

Announcements - September 6, 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.

WELCOME, UT STUDENTS! Thanks for choosing to worship with us today. We are honored to be your church "home away from home" this school year. Be sure to fill out the yellow "College Students" information sheet in the blue pew book.

HOPE COLLEGE STUDENTS, we need your address too! Please fill out the "College Students" sheet as well. If you don't know your address yet, be sure to let us know when you do!

ENCOURAGING PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH EACH OTHER

Servants Needed

MUSIC MINISTRY

We invite everyone who loves music and loves to sing or play an instrument to join one of our choirs.

Rehearsals begin Wed., Sept. 9 in the Choir Room.

Rejoicing/Joyful Ringers Chime Choirs at 5:15 pm

Children's Choir from 6-6:45 pm

Chancel Choir from 7-8 pm

Hand Bell Choir from 8:05-9 pm (in the balcony)

Trumpet Choir begins Saturday, Sept. 12 at 11 am

SMALL GROUPS sign-ups will be held on Sundays, Sept. 13 and 20. If you have never been involved in a small group, consider joining one this year.

IT'S CONFIRMATION TIME AGAIN! Students going into grades seven and eight are invited to join us Wednesday evenings from 6-7:30 in Larson Hall for a meal, conversation and faith formation. First class is **September 16th**. Contact Pastor Laura for more information.

AN INVITATION to Serve, Eat and Pray - UT Lutheran Campus Ministry is currently worshipping in Larson Hall on Monday evenings, and invites folks at Hope to participate in the ministry by **providing a meal and worshipping with the community**. Please sign up outside the Family Lounge if you feel called to be part of this ministry. Contact Pastor Laura for more information.

EQUIPPING PEOPLE TO LIVE THE GOD LIFE

UPCOMING PREACHING SCHEDULE

Today	Pastor Laura preaching
Sept. 13	Pastor Andrea preaching
Sept. 20	Pastor Andrea preaching
Sept. 27	Pastor Tom preaching

BEGINNING NEXT WEEK, we will be returning to Now the Feast and Celebration liturgy for the fall.

ANOINTING AND PRAYERS FOR HEALING will be held in Larson Hall this morning at 10:30 am.

There will be a Healing Service on Sunday, Oct. 4 at 4:00 pm. Following the service, the Mental Health Ministry Team at Hope invites everyone to join them for a light supper and movie. "The Soloist" is an award winning movie about a homeless musician living with Schizophrenia.

LUNCHESES WITH LUTHER will begin on Tuesday, Sept. 8. Lunch begins at noon (\$3) followed by the study led by Pastor Andrea at 1 pm. All are invited to this gathering for good food, fellowship and an interesting study. There will NOT be Lunches with Luther on Tuesday, Sept. 15—Election Day.

PARENTS—Ever Feel Like You Need a Little Help?

Hope is offering a series of parenting classes this fall, **Sundays, Sept. 13, 20 and 27th, 6-7:30 pm**. Guest speakers include professional family counselors Diana Gaillardetz, Jan Meier and Diane Wend-Welch. The topics covered will include teaching responsibility, communicating effectively, understanding your own parenting style, and helping your children to understand, accept and learn from their failures. **Childcare will be provided. Sign up sheet is on the table outside the lounge.** Contact Pastor Laura for more information.

HOCKEY PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED: Pastor Tom is planning to serve as team chaplain for the Toledo Walleye hockey team this season. The season begins on Oct. 16 in the new Lucas County Arena downtown. Tom relies on the faithful prayer support of Hope members and friends throughout the season. If you would commit to try to pray daily for Tom and this outreach ministry, beginning today through April, 2010, please sign up on the sheets provided on the table outside the family lounge. Each prayer partner will receive monthly updates from Tom and an invitation to a dinner at our church with the team during the season.

