



The Hope Herald

Hope Lutheran Church Newsletter

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March 2023

WELCOME HOME!

INSPIRING WORSHIP IN-PERSON &
LIVESTREAM CHILDREN'S CHURCH DURING
WORSHIP



Enjoy Inspiring Worship Sunday mornings at 10 a.m. in-person or on livestream. Visit the Worship tab at hopeonbluerock.org for information on how to view livestream or recorded worship videos, to view weekly bulletins, and more. If you have questions or concerns regarding worship, contact **Joy Ivins**, Chair of Worship & Music Committee.

Pastor Christie

SUPER PIGGY SUNDAY RESULTS

The children of Hope, in partnership with the Generosity Committee, embarked on a mission to provide for families around the world who are suffering from hunger or food insecurity. Through the ELCA World Hunger program, children collected money starting in October to "feed" the piggy banks they made during Children's Church.



This project culminated in "Super Piggy Sunday" on February 12th. With support from the congregation, the children raised a total of \$500! Now the children will choose a sustainable way to use their funds to help a family in need. This could be through the purchase of chicks that will ultimately produce eggs, a cow that will produce milk, or a fish farm.

On behalf of the children of Hope, thank you to everyone who supported this project. The kids are giving serious thought to the best way to use their funds to share Christ's love with the world!

Erica Leppert, Christian Education Chair

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS IS COMING

On Saturday night, March 11, don't forget to spring forward one hour!



LENTEN WORSHIP & BIBLE STUDY SCHEDULE

This year during Lent, we will offer a worship service of contemplation and communion at 1pm on Thursday afternoons, followed by "Amazing Grace" Bible study at 1:30pm. Here is the schedule for the Lent & Easter season:



Thursdays, March 2-30

1pm Lenten Worship

Sunday, April 2

10 am Palm Sunday

Dramatic Presentation during worship

Thursday, April 6

7 pm

7 pm Maundy Thursday Worship

Friday, April 7

7pm Good Friday Cantata

@ Groesbeck UMC

Sunday, April 9

10 am Easter Sunday Worship

11 am Brunch & Easter Egg Hunt

EASTER FLOWERS FOR SALE

Lilies-- \$14.00,

Daffodils-- \$11.00

Tulips--\$9.00

These flowers will be available to decorate the chancel on Easter Sunday. All plants are in foil-wrapped pots. Forms are on the Narthex counter. Indicate the number of each variety and color you wish to order.



Deadline to order is March 12, 2023. 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 the service, you can pick up your flowers. Please mark if you wish to have the flowers planted in our Memorial Garden or taken home.

Ruth Oehler, Altar Guild Chair

PR. CHRISTIE'S CORNER

All things ARE Possible!

For God all things are possible. – Matthew 19:26 (NRSVUE)

We are about to embark upon a new journey together, Hope Lutheran Church! Can you feel the Holy Spirit moving? I can!



Over the past three and a half years, our Congregational Vitality Team (CVT) here at Hope



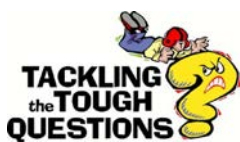
Southern Ohio Synod
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
God's work. Our hands.

has been working through a program called

The Collaborative. This program is offered by the ELCA Southern Ohio Synod, and is geared toward helping churches to have strong plans, mission, and vision for the future of the congregation.

I am happy to report that we are finally in the home stretch of this program! The CVT finished our final retreat/workshop event with the Collaborative in February. However, I realized during this "final" event, that the work for us here at Hope is far from over. In fact, the most challenging and rewarding step of the process is just beginning for us as a congregation.

Here is what we've done so far in the process: We have learned about ourselves as a church – our strengths, passions, and values as a congregation and as individuals. We have talked with the community and learned quite a bit about what the needs are here in Colerain Township. We developed a congregational purpose statement. The purpose statement answers the question, "What's our WHY?" Why do we do the things we do as a church? Why do we exist? The purpose statement that the congregation approved this past fall is: **"Sharing God's grace, hope, and love to our community through service, hospitality, compassion, and prayer."**



We now move on to the next step in our process, which is to identify a "Signature Ministry." Our signature ministry will tie all these things together: our purpose, passions, values, and gifts with the needs of the community. To find this signature ministry, we might ask ourselves: What are we doing now that we could do more of to help more people

in the community? What are we so passionate about that we want to share it with the world? And, most importantly, **What is God calling us to do?**

