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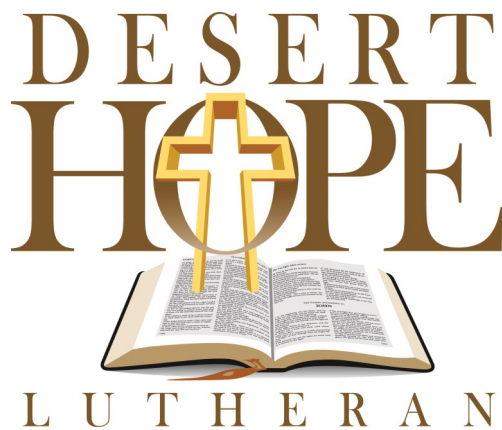
WORSHIP GROW SERVE

TOGETHER

TODAY'S MESSAGE:
"The God of Miracles"

July 25, 2021

HOPE NOTES



OUR MISSION:

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

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Sunday, July 25, 8:30 & 10:30am

Prelude		Debbie Osborn, piano
Welcome/Announcements		Pastor Brian McGee
Invocation and Prayer		
Song	<i>Hear Our Praises</i>	
Confession		
Song	<i>Great Is Thy Faithfulness</i>	
Kids Talk		
Scripture	2 Kings 4:42-44 (NIV) Ephesians 3:14-21 (NIV)	
Gospel	John 6:1-15 (NIV)	
Sermon	“The God of Miracles” Pastor Brian McGee	
Song	<i>This I Believe (The Creed)</i>	
Prayers of the People		
Confession of Faith	Apostles’ Creed	
Holy Communion		
Lord’s Prayer		
Communion Song	<i>How Great Thou Art</i>	
Benediction		
Song	<i>Your Grace Is Enough</i>	
Dismissal		
Postlude		

Readers: 8:30-LeeAnn Sample 10:30-Barb Kuehn

Communion Assistants: 8:30-Lynnea Fertal & Linda Kress 10:30-Bill Gaube & Eva Damschroder



WORSHIP AT DESERT HOPE

Worship in-person is on Sunday at 8:30am & 10:30am. The 10:30am service will be live streamed. <https://www.youtube.com/user/DesertHopeTucson>.

Sunday School and Nursery will resume on Sunday, August 8 at the 10:30am service.

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

What a great day we had last Sunday, July 18, celebrating God’s generous provision! A big thank you to everyone involved who helped with the planning, organizing, setup, takedown, serving, entertaining and supporting the inspiring Installation Service for Pastor Brian McGee and the amazing Celebration Dinner event. A special thanks goes to the co-chairs of the Celebration Dinner, Lynnea Fertal and Janet Bredehoft, well done good and faithful servants!

TIME TO GATHER SCHOOL SUPPLIES

School is starting soon. Our partnership with Gridley Middle School continues. We are supporting families, children and teachers at Gridley Middle School by providing school supplies (see list below). We will be collecting school supplies at Desert Hope beginning on Sunday, July 25, and continuing through August.

Thank you for helping students and teachers to begin in-person school for 2021-22. Questions? Contact Linda Fountain, 299-4325 or l.fountain@comcast.net.



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| backpacks for middle school students | thin colored washable markers | dry erase markers |
| college ruled loose leaf paper | highlighters | jumbo paper clips |
| spiral notebooks | small pencil sharpeners | 2GB flash drives |
| composition notebooks | crayons | ear buds |
| tabbed page dividers | glue sticks | Scotch tape |
| pocket folders (3-prong) | rulers | masking tape |
| 3-ring binders (1-2 inches) | erasers | hand sanitizer |
| construction paper | Kleenex | reusable water bottles |
| #2 pencils | scissors | hand soap |
| mechanical pencils | copy paper (by the ream) | disinfecting wipes |
| black and blue pens | sheet protectors | Ziploc bags (sandwich, quart, gallon). |

Plan to Come and  Invite a Friend

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 July 26

Mon, Jul 26	Luke 12:1-48; Psalms 92; 1 Chronicles 27-29
Tue, Jul 27	Luke 12:49-59; Psalm 93-94:7; 2 Chronicles 1-3
Wed, Jul 28	Luke 13; Psalms 94:8-23; 2 Chronicles 4-6
Thu, Jul 29	Luke 14; Psalms 95; 2 Chronicles 7-9
Fri, Jul 30	Luke 15; Proverbs 15:1-11; 2 Chronicles 10-14

Bookmarks are available in the Narthex.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

We encourage all children of God (any age) to worship with us during the month of July.

Bring a friend, sibling or stuffed animal to Pastor Brian's Kids Talk at the 10:30am worship service to hear God's message just for you!

Sunday School and Nursery will resume on Sunday, August 8 at the 10:30am worship service. Questions and comments can be directed to Heather 979-1563 or Heather@DesertHope.org.

