The Anchor

Hope Lutheran Church "Pointing to Christ...Hope for the Home" October 23, 2016

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THIS WEEK AT HOPE

TODAY	**October 23, 2016**
8:00 AM	HOLY COMMUNION
9:15 AM	Children's Choir Practice
9:30 AM	Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
10:45 AM	HOLY COMMUNION
MONDAY:	
7:00 PM	Church Council Meeting
TUESDAY:	
10:00 AM	Ladies Bible Study
6:45 PM	Children's Choir Practice
7:00 PM	Choir Practice
7:00 PM	Al-Anon Meeting
WEDNESDAY:	
6:00 PM	Worship and Holy Communion
7:00 PM	Bible Study
THURSDAY:	
9:00 AM	Men's Bible Study
SATURDAY:	
11:00 AM - 1 PM	Veterans Luncheon
6:00 - 7:30 PM	Trunk or Treat
NEXT SUNDAY:	
8:00 AM	HOLY COMMUNION
9:15 AM	Children's Choir Practice
9:30 AM	Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
10:45 AM	HOLY COMMUNION
12:45 PM	Voters Meeting
3:00 - 5:00 PM	Wagner Family Gathering

Remember in Prayer

Tim & Diana Friedel, Ella Cook, Cindi Hawkins, Gerry Schumacher, and Warren Walker

Fruits of Our Faith

Week of October 16, 2016
Worshipped: 179
Gifts to do his Work - General Fund: $3,598.89

Birthdays

October 23	Betty Fromme
October 24	Austin Rainey
October 25	Susan Casteel, Sandra Polanc, & Stacy Walker
October 28	Don Boettcher & Karen Bolstad
October 29	Pat Mach

Anniversaries

October 23	Chris & Amy Cochrane
October 25	Paul & Amanda Shelby
October 27	Dan & Karen Schlegel

In recognition of the upcoming Veterans Day in November, all of the area's armed force veterans/and those currently serving, plus their spouses, are invited to a FREE luncheon in recognition of their service on Saturday October 29 at Hope Lutheran Church, 2308 Gravois Rd. High Ridge, MO 63049. There will also be a special guest speaker. The times will be from 11am to 1pm. Please call the church office at 636-677-8788 to make your reservations. Please join us for 2 hours of food and fellowship.

Trunk or Treat- THIS Saturday, October 29th from 6 to 7:30pm-
Rainy night? No problem! The fun will move to the church basement!

Here are 2 ways to get involved!

1. Sign-up today to set up a trunk or just bring a chair and hand out candy for this annual event! More details and the sign-up sheet are on a board in the friendship room.

2. Bring your kids, grandkids, nieces/nephews, etc to join in an evening of fun, including candy, cocoa, games and more!

Questions? Contact Julie Wagner at hopesundayschool316@gmail.com or 636-222-2122 (call or text)

Attention Voters:
Voters' meeting is scheduled for
Sunday, October 30, 2016 at 12:45pm
Only Voting Members of the congregation may vote.
ALL are encouraged to attend.
**Become a Voting Member by attending two regular meetings.*

Wagner Family Gathering
Sunday, October 30, 2016 3PM-5PM

Family Last Names beginning with St-Webb we are excited to see you! Don't forget to bring an appetizer/snack or dessert and your family. Come as you are and enjoy a casual time of fellowship.

816 Winter Top Ct. Fenton, MO 63126
Pastor Jason, Julie, Abigail & Hannah

Family Last Name G-Hi See you Nov 13!

Keep our nine Confirmation students in prayer this weekend. They are involved on a retreat discussing Baptism along with some of our High School youth, Rebecca Cain (our youth director), and Pastor Jason. This morning they will be joined by their parents in a closing service for the retreat. It is a good thing to regularly keep young Christians in your prayers. Many social pressures work against the faith and this is especially true for young people.

ALTAR FLOWERS
Today's altar pieces are in Appreciation for our Pastor
by Karen Kiel

Viola Miller will celebrate her **95th Birthday November 2** with an "open house" on November 5th 2:00PM-6:00PM The congregation of Hope is invited. Please "no gifts" your attendance will be her gift. 6237 N Lake Shore Dr. Byrnes Mill, MO (Lake Montowese) She has been a member of Hope from 1946-2007, teaching Sunday school for 25 years, and now has returned to Hope.

