

This week at HOPE Lutheran Church Sept 10th, 2017

Prayers are requested for:
Bernie Abrahamson
David Anderson
(family member of Michelle Hansen)
Dawn Baier (sister of Holly Stein)
Melissa Barbey (friend of Teresa Ginn)
Trenton Becker
(relative of the Rodewald Family)
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 Hubling (relative of Brandt family)
Stan Jacobson (Linda Jacobson’s father)
Ardis Johnson (friend of Betty Lou Oppegard)
Bekka Johnson (niece of Betty Lou Oppegard)
Kathy (friend of Michelle Hansen)
Lois Kaste (Steve Kaste’s mother)
Jeff Needham (friend of Amber Carlson)
Jenny Olson’s family including those that are several states away
Leah Palmer (friend of Amber Carlson)
Jim Pratt
Kevin Rickey
Brian Roquette
Marilyn Schmidt (Darcy Boock’s sister-in-law)

Looking Ahead at HOPE	
Monday, Sept. 11	4:00 pm ~ Worship Ministry 5:30 pm ~ Education Ministry 7:00 pm ~ Executive Meeting
Tuesday, Sept. 12	6:30 pm~ Property Ministry
Wednesday, Sept. 13th	4:30 pm ~ HOPE Clean UP 6:00 pm ~ Mid Week Meal 6:30 pm ~ Worship Service
Thursday, Sept.14th	3:00 pm ~ Sons of Norway Visit
Sunday, September 17th	Kick Off Sunday!

Tickets for the Nov. 3rd Jazz & More event are available for purchase after church beginning this Sunday. \$25 per ticket and tables of 8 can be reserved. This years event will feature the *After Hours Jazz Quartet*, fabulous food, wine and silent auction items.

People of HOPE are invited to meet and greet Norwegian guests that will be in the area on Thursday, Sept. 14th at 3:00 pm here at HOPE. They will be learning the history behind the HOPE and Eidskog Churches. There will be coffee, cookies and fellowship. All are welcome!

Fall Clean Up at HOPE-lawn mowing, dirt moving, church deep cleaning will get started on this Wednesday around 4:30 pm. We will finish up next Wednesday the 20th again starting around 4:30 pm.



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 amazing event called “Walking Together” continue to make an impact for this synod and its congregations. This appeal also supports is the financial health of seminary graduates.

Through the synod we already participate in ministry with our partners in Malawi. Choosing to continue support our brothers and sisters in Malawi makes the relationship strong. There is much we can learn from one another and perhaps there will come a day when we will meet face-to-face. 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 September 17th - NTF	
Assisting Minister	Linda Jacobson
Communion Prep	Linda Jacobson
Make Bread	Linda Jacobson
Ushers	
Greeters	Jan Gerber & Judy Karshbaum
Communion Servers	Dave Peters & Betty Lou Oppegard
Reader & Prayers	Elise Forward
Acolyte	
Pianist	Phil Klacan
Fellowship	Kick Off Sunday

Evening Book Club - Welcome back! Our next book group meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 25th, 7pm at an unknown destination at this moment. Bring your reading suggestions for the coming months. Our reading choice for September is The Art of Racing In The Rain, a novel by Garth Stein: this novel takes you on an unforgettable journey of love, tragedy, redemption etc. through the mind, eyes and nose of the canine Enzo.

Hurricane Relief - If you would like to donate to this cause, ELCA.org has a link for flood relief which you can give electronically. If you would like to make a donation by check, have it to the office by Monday, Sept 25th. Checks can be made payable to HOPE.

