HOPE HIGHLIGHTS

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September 2019

From the Pastor:

Wednesday Evening Worship 6:00

(Fellowship and Youth and Family Educational Activities will resume in the fall)

SPIRITED SENIORS

Our Wednesday group, Spirited Seniors meets every Wednesday. A light lunch is served followed by games and cards. If this is something you would like to help out with, please let the office know.



Just a reminder that the 1st weekend of each month is designated to bring non-perishable food for those less fortunate and fill the grocery cart. Food will be taken to the **Mission of Hope**. The Missions' food supply is constantly being depleted.



TO ALL GROUPS USING THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

When you use the Fellowship Hall you need to clean up. That means:

Put chairs back, Wipe down tables and vacuum.

White tables (in the square) have 4 chairs at each table. Round tables have 6 chairs at each table. All other chairs need to be put away in the middle closet. There is a red vacuum in the Fellowship Hall, by the back/side door that you can use. If you have children at your event and they use the nursery room, please make sure it is cleaned up.



QUILTING – A reminder that we meet the third Tuesday of the month starting at 6:00 PM. All skill levels are welcome and appreciated.



THE 2019 FLOWER CALENDAR IS ON THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE HALLWAY

If you would like to sign up to have flowers for a special occasion, there are lots of spaces available! You can bring them yourself or have Kris order them for you from Pierson's. One bouquet is \$15 and two are \$25. That includes tax and delivery.

August 25, 2019 FREE COMMUNITY SUPPER

5-6:00 pm

Menu: Hamburger Stew and Biscuits Salads Desserts

We will be playing Bingo with prizes awarded to the winners. There is no charge for the meal, however, a free will offering will be taken.

Good Food, Good Fellowship

The Free Community Supper is funded by members of Hope Lutheran and a "free will offering". We are feeding from 120-125 average per month. If you'd like to help prepare, serve, set/clean up or assist with Bingo, please contact Donna Fugate at 363.9183. Monetary donations are also accepted.

WOMEN OF HOPE

Treasurer Report Week of July 28, 2019

Receipts \$2,633.00 Expenditures \$4,739.49 Bills due Next Week **\$2,961.55**

The Receipts for this week include \$250.00 Simply Giving, plus \$1,477.00 in corn sales (Average weekly needed \$3,508.00)

As of July 23, 2019, after payroll and payroll taxes were paid, minus any outstanding checks, the balance in the ch3ecking account is \$914.31. Bills due next week includes a past due bill for Mission Investments, (mortgage). in the amount of \$2,331.00.



September Birthdays

- Brent Pahl
- 3 Harold Klinsky, Bret Williamson, Mary Long
- 5 Jonathon Pahl
- 6 Steve Louvar
- 7 Jeanne Dahm
- 11 Kevin Hulsing
- 14 Gayla Lewis
- 15 Allan Hopfensperger
- 17 Rod Clark, Harlene Stewart
- 19 Beckie Foizey
- 21 Trevor Weitnauer
- 23 Liz Kuehl
- 24 Marilyn Schmidt
- 25 Travis Rairdin
- 26 John Eadie
- 29 Dylan Tharp

If your birthday is in August, but you are not listed, please call the church office at 365-3105 or 365-3999. Thanks!

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS FOR September & October

September

1st Assistant: Sun.: Doug Weitnauer

2nd Assistant: Sun.: **NEEDED**Musicians: Marcey Luxa
Choir Director: Cody Techau

Greeters: Sun.: Monika Nordberg & Lea Reed Ushers: Sun.: Richard & Shirley Hartgrave

October

1st Assistant: Sun.: Karen Franks 2nd Assistant: Sun.: JoAnn Eadie

Musicians: Marcey Luxa Choir Director: Cody Techau

Greeters: Sun.: Esther Thomas

Ushers: Sun.: Cindy and Amy Koppenhaver



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You



Elsie Dlouhy Scott's Meadow 5960 E Marion, IA 52302 365-5333

Larry Benge Bickford Place 1100 Linden Dr. Marion, IA 52302

Doug & Judy Torson 2717 Royal Oaks Dr. NW Swisher, IA 52338 319-857-5300

Evelyn Andrews 5701 Briarwood St. S. W. Cedar Rapids, IA 52404 363-1998

Brent Pahl 4000 14th Ave. S. E. Cedar Rapids, IA 52403 363-2557

Pam Evans 6329 Murfield Dr. S. W. Cedar Rapids, IA 52404 362-0843

Kevin Lewis 112 33rd Ave. S. W. Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

Jerry Schmidt 1230 English Ln. N. E. Unit 302 Cedar Rapids, IA 52402

June Farmer Christian Health Center 855 Aaron Dr. #511 Lynden, WA 98264



July's Car Cruise In was a success. We had around 100 cars (we lost track!). The Men of Hope made \$1,300 which will go toward projects around the church. Next months Cruise will be held on Thursday, August 22nd from 3:30 until dusk.

Thanks to everyone who works so hard to make this a success.



THE CORN STAND IS IN FULL SWING!

We are so blessed to be in partnership with Knights Sweetcorn!

Corn is coming in fresh picked daily. We have tomatoes, zucchini, and cucumbers, green beans plus a variety of things that come in from our congregations gardens. All donated items are free will offering. Hope's garden is doing well and about to produce a mass amount of tomatoes – and you know what that means? Fresh canned salsa! The canned salsa will be priced according to jar size. A huge thank you to everyone who is willing to give up their time to work the wagon.



Our youth used the quarters collected from the quarter tower to purchase school supplies to donate to those students who can't afford to purchase them. What a great lesson in spreading God's grace.



Dorothy Klinsky from

Donna Fugate (General Fund) Patty Hasson (General Fund) Rose & Bill Dougherty (Memorial) Jerry and Sharon Schmidt (Sound System)



CHOIR HAS BEGUN! Everyone is welcome to join us on Thursday evening at 5:30.