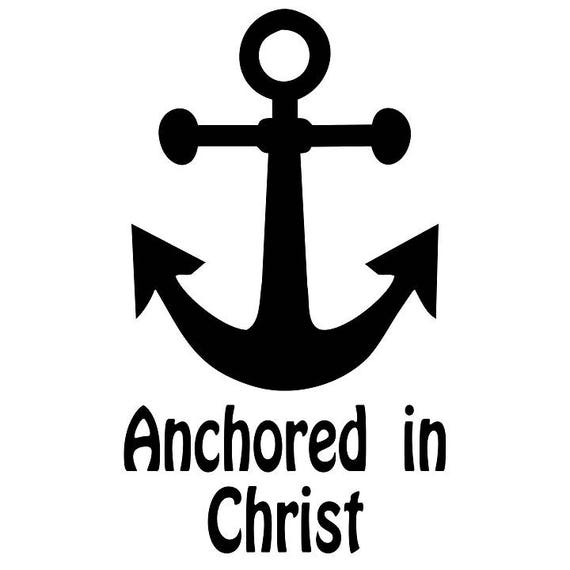
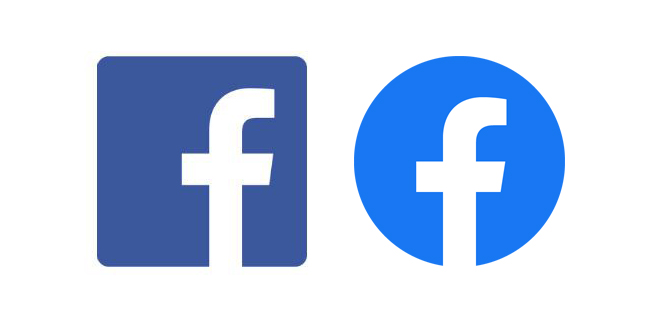
***Hope Anchor  
for October 2024***

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**211 Elton Adelphia Road  
Freehold NJ 07728**

 ***Growing in Faith, Love and Service***

[www.youtube.com/hopefreehold](http://www.youtube.com/hopefreehold) [www.facebook.com/hopefreehold](http://www.facebook.com/hopefreehold)

[www.instagram.com/hopefreehold](http://www.instagram.com/hopefreehold)  [www.hopefreehold.org](http://www.hopefreehold.org)

***We Can Make a Difference***

**Called to be Generous**

*The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God.*

***2 Corinthians 9:6-8, 10-12***

A pastor by the name of Todd Catteau once wrote:

“I recently drove my adult son to the airport for a trip he was taking with some friends. He lives in Arkansas but was flying out of DFW, so he drove to our home in Denison to spend a little time with us. While he was gone I drove his car a few

times just to make sure it was running well. I guess that’s what a dad does even with grown sons.

His car had actually been given to him by my wife and me when he was in college and, as I was driving his car, the thought occurred to me how generous I was to have given him this car that is still running so well. I was thinking pretty highly of

myself and figuratively patting myself on the back for being such a benevolent father.

Then I remembered.

Several years back my wife’s uncle called me. Age had crept up on him and his health was failing and he and his wife, our aunt, had gotten to the point where they had no need for a car. I suppose they could have sold it and pocketed the cash, but

they had talked it over and decided to offer the car to me and my wife. That’s right, they were giving the car to us. In time, we gave that very car to our son. The very car I was now driving praising myself for my generosity.

Shortly after I went through the “how generous am I” self-speech I remembered where that car came from. I had simply given away something that had been given to me. I was struck with a sense of guilt and then a sense of clarity. What I had

learned is true with every act of generosity.

Somehow, we have convinced ourselves that everything we have we have earned. Somehow, we have come to believe that any ability we have to make money is of our own devices. And somehow, we pridefully congratulate ourselves when we

give even a little of it away. And many times, we fail to be generous as we selfishly clutch onto everything we have earned never realizing that “every good and perfect gift comes from God.” That’s right, everything we give has been given to us by the benevolent Father.

That epiphany driving my son’s car was a stark reminder that I am not an owner, I am just a steward. I’m not as generous as I should be, but that divine insight has dared me to be better. And the journey to being more generous perhaps begins with

the realization that everything I give away was really never mine in the first place.”

“God loves a cheerful giver.” (2 Corinthians 9:7)

Over the next few months, until the end of the year, here at Hope we will be embarking upon what’s called a “Generosity Initiative.” We will be coached in this process by Carla Ray. She represents an organization called Generis that specializes in stewardship issues.