Each of you will have many opportunities over the coming months to engage in conversations around this topic. I am incredibly excited to see where the Holy Spirit is leading us. I am fully confident that though a new initiative may seem like a frightening endeavor, God will equip us in ways we never imagined! **"For God all things are possible."**

Yes, this might be a scary adventure for us. But remember the topics we've been discussing over these past few years about having an abundance mentality verses a scarcity mentality? Each time we lead with that abundance mentality, we allow God room to get into the situation and move! Over all the years that Hope Lutheran Church has been a congregation together, each time we as a congregation have said – "I don't know how we're going to do this but I know God is calling us to do this, and I know God will equip us with what we need," God has come through. God has answered our prayers. God has made the dreams and visions of Hope a reality. And God will do so again.

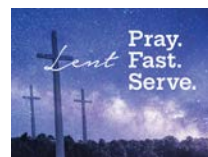
Let's face our future together here at Hope with hearts full of abundance! Let's dream together about what the next phase of our ministry looks like. As we do so, seeking the leading of the Holy Spirit in all that we do, I know that God will bless us. **Nothing is impossible with God!**

In the eternal, peace, love and HOPE of Christ,

Pastor Christie

WHAT ARE THE 3 PILLARS OF LENT?

The three traditional pillars of Lent are **prayer, fasting and almsgiving**. Through the three pillars of Lent we journey to develop a closer relationship to God. The 40 days of Lent should be filled with reflection, service and prayer.



ST. PATRICK'S DAY BLESSING



"May your troubles be less, and your blessings be more, and nothing but happiness come through your door."

MARCH THANK YOU'S AND NEWS

Again, thanks to the Hope family for prayers and cards. Special thanks to **Pastor Christie**, the **Ivins**, the **McBrides**, and **Bonnie Long** who made the long drive to visit while I was at Westover. Additional thanks to **WHOO**, the **Ivins**, the **McBrides**, **Mary Bryant**, **Kathy Mushaben**, **Ruth Oehler** and **Mary Beth Taylor** for gifts and for help arranging meals and grocery deliveries to the loan of a walker. Hope members are awesome.

Marlyn Ford

Editor's Note: Second attempt for her thank you. Not sure what happened last month to garble the wording.

I wanted to do shout out to **Becky and Skip Lister** for spending the time and effort to get and make additional letters for our Hope church outdoor sign.

Linda McBride

Thanks to a high-spirited effort by the **Fellowship Committee**, our **Save a Heart Sunday** was a success! We are so appreciative of the many contributors of items and donations, given at our luncheon.



A grand total of **\$3,286** was raised. We will

now be able to purchase a lifesaving AED machine, which will be installed in the church lobby. Thank you, **Judy Royse** (our auctioneer), **Butch Royse**, **Kathy Mushaben**, **Ron Thatcher**, **Linda McBride**, **Becky Lister**, and **Carmen and Chuck Hasdorff**, for your tireless efforts.

Karen Schweinfest, Fellowship Chair



Linda McBride was the chief potato cook.

Judy Royse was the auctioneer for event who helped raise so much money.



Look at the delicious food that was eaten!



What a wonderful atmosphere to eat some delicious food and enjoy each others company!



Some of the raffle items that were sold including a Bengal's jacket and a beautiful wooden plaque by our resident wood worker **Nan Davis**!



NEWEST MEMBER AT HOPE

Young **Jensen Kay Tedesco**, born on November 22, 2022 to **Danica and Jake Tedesco**, was baptized on



February 19 during worship by **Pastor Christie** with sponsors **Eric and Courtney Mallo** and many family members

in attendance. We welcome this new child of God with open arms into our Hope family.

AMAZING GRACE FOR LENT!

March 2 @ 1:30 pm. **(NEW TIME)** This year commemorates the 250th anniversary of the hymn "Amazing Grace." To celebrate, our theme for Lent will be "Amazing Grace." Our Thursday worship and Bible Study will explore this theme each week, and a daily devotional is available in the Narthex for everyone to take home. Each week during Sunday worship, we will explore the themes of just how amazing God's grace truly is, through scripture, sermon, and song. **Pastor Christie**



LID COLLECTION IN NARTHEX BINS DISCONTINUED

For the time being, Hope will discontinue our collection of lids in the Narthex bins. The company who was making the Buddy Benches for all of our local organizations has gone out of business, and we can no longer find anyone local who is using the lids. Please recycle your lids for now. We will continue to investigate the situation and hope to be able to bring back this ministry in the future.



