

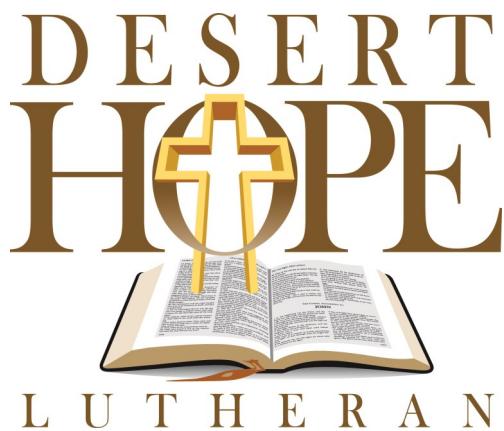
WELCOME

WORSHIP GROW SERVE
TOGETHER

TODAY'S MESSAGE:
Reading of Matthew 26-27

April 10, 2022

HOPE NOTES



OUR MISSION:

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

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Palm Sunday, April 10, 9:30am

Prelude

Hosanna Processional (*starting outside*)

Gospel Reading of [Matthew 21:1-11](#)
All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Song *Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)*

Invocation and Prayer

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Dave Drum

Kids Talk

Sunday School, K-5th grade, after in Youth Room

Scripture Readings (NIV) [Psalm 22:1-19](#)
[Philippians 2:5-11](#)

Introduction to The Passion

Gospel Reading/Sermon [Matthew 26-27](#)
Pastor Dave Drum

Song *Were You There*

Prayers of the People

Church of the Week: Victory Outreach Tucson City Church

Apostles' Creed

Confession

Holy Communion

Song *Goodness Of God*

Communion Blessing

Song *New Wine*

Benediction

Postlude

Reader: Paula Knauss **Communion Assistants:** Linda Kress, Jim Kress & Shirley Dowling



WORSHIP AT DESERT HOPE

Worship in-person is on Sunday at 9:30am. *Masks are optional at Desert Hope.*

The service will be live streamed, <https://www.youtube.com/user/DesertHopeTucson>.

Communion will be at the altar. The ushers will direct you. You will be given a wafer and an individual cup of wine or white grape juice. *Pre-packaged communion kits are available for those who want to take Communion at their seat.*

Sunday School is at 9:30am. The Nursery is not staffed but is available to parents as a Cry Room.



HOLY WEEK WORSHIP

- Palm Sunday Worship, April 10, 9:30am
- Maundy Thursday Worship, 7pm
- Good Friday Worship, noon & 7pm
- Easter Sunday Sunrise Worship in the Memorial Garden, 6am
- Easter Sunday Worship, 9:30am

Services will be live streamed except noon on Good Friday and Easter Sunrise.

EASTER FOOD BASKETS

Easter food baskets will be delivered on Monday, April 11. Sign-up sheets for hams and drivers are on the counter in the Narthex. We will be providing food for **32** families from the Gridley Middle School community. Bring food items through Sunday, April 10.

We are currently in need of these items:

11 hams, cake mixes, canned fruit, canned meals (such as beef stew, chili, etc.), spaghetti sauce and pasta.

Monetary donations are needed to purchase fresh food. Make checks payable to Desert Hope Lutheran Church with *Easter Food Baskets* in memo. Contact Linda Fountain, 299-4325 or l.fountain@comcast.net.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ON EASTER



If you will have elementary age grandchildren, children or guests coming to church on Easter Sunday, sign up on the list in the Narthex to let us know their ages.

We are preparing Easter bags to hand out on Easter Sunday, and we'd like them to be age appropriate.

FLOWERS FOR EASTER

The flowers to decorate the sanctuary on Easter Sunday have been generously donated by one of our members.



Anyone who would like to take flowers following the 9:30am Easter Sunday Worship is welcome to take them.

Plan to Come and



Invite

a Friend



On **Saturday, April 30, 8am to 4pm**, you are invited to a Lutheran Congregations in Ministry for Christ (LCMC) Conflict Resolution Workshop at Desert Hope. The workshop is designed to help you learn about yourself in conflict as well as steps to forgiveness and reconciliation from a Biblical perspective. You will be given tools to help work through conflict in a positive way. The workshop is offered by Perry Fruhling, Coordinator for Pastoral Ministry for LCMC. He has a variety of training from numerous resources in the field of conflict management.

