

# Hope Lutheran Church Announcements - January 31, 2010

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

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## INVITING PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH GOD

**W**elcome 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 are in their silent mode or turned off.

## ENCOURAGING PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH EACH OTHER

### Servants Needed

#### WALK THRU THE BIBLE

Adults are needed to help with the children's portion of Walk Thru the New Testament to be held on Sat., Jan. 20. Contact Diane Barnes, Minister of Student Ministries, [dbarnes@hopetoledo.net](mailto:dbarnes@hopetoledo.net), if you can help.

#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

If you would like to be a part of the VBS Planning Team this year, contact Diane Barnes, at 419-536-8383 or [dbarnes@hopetoledo.net](mailto:dbarnes@hopetoledo.net)

**BUDGET DISCUSSION MEETING** will be held **today** at 10:30 am in Larson Hall. The purpose of this informational meeting is to review the preliminary budget for the year 2010.

**THE CONGREGATIONAL BUDGET MEETING** to approve the final 2010 budget will be held on Sunday, February 21 at 10:30 am in Larson Hall.

**UPDATE ON HAITI** - As residents of the poorest country in the Western Hemisphere, the people of Haiti desperately need our help. A large effort is needed, and Lutheran World Relief is responding through our partners on the ground. You can donate by going to [www.lwr.org](http://www.lwr.org), giving to Hope or through the Alternative Gift catalog.

**CALVINO RESTAURANT GIFT CARDS** are available for \$10 each through the church office or from mission team members. The money earned from this fundraiser will support our efforts in Haiti and build a playground at the school.

**CRHP MEN'S RETREAT** will be held on Feb. 13-14. Call Jeff Davis 419-531-4218 if you are interested in attending.

## EQUIPPING PEOPLE TO LIVE THE GOD LIFE

### THE BOOK OF JAMES SERMON SERIES

Today	Chapter 3 - Pastor Laura
Feb. 7	Chapter 4 - Pastor Andrea
Feb. 14	Chapter 5 - Pastor Tom

**THE SUNDAY MORNING DISCUSSION** of the Book of James (in conjunction with the sermon series) is held in Larson Hall at 9:30 am. Please bring a Bible. Leaders: Margaret Bretzloff and Bob Beers

**ANOINTING AND PRAYERS FOR HEALING** will be held on Sunday, February 7, at 9:00 am in the Library. Members of the Healing Ministry Team lead the service. All are invited to attend.

**SOUPERBOWL OF CARING!** The Senior High School students are once again participating in the Souperbowl of Caring, a national effort to fight hunger, and your help is needed! Bring monetary donations and/or canned food next Sunday, Feb. 7. All proceeds will benefit Cherry Street Mission.

**HEADING BACK TO TEXAS** Join our team from Hope as we return to Orange, TX for mission and ministry with folks in need. Travel dates are July 17-25. Informational meetings will be held Sunday, Feb 7 at 10:30 am and Sunday, Feb. 21 at 5 pm. Contact Pastor Laura or Fred Bretzloff for more information.

**LUNCHES WITH LUTHER** meets every Tuesday at noon for lunch (\$3) in Larson Hall with an interesting study and discussion beginning at 1:00 led by Pastor Andrea.

**SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER** will be held in Larson Hall on Tuesday, February 16 from 5 pm to 7 pm. Mark your calendar!

**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES** will be held at Hope on Feb. 17 at 7 am, noon, and 7 pm. **Thursday Lenten Series** begins on February 25.

**WALK THRU THE NEW TESTAMENT!** On Saturday, February 20, Hope will host a Walk Thru the New Testament Seminar. Dr. Greg Carlson will lead the seminar for adults through children in grade 6. His wife, Donna, will lead the Kids of the Book seminar for children in 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. The sign-up sheet is on the table outside the Lounge. Registration forms are located throughout the church.

