



PRAISE and POTLUCK!

Grab your folding chairs and attend worship in Hope's memorial garden on **NEXT SUNDAY**. We will gather outdoors at 10:00 AM for a service celebrating the beauty of God's creation.

Following the service, we will convene in the Fellowship Hall for a potluck lunch.

There will be a sign-up sheet in the lobby for you to bring a salad, dessert, side, or meat dish. Please join us!

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For July SON, is requesting

15 oz. canned fruit.

Please put your donations in the Narthex bins marked SON Ministries.

BROWN PAPER GROCERY BAGS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

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TITHES & OFFERINGS

may be placed in the offering basket at the back of the sanctuary, or made online at hopeonbluerock.org/generosity

Thank you for your continued support of Hope Lutheran Church!

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Summer Schedule for Nursery & Children's Church

Special thanks as always to our amazing children's ministry providers: Kayla Terbrueggen in the nursery, and Erica Leppert, who directs our children's church and oversees our Christian Education ministries on church council.

Due to some much-needed summer fun time...

Children's Church will not meet July 16, and July 30 and the nursery will be unstaffed August 27.



HOPE

Lutheran Church

Pastor Christie Beckmann

www.HopeOnBlueRock.org

July 9, 2023

Inspiring Worship

4695 Blue Rock Rd.
Cincinnati, OH 45247
(513.923.3370)

6th Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME HOME

There's a place for you here.



Building hope and serving God, we are anchored in faith and saved by God's grace. Led by the Holy Spirit, it is our purpose to invite all to know hope, love, and peace through Jesus Christ. All are welcome to enter a new season of Hope with us. Wherever you find yourself in life, know that there is a place for you here at HOPE.

Welcome all guests & visitors!



We are glad you are here and would like to continue to connect with you! Please fill out a welcome card and place it in the offering basket or return it to an usher. Or, scan the QR code with your smart phone to complete the information online.

Audio Aid for hearing impaired is available; ask an usher or sound board operator. Words to songs and scripture are on the screens, available in the red pew hymnals, or on the Worship Music for Lent handout.



Nursery care for children ages 5 and under is available throughout the service. **Children's church** for ages 2+ will take place after the Children's Message.

Hope's **WiFi** Network **Hope Lutheran**
Password **bluerock**



HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Inspiring Worship Service

In-Person and Livestreamed
July 9, 2023, 10:00 am
6th Sunday after Pentecost



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WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Christy Beckmann

GATHERING SONG		Praise Band
	<i>Your Name</i>	
CONFESSION and FORGIVENESS		Pastor Christie
PRAYER of the Day		Pastor Christie
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE		Pastor Christie
FIRST READING	Zechariah 9:9-12	Ron Long
SECOND READING	Romans 7:15-25a	Ron Long
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION		Dale Renner & Praise Band
	<i>Alleluia</i>	
GOSPEL READING	Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30	Pastor Christie
SERMON		Pastor Christie
HYMN of the DAY		Dale Renner & Congregation
	<i>Precious Lord, Take My Hand</i>	
PRAYERS of INTERCESSION		Karen Schneider
PEACE		Pastor Christie
OFFERING SONG		Praise Band
	<i>Offering</i>	

OFFERING PRAYER	Pastor Christie
GATHERING of the COMMUNION ELEMENTS	Pastor Christie
GREAT THANKSGIVING	Pastor Christie
DIALOGUE	Pastor Christie
PREFACE	Pastor Christie
HOLY, HOLY, HOLY	Dale & Congregation
THANKSGIVING at the TABLE	Pastor Christie
LORD'S PRAYER	Pastor Christie
INVITATION to COMMUNION	Pastor Christie
COMMUNION	Pastor Christie
COMMUNION MUSIC	Dale & Martha Renner

Abide With Me

PRAYER following COMMUNION	Pastor Christie
SENDING SONG	Praise Band

God of Wonders

BLESSING	Pastor Christie
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The peace of God,
which surpasses all understanding,
keep your hearts and your minds
in + Christ Jesus.

DISMISSAL	Pastor Christie
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Go in peace, Christ is with you.

Thanks be to God.



SEASON of PENTECOST

The season of Pentecost, the longest season of our Christian calendar. Traditionally, Christians celebrate the day of Pentecost as a feast commemorating the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other followers of Jesus Christ, as described in the Book of Acts 2:1-31. Since Pentecost follows the season of Easter, it occurs during the spring, and the rebirth of flora and fauna remind us of the beauty and wonder of our magnificent God.