

GUESTS:

REGARDING HOLY COMMUNION

We share communion every Sunday to provide an opportunity to receive Christ anew in this Holy Sacrament. All who trust in Jesus for eternal life are welcome to participate. The ushers will direct you. You will be given a wafer; you then dip the wafer into either the wine or white grape juice. *Gluten free wafers are available at the station on the right side of the altar.*

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Church of the Week

- Open Heavens Fellowship

Health and Healing

- Liz Cusson for recovery from surgery (req. by Kris Hubbard, friend).
- Marijke Nagore, 13-years-old, with encephalitis (req. by Grace Ten Elshof, grandmother).
- Lynn Fehlman for recovery from knee surgery.
- Missie Coneyberry for recovery from foot surgery (req by Judy Strong, sister-in-law).
- Gladys Mees for recovery from a stroke.

Praise and Thanksgiving

- For the baptism of Penelope Jean Wojtovich, daughter of Sarah & Matt Wojtovich; grandparents, Barb & Keith Kuehn; great-grandfather, Lyle Kanetzke; sponsors, Chelsea & Michael Wood.
- For the celebration of Jamie Camp's 1st year anniversary of her transplant and for peace and comfort for her donor's family (req. by Marcy Camp, mother).
- For Charlie Schnarr who is now cancer free.

Wisdom and Strength

- For Annie & Louis Liss as they support new staff joining their team in Beirut, Lebanon.

Comfort and Peace

- For the family and friends of Will Damschroder on his death.

Long Term & Military Prayer Lists are available at the Prayer Table. The Prayer Team prays for all on these lists each week.



Fourth Sunday in Advent-Love

Prelude
 Advent Candle Lighting
O Come O Come Emanuel
 Welcome and Invocation Pastor Jim Cords
 Songs *O Come All Ye Faithful*
Open Heaven
O Little Town of Bethlehem
 Confession
 Readings Micah 5:2-5 (NLT)
 Hebrews 10:5-10 (NLT)
 Gospel Luke 1:39-45 (NLT)
 Children's Message
 (Sunday School, K-5th grade, in Youth Room)
 Sermon **"Evidence" according to the promise**
 Song *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*
 Baptism Penelope Jean Wojtovich
 Offering Song *Welcome To Our World*
 Charlie & Lisa Byl
 Prayers of the People
 Holy Communion
 Lord's Prayer
 Communion Song *Lo! How A Rose E'er Blooming*
 Benediction
 Announcements
 Song *Angels From The Realms Of Glory*
 Dismissal

Reader: Bill Gaube
 Communion Assistants: Sue Gigax, Barb Kuehn & Terry Bredehoft

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THESE EVENTS

All events will be at the Desert Hope Lutheran Church Mission Center unless otherwise noted.

- 23 Sun Desert Hope Praise Team Rehearsal, 8:30am
 Worship, 9:30
 Sunday School (K-5th grade), Youth Room, following
 Children's Message
Arise Youth Group resumes January 6
- 24 Mon **Church office closed**
Prayer Team resumes January 7
Christmas Eve Worship, 5 & 7pm
- 25 Tue **Merry Christmas**
Church office closed
WOW Bible Study resumes January 8
Tuesday Evening Study Group resumes January 8
- 26 Wed Desert Hope Praise Team Rehearsal, 6pm
- 27 Thu *Thursday Women's Bible Study resumes January 10*
- 28 Fri *Friday Women's Bible Study resumes January 11*
- 29 Sat *No scheduled events*

Additional information on these events available at deserthope.org

Upcoming Events:

- **Deadline for End-of-Year Giving**, Sunday, December 30
- **Church Office Closed**, January 1



JIM CORDS, PASTOR
 HEATHER STEIN, CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY COORDINATOR
 LORI FABBRI, CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR

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WORSHIP 8:30 & 10:30AM
Nursery provided at 10:30

Find resources that help you connect with God and with others at DHLC.

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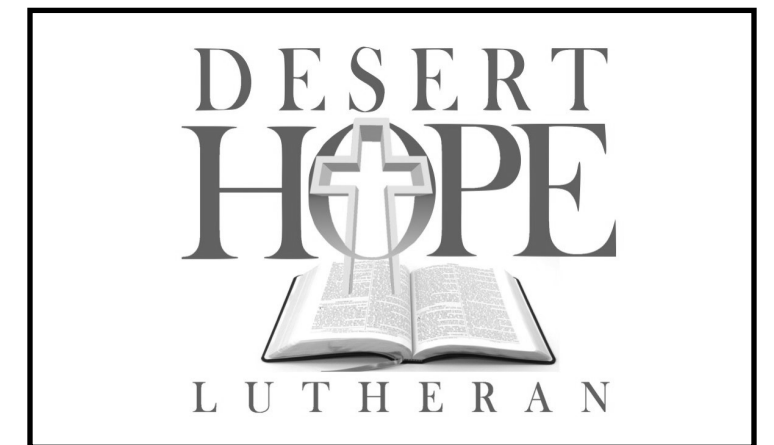
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WORSHIP GROW SERVE
 TOGETHER

TODAY'S MESSAGE:
"Evidence" according to the promise

December 23, 2018

HOPE NOTES



OUR MISSION:

To Be TRANSFORMED As We Follow JESUS Daily,
 Leading Others to Do the Same

If you are a first-time guest,
please visit our Welcome Table.
 Our greeters will provide you
 with a gift and information
 about Desert Hope.

We encourage you to join us
 after worship for refreshments.
Please worship with us again!

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