

# Hope Lutheran Church Announcements - October 5, 2008

"To be a living example of the love of Jesus Christ"

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## INVITING

PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH GOD

Welcome to Hope 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. Join us in the Lounge between services this morning for fellowship and refreshments.

· During worship today, please make sure that cell phones and pagers are in their silent mode or turned off.

**IT'S THE YEAR OF THE BIBLE AND THE RESOURCE CENTER IS READY!!** Stop in the Lounge to see what is available. The center will be open next Sunday between services with a **BIG SALE** (up to 75% off). For your convenience, the center is accessible every day. There are instructions for purchasing books and leaving payment in the lock box in the far left bookcase. Sale books are located in the single bookcase at the north end of the lounge. **Haitian coffee** is for sale, \$10/bag. Proceeds to benefit Haiti Missions.

## ENCOURAGING

PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH EACH OTHER

**LUNCHES with LUTHER** begins this week. This group meets every Tuesday for lunch at noon (\$3.00) with a study from 1:00 to 2 pm. Pastor Bill begins the series "Growing up in Christ...the elusive nature of being an adult in a childish world."

Oct. 7 Family Ties: Grandma's ghost & whining adult kids  
Oct. 14 Standing your ground: Saying "No" and getting along  
Oct. 21 People will talk: Dealing with nosey neighbors and know-it-all friends  
Oct. 28 Retirement or Re-ferment? When being an elder is not about checking out.

**BILOXI MISSION TRIP** will take place Nov. 8-16. There is still room for more! Cost is \$300 per person. For more info, contact Fred Bretzloff, 419-531-4640. There will be a meeting this morning at 10:35 in the church library for the team members and those interested in joining the team.

**HOCKEY PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED!** The head coach of the BGSU hockey team has again invited Pastor Tom to serve as team chaplain during this hockey season. Tom plans to meet with the team on a weekly basis from October-March. Last year, more than 35 people from Hope committed to pray daily for Tom and this outreach ministry. He is again inviting all who will try to pray daily between now and the end of March, 2009 to sign on the sheet located just outside the family lounge. All prayer partners will receive monthly updates from Tom.

## EQUIPPING

PEOPLE TO LIVE THE GOD LIFE

### PREACHING SCHEDULE

Today, we begin a new Sermon Series,  
*The Secret Life of Money*

Today	Pastor Bill preaching
Oct. 12	Pastor Tom Zulick preaching
Oct. 19	Pastor Tom preaching
Oct. 26	Pastor Bill preaching



Later this year, Hope will be transformed into the city of Bethlehem at the time of Jesus' birth. This transformation will provide a one-of-a-kind opportunity to introduce our community to the greatest gift ever: Jesus!

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The Construction Team is busy building sets and help is always needed with painting, etc. They meet at 9:00 every Saturday morning in the Co-Op Room upstairs. EVERYONE is encouraged to come and help. We are also looking for **volunteers to research and write scripts**. Call Diane Barnes, Minister of Student Ministry, 419-536-8383 or [dbarnes@hopetoledo.net](mailto:dbarnes@hopetoledo.net) if you can help.

**"YEAR OF THE BIBLE" AT HOPE! TWO BIBLE READING PLANS** are available today that will assist you in systematically reading through the Bible:

+ **Plan 1 ("5 x 5 x 5 Bible Reading Plan")**

Read through the entire New Testament in a year, 5 days a week, 5 minutes a day.

+ **Plan 2 ("Book-at-a-Time Bible Reading Plan")**

Read through the entire Bible in a year—readings from two places in Scripture each day, 6 days a week.

In this "Year of the Bible" emphasis at Hope, why not challenge yourself to read through either the entire New Testament or the entire Bible? With both plans, you can begin at any time. Check out both plans and then take home a free copy of either one and keep it in your Bible as a bookmark. Plans are available in the family lounge or in the rear foyer of the sanctuary.

**HEALING SERVICE** will be held today at 4:00 pm.

This service includes anointing, prayers and laying on of hands with Holy Communion. Bonnie Kinschner will be delivering the message. Following the service, join them in Larson Hall for a light meal and viewing of the PBS production, *Depression—Out of the Shadows*, led by Jane Pauley. All are invited.

**LIFE IN CHRIST**, our new member class, begins tonight. Classes continue on Sundays, October 12, 19, 26 and Nov. 2 from 6:30 to 8 pm. Child care provided, if needed. This class is for all interested in joining Hope Church including those wishing to transfer from other congregations.

