

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

- Journey Church

Health and Healing

- Dorothy Smith who struggles with dementia to recover from a fall (req. by Milly Brownsey, sister & Margo Caylor, niece).
- Tristen Number, 15-years-old, who is in ICU with convulsions and a brain tumor (req. by Francine Rienstra, friend).

Guidance and Protection

- For Lt Wyatt McAfee who is deployed to Syria and Iraq (req. by Kris Hubbard, aunt).

Comfort and Peace

- For the family and friends of Lenora Ruud, mother of Marilyn Cords, who passed away.
- For family and friends of Lou Ruby whose health is failing (req. by Nancy O'Connor, sister).

Wisdom and Guidance

- For Desert Hope's new Leadership Council for unity according to God's plan and purpose for Desert Hope.

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

Prayer requests can be submitted at the Prayer Table in the Narthex or added at www.deserthope.org. Please make sure you have permission for prayers printed in bulletin.



Music to Lead Us Into Worship

Welcome and Invocation Pastor Jim Cords

Song *Glorious Day*

Confession

Song *Blessed Assurance*

Scripture Genesis 2:7, 15-18 & 21-24 (NIV)
Jude 3-4 & 17-21 (NIV)

Gospel John 3:31-36 (NIV)

Song *Because He Lives*

Children's Message
(Sunday School, K-5th grade, in Youth Room, 10:30 service)

Sermon **"How does God see us?"**

Song *Breathe On Us*

Prayers of the People

Confession of Faith Apostles' Creed

Offering Song *Hiney MaTov (Behold How Good)*
Bernie Läubli & Dr. Greg Silverman

Holy Communion

Lord's Prayer

Communion Song *Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)*

Benediction

Announcements

Song *Everlasting God*

Dismissal

Readers:

- 8:30 Paula Knauss
- 10:30 Ray Pulsifer

Communion Assistants:

- 8:30 Sue Gigax, Kris Hubbard & Elaine Boxeth
- 10:30 Dee Allen, Eva Damschroder & Ray Pulsifer

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THESE EVENTS

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

- 24 Sun Desert Hope Praise Team Rehearsal, 7:30am
Worship, 8:30 & 10:30
Sunday School (K-5th grade), Youth Room, following Children's Message at 10:30 worship
Arise Youth Group, Youth Room, following the 10:30 worship
- 25 Mon Prayer Team, 8:30am
Crafters Ministry, 6:30pm
- 26 Tue WOW Bible Study, Chick-fil-A, 6675 E Grant Rd, 9am
Tuesday Evening Study Group, call Linda Kress for location, 6pm
Tuesday Knights, 7pm
- 27 Wed Desert Hope Praise Team Rehearsal, 6pm
- 28 Thu Agua Prieta Building Trip
Thursday Women's Bible Study, 11:30am
- 1 Fri Agua Prieta Building Trip
Friday Women's Bible Study, 9:30am
- 2 Sat GriefShare, 1pm

Additional information on these events available at deserthope.org

Upcoming Events:

- Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser, Sunday, March 3
- Ash Wednesday Worship, March 6, 12 & 7pm
- Haiti Meal Packing Event, Saturday, March 9
- Gospel Rescue Mission Party, Sunday, March 10
- Fivefold Giftedness Seminar, Saturday, March 16
- Dr. Greg Silverman Worship Concert, Friday, April 5



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

**DESERT HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
MISSION CENTER**
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520-722-9134
office@deserthope.org

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

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

Connect with us @ deserthope.org

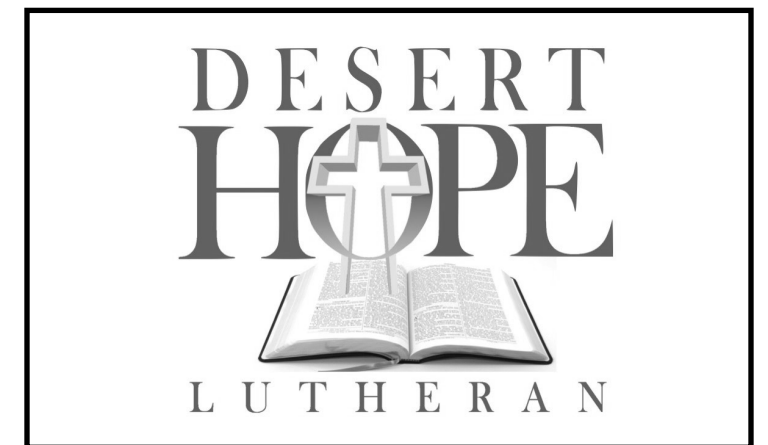
WELCOME

WORSHIP GROW SERVE
TOGETHER

TODAY'S MESSAGE:
"How does God see us?"

February 24, 2019

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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**BIBLE
READING PLAN**

- Scripture** In my Bible, I read...
- Observation** This is what I noticed...
- Application** How it looks in my life...
- Prayer** My prayer regarding it...



**WEEKLY BIBLE READINGS
Week of February 25**

- Mon, Feb 25 Chapter 8, COMPASSION, BELIEVE *Living The Story of the Bible To Become Like Jesus*
- Tue, Feb 26 Nehemiah 9:1-38; Romans 3:21-26; 1 John 4:7-10
- Wed, Feb 27 Deuteronomy 24:10-15, 17-22, 25:5-10
- Thu, Feb 28 Ruth 2:1-23, 4:13-17; Luke 10:25-37
- Fri, Mar 1 Matthew 25:31-46; James 1:19-2:13

These Bible readings are from New International Version (NIV)

ASH WEDNESDAY, LENTEN & HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Ash Wednesday Worship, March 6, 12 & 7pm

Wednesday Nights, March 13-April 10

- Soup Suppers, 5:30pm
- Holden Evening Prayer Service, 6:30pm
- Lenten Service, 7pm

Maundy Thursday, April 18

Seder Celebration, 5:30pm

Good Friday Worship, April 19, 12 & 7pm

Easter Sunday, April 21

- Sunrise Worship, 6:30am
- Worship, 8:30 & 10:30am

ARISE YOUTH GROUP

Today, Sunday February 24, join us after the 10:30am service for games, food, a movie and fun! If you are in town for Rodeo Weekend, come spend a couple of hours in YOUR new ARISE Youth Room hanging out with friends!

