



The Hope Herald

Hope Lutheran Church Newsletter

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March 2019

INVITE A FRIEND FOR EASTER

Why should we be inviting people for Easter?

Noble Kuriakose, at the Pew Research Center, reports that more people search online for "church" around Easter than at any other time, according to Google Trends data between 2004 and 2013. Google's Trends tool measures the popularity of a search term relative to all searches in the United States. While it appears many people are searching for "church," we have a great opportunity to share information about Hope. To that end, the Evangelism Committee will be providing "Discover Hope This Easter" cards mid-March for members to use making invitations.



Mary Bryant, Evangelism Chair

EASTER FLOWERS FOR SALE

Lillies-- \$8.75, Daffodils-- \$8.50 and Tulips--\$7.50 will be available to decorate the chancel on Easter Sunday. All plants are in foil-wrapped pots. Forms are available on the counter. Indicate the number of each variety and color you wish to order. **Deadline to order is March 24, 2019.** Make your separate check payable to Hope Lutheran Church for the total selected. Please give form and check to Ruth Oehler or place form in my mailbox. Also, you can order online. On Easter Sunday after second service you may pick up your flowers. Please mark if you wish to have the flowers planted in our Memorial Garden or taken home.



Ruth Oehler, Altar Chair

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers to serve as nursery assistants during the 9:00 am services each Sunday. Adult supervisors are needed on a rotating basis for our smaller children each Sunday. Teenagers would also be welcomed to assist in the nursery. Once the volunteer list is established, a master schedule will be published for the year of all volunteers.



Please contact Joy Ivins or Mike Schweinfest if you are willing to serve.

HOPE'S BLARNEY BLAST St. Patrick's Day Family Party Friday, March 15th @ 7pm



This is an event not to be missed! The first ever Hope Blarney Blast will feature, appetizers, a skit, written, produced and directed by our very own Pastor Christie! The cast of characters is yet to be determined. There will also be games, a slideshow of 2018 at Hope, and desserts!



We ask you to sign-up (by March 10th) in the Narthex and choose to bring an appetizer, dessert or help with something.

This will be an exciting evening that has something for the whole family and is hosted by your Fellowship Team! So, come and have a "Blarney Blast!"

Please see **Judy Royse** if you have any questions.

Judy Royse, Fellowship Chair

HOPE'S MARCH AT A GLANCE

- 3/4 STEPHEN MINISTRY 7 PM
- 3/6 ASH WEDNESDAY @ ST PAUL'S UCC 7PM
- 3/13 LENTEN SRVICE @ 7PM
- 3/14 COUNCIL MTG 7 PM
- 3/15 HOPE'S BARNEY BLAST @ 7PM
- 3/18 STEPHEN MINISTRY 7 PM
- 3/20 LENTEN SRVICE @ 7PM
- 3/24 SPECIAL CHOIR PRACTICE @ 12PM
- 3/27 LENTEN SRVICE @ 7PM
- 3/28 WHOO @ 6 PM
- 3/31 CONFIRMATION @ 12PM

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

- 9 am Contemporary Worship
- 10 am Sunday School
- 11 am Traditional Worship



WORDS FROM PR. CHRISTIE

Give it up for Lent! (or not) This is the time of year when we normally are talking about giving up something for Lent. Some of us may give up things we feel are unhealthy habits we wanted to tackle anyway. Others choose not to give up something but to adopt a new practice, such as meditating or reading the Bible every day.



The idea is that we spend these 40 days of Lent in solidarity with Jesus, remembering the time he spent in the wilderness, and contemplating his journey to the cross. Often people decide to make these changes during this time as a way of drawing closer to God.

This year, as we prepare for Lent, I invite you to consider “Sabbath” as a theme for your Lenten journey. Sabbath practices are uniquely perfect for Lent, because Sabbath-ing can be about giving something up, or about starting a new spiritual practice. Either way, it’s about accepting a beautiful gift that God has given us.

