

Hope Lutheran Church Announcements - February 7, 2010

"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 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

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

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

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! Donate today! All proceeds will benefit Cherry Street Mission.

HAITI - Lutheran World Relief is responding through our partners on the ground. You can donate by going to 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.

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 1st through 5th grade. The sign-up sheet is on the table outside the Lounge.

EQUIPPING PEOPLE TO LIVE THE GOD LIFE

THE BOOK OF JAMES SERMON SERIES

Today	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 this morning at 9:00 in the Library. Members of the Healing Ministry Team lead the service. All are invited to attend.

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 this morning at 10:30 in the Library and Sunday, Feb. 21 at 5 pm. Contact Pastor Laura or Fred Bretzloff for more information.



SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER will be held in Larson Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 16 from 5 pm to 7 pm. Mark the date!

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES will be held at Hope on Feb. 17 at 7 am, noon, and 7 pm.

LOVE PROMISES OF GOD is this year's theme for the Lenten Services on Thursdays, beginning Feb. 25. Supper, discussion and worship will be held in Larson Hall at 6:30 and will conclude by 7:30 pm. All are invited to attend.

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

FIRST COMMUNION CLASS for children in the 2nd grade and older will be held on Thursdays, March 4, 11, 18, and 25 from 5:30 to 6:30. A parent must attend with their child. Registration forms are available from an usher, on the table outside the Lounge and the church office.



ROMANIAN MISSION TEAM is having an auction and buffet fundraiser March 12. They are asking members of the congregation to donate items such as gift cards, pie or cake, have a cottage to loan out for a week-end, movie or play tickets, etc. Teenagers could volunteer a few hours of babysitting! If you can help, contact Eldonna Cox at 419-841-1248 or Fred Bretzloff at 419-842-9922.

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: Rob Grimm, Sarah Klepzig, Steven Barnes

HOPE COLLEGE STUDENT OF THE WEEK: Please pray for Sam Martin. His address is 0203 - Taylor Tower, 50 Curl Dr., Columbus, OH 43210. 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 Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Metzger in loving memory of Rose Metzger.

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

SCHEDULE

THIS WEEK AT HOPE - FEB. 7 - FEB. 13

TODAY	8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Services 9:00am Anointing/Healing in Library 9:30am DIT and Sunday School classes 9:30am James Study in Larson Hall 10:30am Orange TX Mission Mtg. in Library 10:30am Leadership Development in Larson Hall 7:00pm CRHP Men in Lounge
MON	1:00pm Bible Study at Woodlands 6:00pm UT Dinner in Larson Hall 6:00pm Young Adults in Upper Room 6:30pm Management Team 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 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 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 10:00am Caregivers in Library 6:30pm Crown Financial in Basement
FRI	8:00pm AA in Larson Hall
SAT	8:00am CRHP Men's Retreat 9:00am Worship Leadership Team in Library 10:00am Praise Team in Sanctuary 11:00am Trumpet Choir 4:00pm Serving at Cherry St. Mission

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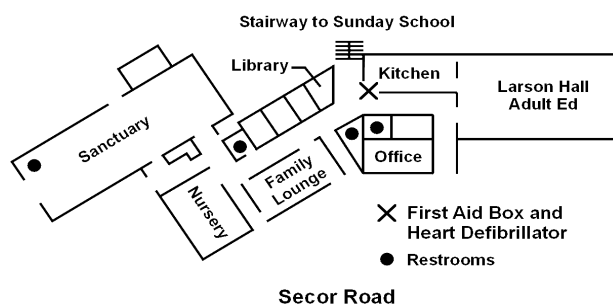
MINISTRY

TODAY'S MINISTERS

PROCLAIMERS	8:00	John Drowatzky
OF THE WORD	11:00	Amy Rowe
ACOLYTE/CRUCIFER	8:00	Sarah Klepzig
	11:00	Steven Barnes
WELCOME TEAMS	8:00	Tom and Kathy Page
	9:30	John and Nancy Salsbury Theresa Herr, Joy Gibbs
	11:00	Ron and Marva Pettaway Greg Weiner, Dick Melton

HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM

Ministers.....	The Members of Hope
Interim Senior Pastor.....	Andrea Starn (Home 1-419-424-6663) (Cell 419-348-1204) astarn@hopetoledo.net
Discipleship Pastor.....	Tom Fraser (Home 419-382-9669) tfraser@hopetoledo.net
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Director of Pastoral Care.....	Lois Smith
Director of Health Ministries.....	Betty Lorenz blorenz@hopetoledo.net
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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.

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