Next Sunday, March 3, we will be doing a service project to help raise money to pay for the meals we send to Haiti. Be here at 9am to cook and serve pancakes and stay until 2pm for Youth Group!

Plan to come help pack those meals on Saturday, March 9, 9am. Sign up at the counter in the Narthex.

In March, we will be starting a new segment called *Make it a Habit* taught by Amanda. Questions? Contact Heather by phone/text at 979-1563 or email Heather@DesertHope.org.

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FIVEFOLD GIFTEDNESS SEMINAR

Saturday, March 16, 9:30am-12:30pm, at Desert Hope, **Fivefold Giftedness Seminar** presented by Pastor Warren Anderson from Living Waters Ministries. The seminar will be about the gifts of apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers and their role in today's church. Contact the church office for more information, 722-9134.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST FUNDRAISER

Feed yourself to feed the kids of Haiti, Sunday, March 3, 9-11am. ARISE Youth Group will host a Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser to raise money towards the goal of \$10,500 needed to pack 35,000 meals for the children of Haiti. Bring your friends, family and appetite. **Free Will Offering**. Questions? Contact Heather, 979-1563 or Heather@DesertHope.org.

GOSPEL RESCUE MISSION PARTY

The Gospel Rescue Mission Party is Sunday, March 10, 1-3pm, at the Women's Center, 707 W Miracle Mile. We serve lunch and do crafts with the women and children. Contact: Pam Endrihs, 404-9536 or pendrihs@gmail.com.

NEXT AGUA PRIETA BUILDING TRIP

A group of Desert Hope members and friends travel to Agua Prieta, Mexico to help build homes. The dates for the next trip are **Thursday, February 28-Friday, March 1**. On this trip we will be installing the roof, doors and windows.

The trips include an overnight in Mexico. Safe, comfortable lodging is provided and meals for purchase are available. A current passport is needed. For questions and more information contact Frank Fountain, 299-4325 or f.fountain@comcast.net.

J17 MINISTRIES DONATION INFORMATION

John 17 (J17) Ministries, lead by Pastor Dave Drum, is now able to directly accept support donations. Donations for Dave's Support Fund and general donations to J17 Ministries should no longer be sent to Desert Hope. Instead these donations can be made either online at J17Ministries.org or you may send checks made out to "J17 Ministries" to J17 Ministries, P. O. Box 17466, Tucson, AZ, 85731. If you need additional information, contact Dave Drum, 991-4517 or dave@j17ministries.org.



DHLC FINANCIAL DASHBOARD

2019 Actuals	January	YTD
Actual Income	\$46,395.00	\$46,395.00
Actual Expenses	\$35,420.71	\$35,420.71
Income vs. Expenses	\$10,974.29	\$10,974.29
2019 Budget	January	YTD
Budgeted Income	\$45,075.00	\$45,075.00
Budgeted Expenses	\$35,740.00	\$35,740.00
	\$9,335.00	\$9,335.00
Average Weekly Giving	2019	2018
January	\$11,599	\$9,922
Jan-Jan	\$11,599	\$9,922

VIA DE DIOS EVENTS

For more information:

- ♦ Classes, Thursday, February 27—Dementia-We are all patients & Whole Foods Plant Based go to viadedios.com.
- ♦ Seminar, Saturday, March 9—The Essence of Bible Theology go to TheologicalResonance.com/Seminar.

LET GOD'S LOVE FLOW

Let anyone who is thirsty come to me and drink. For the Scriptures declare, 'Rivers of living water will flow from the heart of anyone who believes in me.'

John 7:37-38 NLT

We're God's instruments in this broken world. It is through our words and actions that God's love flows across streets and across the world.

God expects us to see others as He sees them, equals in the body-of-Christ. There is no hierarchy when it comes to God's love; He loves each of us deeply and wants us to emulate Jesus' compassion for the needs of others.

March 9, we will be holding Desert Hope's third **Haiti Meal Packing Event**. Our goal is to assemble 35,000 pre-packaged meals for children of Haiti. This effort gives much more than a nutritious meal. It gives hope to the often-forgotten, reminding them that God is at work in their lives.

March 3, our youth will be sponsoring a pancake breakfast to raise funds for this project. Please support their efforts so that God's living waters might flow to our Haitian brothers and sisters in Christ.

Walking
With
JESUS
Together
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DIFFERENCE

Tear Here

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SERMON NOTES:

February 24, 2019

Scriptures for Next Sunday:
Psalm 82; John 4:7-10; Luke 10:25-37

DESERT HOPE'S LEADERSHIP

President, Bob Balck
Vice-President, Kris Hubbard
Secretary, Joanna Jongsma

Other Leadership Council members are LeeAnn Sample, Judy Martin, Eva Damschroder, Rick Rupkey, Stan Thibaut, Scott Wooster, Pastor Jim, Lori Fabbri and Terry Bredehoft.
Please support these individuals and keep them in your prayers.

PRAYER ROOM IN PASTOR JIM'S OFFICE

Use it as a quiet place for personal prayer, or ask a Prayer Team member to join you to lift up concerns.