Conflict is as old as the first relationships in the Bible: Adam blamed Eve after their fall from grace in the garden of Eden, then Cain killed in a jealous rage. The Bible describes conflicts between David and Saul, Paul and Barnabas, Peter and Paul, and more. Each of us face conflict in various settings including our churches. The question isn't "if," but "when" conflict will happen within our congregations and how we will choose to deal with it.

We invite everyone to come and learn how to walk together so we can bring strength to our community of faith and become more effective in ministry. ***You will need to sign up for the workshop so we have an accurate count for lunch.*** Sign-up sheets are available in the Narthex. The deadline to sign up is **Sunday, April 24**. If you have any questions please contact LeeAnn Sample at leeann.skow1@gmail.com or 730-9561.

From Jim Kress, Leadership Council President...

Did you know, at any point in time, 40% of all congregations experience conflict that disrupts mission? Yet, most of us want to avoid it.

Unresolved conflict results in a myriad of people leaving marriages, places of work, families, friendships, AND CHURCHES every year. People become discouraged and live in despair when we avoid conflict.

There is good news! God has given us his Word and tools to resolve conflict that can restore hope and bring reconciliation and forgiveness. Pastor Perry Fruhling, Coordinator for LCMC, has developed a Workshop to develop these tools.

Your Church Council has invited Pastor Fruhling to hold this Conflict Resolution Workshop at Desert Hope Lutheran Church, Saturday, April 30.

The training will consist of understanding conflict from a systems perspective, learning to identify sources of anxiety in congregational conflict, and developing skills in the conflict resolution process.

Desert Hope plans to form a congregational conflict team that will be trained to see the larger picture of a system at work instead of the usual blame game that results in most conflicts. A Conflict Team becomes skilled at helping conflicted parties in the congregation identify resolutions that are mutually satisfactory to all parties involved in a conflict. The key is to help participants in a conflict see each other as humans – God created and redeemed – to gain a heart of peace towards one another and seek solutions together that can bring help and hope.

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, Zelle or the Desert Hope website, deserthope.org. You can also mail contributions to: Desert Hope, 7474 E Speedway, Tucson, AZ 85710.

Please Note: When writing a check only use a blue or black pen so it can be read by the scanner.

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 April 10

Sun, Apr 10 Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29; Luke 19:28-40
Mon, Apr 11 Isaiah 42:1-9; Psalm 36:5-11; Hebrews 9:11-15; John 12:1-11
Tue, Apr 12 Isaiah 49:1-7; Psalm 71:1-14; 1 Corinthians 1:18-31; John 12:20-36
Wed, Apr 13 Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 70; Hebrews 12:1-3; John 13:21-32
Thu, Apr 14 Exodus 12:1-4, 11-14; Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19; 1 Corinthians 11:23-26; John 13:1-17, 31b-35
Fri, Apr 15 Isaiah 52:13-53:12; Psalm 22; Hebrews 10:16-25; John 18:1-19:42
Sat, Apr 16 Job 14:1-14; Psalm 31:1-4, 15-16; 1 Peter 4:1-8; Matthew 27:57-66

Bookmarks are available in the Narthex.



TIME CHANGE AND NEW STUDY FOR THURSDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

All women are invited to join the Thursday Women's Bible Study for a new study. We will begin meeting in-person in Hope Center on Thursday, April 21 from 12:30-2pm, and will also continue to be available via Zoom. Please join us for our new study, *What Love Is, The Letters of 1, 2, 3 John*, by Kelly Minter. We will be looking at contrasting themes such as walking in the light instead of darkness, truth versus deception, loving God more than loving the world, the meaning of true fellowship rather than shallowness. Please purchase your study guide prior to the first meeting. It can be purchased through Lifeway or Amazon.

Thursday Women's Bible Study will not meet on Thursday, April 14. For questions contact Amy Martin at 591-9771 or agigaxmartin@gmail.com.

