

JULY EVENTS

July 13-15
Summer in the City

July 30
Summer Breakfast Fellowship

July 30-August 4
Intergenerational Mission Trip

LOOKING AHEAD

August 19
Hope Summer Picnic

August 27
Summer Breakfast Fellowship

September 10
God's Work. Our Hands. Sunday

December 9-10
Night in Bethlehem



Hope is now a
Stephen Ministry
Congregation.

HOPE SUMMER PICNIC: AUG. 19

Hope is having a picnic on Saturday, August 19 from 2:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Members, guests and friends of all ages are invited to gather for a picnic, swimming, games and lots of fun. Feel free to drop in for as long as you can. There is both a pool and pond (with a beach) for swimming and plenty of space for outdoor games. A main dish of pulled pork, hot dogs, and bratwurst will be provided and served around 5:00 p.m. You are encouraged to bring a side dish, salad or dessert to share. Water and lemonade will be provided. Other drinks are BYOB and we ask that you please drink responsibly. So bring a blanket or a lawn chair (and any flotation aids for children) and join us for some end-of-summer fun!



- Date: Saturday August 19 from 2:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (Rain date Aug. 20, same time)
- Location: 5843 Bucher Road, Whitehouse, OH 43571
- RSVPs are encouraged to the office (office@hopetoledo.net) by August 11

PSALM SERMON SERIES

From the beginning of life, sunrise, to the very end of life, sunset, there is a psalm that speaks to the experience of life. The psalms include praise, thanks, trust and even cries of anguish. Praying through the psalms has been a practice of disciples from the very earliest days of the church. Each week, we will connect another psalm to the experience between sunrise and sunset.

7/02	Cry of Sorrow	Psalm 13
7/09	Trusting the Shepherd	Psalm 23
7/16	Saying Thanks	Psalm 30
7/23	Called to Praise	Psalm 150



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

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YOUTH NEWS

Cooking Q&A | July 9, 4:00-6:00 p.m.



High school youth are invited to learn some basic cooking skills and make dinner together. Mona Pupos will be offering kitchen tips and cooking (including her mac & cheese) for youth to feel more comfortable cooking for themselves at

home or as they head off to college. Feel free to bring a friend. RSVP to Pastor Kristin at pastorkristin@hopetoledo.net to make sure we have enough food. If there is enough interest, we will set another time.

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LOCAL MISSIONS

There is still time and space to sign up for our in-town mission "trip," as we join youth from around the synod to serve with leaders at Salem and Redeemer Lutheran Churches. This will be a daytime-only event – from

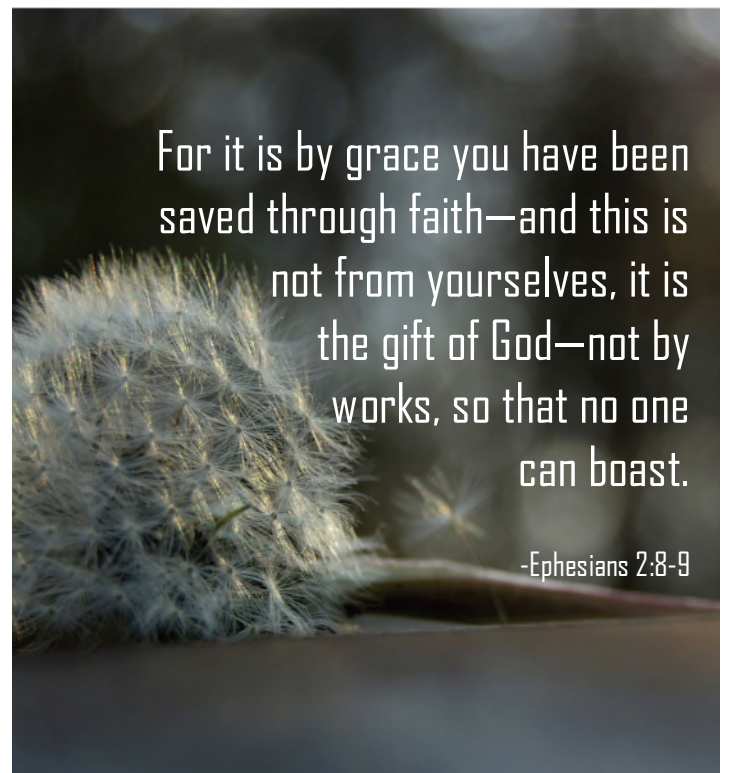
around breakfast time to early evening July 13 & 14, and until early afternoon July 15. Come one, two or all three days. This is open to youth who have completed grades 7-12. Sign up with Pastor Kristin at pastorkristin@hopetoledo.net

WV INTERGENERATIONAL MISSION TRIP



Have you thought about spending time getting to know other members of Hope? Wondering if there are ways for you to serve those in need? Need a break from your normal routine and surroundings? Then consider joining Scott Elston and other

members of Hope as they travel to St. Albans, West Virginia. The group will be partnering with the West Virginia Ministry of Advocacy and Workcamps, which has a mission to offer the opportunity for discipleship by partnering with those in need whose lives have been devastated by natural disasters or by the disaster of poverty in areas of West Virginia. The cost of the trip is \$400 (scholarship funds are available) and the deadline to register is July 11. Contact Scott Elston for more details or call the office to secure your spot on the trip!



For it is by grace you have been saved through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast.

-Ephesians 2:8-9

LUTHERAN CRAWL



The Northwestern Ohio Synod has organized two opportunities to celebrate the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation this year. Reformation 500 Crawl Saturdays, July 29 and October 21, 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Travel to different locations throughout our Synod

to experience unique presentations celebrating 500 years of our Lutheran heritage! Hope will be hosting one of the presentations as Pam Stover provides a mini concert of Reformation music. More information is available on the Synod's 500th Reformation website (<http://nwos500.org/>) as well as the bulletin board in the stairway landing leading up to the choir room.

MONTHLY SUMMER BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP



Once again this summer we invite everyone to join once a month in a time of fellowship and hospitality. We had a great time when we gathered on June 25 and look forward to seeing everyone two more times this summer! We will meet in Larson Hall between services for a light breakfast the last Sunday of each month: **July 30 and August**

27. If you are interested in helping provide donations toward the meal or serve the meal, contact Mona Pupos.

