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Hope Lutheran Church

a Community of Faith in the Heart of Fond du Lac



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Weekly Worship Services

Saturday 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m. and 10:40 a.m.

Sunday School/Bible Classes (Sept-May)

Sunday School 9:10 a.m.

Confirmation (Grade 6-8) 9:10 a.m.

High School Bible Group 9:00 a.m.

Adult Bible Classes 9:15 a.m.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 10, 2018 – 5:30 p.m.; November 11, 2018 – 8:00 a.m. & 10:40 a.m.



~ Those Serving in God's House Today ~

Altar Assistants:

Loretta Miller, Mert & Bonnie Harmsen, Kay Kohlman

<u>2nd Week 5:30 PM</u>		<u>2nd Week 8:00 AM</u>		<u>2nd Week 10:40 AM</u>	
Captain	Dennis Holm	Captain	Dale Shipe	Captain	Dean Retzlaff
Ushers	John Graham	Ushers	Stewart Gough	Ushers	Mitchell Mallas
	Ryan Graham		Dave Vogds		John Rosenfeldt
	Nick Holm		Peggy Vogds	Greeters	James & Lorita Driscoll
	Rodney Stobb	Greeters	John & Robin Gleason	Acolytes	Logan Schmitz
Lector	Ann Holm		Gert Hilgendorf		Larissa Schmitz
Acolytes	Kendall Biertzer	Acolytes	Kaitlyn Kirchoff	Audio Tech	Jacob Demoske
	Austin Bohlman		Kole Karweick	PowerPoint	Liz VanNocker
PowerPoint	Andy Schultz	DVD Recording	Tim Primeau	Elder	Dean Retzlaff
Elder	Ken Provot	PowerPoint	Logan Schmitz		
		Elder	Dave Krahn		

WELCOME GUESTS



- ☺ **Guests are invited** to stop by the Welcome Center in the lobby and take a welcome bag as our gift to you.
- ☺ **Our Common Christian Faith.** In many ways, we at Hope Church are the same as all faithful Christians. We confess Jesus Christ and the faith of the Apostles as recorded in God's Word, the Bible, and as summarized in the Apostle's Creed. We fully and completely accept the Bible, the Old and New Testaments, as God's own inspired Word for all people. Jesus Christ, who died and rose again, is at the center of all that we do.
- ☺ **Our Distinctive Approach to Christian Faith.** The name "Lutheran" refers to our appreciation for and commitment to the biblical gospel that was articulated and reclaimed under the leadership of Martin Luther during the period of church renewal that is known as the Protestant Reformation. In the larger context of the whole Christian church, Hope has a unique flavor.
- ☺ **Portable Amplifiers** (available in over the ear speaker or T-Coil hearing loop) are available from our ushers.
- ☺ **Our Nursery** is not staffed during worship services but is available for parents to use.

HOPE'S WEEKLY NEWS



Attendance – November 3: 5:30 p.m. – 92; November 4: 8:00 a.m. – 166; 10:40 a.m. – 163
Sunday School: 42; Confirmation: 38; Bible Classes: 123

Altar Flowers – are sponsored this week by Bob and Michele Mengert.

Our Café Corner – is serving coffee and treats from 9:00-10:30 a.m. and is sponsored this weekend by our Tuesday Adult Bible Class. Next Sunday our Café Corner will be sponsored by our Kindergarten Sunday School class.

Holy Baptism – Valerie Rose Green, daughter of Joseph and Nicole (Veres) Green, will receive new life in Christ and be welcomed into God's family through the sacrament of Holy Baptism on Sunday during the 8:00 a.m. Service. Her sponsors are Sarah Woodke and Nathaniel Woodke.

Our Sympathies – to Vern Zuleger and family at the death of his sister, Bev Diemel, November 4.

Overview of Today's Readings for Your Personal Walk of Faith

The Lord Freely Feeds and Provides for Us with Everything He Has

Those who contribute "large sums" from "out of their abundance" have done very little. They cannot purchase God's favor with their money. But the "poor widow" with her two small coins, who "out of her poverty has put in everything she had," entrusts herself and her life to the mercy of God (Mark 12:41-44). Such faith is not disappointed, for the Lord is faithful, and He provides for His people by His grace. Thus was the poor widow of Zarephath able to feed the prophet Elijah "for many days," as well as herself and her household, "according to the word of the Lord that he spoke by Elijah" (1 Kings 17:15-16). He feeds us, too, by His Word, not only with daily bread for this body and life, but unto the life everlasting in Christ Jesus. "By the sacrifice of himself," by the giving of His body and life and all that He had, He has entered "into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf" (Heb. 9:24-26). He is our great High Priest and the Temple of God, as well as the priestly food with which He feeds us.

Sunday Adult Bible Study – will meet in the Choir Room at 9:15 a.m. today as the Fellowship Hall is being prepared for Family Fun Day!

Today is Hope's Family Fun Day – Sunday, November 11, from 12:00-3:00 p.m. Join us for a lunch of hamburgers, hot dogs and brats. ***Hope is Family – Welcome Home***

Family Fun Day Contest Directions – By noon, bring apple pie and pudding cups to the contest table in the Fellowship Hall. Please make sure to label with your first and last name.