Here is how Carla has described the process:

“In response to the needs of today’s church, especially after the pandemic, we have developed OneFund, which is a fresh, new way of thinking about funding ministry needs. The OneFund approach is an accelerated giving opportunity designed for

the church that desires to support operating and capital expansion needs in one “ask.” The operating and capital needs are aggregated into one number and presented to the congregation as the funding goal over two years.

Advantages of the OneFund generosity strategy:

It simplifies it for the giver -- only one number

 Unifies everything around mission and vision (not projects and budgets)

A OneFund approach asks everyone to consider their total giving (ministry plan – budget, missions, outreach, capital expenditures, etc.) rather than an ‘over and above” designated gift to fund a specific project.”

I hope this information is helpful. We will be sharing more details in the coming months.

**Pastor Ed**

***Bible Study, Anyone?***

I recently received the following in an email and proceeded to download the “Kind Humans Survival Guide.” After reading it, I felt that it seemed like a great resource for a group study. Especially now in this presidential election year with all of the partisan anger and bitterness we are witnessing.

As the author suggests below this is not about arguing any one position, or convincing people that you are right and they are wrong. But rather, it’s simply about reminding ourselves how to live with gentleness and decency.

If you would be interested in such a study, call or email the church office and let Cheryl know. I imagine having weekly sessions that would also be recorded and uploaded later to our YouTube channel for those who can’t do “in person,” or those who can but may have to miss a session or two.

When, and if, I receive enough interest I will work out the logistics and let all the participants know.

**Pastor Ed**

***Council Meeting: September 16th 7:00 PM***

Those present were as follows, Dave, Michelle, Sarah, Pastor Ed, Steve, Sue, Pat, Matt S., Matt M.

Mike D, Judy, and Josh were also present.

Approval of Minutes:

Council meeting minutes of August 19th, 2024 (previously distributed).

A motion to approve was made by Pat, second by Sue. Motion carried.

Hope Christian School Report: Judy Canfield distributed her report with the Back to School newsletter.

Summer camp was great! VBS was a success!

Bathrooms are nearly complete.

Michelle makes a motion to approve the new and returning employee list for HCS. Dave second. Motion carried.

Treasurer’s Report: Mike Della Rosa shared the treasurer’s report. The total income on the cover may include an $100k typo for HCS (Judy has her numbers $100k less), Mike will be checking with Katie to reconcile the numbers.

\*Review in Oct\* *Grace Legacy Fund* is in a 4 year CD, coming to term in November.

*Thrivent Brokerage*- Should we transfer this money to Mission Investment so it can be used to invest in other churches' missions? Thrivent helps fund social missions like habitat for humanity, etc. Mike will check out different rates in these accounts.

Pastor’s Report: Pastor Kropa distributed his report.

Revamping the requirements for confirmation class worship attendance and service hours.

Old Business:

Generis. Status report. (Pastor / Sarah). Carla will be coming in next week to meet with some of the team.

The Generis Team has been working on a Tagline or theme. The council is in favor of “Hope Grows Here”, (branching off into hope grows community, service, faith, etc.)  running the idea by Carla at the next meeting.

Architectural designs / update - Dave presented a ppt comparing 6 options of a building plan. The numbers for the capacity in the classrooms need to be refined. We’ve narrowed down to 2 options. Matt M is going to check out some square footage numbers, Judy can help with capacity Qs.

New Business:

Crop Walk October 26. Donation consideration. Sarah makes a motion to donate $200 to become a t-shirt sponsor. Pastor second. Motion carried.

\*Return in October\* Discussion / approval of Tom Kendricks (Handyman) hourly pay rate increase. Last increase was in January.

\*Return in October\* Appeal from Freehold Open Door for additional funds. We currently donate $10,000 yearly. (Pat). (Email circulated prior)

Matt M. is going to do devotions for October \*\*\*

Adjournment - Pastor closed the meeting with prayer at 9:20.

Next Council Meeting: October 28th

November Congregation meeting projected date: Sunday November 17th.