Sabbath is not at all about arguing which day of the week we should go to church, or whether businesses should be open on Sundays or not. It’s about God telling us that we are allowed to REST and worship and – yep! – the world will absolutely go on spinning without us while we take time out from our busy schedules to do those things. It’s about us remembering that God is looking out for our every need, so we can put God first, and we can rest in that (Exodus 20:1-11). It’s about us remembering not to worry (Matt 6:25-34) and to place all of our burdens upon Jesus (Matt 11:28-30).

For you, maybe “Sabbath” means “giving up” something during Lent this year. And maybe it’s small. Maybe it means actually taking that lunch break instead of just having a sandwich at your desk. Maybe it’s giving yourself 20 minutes more time each day or every other day to do something like read or pray or relax – you know what you need. It could be bigger: An hour, a half day, a whole day.

Or maybe “Sabbath” for you is adding something new. Maybe it’s a new prayer or meditation practice, a new way of worshipping or eating or exercising. Maybe it’s a new way of caring for others or for the environment. Sabbath is about love of God, love of neighbor, and love of self.

So get creative. Find something relaxing, something that nourishes you spiritually. Something that makes you feel alive. Share it with each other. Share it with us!

Peace,

Pastor Christie

For more information & further study, check out: *Sabbath as Resistance: Saying No to the Culture of Now* by Walter Bruggemann. And “Study Guide: On Giving Up and Taking On” <https://www.livinglutheran.org/2017/02/study-guide-giving-taking/>



Hope will be combining efforts with St. Paul United Church of Christ for Ash Wednesday and Maundy Thursday services.

The **Ash Wednesday** service will take place on Wednesday, March 6, at 7pm at St. Paul UCC (5312 Old Blue Rock Road). Service, with St. Paul’s interim **Pastor Marty Westermeyer** preaching and **Pastor Christie** assisting in worship.

A **Maundy Thursday** service will take place Thursday, April 18, at 7pm at Hope. **Pastor Christie** will preach and **Pastor Marty** will assist in worship.

On **Wednesday nights** between Ash Wednesday and Holy Week (3/13, 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, & 4/10), we will hold Wednesday night Lenten services here at Hope at 7pm. These services will be contemplative and will feature dramatic readings. **Anyone interested in serving as a dramatic reader, please contact Pastor Christie.**

Easter Egg Hunt (4/13) following the 10am Children’s practice for Palm Sunday program.

On **Palm Sunday** (4/14) – Regular services will take place at 9am and 11am with the children performing “Because He Lives” during the Sunday School hour at 10am.

On **Good Friday** (4/19) at 7 p.m. Hope’s choir will combine with other community choirs “Come Touch The Robe.” **Pastor Christie** will be assisting in worship.

On **Easter Sunday** (4/21) – Easter services will take place at our regular service times, 9am and 11am. Join us for breakfast in between services 9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Sign up in the Narthex.

We are excited about all of our Lenten and Easter service offerings. Invite a friend to join us!

NEWS FROM KATHI

This is the month spring is supposed to arrive! At least three-fourths of the way through the month, anyway! I am not going to hold my breath that it will happen, at least not in Michigan! And while spring may not actually happen where I live, Lent DOES begin this month. It is a time for all of us to reflect, repent and to use moderation in all things. It may not be everyone's favorite time of the Church year, but it still comes around to knock on our heart's door. It is a great opportunity to step back and take stock of our lives.



This month in Michigan, I am working on my classroom work for a week-long intensive class happening in April, Lenten services, a Region 6 retreat for seminary students, and beginning to think about Confirmation Sunday for two of my four students! So, a lot is taking place. It seems that every time I take time to think, another "thing" pops into my mind that I need to get working on. But while it may be challenging to keep up with events, there is nothing I would rather be doing! This is what I have been called to – feeding God's people. I am so grateful that you have helped to put me here, and may God bless you abundantly for your faithful obedience.

Vicar Kathi

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MARVELOUS MARCH BIRTHDAYS

2	Carmen Hasdorff	20	Anita Ficke
3	Ellen Gundrum	25	Joyce Burkhardt
4	Anie Gundrum	26	Brad Byrne
	Joseph Fetterman		Maria Huth
5	Pieper Hunt	28	Ginny Pfalzgraf
	Michael Glaspar		Martha Renner
6	Antonio Buccino	29	Xander Hermann
8	Lana Albright		Emily Holzmacher
10	Mickee Hamlin		
11	Ray Beneker IV		
13	Betty Leonhardt		
17	Nicholas Pennington		



MISSING IN ACTION

Does anyone know what happened to the second turquoise rack for the dishwasher in the church's kitchen? It has disappeared from the top of the freezer where it was stored and without it washing multiple dishes is difficult.