HOPE MISSION TEAM is planning another trip to Orange, Texas, from Nov. 5 through Nov. 15. If you are interested in participating in this mission trip, call Fred Bretzloff at 419-531-4640 or 419-704-5999. Deadline date is October 19.

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→ Please notify the church office when you or a family 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 Marianne Hewlett in loving memory of her husband, Timothy Y. Hewlett, Jr. and by Clay and Betty Hepler in memory of loved ones.

SCHEDULE

THIS WEEK AT HOPE - SEPT. 6 - SEPT. 12

- TODAY** 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Services
 10:30am Healing Ministry, Anointing in Larson Hall
 12:00pm Serving Dinner St. Paul's Community Ctr.
- MON** LABOR DAY - OFFICE CLOSED
 4:30pm UT Student Dinner in Larson Hall
 7:30pm Alanon in Nursery
- TUES** 12:00pm Lunches w/Luther in Larson Hall
 5:00pm Agape Meal at Salem
 8:30pm A.A. in Larson Hall
- WED** 5:15pm Chime Choir in Choir Room
 5:30pm Connecting Point in Library
 6:00pm Children's Choir in Choir Room
 7:00pm Chancel Choir in Choir Room
 7:00pm Finance Team in Lounge
 8:00pm Handbell Choir in Sanctuary
 8:15pm Yoga Class in Nursery
- THURS** 7:00am Thursday Morning Study in Lounge
 9:30 am Women's Study in S Lounge
 10:00am Caregivers in Library
 6:30pm CRHP Women in Lounge
 7:00pm Vision Team in Larson Hall
- FRI** 6:00pm Henry Davis Wedding
 8:00pm AA in Larson Hall
- SAT** 10:00am Praise Team in Sanctuary
 11:00am Trumpets in Choir Room
 4:00pm Serving at Cherry St. Mission

HEALTH FAIR will be held at Hope on March 20, 2010. A planning meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 29 for those interested in helping.

WALK THRU THE NEW TESTAMENT! On Saturday, October 10th, Hope will host a Walk Thru the New Testament Seminar. Registration forms are available from the ushers or located on the hallway table. For more info: www.walkthru.org.

SERVICES LIVE ON INTERNET! Live streaming of our 9:30 service on Sunday morning is available on our Hope web site: www.hopetoledo.net. Click "Listen Live". If you are unable to attend church on any given Sunday, you can listen to the service "live" in its entirety. To listen to any sermon on the website, click "Sunday Sermons."

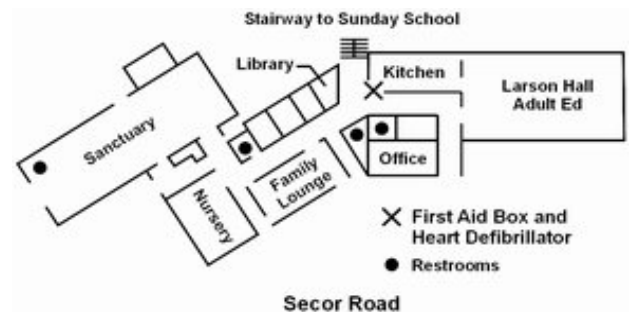
MINISTRY

TODAY'S MINISTERS

PROCLAIMERS	8:00	Diane Kalb
OF THE WORD	11:00	Bob Beers
ACOLYTE/CRUCIFER	8:00	Sarah Klepzig
	11:00	Alex Mitchell
WELCOME TEAMS	8:00	John Cupp and Scott Elston
	9:30	John and Nancy Salsbury Theresa Herr, Nan Hagemeyer
	11:00	Herman Bersticker Dick and Sandra Melton

HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM

Ministers	The Members of Hope
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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.

FLU SEASON is almost here! The nation is preparing for a major flu season. If you feel ill, stay home to avoid contact with others. Upon arriving and leaving the Church, use the Purell Sanitizers located around the building. Check with your physician to see if you should have the flu vaccination, especially the H1N1 vaccine.