***Dear Music Lovers -***

***Please consider attending this event. Only VIP ticket sales benefit the Open Door.***

***VIP tickets are $50 and include a reception and can be bought here:***[***Donate (paypal.com)***](https://www.paypal.com/donate?token=1fmpCNRJTnjx3gNlZT6g7LRiXGMwuV75QtEb_re-QbSpmxMduvEmEWnMQPT7QdztLzyCbjmGKuR8J-ZB)***Select the Gramercy Brass option.***

***General Admission is $20 and Student Admission is $5 and those tickets can be bought by emailing***[***communityartsfreehold@gmail.com***](mailto:communityartsfreehold@gmail.com)***.***

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Back to TWO Worship Services

9am – Traditional Worship

10am – Sunday School and Fellowship Hour

11am – Contemporary Worship

Next outreach meal is -  
***Friday, October 11***

Please use this link to sign up

[***Hope Lutheran Church: October 11 Outreach Meal (signupgenius.com)***](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C48A8AB23A0FFC52-51005551-october#/)

*****If you have a student going into 7th grade and would like to sign them up for Confirmation – please email the office @*** [**hopelutheran17@gmail.com**](mailto:hopelutheran17@gmail.com)

**Next class will be Sunday, October 13   
630pm – 8pm**



***With gratitude, I’m happy to report that our Sunday School classes are GROWING!!!! That being said, we could use MORE HELP!* NO Experience is Necessary! *You can email Jess Somodi @*** [***jessicaacker@gmail.com***](mailto:jessicaacker@gmail.com) ***for more information or to answer any questions that you may have!  
Use our Sign up genius to check dates and sign up as you are available -*** [***Signup : HLC Sunday School Helpers (signupgenius.com)***](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080A4DAAA82FA4F58-50604145-hlcsunday#/)



***Join Hope Lutheran Church’s Team for the Annual Crop Walk!! You are also welcome to donate if you are able!!***

[2024 CROP Hunger Walk - Hope Lutheran Church of Freehold](https://events.crophungerwalk.org/cropwalks/team/hope-lutheran-church-of-freehold)

AARP offers our elderly community tax help and could use some volunteers! If you have the talents and some time to help, they could use your assistance! Here is the link for more information [Learn How to Volunteer With AARP Foundation Tax Aide](https://www.aarp.org/volunteer/programs/tax-aide/)

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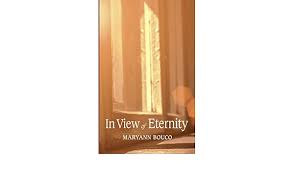
It's already the middle of September -- is that even possible? It's hard to believe, but soon it will be back to pumpkin spice, and the return to our monthly Women of Hope meetings.

**Our next meeting is scheduled for October 5th at 9:30 in the church kitchen**.



Gathering of Men   
**Next meeting is Saturday,   
October 12, 2024 at 9am**

Our Next **BOOK CLUB** meeting will be: **Sunday, October 20 *at 10am*** in the ***Kitchen*** and we will be discussing….



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**Use this link to sign up!**[Bible Sunday 2023 - Google Forms](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Yxgp5_lQi2bhw429feohkgvI0UiXoBBPZOrAwZKZ3Ao/edit?ts=66b3f774&pli=1)

Last year’s book sale produced $1,300 profit and those funds are used to provide Scholarship support to top graduating females in the 6 Freehold Regional High Schools. The funds are also used to support women who return to college later in life, after pursuing other directions (family, hardship, etc). Thank you to Hope for their annual support of this community effort!

***The collection of books for next year’s sale will   
start next month in October!!***

  
  
**THANK YOU to everyone who donated or purchased a personal care kit! THANK YOU to the Women of Hope for pulling this together flawlessly! THANK YOU to Joan Drager who was able to get Thrivent to sponsor this drive and donate a $250 VISA card to provide more supplies to complete kits! We shipped close to 100 kits over seas to help our fellow humans! You can give to this effort at any time through the Lutheran World Relief website -**   
[Make LWR Personal Care Kits | Lutheran World Relief](https://lwr.org/kits/personal-care-kits)



***2024 “Wish List”***

Shampoo  
Body Wash Mens’ Boxers – ALL sizes  
Toothpaste Mens’ Tshirts – ALL sizes  
Toothbrushes Womens’ Underwear – ALL sizes  
Lotion Sweatpants – ALL sizes  
Deodorant Sweatshirts – ALL sizes  
Body Wipes Sneakers  
Razors Work Boots  
Shaving Cream  
Advil  
Tylenol  
Antacids