WHOO NEWS

The women will meet on **March 28 at 6pm** in the Fellowship Hall for a light meal, devotion, and conversation.



Come and join in the evening fellowship of women and acquaint yourself with other women you may not know because they attend a different worship service. All women are invite to attend!

Editor's Note: Due to a generous anonymous monetary donation to WHOO, white Corelle dinner plates were purchased to use for our Hope meal functions.

SPRING IS COMING

Don't forget to collect your items for our biennial **Hope Yard Sale** scheduled for **May 18th from 9-1pm** sponsored by the **Worship and Music Committee**. More details about volunteering your time will be coming as we near the May date. The funds will help support our music program ay our church.



HALL RENTAL INFO

Lucinda Hardin handles the rentals for our Fellowship Hall. Non-member rental forms are available on the Narthex counter and online at hopeonbluerock.org. There is now a special form for members only in the office. **To contact Lucinda directly, telephone 513-225-0215, or email @ manft99@gmail.com** for assistance.

A PRAYER FOR LENT

Lord God, we pray this Lent
That you would fill us with your grace, so that we may:
Fast from judging, but **Feast** on Christ living in all mankind
Fast from harsh words, but **Feast** on words that build others up.
Fast from discontent, but **Feast** on gratitude.
Fast from anger, but **Feast** on optimism.
Fast from worry, but **Feast** on God's care.
Fast from complaining, but **Feast** on appreciation.
Fast from bitterness, but **Feast** on forgiveness.
Fast from self-concern, but **Feast** on compassion for others.
Fast from discouragement, but **Feast** on hope.
Fast from facts that depress, but **Feast** on facts that uplift.
Fast from suspicion, but **Feast** on truth.
Fast from idle gossip, but **Feast** on silence with a purpose.
Fast from hate, but **feast** on love.

Loving, God, during these forty days, may we gladly go without those things that keep us from you, so we may be free to go within our hearts to prepare the way of the risen Christ. Amen.

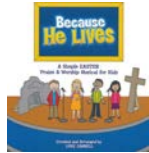
contributed by **Frank Russo**

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

Children, come join in the drama of acting out Bible stories and learning about our faith.




Our youth are also learning songs for Pr. Christie's Installation as well as the Children's Palm Sunday Program, "Because He Lives."



Cole and Cora are telling the story of Joseph and his coat of many colors with the help of Hannah.

There is excitement in the classroom areas!

MARCH CONFIRMATION CLASS

On February 17, the confirmands met with Pastor Christie and their Spiritual Friends for a light meal, a drama and a discussion *Confirmation Class*  regarding Bible verses that have special meaning to those attending.



The next scheduled class is March 31 at 12:15 pm.

MARCH NEWS AND THANK YOU'S

Thanks to our confirmation class for sorting personal care products for the First Lutheran Clothing Room. This group includes **Zoey Beagle, Ray and Raegan Beneker, Aaron and Jake Byrne, Olivia Byrne, Austin Kelbley, Elliot McMasters, and Isaac Williams.**

Dear Hope Lutheran Church,

Thank you for your generosity in the form of a check for my tuition! Your faithfulness is overwhelming, and I can't say "Thank You!" enough. My heart rejoices in you.

Blessing, **Vicar Kathi Boland**

Hope Family,

We just received your donation to the Edge House Campus Ministry - thank you so much! The student have mentioned missing y'all - perhaps we can arrange a Sunday for us to visit with coffee soon?

We are planning our pilgrimage to the el Camino de Santiago in May and ask your prayers on our preparations and our walk.

Blessings to all of you! Peace,
Alice Conners, Edge House, UC Campus

Dear Pastor,

Thank you and the Hope Lutheran Church for your contribution of \$500 to Graceworks Lutheran Services and joining Graceworks in its Mission to "help people experience dignity and wholeness in relationship with God, family and community." Your gift will be used as you have designated.....

