

This week at HOPE Lutheran Church~July 23rd, 2017

Prayers are requested for:
Bernie Abrahamson
Dawn Baier (sister of Holly Stein)
Melissa Barbey (friend of Teresa Ginn)
Jon Boyce
Lane Branson (relative of Boock Family)
Ron Buchcanan (Scott Family friend)
Dan Forrest (cousin of Robb Scott)
Nancy Gerber (Pastor Sandy's sister)
Sonia Horkman (Lori Synder's sister-in-law)
Troy Hubing (relative of Brandt family)
Stan Jacobson (Linda Jacobson's father)
Ardis Johnson (friend of Betty Lou Oppegard)
Bekka Johnson (niece of Betty Lou Oppegard)
Lois Kaste (Steve Kaste's mother)
Jacqueline Mahlke (Jane Olson's mother)
Jeff Needham (friend of Amber Carlson)
Leah Palmer (friend of Amber Carlson)
Jim Pratt
Marilyn Schmidt (Darcy Boock's sister-in-law)
Paul Willink (father of Paula Klacan)
Please contact the office if you would like to get a loved one on our Prayer List.

Free School Supply Event

Monday, August 7th 4:30-6:30 pm
Tuesday, August 8th 10:00 am-Noon
@ First Congregational Church.
Donations are being collected here at
HOPE - drop off by Sunday, August 6th.

| Looking Ahead at HOPE | |
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| Bible Day Camp at HOPE July 24-27 9:00 am ~ 1:30 pm | |
| Monday, July 24th | 5:30 pm ~ Education Ministry 9:00 pm ~ Softball vs. UCC RF |
| Wednesday, July 26th | 4:00 pm ~ Mission Ministry 6:00 pm ~ Mid Week Meal 6:30 pm ~ Special Camp Worship Service |

Summer Worship Wednesday

Join us every Wednesday at HOPE for a FREE meal at 6:00 pm and worship service following at 6:30 pm. This is a great time and place to get nourishment for your body and soul!
Wednesday Meal Duties this Week:
Bill Warner & Linda Jacobson

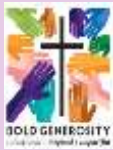
HOPE Kayak Outing will be on Aug. 6th at 1:00 pm. If you can't make the kayak trip, come for a potluck picnic and swimming afterwards at Rodewald's about 4:00 pm.

The 2nd Quarter Donation Statements were emailed out last week. Contact the office if you did not receive one or if your statement looks incorrect.

Confirmation students are invited to go to Big Thrill Factory in Oakdale, MN for a mini-golf outing on Aug. 2 from 5-8 pm. This event is being hosted by the "Just Keep Swimming" organization in hopes of bringing a greater awareness of Ovarian Cancer. We will car pool from church. Please contact Karen Rodewald if interested at 715-222-2551 or karen.rodewald@gmail.com



A Capital Campaign for the Northwest Synod of Wisconsin



The capital campaign initiated by our synod seeks to keep us moving forward in faith. To do that the three-year appeal invites us (people of HOPE) to participate in ways that are meaningful to us, individually and corporately.

Recently we shared the need for funds that will help the event, "WalkingTogether" continue to make an impact for this synod and its congregations. Another area of need that this appeal supports is the **financial health of seminary graduates**. As we know, educations costs are high and seminary is no different. Graduates often have financial debt that unduly occupies their time and energy. We can assist them in having the freedom to pursue God's call and share the good news of God's love by contributing to a synod-managed fund of educational debt reduction.

If you so choose, a gift to the synod's capital campaign can help provide funds for debt reduction for new seminary graduates. Prayerfully consider being a part of our synod's three-year campaign. For more information check out this link:
https://s3.amazonaws.com/media.cloversites.com/0a/0a854394-3a19-4d9f-b1ae-f93021508921/documents/Capital_Case_Statement.pdf

| Sunday Worship Volunteers July 30th - Stg 3 | |
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| Assisting Minister | Gordon Hedahl |
| Communion Prep | Nancy Peters |
| Make Bread | Karen Rodewald |
| Ushers | Dick Jackson & Craig Olson |
| Greeters | Keith & Cara Getschel |
| Communion Servers | Keith & Cara Getschel |
| Reader & Prayers | Jane Olson |
| Acolyte | |
| Pianist | Darlene Serene |
| Fellowship | Keith & Cara Getschel |

Local artist, Audrey Martin has painted her rendition of HOPE from the back pond. We will be hosting a guided painting night for ages 10 and up on Aug. 23rd immediately following the worship service at 7 PM at church. The fee is \$45 a person and you will have an original piece of art work to take home with you at the end of the evening!
Please consider joining us on Aug. 23 to create your own version of HOPE by the pond! Everything is provided: pre-traced stretched canvas, brushes, paints, easels, tablecloths and aprons. It's a fun activity and Audrey is an excellent teacher who will take us step by step, while still allowing everyone to make their painting there own. The original

If you have additional questions, please contact
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