November Food Drive – We are collecting non-perishable food items in November for our Christmas Blessing Boxes for some very special members of our congregation. Please bring a can of food next weekend when you come to church and help fill our cornucopia in the Narthex!

Veterans – We remember our veterans today at the beginning of our services. Veterans are encouraged to go to the Narthex during the last hymn so they can be greeted and thanked by the congregation.

Something New – Look for Children's Chapel starting soon. More information coming. ☺

Chili Supper – This is a reminder that the Men's Club will have their annual Chili Supper this **Tuesday, November 13**, from 4:00-7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. You may purchase tickets in advance from club members or after church services. If you purchase your tickets in advance, the cost is \$8.00 and you save \$1.00 per ticket. Also, we still have openings for volunteer helpers, both adult and youth. Please sign up on the board in the Narthex.

Make & Bake Sale – The Ladies Guild will host a Make & Bake Sale this **Tuesday, November 13**. Anyone interested in contributing homemade items (crafts and/or baked goods) for the benefit of the Guild is cordially invited to do so. Help is also needed the night of the sale. A signup sheet is posted on the Café Corner Bulletin Board. Contact Pam Demoske-Pfeiffer at 921-3448 with any questions.

No Tuesday Morning Bible Class – this week due to Circuit Pastors' Meeting.

Women On Their Own – will meet at 11:30 a.m. this **Thursday, November 15**, at Faros. If you are a "Woman On Your Own", please join us. Reservations by contacting Sylvia at 921-2237.

Thanksgiving Worship with Holy Communion – **Wednesday, November 21, at 6:00 p.m.** Join us for pie and Kelley's Country Creamery ice cream following the service in the Fellowship Hall.

Pie Donations – needed for Pie & Ice Cream Social. Bring your baked pie to the Fellowship Hall on Wednesday, November 21, before the Thanksgiving Service.

Angel Tree Ministry – is not just about delivering Christmas gifts to the children of prisoners, it's really a ministry that provides us with the opportunity to share the Gospel with these very special children. The Christmas gifts purchased and delivered by our church give us the chance to demonstrate God's love and personally share about the greatest gift of all, Jesus. The Angel Tree will be up on **Saturday, November 24**, and decorated with tags suggesting gifts wished for by the children that we will be serving this Christmas season. The wrapped packages need to be returned by Sunday, December 9. Our Angel Tree Christmas Party for the families is scheduled on Saturday, December 15, at 1:00 p.m. If you would like to help with the party and the distribution of gifts, please call Coral 238-9959 or Stacey 929-4982.

Veterans Christmas Tree – If you or a loved one is a veteran and we have not yet received a picture for our Veteran's Christmas Tree, we would love one! Please label your envelope "Veteran's Christmas Tree" and put a 3x4 copied picture of you or your loved one in uniform with branch listed. Please drop off at the church office by Sunday, November 25. If you have any questions, please contact Holly Provot.

Christmas Season Decorating Help Needed – We will start decorating the church on **Sunday, November 25**, from 1:00-4:00 p.m. and finish on **Monday, November 26**, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. All willing volunteers are appreciated! Contact Bonnie Harmsen at 923-3422 with any questions.

Taxi's For Christ – Are you or someone you know in need of a ride to Hope Lutheran Church to attend worship services at no cost to you? The Board of Outreach is offering cab fare to and from Hope for any of our worship services for those in need. Please contact Quality Cab at 920-929-8888 for a ride.

Worship Service DVD – The 8:00 a.m. worship service is recorded on a DVD each weekend. These DVD worship services are available to be checked out from the Church Office.

Worship Assistance – Volunteers are needed to usher, greet, read scripture, help with PowerPoint and be an altar assistant. Call the church office at 922-5130 to learn more!

Hospital Admittance – If you or a family member is admitted to the hospital from the emergency room, especially during night time hours, or come in directly from the clinic or some other setting, it would be very helpful if you or a family member would call the church office with this information, the hospital may not have a chance to call. Please also ask to be put on the list for Hope Lutheran Church. Pastor will then be aware of the situation and can visit you.

YOUTH MINISTRIES



SLYF-Senior Lutheran Youth Fellowship (Grades 9-12)

- **SLYF Bible Study** – Join us this **Sunday, November 11**, at 9:00 a.m. in the Youth Room. The topic for this week is how to help others when they are suffering. Friends are always welcome and hope to see you there. Next Sunday our topic will be giving thanks. Hope to see you there!
- **SLYF Gathering** – We will not meet this Sunday, November 11. Instead, come join us at Family Fun Day from 12:00-3:00 p.m. We will meet again next Sunday for Dungeons & Dragons. Friends are always welcome!

Grades 6-8

- **Deadline This Sunday, November 11 – Mission Trip to Duluth, Minnesota – July 28-August 2, 2019** – We will work alongside YouthWorks partner organizations and serve the community primarily through relational ministry. Spend time with children at the Boys & Girls Club and the elderly at local senior care centers. Serve alongside a local church or assist in a food pantry. Cost of \$315.00 includes registration, activities, transportation and meals. Permission slip and deposit are due by Sunday, November 11.
- **Youth Service Opportunity** – 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 21 – Youth can give thanks by helping at the Thanksgiving Service ushering, offering or reading. Youth will be dismissed during the service to set up for the pie and ice cream social and to help serve and clean up. Sign up on the Bulletin Board or email Beth Kettner.