Sincerely, **Rev. James V. Bosse, Vice President
Community and Organizational Care**

Hope Lutheran Church,

Thank you much for the Year-to Date giving of \$900. Your generous contribution helps the hurting and hungry individuals/families that are in the SON Food Pantry local attendance areas.

SON (Serving Our Neighbors) Ministries purchases grocery items, mets, toiletries, personal hygiene products, etc. to help out our clients with their economic situations. Also, we who serve at SON Ministries are volunteers (4 of them from your church who help...). Again, thank you for helping build a brighter future in our community.

With Gratitude & in Jesus Love,
Walt Watson, Director of SON Ministries

Thank you to the generous person who anonymously donated \$2000 to the WHOO group. A small portion purchased white Corelle dinner plates for our Hope meals to reduce the use of paper plates. The remainder will be used for our charitable projects. **Thank you, thank you, thank you!**

I would like to thank Jen Byrne and Alita Simpson for using their professional abilities and resources to help council with some of the "business" aspects of running our church. We as a church are so fortunate to have so many members who have always been ready and able to help with their professional knowledge. God is Good!

Mary Beth - Property Chair

Dear Pastor Christie,

We would like to sincerely Thank You for your generosity. It was so kind of you to let our family and friends park at the church on the evening of January 26th for our mother's 90 Surprise Birthday Party. Lois was truly surprised and it was a wonderful evening. It was so nice to be able to share this special occasion with so many people that have played such important roles in her life. We truly appreciate your help and we could not have done it without you. Thanks again,

Cindy Volmer and The Volmer Family

EMERGENCY CALL OFF PROCEDURE

If for any reason (like the recent snow problem) it would be necessary to cancel our church worship services or any activity, check WCPO Channel 9 for our listing or your computer email.

If you do not receive the google emails, please let us know @ joyceivins@icloud.com.

TO GOD YOU SHALL RETURN

The traditional Ash Wednesday words "Remember that you are dust and to dust you shall return" might seem depressing. But in our often death-denying culture, some might find it refreshing to hear the frank statement that we can do nothing to save ourselves, physically or spiritually — that, no matter how we try to avoid sin, we can't untangle ourselves from self-interest. How liberating, then, to know we don't have to! God loves us as we are and sent Jesus to break sin's power over us.

A pastor described Ash Wednesday as the point you can pinch in the middle of a long piece of ribbon, such that when you lift it high, the two ends — one symbolizing our baptism and the other, our funeral — meet and touch. We come from dust and will return to dust, but we also come from God and will return to God. Ash Wednesday reminds us that we're always safe in God's love.

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SON MINISTRIES

In January SON served 103 families and 391 individuals. Food or monetary donations are such wonderful way of serving those who are unable to afford nutritious meals to feed themselves and their families in our community!



For March

ALWAYS NEEDED: BROWN PAPER GROCERY BAGS!

THE LATEST FROM FIRST LUTHERAN

Any donations for the First Lutheran Clothing Closet are greatly appreciated!

Men's jeans (all sizes especially 32 and 34)
Men's belts
Bath towels and washcloths
Disposable razors, Deodorant
Men's and Women's coats
Skull Caps
Hoodies (XL and up)
Long underwear
Women's panties and Bras (all sizes)
Blankets



Any very large size clothing is always appreciated.

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"SHARING WITH HOPE"

If you have pictures from church and would like to share, you may add to Hope's Facebook page. For any questions, see Mary Bryant.

Editor's Note: If you use Hope's website address, www.hopeonbluerock.org, you will also find a link to Hope's Facebook page.

KROGER REWARDS PROGRAM

1. Visit KrogerCommunityRewards.com
 2. Sign in to your online account, or create an account.
 3. Find and select Hope Lutheran and click "Enroll."
- Our 5 digit number is 80286.



Thank you to all who have joined this rewards program!

YELLOW BRICK ROAD CHILD CARE

Yellow Brick Road Child Care still has space available! You may enroll your child - ages 6 weeks to 5th grade. Share the info with others.

