

## Announcements - August 9, 2009

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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 this morning in the lounge between services for fellowship and refreshments.

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

**SEEDS OF HOPE RESOURCE CENTER** is located in the lounge. Stop by and look through the books, Bibles, and other gift items available. Purchases can always be made with our "open anytime" process. Instructions for purchasing items and leaving payment are available. Haitian coffee is for sale, just \$5/bag. Proceeds to benefit Haiti Missions.

**CHECK OUT THE BOOKS ON THE LIBRARY CART** in the Lounge this morning—all pertaining to Physical and Mental Health.

### ENCOURAGING

#### PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH EACH OTHER

## Servants Needed

### MUD HENS GAMES

Help is needed to work a concession stand at the Mud Hens games on August 17, August 23, August 30 and September 3. The Mission Outreach General Fund receives 8-9% of sales to be used to support Hope's mission projects. Contact Phil Meuser at 419-842-0507 or email him at [pmeuser@hopetoledo.net](mailto:pmeuser@hopetoledo.net) if you can help...and you'll have fun too!

### DISCIPLES IN TRAINING

Be a part of this year's Disciples in Training (Sunday School) program. You can serve by teaching a class, planning activities, offering to be a storyteller, or just lending a hand where needed. Contact Diane Barnes, Minister of Student Ministries, [dbarnes@hopetoledo.net](mailto:dbarnes@hopetoledo.net) or 419-536-8383.

**GO FOR HOPE** with its focus on outreach/mission ministry support, facility enhancement and freedom from debt is vital to Hope's mission. Commitment cards are available in the church office. We ask that you prayerfully consider your financial commitment and return your response as soon as possible.

**HAITI MISSION TEAM** informational meeting will be held in Larson Hall on Tuesday, Aug. 18 at 7:00 pm for those interested in the 2010 trip to Haiti.

### EQUIPPING

#### PEOPLE TO LIVE THE GOD LIFE

### UPCOMING PREACHING SCHEDULE

Today	Dave and Pam Mann, Missionaries to Haiti
Aug. 16	Pastor Tom Schutt preaching and Installation of Pastor Laura Strietelmeier
Aug. 23	Pastor Andrea preaching
Aug. 30	Pastor Tom preaching

**WE WELCOME** Pastor Dave Mann and his wife, Pam, to Hope Church this morning. They are missionary teachers in Haiti who have worked with our Haiti Mission Team on several occasions and will be sharing their message at all three services. Dave is an ELCA pastor on staff with the Upper Arlington Lutheran Church near Columbus.

**LAURA STRIETELMEIER** has accepted the call from Hope Church. Laura will begin her position as Pastor of Student and Family Life at Hope on August 11. Installation for Laura will be held at all three services on August 16 with a reception for her at 10:30 am.

**DINNERS FOR 8** Are you aware that there are people at Hope who would like to know you better? Would you like to establish and deepen relationships on a social level? **Dinners for 8**, offered twice per year, is designed to bring people together in casual settings around something we all enjoy doing—eating! Participating couples and singles will meet monthly in homes and/or restaurants in the same group of eight people for three months. Each group will agree on dinner dates and times that fit their schedules. There is no agenda other than to get to know others better. Over 90 people enjoyed meeting in Dinners for 8 groups earlier this year. New groups will be formed beginning in early September. Sign-up sheets are located outside the family lounge through August. Questions? Contact Pastor Tom.

**WALK THRU THE NEW TESTAMENT!** On **Saturday, October 10th**, Hope will host a Walk Thru the New Testament Seminar. In the span of just 4-5 hours, participants will walk away with a clear understanding of the books, major themes, characters and historical sequence of the entire New Testament, all without taking tedious notes! This seminar will be led by Greg and Donna Carlson, the same presenters for the popular Walk Thru the Old Testament Seminar that was held here earlier this year. Each will lead simultaneous seminars - Donna for children and Greg with youth and adults. The cost is minimal. Watch the bulletin for more details regarding registration. In the meantime, please reserve the date...and check out [www.walkthru.org](http://www.walkthru.org).

member is hospitalized. (419-536-8383)

**CONFIRMATION STUDENTS** to be prayed for this week: Collin Duffey, Rob Grimm, Hayden Henningsen, and Marcus Henry

**ALTAR FLOWERS** have been given to the Glory of God by Eldonna and Bob Cox in memory of their parents and by Mrs. Hannelore Schueler in loving memory of her husband, Hermann K. Schueler.