UPCOMING TUESDAY KNIGHTS NEW BIBLE STUDY

On Tuesday, April 26 at 7pm, the Tuesday Knights Men's Bible Study will begin a new study series on the book of Revelation. The first part of this series will be a 4-week video-based introduction titled, "Explaining All the Scary Stuff in Revelation," by the Rev. Ken Klaus, speaker of *The Lutheran Hour*. This initial study will give us a starting point to understand the symbolism, codes and historical setting of Revelation.

Following the completion of this introduction we will begin a more in-depth 13-week study on Revelation in early July. Participant study guides are available in the Narthex under the information monitor. All men of the congregation are welcome to attend. Sessions will be held in the Hope Center. Contact Terry Bredehoft at tbredehoft@cox.net for more information.

FRIDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Friday Women's Bible Study will not meet on Good Friday, April 15. We will finish our Lenten study in Mark on Friday April 22 at 9:30am, in Hope Center. Friday, April 29, we will return to the study of Max Lucado's, *God Came Near*, Chapter 18. Contact: Wanda Johnson, 546-7934.

APRIL EDITION OF DESERT SCROLLS

Be sure to read this latest edition of Desert Scrolls. You will find it in your inbox or on the Church website, deserthope.org. Be inspired and informed as you read articles by Greg Silverman, LeeAnn Sample, Jack Martin and others.



Plan to Come and **Invite** a Friend

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.

If you are worshipping in-person the ushers will direct you. You will be given a wafer and an individual cup of wine or white grape juice. Pre-packaged communion kits are available for those who want to take Communion at their seat.

If you are worshipping at home, gather wine or grape juice and bread and take communion during the same time.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Daily Prayer

- Please pray with us at lunch time each day for spiritual renewal churchwide and wisdom for our leadership.

Health and Healing

- Janet Bredehoft for continued healing.

Comfort and Peace

- For the friends and family of Lenice Lohff who passed away. Special condolences to her husband, Martin, and Mike & Katie Noonan.

Protection, Wisdom and Guidance

- For the leaders of the world and our country and for the people of Ukraine regarding the Russian invasion of Ukraine.
- For military and their families who are on alert or have been deployed.

Direction and Blessing

- For the Desert Hope Governance Team and Leadership Council.

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.

**Memorial Service for Lenice Lohff
Saturday, April 23, 11am at Desert Hope**

The Transition Prayer

Thank you for the blessings you have showered upon Desert Hope;
You accomplish through us far more than we can imagine.

During this time of pastoral transition,
help us put our complete trust in You.

Inspire the pastor you choose to serve with us;
may Your call be received with an open joyful heart.

Equip each of us for Desert Hope's next chapter;
open our hearts and minds to humbly accept Your will.

Continue transforming us as we follow Jesus daily,
inviting families of this and future generations to join us.

We pray this in Jesus' name.

Amen.

Scriptures for Next Sunday (NIV): [Isaiah 25:6-9](#);
[Colossians 3:1-4](#);
[Mark 16:1-8](#)

PLEASE JOIN US

Sunday, April 10	Worship, Desert Hope, 9:30am (in-person & live streamed) Sunday School, 9:30am
Monday, April 11	Easter Food Basket Delivery, 9am
Tuesday, April 12	Prayer Team, Youth Room, 2:15pm WOW Bible Study via Zoom, 9am <i>Tuesday Evening Study Group will resume April 19</i> <i>Tuesday Knights will resume April 26</i> <i>Crafters Ministry will not meet</i>
Wednesday, April 13	<i>Crafters Ministry will not meet</i>
Thursday, April 14	Maundy Thursday Worship, 7pm (will be live streamed) <i>Thursday Women's Bible Study will resume on April 21 in-person in Hope Center, (New Time, 12:30-2pm)</i>
Friday, April 15	Good Friday Worship, noon & 7pm (7pm will be live streamed) <i>Friday Women's Bible Study will not meet</i>
Saturday, April 16	<i>GriefShare will begin a new session on May 7</i>

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

Upcoming Events:

Easter Sunrise Worship	Sunday, April 17, 6am
Easter Sunday Worship	Sunday, April 17, 9:30am
Memorial Service for Lenice Lohff	Saturday, April 23, 11am
Conflict Resolution Workshop	Saturday, April 30, 8am-4pm

Worship

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Sunday, 9:30AM (in-person & live streamed)

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

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