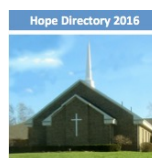
Just telephone 513-601-2596 or send an email to the address below:



yellowbrickroadchildcare@gmail.com

HOPE DIRECTORY APP

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FOR COMPUTER In the address bar (URL)- type in members.instantchurchdirectory.com

The screen will ask you to submit your email address as it appears in the church directory. You will be sent an email with a password or link embedded in it. When you create a new password, it must be 8 characters long and contain at least two of the following: capital letters or symbols.

**Changes are continuously made as the church is notified. If you have changed your email address, you will need to re-enroll. It will not recognize the new email address for confidentiality purposes.*

CHURCH DOOR CODES

The codes have been changed for 2019. See Mary Beth Taylor if you need the new codes.

JOIN IN HOPE'S RECYCLING

Our Narthex area bins are looking for your empty pill bottles for Matthew 25, religious materials for Love Packages, eye glasses to Lens Crafters (for Lions Club),



grocery items for SON Ministry, pop tabs for Ronald McDonald House, Plastic Bottle Caps, used manual toothbrushes, toothpaste tubes and caps, outer packaging for brushes and paste, and empty dental floss containers for Dental Hygiene Clinic at UC Blue Ash, Box Tops for Education, plus clothes and shoes for the First Lutheran Clothing Room. Contributing these items is good stewardship, and the organizations are very thankful for our participation.

HOPES BOTTOM LINE

January 2019



General Fund

Total	MONTH	YTD
Beginning Balance	\$ 80,179.26	\$ 80,179.26
Revenues	\$ 13,907.87	\$ 13,907.87
Expenses	\$ 21,149.34	\$ 21,149.34
Transfers In	\$ 1,405.00	\$ 1,405.00
Transfers Out	\$ 0.00	\$ 50,000.00
Ending Balance	\$ 74,342.79	\$ 74,342.79

Memorial Fund

Beginning Balance	\$15,294.10	\$15,294.10
Deposit	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Interest	\$.90	\$.90
Disbursements	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Total	\$15,295.00	\$15,295.00

Mission Building Fund

Beginning Balance	\$ 22,784.09	\$ 22,784.09
Revenue	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Interest	\$ 7.77	\$ 7.77
Ending Balance	\$ 22,791.86	\$ 22,791.86

Wilma Hoffman Fund

Beginning Balance	\$ 24,917.00	\$ 24,917.00
Deposit	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Interest Income	\$ 8.41	\$ 8.41
Disbursements	\$ 1,405.00	\$ 1,405.00
Ending Balance	\$ 23,520.41	\$ 23,520.41

Capital One CD

Beginning Balance	\$ 50,478.87	\$ 50,478.87
Deposit	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Interest Income	\$ 97.58	\$ 97.58
Disbursements	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Ending Balance	\$ 50,576.45	\$ 50,576.45

Val Schneider, Treasurer

Thanks to all who kept up their donations during our 2 snow cancellations at Hope.

Tim Beagle, Financial Secretary

CONGREGATION HIGHLIGHTS

February 14, 2018

◆**Tim Beagle, Financial Secretary:**

Church Trac is working fine. An anonymous member donated \$2000 to the WHOO women's group.

◆**Val Schneider, Treasurer:** Our donations are about \$4000 behind our 2019 Budget.

◆**Carmen Hasdorff, Spiritual Life:** William and Dorothea Hart have asked to be removed from membership to attend a church nearer them.

◆**Mike Schweinfest, Worship/Music:** The committee is seeking volunteers to staff a nursery for the first service. **Judy Royse** is sewing Lenten banners. **Ruth Oehler** will offer Easter flowers for sale to decorate

the sanctuary area. Hope's Yard Sale is May 18.

◆**Jen, Byrne, Christian Education:** The children will sing at Pastor Christie's installation on February 24. On April 13 an Easter Egg Hunt will follow the children's practice at 10 am for Palm Sunday's program, "Because He Lives."