## SCHEDULE

### THIS WEEK AT HOPE - AUG. 9 - AUG. 15

**TODAY** 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Services  
12:00pm Haiti Mission Team in Larson Hall  
6:30pm Working at Mud Hens Game

**MON** 5:00pm Past Presidents Mtg. in Lounge  
6:30pm Management Team in Office Conf. Room  
7:00pm Connections in Library  
7:00pm CRHP Men in Lounge  
7:30pm Alanon in Nursery

**TUES** 5:00pm Agape Meal at Salem  
8:30pm A.A. in Larson Hall

**WED** 12:00pm 'Tween Treehouse in Lounge  
5:30pm Connecting Point in Lounge  
7:00pm Disciples in Training Vision Team-Lounge  
8:15pm Yoga Class in Nursery

**THURS** 7:00am Thursday Morning Study in Lounge  
9:30am Women's Bible Study in S Lounge  
7:00pm Vision Team in Lounge

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

**SAT** 10:00am Praise Team  
4:00pm Serving Dinner at Cherry St. Mission

### RESERVE THESE DATES:

Sept. 13, 20 and 27 "Help, I'm a Parent!"  
(Parenting classes at 6 pm - details soon)

October 10 Walk Thru the Bible  
New Testament Seminar

December 12-13 A Night in Bethlehem  
(1<sup>st</sup> century marketplace)

**FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY** is collected the third Sunday of every month. Non-perishable items and canned goods are placed in the grocery cart during all three services next Sunday.

**CHILDREN AT SALEM** are in need of Toledo Public School uniforms. If you have outgrown uniforms to donate, please bring them to the church office and they will be given to Salem.

**COUNSELING AVAILABLE!** Dr. Dean Meinke, our Hope resident psychologist, is available for adults who wish to receive confidential counseling. While his office hours are usually on Thursdays, he is willing to expand hours to other days. For contact information, see the "Hope's Ministry Team" listing in the Sunday bulletin.

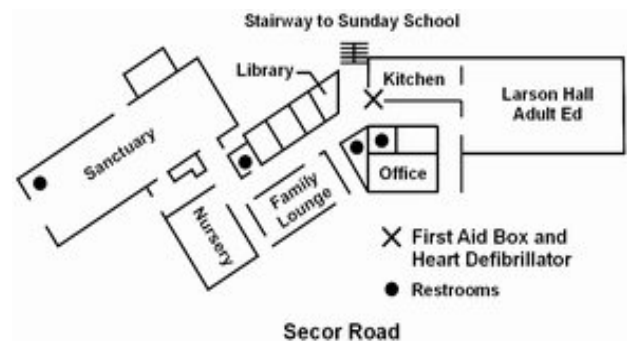
## MINISTRY

### TODAY'S MINISTERS

**PROCLAIMERS** 8:00 Paul Peters  
**OF THE WORD** 11:00 Jim Hodges  
**ACOLYTE/CRUCIFER** 8:00 Alex Mitchell  
11:00 Emily Bretzloff-Rohrs  
**WELCOME TEAMS** 8:00 Dick and Joyce Moore  
9:30 Greg and Barb Whetstone  
Jean Sapon, Eric Miklovich  
11:00 Herman Bersticker, Dick and Sandra Melton

### HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM

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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.

**RECYCLE** inkjet cartridges with proceeds benefiting the Romanian orphanage. Container is inside the kitchen. Cancelled postage stamps are collected in the church office to benefit Heifer International. YoPlait offers 10¢ per gold lid (clean) for the Feed America program. Collection box is outside the Lounge.

➔ **LOST AND FOUND** items are displayed on a table in the hallway outside the kitchen. Stop by and take a look! Dishes, plates, and serving items have been left behind from VBS and other events. These items are located on the counter just inside the kitchen door.