Snacks -  
Crackers w PB or Cheese  
Soft Granola Bars  
Flats of Water

***Donations can be dropped off at EHAP 41 Throckmorton Street – Tuesday – Thursday from 10am until 2pm***

***If you have any questions please contact   
Joan @ 848-459-6215***

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***Hello, Youth and Families of Hope Lutheran Church!***

October is here, and we’re excited to share all the fantastic opportunities lined up for the month! As always, we continue to offer service opportunities for Hope families and all our youth, particularly those of you who are confirmation students needing service hours. Serving others is integral to our faith journey, and we encourage everyone to get involved. Whether through ongoing church projects or community outreach events, there are plenty of ways to contribute. One significant opportunity is our Outreach Meal at St. Peter’s Church, where we will be helping prepare and serve meals to those in need on October 11. Check out the link to see what food items might be needed, or sign up to serve!

Hope Lutheran Church will participate in the Freehold Hunger Crop Walk at the Reformed Church of Freehold this month. This is a fantastic event where churches from around the area unite to raise awareness and funds to fight hunger locally and globally. The walk starts at 1:30 PM, and we invite all youth and Hope families to join us. We encourage everyone to sign up for Hope’s team and help raise funds through sponsorships. By joining our team, you can help make a more significant impact while walking alongside your friends and fellow church members.

In addition to service opportunities and events, we’re inviting all youth to get more involved in our worship services. You can work with the band or choir, participate in the service by doing readings, or take on a supporting role with PowerPoint and sound. Don’t worry if you’ve never done these things before—we’ll train you on everything, even singing if you choose! It’s a great way to get involved, grow in your gifts, and contribute to our worship experience.

And don’t forget—all service counts toward National Honor Society hours! Ensure you log your hours in the binder in the youth group room to get credit for your hard work.

Finally, our youth Bible studies continue every Sunday at 10 AM. This is an excellent opportunity to dive deeper into scripture, share in fellowship, and grow in faith with others. Whether you’ve been attending or are considering joining for the first time, we welcome everyone. Please bring a friend and be part of our weekly discussions! We hope you’ll take advantage of all the ways to serve, grow, and participate this month.

***Please visit our website for more information on signing up for service opportunities or joining Hope’s team for the Crop Walk or the St. Peters’ Outreach meal.***

Blessings,   
Josh Staudinger  
Director of Faith Formation and Music Ministries

**PLANNED AND ESTATE GIVING**

Very recently Hope was gifted funds via a stock donation and a family grant gift. Planned and estate gifts are perfect ways for giving your church monetary support for “tomorrow.” These monetary gifts also provide the giver with the opportunity to pinpoint the areas of church life that interest them.

There are many avenues to include Hope in your estate planning:

* Remember Hope in your will!
* A bequest to Hope is an enduring statement of faith!
* Support the people and causes you love through your will!
* Endow your church contribution through your will!
* Give a tithe of your estate for Gods church!
* A gift freely given for the benefit of all!
* A bequest to your church. An everlasting gift!
* Make your church the beneficiary of an IRA or Retirement plan!
* Use life insurance for charitable giving!

Planned giving provides resources that allow the church to make differences in the lives of their members and others whom they minster to in the future.

You will hear more of this later in the year!

***Bill Unger, for the Congregation Council***

**Financial Team Report - *Respectfully submitted, Mike Della Rosa, Treasurer***

We are truly fortunate to have many of our congregants participating in roles that allow our church and mission to move forward. One of those important areas is the financial activities that fund all the various needs of Hope Lutheran Church. These fiduciary responsibilities are a high responsibility, and I would like to summarize for you those who are participating in providing care and attentiveness to these matters.

**HLC Finance Committee:**

Our constitution in section C 13.06 states the following:

“The Finance Committee will provide advice and council for the yearly budget process that will be presented and approved by Council.”

Members of this committee are: John Drager, Chairperson: Pastor Kropa, Mike Della Rosa, Dave Lynch, Jess Somodi, Rich Topp, Bill Unger

**HLC Renovation Finance Committee:**

The Congregation Council charged this committee to investigate the financial capabilities for a potential future building program.

Members of this committee are: Pastor Kropa, Bob Carlino, Mike Della Rosa, John Drager, Dave Peters, Bill Unger

**HLC Counting Teams:**

These individuals have the responsibility to retrieve the collections after each service and complete the necessary computer entries and bank deposit slips and deliver the funds to TD Bank immediately after completion. In addition, reports are submitted after each count to the Pastor, the treasurer, the financial secretary, and the HLC administrator.

