

ANNOUNCEMENTS



The world characterizes the role of the prophets as predicting the future. However in the Bible, nothing could be further away from reality for a prophet. Prophets were messengers called by God to bring a message from God to the people. The role of prophet often meant bringing a challenging message from God to God's people. No doubt some of the prophets responded to God's call with, "Say What?" In July we will hear from four of the prophets.

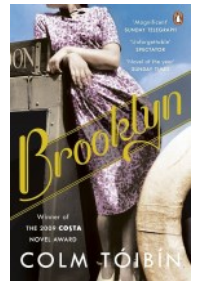
07/14/24	Amos	Amos 7:7-15
07/21/24	Jeremiah	Jeremiah 23:1-6
07/28/24	Elisha	2 Kings 4:42-44

Hope Book Club

July 17 at 2pm

Brooklyn by Colm Toibin

Ellis Lacey struggles to find work in post-WWII Ireland when an Irish Priest offers to sponsor Ellis in America.



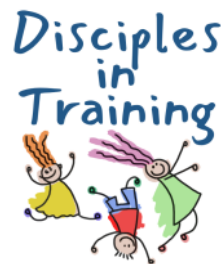
Together in Change

Thursday, July 18 at 11:30am—Old Bag of Nails

Please RSVP with Helen Jodouin. Our main purpose is to get folks together who have experienced the loss of a significant other. Attendees don't have to be a member of Hope Church.

Disciples In Training

We are looking for a teacher for our 4th-6th grade Disciples in Training classroom! We supply the curriculum that tells you exactly what you need to do and how to do it. If you are interested, please contact Pam at pferrara@hopetoledo.net. It does not have to be every week. DIT starts back up in the Fall, Sunday, September 15th!



Better Together: Faith Communities United for Toledo Pride



Hope is joining over 25 faith communities from around Toledo in "Better Together" this August to walk together in the Toledo Pride Parade downtown on August 24 at Noon. By walking together we join with others as safe, welcoming, and affirming communities that are rooted in love and hope. If you are interested in walking in the parade or in joining other to attend the parade, check out our website for a link to our interest form. Fill out the interest form for a link to T shirt orders. Purchasing a t-shirt is optional, but know **sales end July 22.**

Summer Breakfast

Once again this summer we invite everyone to join in a time of fellowship and hospitality over a delicious breakfast. We will meet in the Nest between services for a continental style breakfast on July 28th. If you are interested in helping provide donations toward the meal, please contact Mona Pupos.



Thank You Mike!

We want to extend heartfelt thanks to Mike Hoskins who continues to go above and beyond for our building and our ministries. He helped cleaning up after VBS while juggling other events happening here at Hope on top of all the maintenance that he's been overseeing. He's really a wonder, and we're so grateful for his help.

Today's Worship Volunteers

9:00am Welcome Team

11:00am Reader

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Gary Beckinger & Nancy Schiciano

Margaret Bretzloff

Fred & Margaret Bretzloff

Youth Gathering Updates



Yesterday, two of our youth and Pastor Kristin headed to New Orleans for MYLE – the multicultural Youth Leadership Event. Then tomorrow, the other 11 youth and 3 adults will join them in New Orleans for the ELCA youth gathering. It will be a week of faith formation, hands-on learning, service and accompaniment, and exploring New Orleans.

Please keep all our youth – Anna, Aubrey, Cameron, Kallie, Jordyn, James, Elsa, Brooke, Grace, Jacob, Cora, and Owen – and adults – Andy, Kim, Pam, and Pastor Kristin – in your prayers. We also appreciate all of your financial support making attending this gathering possible!

School Supply Drive

This summer we are collecting school supplies to pack backpacks for children and youth at Salem Lutheran Church. We will be packing 50 backpacks with supplies for children from kindergarten through 12th grade. Supplies are due back to Hope by **August 11**. We will be packing the backpacks at 10am that day.



- Lots of #2 Pencils
- 50 boxes of 12 colored pencils
- 75 boxes of 24 crayons
- 25 packages red pens
- 100 glue sticks
- 100 packages loose leaf paper (wide & college ruled)
- 150 2-pocket folders
- 25 boxes kleenex
- 25 large erasers
- 50 boxes of 10 colored markers
- 75 packages blue/black pens
- 100 highlighters
- 100 notebooks (wide & college ruled)
- 25 packages index cards

HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM

Ministers: The Members of Hope

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

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Office Manager/Finance Secretary: Cindy Franklin, cfranklin@hopetoledo.net

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Custodian: Mike Hoskins

Management Team Chair: Ron Ranallo

Vision Team President: Louise Schlatter

LOOKING AHEAD

ELCA Youth Gathering

July 16-20

Summer Breakfast

July 28th, 10am-11am

Better Together: Toledo Pride

Aug 24, Noon

Neighbor 2 Neighbor Picnic

Glass City Metropark

Aug 25, 4pm—7pm

SERVICES LIVE ON INTERNET

You can listen or watch live via
www.hopetoledo.net.

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 the



This Week at Hope: July 14– July 21

SUN	9:00am 11:00am	Contemporary Worship (Sanctuary) Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
MON	11:00am 5:00pm 6:30pm	Youth Leave for Gathering Staff Meeting (Nest) Rep Rehearsal (Choir Room) Al Anon (Nest)
TUES	5:00pm 8:00pm	Rep Rehearsal (Choir Room) AA-Westgate (Larson Hall)
WED	2:00pm 5:00pm	Book Club (Library) Rep Rehearsal (Choir Room)
THUR	11:30am 5:00pm	Together in Change (Bag of Nails) Rep Rehearsal (Choir Room)
FRI	7:30pm	Office Closed AA New Hope (Larson Hall)
SAT		
SUN	9:00am 11:00am	Contemporary Worship (Sanctuary) Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)

Most of our staff is at the
YOUTH GATHERING this week!

Please be patient with remaining staff
And notice the **office closure Friday the 19th.**



Hope's prayer team is pleased to join you in prayer for:

Vivian Bowman, Jeri Campbell,
Mona Pupos, Paul & Sally Ravas, and Kathy Trejchel



SUNDAY WORSHIP: 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Service | 10:00 a.m. Faith Formation | 11 a.m. Traditional Service

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