CHANGE ON PILL BOTTLE COLLECTION

Please make note that from now on only **pill bottles without labels that are cleaned** will be accepted for Matthew 25 Ministries collection.



HOPE DONATION ENVELOPES



If you would like new envelopes, you may pick up a box on the right end of the counter stop in the Narthex. Please sign the sheet with your name and number of the box to help our **Financial Secretary, Ron Long**, keep good records.

EMERGENCY CALL OFF PROCEDURE

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

What does a house wear?

Address



When bees move into a new hive, do they have swarming party?

KEY MESSAGE OF LENT

Why do people give things up until Easter Sunday? Millions of people do this during Lent as a sign of sacrifice and to test their self-discipline. Christians believe that this is to represent Jesus Christ's sacrifice when he went into the desert to pray and fast for the 40 days before later dying on the cross.



WELCA, Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

HOW TO JOIN ZOOM EVENTS

For the majority of our zoom meetings, the instructions for joining on zoom are the same. See below for instructions, and contact Pastor Christie with questions or difficulties. In the occasional case that the zoom link is different, instructions will be noted with the event publicity.



To join virtually Join via zoom on computer or smart phone: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3178285949?pwd=YSs1QzNScVIMZzlkMkZpMTImVINLUT09>

Call in via telephone: 1-301-715-8592
Meeting ID: 317 828 5949
Passcode: 4695

HOPE'S NURSERY IS OPEN

Don't forget that **Kayla Terbrueggen** is available during worship to care for Hope's youngest children if parents wish to take advantage of her services. It is a safe place with toys and activity.



CHILD'S VERSION OF ADAM & EVE



Then God made the world. He split the Adam and made Eve. Adam and Eve were naked, but they weren't embarrassed because mirrors hadn't been invented yet. Adam and Eve disobeyed God by eating one bad apple, so they were driven from the Garden of Eden. Not sure what they were driven in though, because they didn't have cars. Adam and Eve had a son, Cain, who hated his brother as long as he was Abel.

DON'T FORGET ALL OCCASION CARDS ARE FOUND ON THE NARTHEX COUNTER FOR YOU TO SHARE! ALSO PRAYER SHAWLS ARE AVAILABLE TO THOSE WHO NEED THE COMFORT OF PRAYER.

MARVELOUS MARCH BIRTHDAYS

2	Carmen Hasdorff	Angela Burkhardt
3	Ellen Gundrum	26 Brad Byrne
4	Anie Gundrum	Maria Huth
	Joseph Fetterman	Martha Renner
5	Pieper Hunt	29 Xander Hermann
6	Antonio Buccino	Emily Terbruggen
8	Lana Albright	30 Pr. Christie
10	Mickee Hamlin	
11	Ray Beneker IV	
13	Betty Leonhardt	
17	Nicholas Pennington	
20	Anita Ficke	
22	Linda McBride	
25	Joyce Burkhardt	



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

WHOO (WOMEN HELPING OTHERS & OURSELVES)



A group of women enjoyed a "night out" for a nice meal and lots of friendly conversation on February 23 at "The Pub."

Next month the group will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 6 pm on March 23 to discuss the possible meal for the Hatton Women's shelter. A trip is being organized soon to visit the facility. Just bring a light meal and join in the companionship and discussions with other women at Hope.

SON MINISTRIES REPORT

During January, SON distributed food and personal care items to 112 families that included 97 children and 247 adults for a total of 344 persons.



For March SON is requesting plain instant mashed potatoes 8 oz. - 15 oz. and standard size cans of ravioli

Thanks to all who donate to this much needed community effort!

BROWN PAPER GROCERY BAGS ARE WELCOME

HAMILTON COUNTY 513RELIEFBUS

The Hamilton County 513ReliefBus came on February 7, 2023 to SON and GUMC. Approximately 100 walk-in clients of Colerain Township were served and able to apply directly for these services: Cash, food and Medicaid; Rent and utilities; Family and Child support; and Workforce training.