Counting teams consist of two congregants, one of which is a council member and/or officer: Mike and Sue Della Rosa, Pat and Chris Fensham, Bill and Debbie Unger, Steve Weiss and Barbara Tyrrell

**Financial Secretary:** This role involves recording all offerings made to our church and/or various funds. The data is entered into a special program and kept totally confidential. The financial secretary will then prepare statements to send to the givers to acknowledge the gifts.

Financial Secretary: Sue Hu

**HLC Administrator/Bookkeeper**

Our administrator and bookkeeper has wide ranging responsibilities that include: Paying all invoices, preparing payroll and submitting payroll taxes, tracking all tuition and other payments made, completing deposits for the counting teams to deposit; working with the treasurer, accountant, and the congregation council, entering all financial activities in Quickbooks and preparing reports, and other various tasks related to this role.

Administrator/Bookkeeper: Cheryl Hurd

**HCS Administrator**

The HCS Administrator is responsible for preparing annual budgets and contracts for the HCS staff members, submitting tuitions for deposit to the bookkeeper for entry and the counting teams for deposit.

HCS Administrator: Judy Canfield

**Accountant/CPA**

Interact with the treasurer and bookkeeper, consult regarding any financial questions or issues that occur, prepare monthly financial reports, provide oversight to all financial activities.

Accountant: Katie Campbell, CPA, Padden Cooper CPA’s, Medford, NJ

**Check Signers and Account Administrators**

Have access to the management of our accounts at various financial institutions and sign checks and documents related to same.

**TD Bank**: Signers: Mike Della Rosa. Bill Unger, Pat Fensham, John Drager **TD Bank Samaritan Fund**: Pastor Kropa, authorizes any activity and signer; Mike Della Rosa, alternate signer; John Drager, administrator and alternate signer  
**Mission Investment Fund**: Mike Della Rosa and Bill Unger both are signers and authorized for online access; John Drager serves as account administrator.

**Thrivent Financial**

Administrator: Robert Carlino; Account access also granted to Mike Della Rosa and John Drager

**Quickbooks Access**

Access to Program: Mike Della Rosa, Katie Campbell, CPA, Cheryl Hurd, Dave Lynch has “read only” access as immediate past treasurer and member of the finance committee

**Portico**

Account and Payment Access: Mike Della Rosa, John Drager, Bill Unger

**HLC Congregational Treasurer**

Oversee and conduct all necessary financial transactions related to HLC and HCS, prepare monthly, semiannual and annual reports. All reports are available to congregational review either by contacting the treasurer and/or the HLC administrator

Mike Della Rosa, approved by congregation for a 1-year term ending June 2025



***September’s Giving (final!)***

***Online - $ 4,191.15  
Worship - $ 7,524(still need #’s from 9/29)***

***TOTAL MONTHLY OFFERING = $ 11,715.15***

**Amount needed each month to reach budget = $15,000**

***$3,931.98 short of our Goal!***

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**SOCIAL MINISTRY UPDATE:**

There are countless ways the Hope Congregation continues to contribute toward God’s message about helping others to thrive and grow due to your generous generosity.

How blessed we are that Hope can provide assistance beyond our physical boundaries:

* **Lutheran Disaster Response**. Though summer is here with many of us are enjoying life many areas are suffering with no break or let-up. At the August Council meeting we decided / motioned a $2,000 donation to the Lutheran Disaster Response for their efforts in Gaza and Ukraine.  As we all know, these areas are in the midst of a human tragedy.
  + We provided funds ($5,000) to assist with the mission provided by Edna Williams **(Mary Jane Enrichment Center).** As many of you know the center had a fire and was totally destroyed. Ms. Edna has already started the process of restarting this mission that Hope has supported for many years.
  + Provided three youngsters with funds to attend **Bear Creek Camp** this summer. Both Bear Creek and Crossroads provided summer camping experiences for youth that may not be able to participate due to financial issues.
  + **End of year donation (2023) from the remaining Social Ministry budget (Community Projects budget) to the Advocacy Program ($3,000).** These funds will go directly to client needs coordinated by Erika Woods. These needs include utility bills, bus tickets and housing needs.
* **Crop Walk** As we have for many decades Hope again fielded a “walking Team” and contributed financially to this ongoing effort to curb hunger and reduce food insecurities in our local communities.
* **Hope Christian School**. After the creation of Hope Lutheran Church, our next longest ministry is our Hope Christian School that has served generations of youngsters since Hope was founded in 1967. The school and the teaching staff, with the established curriculum, prepare our youngsters to migrate directly into a learning environment along with having a spiritual starting point in a Christian life.
* **Community Projects** included donations to the following start-up Congregations:
* Christus Evangelical Lutheran Church in Camden NJ and
* Santa Isabel Lutheran Church in Elizabeth NJ.
* **Community Projects** included donations to the “180 Turning Live Around” organization of Monmouth County to overcome domestic violence and sexual assault.
* **Undesignated Benevolence (for emergency situations).** This year included donations to the following emergency situations:
* Lutheran World Relief to support Ukrainian relief.
* Lutheran World Relief providing direct support to earthquake victims in Syria and Turkey.
* Lutheran Disaster Response for flooding and fire situations.
* Lutheran Disaster Response for the devasting fires in Maui Hawaii.
  + **Emergency Housing and Advocacy Program (EHAP**). This is another long-running ministry at Hope that provides support to those most in need in our community. For close to 20 years **Emergency Housing** has been supported by seven houses of worship that are part of the Freehold Clergy Association. This program has moved from a “housing” program toward a “meal” program providing additional weekday meals to the community. The housing program for the 2023>24 winter season was suspended because of having no funds made available to support the program along with a lack of volunteers in some houses of worship***.* The Advocacy Program** includes many areas of support to those most in need, including securing transitional and permanent housing along with assisting in securing employment and government benefits. They also coordinate with medical and mental health agencies for counseling, medication management, detox and substance abuse treatment and medical care.
* **Education** that includes Vacation Bible School (VBS) that started in 1967 with sixty-seven students! We also conduct Sunday School each week.
  + **Open Door** This is another long-term ministry that supports those who have food needs in our community. Food stuffs are provided with no questions asked a few times a week.
  + **St Peters Outreach Meals** Each of the churches that are part of the Freehold Clergy Association take turns during the year to prepare and serve meals at St Peters in Freehold Borough. This has become an incredibly significant community project and again supplies those in need that suffer from food shortages.
* **Facilities Usage**. Almost every night our facility is used as a meeting place for those in need. Whether 12 Step or other similar needs there is always a meeting place. We also have a group called the “Stroller Moms” who conduct exercise classes and enjoy a social outing. And of course, let us not forget Tuesday night Yoga!

***Bill Unger, for the Congregation Council***



**We take bike donations here at Hope, and John Drager so graciously will pick up any donations to get them to Asbury Park so they can be put to good use!!**

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**We take lots of pictures at our events and post them on our website and social medias to show our community how we help others and what we offer as a Church Family. If you do NOT want your picture taken and posted please let Josh know by sending an email requesting not to have any of your pics posted to** [**hopelutheranmusic@gmail.com**](mailto:hopelutheranmusic@gmail.com)

**HOPE FAMILY PRAYER LIST**

***Suzy Coulter’s*** grandson; ***Dan Denef*** could   
use prayers for health and healing;

***Charles Sona;*** ***Bill and Janice’s*** daughter, ***Lynn Palumbo;*** ***Steve Weiss’*** cousin, ***Brian Menavier;*** ***Ryan McAuly,*** ***Kless Family*** nephew; ***Courtney Volk;*** ***Kaitlin Kropa;*** ***Erika Woods;*** ***Corn Family*** friend, ***Mike Pepper;*** ***Gerry Bergh;*** ***Wayne Kless’*** sister, ***Jacqueline White;*** ***Justine Brozyna,*** friend of the ***Corn Family;*** ***Kuehn Family Friend,*** ***Deena Harmon;*** ***Deloris Laub;*** ***Dolores O’Brien;*** ***Gary Rosenberg;*** ***Willy*** and ***Marilyn Wolter***, ***Cindy Lynch’s*** mother and father*;* ***Margaret Holen;*** ***Erin Bereheiko;*** ***Jim Mulligan*** ; ***Dani Hulsart***  family friend of the ***Donmoyer Family*** ; ***Pam Renouff***;