## PRAYERS

**PRAY** for those hospitalized: (\*released this week)

Toledo: Carol Neuber

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

**CONFIRMATION STUDENTS** to be prayed for this week: Sara Martin, Alisa Martinz, Becca Mitchell

**HOPE COLLEGE STUDENT OF THE WEEK:** Please Pray for Emily Maris. Her address is 216 W Norwich Ave., Columbus, OH 43201. A "thinking of you" note would be appreciated.

**BIRTHDAY CARDS** are sent to our college students. Stop by the lounge to add a greeting to those with upcoming birthdays.

**ALTAR FLOWERS** have been given to the Glory of God by William Thomas in loving memory of his wife, Mary, their daughter, Peggy, and his parents.

**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY** is extended to Joe, Jill & James Feudi. Joe's grandpa, Tony Feudi, passed away Monday afternoon. Please keep Joe and the rest of the Feudi family in your thoughts and prayers."

**THE PRAYER CANDLE** on the altar today is for the people of Haiti.

## SCHEDULE

### THIS WEEK AT HOPE - JAN. 31 - FEB. 6

**TODAY** 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Services  
 9:30am James Study in Larson Hall  
 10:30am 2010 Budget Discussion in Larson Hall  
 7:00pm CRHP Men in Lounge

**MON** 1:00pm Bible Study at Woodlands  
 6:00pm UT Dinner in Larson Hall  
 6:30pm Healing Ministry in Library  
 7:00pm Fully Devoted in Lounge  
 7:00pm John Study at Kalbs  
 7:30pm Alanon in Basement

**TUES** 9:30am John Study at Café Marie  
 12:00pm Lunches with Luther in Larson Hall  
 7:00pm Finance Team in N Lounge  
 7:00pm Mission Outreach Team in S Lounge  
 8:30pm A.A. in Larson Hall

**WED** 5:15pm Chime Choir in Choir Room  
 6:00pm Children's Choir in Choir Room  
 6:00pm Confirmation Class in Larson Hall  
 7:00pm Language of God in Lounge  
 7:00pm Chancel Choir in Choir Room  
 8:00pm Hand Bell Choir in Choir Room

**THURS** 7:00am Thursday Morning Bible Study in Lounge  
 9:30am Women's Bible Study in Lounge  
 6:30pm Crown Financial in Larson Hall  
 6:30pm CRHP Women in Lounge  
 7:00pm Feasting on Prayer at Mulligans

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

**SAT** 9:30am Altar Care Ministry  
 10:00am Praise Team in Sanctuary

\***ALTAR FLOWERS:** If you are interested in placing flowers on the altar sometime during 2010, please contact Lore Scheuler, 419-536-2938.

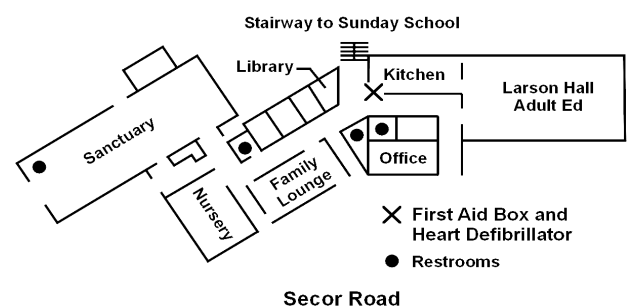
## MINISTRY

### TODAY'S MINISTERS

<b>PROCLAIMERS</b>	8:00	John Cupp
<b>OF THE WORD</b>	11:00	Dean Meinke
<b>ACOLYTE/CRUCIFER</b>	8:00	Mark Hadley
	11:00	Matthew Bules
<b>WELCOME TEAMS</b>	8:00	Dick and Joyce Moore
	9:30	Jill and Joe Feudi
		Marty and Kara Lavey
	11:00	Tom and Beth Fry, Freda Baum
		Elisabeth Nace, Greg Weiner

### HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM

Ministers.....	The Members of Hope
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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.

**RECYCLE** bagged 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.

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