On March 7, 2023 from 10 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., the 513ReliefBus will be back at GUMC to continue to help others.

YOUR HELP IS REQUESTED

Could you spare an hour to join a group visiting the Liberty Nursing Home on Livingston Road for a short worship service on 'Thursday afternoons once a month? Add your friendliness to lift the spirits those confined by their medical problems. **If you are willing, please contact either Becky Lister or Linda McBride, who co-chair Hope's Outreach Committee.**



DON'T FORGET TO CHECK OUR "BOOK NOOK"



Women, look over the books available for loan in the "Book Nook" located in the Fellowship Hall. More books have recently joined the shelves. Be sure to check them out for a little escape time!

BOOK DONATIONS FOR SIDE BY SIDE MINISTRIES

Don't forget the Magic Schoolbus at Hope that collects new and gently used books for children and middle schoolers which will be given to Side by Side Ministries. You can't miss their big brightly decorated garbage container located at the entrance door awaiting your donations.



A Prayer for Lent

God Lord, 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 patience.
Fast from pessimism, 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 Carol Pott

HOPE DIRECTORY APP

FOR YOUR COMPUTER OR PHONE

Directions are on the church counter or check for Instant Church Directory.



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

Please contact Jerry Ivins for any changes.

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."

Hope received \$79.19 during the last quarter.

Hope's 5 digit number is 80286. Please join today!

BOX TOPS MADE EASY

Box Tops to school. All you need is your phone. Download the ALL-NEW Box Tops app, shop as you normally would, then simply scan your store receipts to find participating products. The app will automatically credit your school's Box Tops earnings online.

Karen Schneider



DO YOU SHOP WITH AMAZONsmile? Make note!



Unfortunately Amazon is discontinued the Amazonsmile program on February 20.

YELLOW BRICK ROAD CHILD CARE

We are proud of Kayla Willey's 2 Star award rating for her child care facility!



Spots are available at 513-601-2596 or send an email to the address below:

yellowbrickroadchildcare@gmail.com

DON'T FORGET OUR NARTHEX BINS!

-Used toothbrushes, empty toothpaste tubes and floss containers for UC Dental

-Food and personal care donations for SON Ministries

-Pop tabs for Ronald McDonald House

-Religious materials for Love Packages

-Boxtops for Education for schools

Pill bottles that are Cleaned and without labels

-Eye glasses for the Lyon's Club

-Clothing for Franciscan Sisters of the Poor



HOPE'S CONTRIBUTION INFORMATION

To donate to Hope: Checks may be mailed to 4695 Blue Rock Road, Cincinnati, OH 45247 or brought to church.



Digital donations may be submitted at www.hopeonbluerock.org Click on "Giving" and then click on "Online Giving" and choose how you wish to donate - either by

ChurchTrac or PayPal.

For questions email Ron Long at finance@hopeonbluerock.org

PRAYER CHAIN INSTRUCTIONS

To submit a prayer chain request: Complete this online form <https://www.hopeonbluerock.org/prayer-requests/>, or send an email to prayer@hopeonbluerock.org, or call Pastor Christie 317-828-5949 (cell) 513-923-3370 (church office)



Interested in receiving prayer chain emails? Email prayer@hopeonbluerock.org with your contact information and we will get you added to the list.

BRAIN TEASERS FOR YOU

Question: What do these words have in common? Assess, Banana, Dresser, Grammar, Potato, Revive, and uneven?

Answer: If you'd take the first letter, place it at the end, you can then spell the word backwards.



Having Trouble With Zeros?

It would take about 12 days to count to a million. Thirty one years to get to a billion. And 31,688 years to reach a trillion. Easy? Peasy? Or Queazy?

from Dream Weaving

A smile is a curve that sets things straight! 😊

HOPE'S BOTTOM LINE

January 2023



General Fund

Total	MONTH	YTD
Beginning Balance	\$ 16,380.64	\$ 16,380.64
Revenues	\$ 22,731.21	\$ 22,731.21
Expenses	\$ 21,387.83	\$ 21,387.83
Transfers In	\$.00	\$.00
Transfers Out	\$.00	\$.00
Ending Balance	\$ 17,724.02	\$ 17,724.02

Memorial Fund

Beginning Balance	\$10,057.86	\$10,057.86
Transfers In	\$.00	\$.00
Interest Income	\$.09	\$.09
Transfers Out	\$.00	\$.00
Total	\$10,057.95	\$10,057.95

