

The Anchor

Hope Lutheran Church "Pointing to Christ...Hope for the Home" June 12, 2022

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This Week at Hope Lutheran

SUNDAY June 12, 2022
8AM Worship
9:30AM Children's Sunday School
9:30AM Adult Bible Study (In Sanctuary)
10:45AM Worship

MONDAY
6:30PM Board of Evangelism Meeting

THURSDAY
10AM Men's Bible Study

SUNDAY June 19, 2022—Father's Day
8AM Holy Communion
9:30AM Children's Sunday School
9:30AM Adult Bible Study (In Sanctuary)
10:45AM Holy Communion

Fruits of Our Faith

Week of: June 5, 2022

Gifts to do His Work - General Fund: \$6,000.12

Worshipped: 139

Birthdays

June 13th Addison Kueker
June 15th Steve Parker
June 15th Steve Willard
June 18th Bill Stanfield
June 18th Susana Sullins

Anniversaries

June 12th Michael & Linda Hunsperger
June 14th Rev Harold & Nancy Luckritz
June 18th Laurie & Mark Douglas

Altar Flowers

Today's altar pieces are given
by
The Nelson Family
in
Memory of
Charlotte Smith



Pastor Jason is traveling with our Sr High School Servant Trip June 7-June 15. Please note **there will NOT** be...

Wednesday Service on June 15
Ladies' Bible Class on June 14

Services & classes will resume the week of June 19.



Hope Lutheran VBS 2022

July 25—July 29
8AM – 11AM

*Climb aboard for mountains of fun at **Rocky Railway!** On this **faith-filled** adventure, kids discover that trusting Jesus pulls them through life's ups and downs.*

*To register kids between 3 years old and entering 6th Grade, go to the **Hope Lutheran Church website.***

Our Youth (entering 7th grade through High School) will be helping with VBS and serving around our community through the rest of the week. More information will be coming soon for them to sign up.

*We will also need **volunteers** to help during VBS and to provide our youth with **lunches** as well as **host homes.** Please consider how you can serve. For more information please see the board in the Friendship Room.*

Please keep our HS Youth group in your prayers, as they travel and serve in the "Fire on the Mountain" event in Angel Fire, NM, so that they would grow in faith and love for Christ who has first served us.



The Benevolent Committee is sponsoring food baskets for Hope Families in need for July 4th. At this time, we are sponsoring seven families. We will **distribute the food on July 1st.**

Donations of canned foods, jellies, cereals, boxed meals, cleaning supplies, & paper products may be placed in the shopping cart in the Friendship Room. Meats & other items will be bought with a Thrivent grant. **We wish all our families a wonderful July 4th!**



The Lawn and Landscaping Guild is looking for helpers to trim weeds. If you are interested, please call Steve Thomas at (618) 604-5598.

Life Thought in the Church Year

Father Abraham found the sanctity of life at the margins – his own old age and his wife’s conception. Jesus, who brings the Triune joy of divine Fatherhood and Sonship, embodies a Gospel even greater (John 8:56-58), that wisdom that delights in all the children of men (Proverbs 8:31)—no matter their ages, appearances, or abilities. No wonder His coming among us draws cheers and teachings out of the mouths of the littlest ones (Psalm 8:2)!

To the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Fred Baumhoegger
a gift has been given by
Bonnie Baisch

To the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Cap & Vi Miller
gifts have been given by
Bonnie Baisch

To the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Russell Roth
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Please take time to review the Bible readings below, they will be the subject of next week’s sermon:

Sunday, June 19, 2022

Isaiah 65:1–9

Galatians 3:23–4:7

Luke 8:26–39

Jesus Brings Release from the Bonds of Sin, Death and the Devil

The Lord finds those who did not seek Him or ask for Him. He spreads out His hands “to a rebellious people” (Is. 65:2) and calls them to be His people and to dwell in peace upon His holy mountain (Is. 65:9). For wherever Jesus Christ enters in, Satan is cast out. Those who were enslaved and driven mad by the assaults and accusations of the devil are set free by the Word of Christ. He drowns and destroys the old Adam in us with the waters of Holy Baptism and thereby brings us out of death into life. No longer naked in our shame, living “among the tombs” (Luke 8:27), we are brought into the Lord’s house, fully clothed by Christ; He has come in “the fullness of time” (Gal. 4:4) to fulfill the Law on our behalf and to redeem us from its every accusation. Therefore, having been justified by His grace through faith in His Gospel, “you are no longer a slave, but a son” (Gal. 4:7).