Families

- **Today – Family Fun Day for All Ages** – Concordia College students will have activities for middle and high school youth. Age appropriate activities, crafts, drum playing and a puppet show will be available for 3 year olds to 4th graders.

HOPE'S HOUSE OF PRAYER THIS WEEK



For the Sick and Hospitalized

- † Prayers of healing for those who are sick and/or hospitalized: Anne Orvis, Erv Voigtschild, Rose Kirchner, Christine Scott, Suzanne Thompson, Roberta Thompson and Bruce Weber.

For Your Family and Friends

- † Prayers of comfort for Vern Zuleger and family at the death of his sister, Bev Diemel.

† Birthdays:

11-Tony Crossman	11-Ella Heisler	11-Aubrey Schneider	12-Phillip Gross
12-Andy Schultz	12-Dan Seidl	12-Dale Shipe	12-Seth Veith
13-Ashlynn Amundson	13-Marissa Clayton	13-Stewart Gough	13-Bailey Horton
13-Brannen Joyce	13-Owen Lawson	13-Benjamin Provot	13-Bailey Schmidt
13-Barbara Schmitz	13-Karen Sheppard	14-Danika Bengel	14-Juan Contreras
14-Roger Engel	14-Lorraine Knipple	14-Abby Schelk	14-Karley Semenas
15-Sarah Johnson	15-Brett Kolstad	15-Amie Leistikow	15-Richard Sabel
15-Ione Schroeder	15-Nicholas Thompson	16-Brynn Arndt	16-Ronald Boda
16-James Engle	17-Jesse Federman		

† Wedding Anniversaries:

11-Harry & Barb Braatz (51)	14-Lyneis & Marion Kohlman (66)
15-Craig & Debra Finley (38)	17-Craig & Jessica Habeck (18)

For South Wisconsin District Missions

- † Remember Rev. Dennis Harmon serving at Hope Lutheran and Mission of Christ Lutheran Churches in Milwaukee. Pray that the ministry of Word and Sacrament will continue to impart important truths that give real meaning and hope. Include also the community support ministries at both congregations as they partner to increase their presence while showing mercy and grace.

*Please keep the pastor informed if the need for these special prayers has passed. Have we missed your birthday or wedding anniversary or would you like a prayer request included? Please call the church office (922-5130).
Deadline for information included in the weekly bulletin is Wednesday at Noon.*

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Sunday – November 11	Monday – November 12
8:00 AM – Traditional Service 9:00 AM – SLYF Bible Study (Youth Room) 9:10 AM – Confirmation (Classrooms) 9:10 AM – Sunday School (Classrooms) 9:15 AM – Adult Bible Class (Choir Room) 10:40 AM – Blended Service 12:00 PM – Family Fun Day (Fellowship Hall)	8:00 AM – Chili Supper Setup (Fellowship Hall) 8:30 AM – Retired Men’s Breakfast (Oasis Restaurant) 10:00 AM – Women’s Bible Class (Office Conf. Rm) 11:00 AM – Sweet Hour of Prayer (Office Conf. Rm) 5:30 PM – Board of Early Childhood Education (Office Conference Room) 6:00 PM – Adult Bells (Narthex) 6:15 PM – Fellowship of Christian Athletes (Fondy High) 7:00 PM – Worship Team (Church Sanctuary)
Tuesday – November 13	Wednesday – November 14
8:30 AM – Circuit Pastor Meeting (Divine Savior, North Fond du Lac) 4:00 PM – Exercise Class (H-102) 4:00 PM – Men’s Club Chili Supper (Fellowship Hall) 4:00 PM – Ladies Guild Make & Bake Sale (Narthex) 6:00 PM – Board of Finance (Office Workroom) 7:00 PM – Church Council (H-102)	8:30 AM – TOPS Meeting (H-102) 3:00 PM – Board of Stewardship (Office Conference Room) 7:00 PM – Adult/Christmas Choir (Music Studio)
Thursday – November 15	Friday – November 16
9:00 AM – TOPS Meeting (H-102) 11:30 AM – Women On Their Own (Faros) 4:00 PM – Exercise Class (H-102)	Church Office Closed
Saturday – November 17	Sunday – November 18
5:30 PM – Traditional Service w/HC	8:00 AM – Traditional Service w/HC 9:00 AM – SLYF Bible Study (Youth Room) 9:10 AM – Confirmation (Classrooms) 9:10 AM – Sunday School (Classrooms) 9:15 AM – Adult Bible Class (Fellowship Hall) 10:40 AM – Blended Service w/HC 11:45 AM – Organize Pews-Youth Service 12:00 PM – SLYF Gathering (Youth Room)

***Our mission is to share the Gospel with the lost and the saved,
in fervent hope that all may live with Jesus now and in eternity. (Matthew 28:19-20)***