Wilma Hoffman Fund

Beginning Balance	\$ 17,696.79	\$17,696.79
Deposit	\$.00	\$.00
Interest Income	\$ 1.56	\$ 1.56
Disbursements	\$.00	\$.00
Ending Balance	\$ 17,698.35	\$17,698.35

Mission Building Fund

Beginning Balance	\$ 14,388.56	\$ 14,388.56
Revenue	\$.00	\$.00
Interest Income	\$ 1.17	\$ 1.17
Disbursements	\$.00	\$.00
Ending Balance	\$ 14,389.73	\$ 14,389.73

Capital One CD

Beginning Balance	\$ 53,111.79	\$ 53,111.79
Deposit	\$.00	\$.00
Interest Income	\$ 84.97	\$ 84.97
Disbursements	\$.00	\$.00
Ending Balance	\$ 53,196.76	\$ 53,196.76

Chris Arany, Treasurer

COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

February 9, 2023

♦The Financial Secretary and Treasurer's reports balance.



♦Lana Albright, Spiritual Life: The Congregational Vitality Team will have their final meeting the weekend of February 17 virtually and in person.

♦Joy Ivins, Worship: The committee decided wearing a mask at Hope is the choice of each individual attending.

♦Weekly Lenten services will be held on Thursday afternoons with the Bible Study to follow. Sunday services will include more liturgy.

♦Erica Leppert, Christian Ed: She is working on plans for the Palm Sunday service for the children to be involved.

♦Becky Lister/Linda McBride, Outreach: The

committee is working on plans to make the the Narthex/lobby area more welcoming.

♦They are investigating some outreach projects with the WHOO including a food for women's shelter, "Coffee with the Chiefs" (of Colerain Township) and a monthly worship service at Liberty Nursing Home.

♦Chuck Hasdorff, Property: The Duke Power Company is planning another project that will involve our property.

♦Karen Schweinfest, Fellowship: The committee is planning the AED fundraiser, "Save A Heart Sunday," on February 19 and the Easter Breakfast and Easter Egg Hunt on April 9.

♦Jerry Ivins, Digital Ministry: We are working towards making Hope's digital footprint more efficient and organized.

♦Pastor Christie: She has been very busy organizing the Lenten and Easter season.

♦She attended a Continuing Education January 23-25 as well as several area meetings with community leaders and pastors.

♦Sue Millard, President: She presented a list with Pastor Christie of proposed goals for council to consider after the meeting.

♦Skip Lister was elected by council to the Audit Committee with returning members Lana Albright and Val Schneider.

♦The next meeting is March 9, 2023.

From the minutes of Debbie Schrader, Council Secretary

ARTICLES FOR THE APRIL ISSUE OF THE HOPE HERALD ARE REQUESTED BY SUNDAY, MARCH 19th. ARTICLES MAY BE EMAILED TO joyceivins@icloud.com or anytime before that date.



SPRINGTIME SNACKS



Whip up a plate of these cute, healthy treats!

What you need:

- Celery sticks
- Cherry tomatoes
- Cucumber circles
- Olives
- Cream cheese spread
- Fresh basil leaves (optional)
- Adult help

What you do:

1. Have an adult help you wash and cut the veggies.
2. Spread cream cheese inside the celery rods.
3. Place a cucumber circle upright in the cream cheese to make a bug body.
4. Add the tomato as a head.
5. Arrange basil leaves on a plate and place the veggie bugs on them.
6. Making different-shaped bugs with your favorite veggies. Enjoy!


PUZZLE





A seasonal reminder


Signs of spring remind us of God's promises.


Directions: Use the picture code and clues to complete Isaiah 61:11, NIV.

 plants grow here

 to coil and jump
(also a season of the year)

 to expand and get bigger

 seeds are planted in this

 when watered, these make plants

 another word for seedling


For as the _____ makes the _____

come up and a _____ causes

_____ to _____, so the

Sovereign LORD will make righteousness



and praise _____ up before all nations.


ISAIAH 61:11, NIV
































































Answer: soil, sprout, garden, seeds, grow, spring



March 2023

 Siri Suggestions
 Hope Calendar

February 2023							March 2023							April 2023						
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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OUR MISSION

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