***Those serving as first responders and in the armed services.***

**CONGREGATION COUNCIL**

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| **President** | Bill Unger |
| **Vice President** | Sarah Kozak |
| **Secretary** | Michelle Miele |
| **Education** | Jessica Somodi |
| **Financial Secretary** | Sue Hu |
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| **Open Door Alternate** | Pat Fensham |
| **Architecture Team** | Brian McMillin |
| **Architecture Team** | Matthew Malanuk |
|  | Matthew Sprunger |
|  | Dave Peters |
|  | Steve Weiss |
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|  | **NON COUNCIL MEMBERS** |
|  | **HOLDING POSITION/S** |
| **Treasurer** | Mike Della Rosa |
| **Open Door** | Rebekah Heilman |
| **Worship** | Jackie Peters |

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|  | ***Assisting*** | ***Acolyte*** | ***Altar*** | ***Counting*** |
| ***Sept 1*** | Rita C |  | Christine H | Della Rosas |
| ***Sept 8*** | Tom T |  | Debbie U | Weiss/Tyrrell |
| ***Sept 15*** | Rebekah H |  | Rebekah H | Ungers |
| ***Sept 22*** | Sue H |  | Barbara T | Fenshams |
| ***Sept 29*** | John D |  | Diane K | Della Rosas |
| ***Oct 6*** | Dave P |  | Rachel R | Ungers |
| ***Oct 13*** | Debbie U |  | Pat F | Weiss/Tyrrell |
| ***Oct 20*** | Steve W |  | Christine H | Fenshams |
| ***Oct 27*** | Bill U |  | Diane | Della Rosas |
| ***Nov 3*** |  |  |  | Weiss/Tyrrell |
| ***Nov 10*** |  |  |  | Ungers |
| ***Nov 17*** |  |  |  | Fenshams |
| ***Nov 24*** |  |  |  | Della Rosas |
| ***Dec 1*** |  |  |  | Weiss/Tyrrell |
| ***Dec 8*** |  |  |  | Ungers |
| ***Dec 15*** |  |  |  | Fenshams |
| ***Dec 22*** |  |  |  | Della Rosas |
| ***Dec 29*** |  |  |  | Weiss/Tyrrell |

***Traditional Acolytes – Cara S and Melody B  
Contemporary Acolytes – Hedin Girls, Joey M and Ryan S***

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|  | ***Ushers 9am*** | ***Ushers 11am*** |
| ***Sept 1*** | Matt M | Matt S |
| ***Sept 8*** | Mark A | Chuck M |
| ***Sept 15*** |  | Rebekah H |
| ***Sept 22*** | Ken B | John S |
| ***Sept 29*** | Bill U | Matt S |
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| ***Dec 22*** | Mark A | Matt S |
| ***Dec 29*** | ***One 930am Service*** | Chuck M |

***Please feel free to step in if you are present during one  
of the Sundays where nobody is scheduled!!   
Thank you!!***

**OCTOBER 2024 YOUTH CALENDAR**

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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| **6**  Youth Group  Bible Study 10:00am | **7** | **8**  **SERVICE**  **OPPORTUNITY**  Choir  7:30 PM | **9** | **10**  **SERVICE**  **OPPORTUNITY**  Band  7 PM | **11**  **OUTREACH MEAL**  St. Peters  4-7PM | **12** |
| **13**  Youth Group  Bible Study 10:00am  **Confirmation Class**  6:30-8:00pm | **14**  **JOSH**  **AWAY** | **15**  **JOSH**  **AWAY** | **16**  **JOSH AWAY** | **17**  **JOSH**  **AWAY** | **18**  **JOSH AWAY** | **19**  **JOSH**  **AWAY** |
| **20**  Youth Group  Bible Study 10:00am | **21** | **22**  **SERVICE**  **OPPORTUNITY**  Choir  7:30 PM | **23** | **24**  **SERVICE**  **OPPORTUNITY**  Band  7 PM | **25** | **26**  **CROP HUNGER WALK**  1:30PM at Reformed Church |
| **27**  **PUMPKIN CARVING**  Youth Group  10:00AM  **Confirmation Class**  6:30-8:00pm | **28** | **29** | **30** | **31**  **Happy Halloween! 🎃**  **SERVICE**  **OPPORTUNITY**  Band  7 PM | If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out our team!  **Faith Formation Director:**  Josh Staudinger ([hopelutheranmusic@gmail.com](mailto:hopelutheranmusic@gmail.com))  **Youth Group Bible Study Leader:** Inhyoung Chae ([istaudinger@gmail.com](mailto:istaudinger@gmail.com)) | |