BACKPACK BLESSING

Sunday, August 1 at the 10:30am service, Pastor Brian will incorporate a Backpack Blessing into the Kids Talk. ANYONE going back to school is invited to bring their backpack or computer bag to be blessed for the coming year! Questions? Contact Heather at 979-1563 or Heather@DesertHope.org.

ALPHA YOUTH

Alpha Youth starts Friday, August 13, 6pm, in the Desert Hope Youth Room! This is a 9-week video/discussion program for middle and high school students which includes dinner and games! Heather Stein and Jack Martin will be teaching. This is a "come as you are" event and great for inviting un-churched friends!

For more information check it out online at www.alpha.org/youth. Questions? Contact Heather at 979-1563 or Heather@DesertHope.org.

CONFIRMATION RESUMES

Confirmation resumes Wednesday, August 11 from 6:30-8pm, in the Hope Center. We will start with learning about Martin Luther and end with some Hot Topics just before Reformation Sunday, October 31, and your confirmation! Questions? Contact Heather at 979-1563 (call/text) or Heather@DesertHope.org or call the church office, 722-9134.

Plan to Come and  a Friend

DHLC FINANCIAL DASHBOARD

2021 Actuals	June	January-June
Actual Income	\$22,294.47	\$218,654.14
Actuals Expenses	\$27,253.84	\$175,906.77
Actual Income vs Expense	(\$4,959.37)	\$42,747.37
2021 Budget		
Budgeted Income	\$25,880.00	\$217,480.00
Budgeted Expense	\$33,785.00	\$198,993.00
Budgeted Income vs. Expense	(\$7,905.00)	\$18,496.00
Average Weekly Giving		
2021	\$5,574	\$8,340
2020	\$8,981	\$8,440

NOTE: Numbers reflect contributions to DH's regular operating budget. Designated/restricted contributions are not included.

MONETARY SUPPORT

Your continued monetary support is essential to the mission we share at Desert Hope. Currently we have options for making online contributions through bill pay or through the Desert Hope website, deserthope.org. You can also mail contributions to: Desert Hope, 7474 E Speedway, Tucson, AZ 85710.

Walking
With
JESUS
Together
We're
Making a
DIFFERENCE

HOLY COMMUNION:

Holy Communion is for those who trust in Jesus and believe He brings the grace He promises in this Holy Meal. We are grateful that we have found a way to safely have communion together in-person and online.

As you exit your row, you will be asked by an usher to sanitize your hands. After processing to the front of the church, you will be served a wafer and an individual cup of wine offered from a tray. Used cups may be disposed of in bowls stationed up front.

Pre-packaged communion kits will still be available for those who do not wish to go to the altar for communion. If you are worshipping at home, gather wine or grape juice and bread and take communion during the same time.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Church of the Week

- Valley Christian Church

Health and Healing

- Matthew Dimka for relief from pain.
- Tammy Marker who has pneumonia and Valley fever (req. by Shirley Marker, mother).
- Lorraine who has a tumor near her pancreas (req. by Shirley Marker, friend).

Praise and Thanksgiving

- For the Installation Service of Pastor Brian McGee and the Celebration Dinner Event.

Comfort and Peace

- For family and friends of Steve Schumacher who passed away (req. by Francine Rienstra).
- For family and friends of Evelyn Gerezette on the loss of her grandson (req. by Margo Caylor, friend).

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

Prayer requests can be submitted at www.deserthope.org or by calling the church office, 722-9134.
Please make sure you have permission for prayers printed in the bulletin.

Scriptures for Next Sunday:

Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15;
Psalm 78:23-29;
John 6:25-35

PLEASE JOIN US

Sunday, July 25	Worship, Desert Hope, 8:30am (in-person only) Worship, Desert Hope, 10:30am (in-person & live streamed) <i>Sunday School and Nursery will resume August 8</i>
Monday, July 26	<i>Prayer Team will resume August 2</i>
Tuesday, July 27	<i>WOW Bible Study resumes August 10</i>
Wednesday, July 28	<i>Crafters' Ministry will resume August 4</i>
Thursday, July 29	Thursday Women's Bible Study via Zoom, 7pm
Friday, July 30	Friday Women's Bible Study, Hope Center, 9:30am
Saturday, July 31	GriefShare, Hope Center, 1pm

Live Streaming can be accessed at: <https://www.youtube.com/user/DesertHopeTucson>

Upcoming Events:

Sunday School and Nursery
Confirmation
Alpha Youth

Resumes Sunday, August 8, 10:30am
Resumes Wednesday, August 11, 6:30pm
Starts Friday, August 13, 6pm

Via de Dios Retreat Day, *Living in the Divine: Deepening our Love*, on Saturday, August 7, 9am-3pm, at Mary Undoer of Knots Byzantine Shrine, 12849 N Tucson Avenue, Mount Lemmon, AZ 85619. Get out of the heat to the cool exquisite surroundings of a gorgeous spiritual property atop the 9000 foot Mt. Lemmon. More information is available at www.viadedios.org/current-events or by calling 954-1811.

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

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