## PRAYERS

**PRAY** for those hospitalized: (\*released this week)  
Toledo: \*Doris Hille; Elizabeth Scott; Audrey Fisher

➔ **Please notify the church office when you or a family member is hospitalized. (419-536-8383)**

**CONFIRMATION STUDENTS** to be prayed for this week: John Collier, Molly Henry, Jakob Wenman, Adam Klepzig

**ALTAR FLOWERS** have been given to the Glory of God by Paul and Diane Churdar in honor of her mother, Marie Vizneau, on her 92<sup>nd</sup> birthday and by Roseanne Martinez in honor of her husband, Misael, and her brother-in law, David and in memory of her brother-in-law, Jeff.

## SCHEDULE

### THIS WEEK AT HOPE - OCTOBER 5 - OCT. 11

TODAY	8:00, 9:30 and 11 am Worship 9:30am Disciples in Training & SS 10:35am Biloxi Mission Trip in Library 4:00pm Healing Service in Sanctuary 5:30pm Dinner in Larson Hall 6:30pm Life In Christ in Lounge 7:00pm Haiti Mission Trip in basement 7:00pm CRHP Men in Upper Room 7:00pm Parenting in Library
MON	1:00pm Bible Study at Woodlands 6:30pm Crown Financial Study in N Lounge 6:30pm Healing Ministry in Library 7:30pm Alanon in basement
TUES	12:00pm Lunches w/Luther in Larson Hall 5:30pm Sanctuary Open for Prayer 6:45pm Pursuing Spiritual Transf. in Lounge 7:00pm God's Politics in Library 8:30pm A.A. in Larson Hall
WED	7:15am Men's Bible Study at Uncle John's 9:30am All Day Staff Planning in Lounge 5:15pm Be Still in Library 5:15pm Rejoicing Ringers 5:30pm Connecting Point in Lounge 5:30pm Property Team in Library 5:40pm Joyful Ringers in Choir Room 6:00pm Children's Choir in Choir Room 7:00pm Chancel Choir in Choir Room 7:00pm Finance Team in Lounge 8:00pm Handbells in Sanctuary
THURS	7:00am Pastor Bill's Bible Study 9:00am Clergy Cluster Mtg. in Lounge 9:30am Women's Bible Study in S Lounge 10:00am Caregivers in Library 7:00pm CRHP Women in S Lounge 7:00pm Jesus Leads in Library
FRI	8:00pm AA in Larson Hall
SAT	8:30am Small Group Vision in Lounge 9:00am Bethlehem Construction in Co-Op 10:00am Praise Team in Sanctuary 11:00am Trumpets in Choir Room 4:00pm Serving Dinner at Cherry St. Mission

**NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER** for Mental Illness Recovery and Understanding is **Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**. The Mental Health Ministry of Hope invites you to join them for a time of prayer from 5:30 to 6 PM in the church sanctuary.

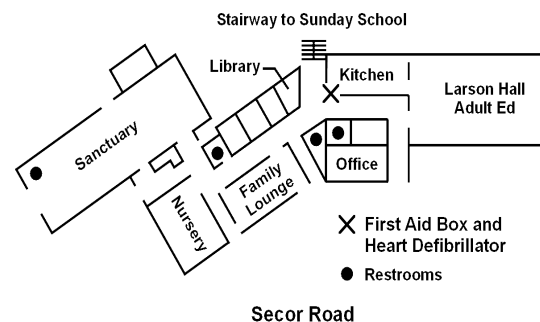
## MINISTRY

### TODAY'S MINISTERS

<b>PROCLAIMERS OF</b>	8:00	Don Mulligan
<b>THE WORD</b>	11:00	Harold Franklin
<b>ACOLYTE/CRUCIFER</b>	8:00	John Collier
	11:00	Collin Duffey
<b>WELCOME TEAMS</b>	8:00	Dick and Joyce Moore
	9:30	John and Nancy Salisbury, Theresa Herr, Nan Hagemeyer
	11:00	Mike and Linda McEachern Sandra and Dick Melton

### HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM

Ministers.....	The Members of Hope
Senior Pastor.....	Bill Roman (Home 419-531-7803) <a href="mailto:broman@hopetoledo.net">broman@hopetoledo.net</a>
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Custodian .....	Steve Bowerize
Weekend Custodian .....	Lyndon Lee



**CHILD CARE** for preschool children is provided during the 9:30 and 11:00 worship services. The Nursery is located outside the Sanctuary.

**INDIAN ROAD** entrance doors are locked during the week for security purposes. Use the Secor Road doors unless other arrangements have been made.

**PARKING**-Indian Road parking lot is designated for disabled and senior members. Be considerate by parking in the Secor parking lot, the angle parking spaces on Indian or the street parking on Bancroft.

**RECYCLE** inkjet cartridges with proceeds benefiting the Romanian orphanage. Container is located just inside our kitchen door. Postage stamps are collected in the church office to benefit Heifer International.