- April 19 (Good Friday) – Is it Finished?

Wednesday Lenten Schedule Beginning March 13, Wednesday evenings during Lent will include fellowship, reflection and worship.

- 5:00-6:20: Dinner in Larson Hall for all
- 5:45: Children's Choir in Choir Room
- 6:00: Confirmation in Co-op Room
- 6:20: Meditative Music in Sanctuary
- 6:30-7:00: Worship in Sanctuary for all
- 7:00-7:45: First Communion Class in Family Lounge
- 7:00: Adult Choir in Choir Room



Prayers

Hope's prayer team is pleased to join you in the prayers that you write on the back of the Connection Card.



College Student: Leo Lowry, 704 Hoyt Hall, Oakwood St, Ypsilanti, MI 48197

Healing: Juanita Lease, Nancy Herring

TODAY'S MINISTERS

READER

WORSHIP ASSISTANT Scott Elston

TELLERS Tim Rothfuss
Jakob Wenman

WELCOME Team 9:00 John & Nancy Salsbury
Jack & Sarah Puffenberger
Sarah Lavrich
11:00 Joyce Moore,
Nancydee Maxey

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS 9:00 Julia Peuhl
11:00

Announcements:

Guardian Angel Tea May 5

All children in Disciples in Training and all Guardian Angels are invited to the annual Guardian Angel Tea on Sunday, May 5 at 10am in Larson Hall. If you are in DIT or Guardian Angel, please RSVP to Sue Scott at suescott427@gmail.com to confirm you are attending or with regrets. We are also looking for a few volunteers who are not Guardian Angels to help that day. If you can help, please contact Pastor Kristin.

Vacation Bible School June 17-21 9:00am – 12:15pm

Registration is officially open for our Vacation Bible School this summer! (Go to HopeToledo.net and click on the announcement page). We are so excited for children to see the wonders of God's universe and explore where God's power can take them! Children age 3 through those who completed 4th grade are invited. Older youth and adults are encouraged to volunteer by contacting Katie (kdumproff@hopetoledo.net) or Pastor Kristin (pastorkristin@hopetoledo.net).



Easter Invitations

Who might you invite to hear the great news of Easter? Think of who you can invite to join you as we celebrate on Easter morning. Invitations are available to help you make your personal invitation easy and memorable.



Easter Sunday April 31, 2010
© Urban Contemporary Services & 10 Urban Traditional Services
10:00-11:00am Santee Branch

Keeping the Backpacks of Hope Pantry Stocked

We are currently in need of cans of soup, Easy Mac, cans of pasta, and applesauce/ fruit cups. Donations can be left on the white shelves across from the nursery. Thanks to anyone who supports this ministry and prays for the students and staff at Old Orchard Elementary.

Lunches with Luther

Lunches with Luther begins a new study, by Bishop Beaudoin this week. It is a great time to join or check it out. We meet in the family lounge from noon – 1:30. Bring your Bible and a sack lunch.



Sermon on the Mount

Daily Scripture Reading

March 31:	1 Samuel 15-17	April 3:	1 Samuel 25-27	April 6:	2 Samuel 4-7
April 1	1 Samuel 18-20	April 4:	1 Samuel 28-31		
April 2:	1 Samuel 21-24	April 5:	2 Samuel 1-3		

HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM

Ministers: The Members of Hope

Senior Pastor: Kevin Maxey, (Home 567-288-2072) pastorkevin@hopetoledo.net

Associate Pastor: Kristin Hunsinger, pastorkristin@hopetoledo.net

Organist/Pianist: Matt Raisy, mraisky@hopetoledo.net

Music Director: Gail Mowry, gmowry@hopetoledo.net

Office Manager: Jennifer Bailey, jbailey@hopetoledo.net

Financial Secretary: Peggy Miller, pmiller@hopetoledo.net

Custodians: Mike Hoskins and Nick Zurawski

Children & Family Ministry: Katie Dumproff, kdumproff@hopetoledo.net

Vision Team President: Mark Scott

Management Team Chair: Ron Ranallo

Looking Ahead

April 3, 10
5:00 pm Midweek Lenten Meal
6:30 pm Worship

April 14 Palm Sunday

April 18 Maundy Thursday worship
7:00 pm

April 19 Good Friday worship noon
& 7:00 pm

April 21 Easter Worship 9:00 &
11:00 am
Easter Breakfast 10:00 am

Stephen Ministers are congregation members trained by Stephen Leaders to offer high-quality, one-to-one Christian care to people going through tough times. For more information, please call us in the office 419-536-8383



SERVICES LIVE ON THE INTERNET

You can listen or watch live via www.hopetoledo.net/equipping/listenlivepodcast

This Week at Hope: March 31– April 7

- TODAY** 9:00 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Disciples in Training Downstairs Classrm
10:10 am Adult Spiritual Formation
11:00 am Traditional Worship
- MON** 11:00 am Staff Meeting in Lounge
7:00 pm Collaboration in Sanctuary
7:30 pm Alanon Downstairs
- TUES** 12:00 pm Lunches with Luther in Family Lounge
7:00 pm Vision Team
8:30 pm AA in Larson Hall
- WED** 5:00 pm Lenten Dinner in Larson Hall
5:45 pm Children's Choir in Choir Room
6:00 pm Confirmation in Co-op Room
6:30 pm Lenten Worship
7:00 pm Adult Choir in Choir Room
7:00 pm First Communion Class in Lounge
- THURS** 7:00 am Bible Study in Library
- FRI** 8:00 pm AA in Larson Hall
- SAT**
- SUN** 9:00 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Disciples in Training Downstairs Classrm
10:10 am Adult Spiritual Formation
11:00 am Traditional Worship

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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