◆**Mary Bryant, Evangelism:** Stewardship and Evangelism are combining their efforts. Hope will begin an "Invite A Friend" campaign for Easter. On April 28 the list of Hope's visitors will be invited to a member luncheon in preparation for **New Member on Sunday, May 5.**

◆**Mary Beth Taylor, Property:** Snow removal has been expensive this year. She is very pleased with the change to Scherzinger for pest control.

◆**Judy Royse, Fellowship:** The brunch for Pastor's installation will follow the service. Hope's Barney Blast is Friday, March 14, and the Easter Breakfast starts at 9:45 am on April 21.

◆**Pastor Christie:** She is involved at the ELCA Cincy Pastor's Coalition and the YMCA's Ecumenical Coalition along with her many worship duties at Hope plus meeting with committees, members, shut-ins, confirmation, etc.

◆**In March the council will discuss 2019 goals. If anyone has suggestions, please contact Pastor or Joy Ivins.**

◆The next council meeting will be March 14.

FOR THE APRIL ISSUE OF THE HOPE HERALD, ARTICLES ARE REQUESTED BY SUNDAY, MARCH 17. ARTICLES MAY BE EMAILED TO joyceivins@icloud.com anytime on or before that date.



DAYS OF CREATION

Play this game to remember when God made each of his masterpieces.

DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4	DAY 5	DAY 6	DAY 7



What you need:

- Paper
- Rulers
- Pencils
- Markers or crayons
- Dice
- Bibles (open to Genesis 1:1-2:3 for reference)

What you do:

1. To make game boards, draw a grid with four rows and seven columns, totaling 28 squares.
2. Across the top row, write DAY 1 in the first square and continue through DAY 7.
3. Take turns rolling one die, or all players can roll at once. For the number rolled, draw something God created on that day (in the correct column).
4. When you fill an entire row, draw a smiley face in the DAY 7 square. The first player with two smileys wins.



Decode The days

At this time of year, God's creation "springs" to life.

Directions: After reading Genesis 1:1-2:3, write the correct Creation day number under each picture. Then add up each day's total and write it on the correct blank below.

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Day 5 (birds and water animals) _____ Day 6 (land animals and people) _____ Day 7 (God rested) _____

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WORSHIP ASSISTANTS -March 2019



	Greeters	Ushers	Acolyte	Communion-setup	Lector	Communion	Prayer Leader
Sunday March 3				Projector Sam Kless			
Contemporary	Mary Bryant Janet Freland	John Kroger Beulah Kroger	Isaac Williams Adam Williams	Ruth Oehler	Sue Millard	Lana Albright	K. Schneider
Traditional	Mary Fennell Mary Bryant	Ginny Pfalzgraf Debbie Schrader	Sadie Tolle		Lana Albright	Elaine Tingle	Bonnie Long
Sunday March 10				Projector Isaac Williams			
Contemporary	John Kroger Beulah Kroger	Pat Speeg Sue Millard	Zoey Beagle Ryleigh O'Connor	Pat Speeg	Lana Albright	Sara Beagle	K. Schneider
Traditional	Ginny Pfalzgraf Debbie Schrader	Tom Tenhundfeld M. Tenhundfeld	Raegan Beneker		Ray Beneker	Mary Fennell	Ron Long
Sunday March 17				Projector Julia Beagle			
Contemporary	Kathy Mushaben	Butch Royse	Olivia Byrne	Cathy Klayer	Tim Beagle	Tim Beagle	K. Schneider
THANK OFFERING	Ron Thatcher	Judy Royse	Morgan Byrne				
Traditional	Rose Hamilton Steve Hamilton	Ray Beneker Jerry Ivins	Hannah Tolle		Mary Fennell	Carmen Hasdorff	K. Schweinfest
Sunday March 24				Projector Zoey Beagle			
Contemporary	Butch Royse Judy Royse	Ron Thatcher Kathy Mushaben	Cole Sullivan Sam Kless	Ruth Oehler	Joy Ivins	Amy Byrne	K. Schneider
Traditional	Tom Tenhundfeld M. Tenhundfeld	Bill Mack Barb Mack	Sadie Tolle		Lucinda Hardin	Jerry Ivins	Tim Beagle
Sunday March 31				Projector Aaron Byrne			
Contemporary	Mary Bryant Janet Freland	Julia Beagle Linda Hayden	Jake Byrne Aaron Byrne	Pat Speeg	Eva McMasters	Brad Byrne	K. Schneider
Traditional	Hannah Tolle Mary Bryant	Ginny Pfalzgraf Debbie Schrader	Sadie Tolle		Jerry Ivins	Lucinda Hardin	Joy Ivins
Sunday April 7				Projector Sam Kless			
Contemporary	Linda Hayden Cathy Klayer	Zoey Beagle Sue Millard	Julia Beagle	Cathy Klayer	M. Schweinfest	Mary Byrne	K. Schneider
Traditional	Sadie Tolle Mary Fennell	Jerry Ivins Hannah Tolle	Raegan Beneker		Carmen Hasdorff	Lana Albright	Jerry Ivins