Board of Trustees: Saturday, November 12, 8:00am-12:00 The Trustees will converge on Hope and do behind the scenes reapairs. **YOUR help is needed.** Sign up sheet in the Friendship Room. Please contact **Steve Knese 314-685-5798** if you have questions.

The next Board of Trustees meeting is **November 14** at 6:00 pm. If you have questions, suggestions, or want to help all are welcome to attend the public portion of the meeting from 6:00-

Celebration begins Nov. 6 for the 500th anniversary of Lutheran Reformation. It's finally time to begin. It's Still All About Jesus. Join fellow Lutherans for The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod's official opening celebration of the 500th anniversary of the Reformation.
When: 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 6
Where: Concordia Seminary, St. Louis; 801 Seminary Place; St. Louis, MO 63105 The schedule includes teaching, worship, a meal and fellowship.
2:30 p.m. — Lectures by Michael Trinklein, producer of the forthcoming PBS documentary "Martin Luther: An Idea That Changed the World," and the Rev. Dr. Erik Hermann, associate professor, historical theology, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis.
4 p.m. — Festival worship service in the Chapel of St. Timothy and St. Titus. LCMS President Rev. Dr. Matthew C. Harrison is the scheduled preacher.
5:30 p.m. — Light meal (bratwurst and beer) and fellowship.
At the event, donation checks can be made out to either "Concordia Seminary" or "LCMS" with "Reformation" in the memo section. The total offerings received will be split evenly between the Lutheran Hope Center in Ferguson, Mo., and ministry to refugees in Germany through our partner church, the Selbständige Evangelisch-Lutherische Kirche (SELK).

For more information, email the LCMS at infocenter@lcms.org, call 888-843-5267 or visit lcms.org/events/reformation-celebration-2016.

Shut-in Ministry - There are still cards available for your choosing in the Friendship Room! Cards are pre-addressed and ready for you to "add a little love and a stamp". Here is your opportunity to bless our shut-ins with a card of remembrance.
Questions contact Judy Woolard 636-677-6045

WE SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS

Acolytes: Retreat

Altar Guild:
8:00 Ann Rudy
9:00 Jean Redman, Christy Yakel, Anna Isselhardt
10:45 Cindy Hethke, Lori Stewart
Wed 10/26: Choir

Elders:
8:00 Jeff Nelson
10:45 Randy Tritch
Wed 10/26: Chuck Benes

Greeters:
8:00 Susan Weber & Derrick Quast
10:45 Steve Woodruff & Jim Craig

Ushers:
8:00 Derrick Quast & Donna Schilling
10:45 Chloe Henderson & Hannah Tucker
Wed 10/26: Dave Westphal

Music Director: Karl Hoffmann
Wed. Music: Kathy Gustavison

Lawn and Landscaping Guild:
Weed trimming: Pete Deluca
Mow front yards: Stan Prater
Mow rear yards: Ron Kraus

Today's Light - Our Readings For Next Week

Monday - 1 Timothy 3:1-16
Tuesday - 1 Timothy 4:1-16
Wednesday - 1 Timothy 5:1-25
Thursday - 1 Timothy 6:1-21
Friday - 2 Timothy 1:1-18
Saturday - 2 Timothy 2:1-26

Today's Light - The **October** reading calendar is on the table in the Friendship Room.

Copies of the proposed changes to our constitution are available on the half wall of the mail room. If you have any questions please feel free to call
Ron Kraus 314-221-1274,
Tom Uhlmansiek 314-974-0061 or
Ed Bachmann 636-288-7502.

~Don't forget, sometimes Facebook is a great way to share an invitation to an activity that involves the whole community. See you online!

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Witness - Luke 18:9-17: Children teach adults many helpful things. They are trusting and willing to openly share the Good News of Jesus. May we become more like Christian children who love and trust in Jesus and openly share our hope with people who are living each day without the sure hope of salvation.