Acolyte Coach @ 9 am Nan Davis
 Coffee Clean-up @ noon: Crystal Beneker/ Russ Vinup
 Acolyte Coach @ 11 am Carmen Hasdorff



March 2019

February 2019							March 2019							April 2019							
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24	25	26	27	28			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	28	29	30					
							31														

Hope Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM Pr. Christie's Installation 11:00 AM Installation Lunch 	25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30 AM First Lutheran - serve food 10:00 AM 10 to noon SON open 6:00 PM Praise Band/Sanctuary 	26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 	27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 	28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:00 PM Bible Study 2:30 PM Spiritual Life Mtg 6:00 PM WHOO Women/Fellowship Hall 	1 Pastor's Day Off	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Call Pat M. in indy 10:30 AM Check Life lock accounts - up to date
3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Contemporary Serv 10:00 AM Choir Practice 11:00 AM Traditional Serv 1:00 PM Rental/Kuhlman 	4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM 10 to noon SON open 6:00 PM Praise Band/Sanctuary 7:00 PM Stephen Ministry-Fellowship/Library 	5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service AT ST PAUL UCC 	6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service AT ST PAUL UCC 	7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:00 PM Bible Study 	8 Pastor's Day Off	9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Change clocks forward
10 Daylight Savings Time Begins <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Contemporary Serv 10:00 AM Choir Practice 11:00 AM Traditional Serv 	11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30 AM First Lutheran - clothes 10:00 AM 10 to noon SON open 6:00 PM Praise Band/Sanctuary 	12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 12:30 PM Wor/Music 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Lenten Service 	13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 12:30 PM Wor/Music 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Lenten Service 	14 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:00 PM Bible Study 6:00 PM Set up for Barney Blast 7:00 PM Hope Council/Fellowship Hall 	15 Pastor's Day Off <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:00 PM Hope's Blarney Blast (St Patrick's Day Family Party) 	16
17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Contemporary Serv 10:00 AM Choir Practice 11:00 AM Traditional Serv 	18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM 10 to noon SON open 6:00 PM Praise Band/Sanctuary 7:00 PM Stephen Ministry-Fellowship/Library 	19 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Lenten Service 	20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Lenten Service 	21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:00 PM Bible Study 	22 Pastor's Day Off	23
24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Contemporary Serv 10:00 AM Choir Practice 11:00 AM Traditional Serv 12:30 PM Special Choir Practice 	25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30 AM First Lutheran - serve food 10:00 AM 10 to noon SON open 6:00 PM Praise Band/Sanctuary 	26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Lenten Service 	27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Lenten Service 	28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:00 PM Bible Study 6:00 PM WHOO Women/Fellowship Hall 	29 Pastor's Day Off	30
31 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Contemporary Serv 10:00 AM Choir Practice 11:00 AM Traditional Serv 12:15 PM Confirmation 	1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM 10 to noon SON open 6:00 PM Praise Band/Sanctuary 7:00 PM Stephen Ministry-Fellowship/Library 	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Lenten Service 	3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM SON 4:30 PM SON 7:00 PM Lenten Service 	4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:00 PM Bible Study 	5 Pastor's Day Off <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6:00 PM Cantata Practice/GUMC 	6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 AM Cantata Practice/GUMC

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