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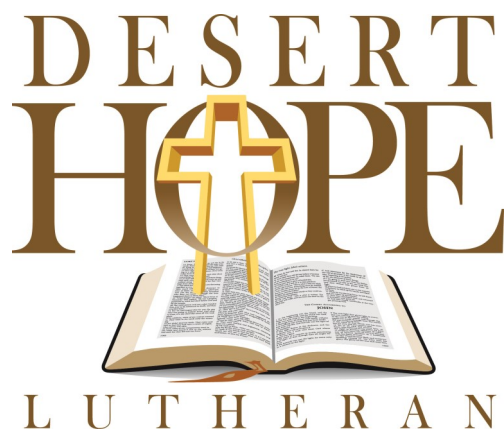
T O G E T H E R

TODAY'S MESSAGE:

"Because He Gave"

November 6, 2022

HOPE NOTES



OUR MISSION:

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

Inside This Issue:

Commitment Sunday
Patriotic Service
Thanksgiving Food Baskets
Lunch Bunch



Sunday, November 6, 9:30am
All Saints Day

Prelude	<i>Give Thanks</i>	Vanessa League, harp
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Kent Groethe
Stewardship Temple Talk		Dan Knauss
Call To Worship		Dr. Greg Silverman
Song	<i>Your Name</i>	
Confession and Forgiveness		
Song	<i>For All The Saints</i>	
Kids Talk		
<i>Sunday School, K-5th grade, after in Youth Room</i>		
Scripture Readings (NIV)	<u>Exodus 35:30, 36:3-5</u> <u>2 Corinthians 9:6-13</u>	
Gospel Reading (NIV)	<u>Luke 21:1-4</u>	
Sermon	"Because He Gave" Pastor Kent Groethe	
Song	<i>Above All</i>	
Prayers of the People		
<i>Church of the Week: Siloam Christian Church</i>		
Recognition of the Saints Who Passed		Ray Pulsifer
Apostles' Creed		
Offertory	<i>Sacrifice of Praise</i>	Vanessa League, harp
Holy Communion/Lord's Prayer		
Song	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy</i>	
Communion Blessing		
Song	<i>Breathe On Us</i>	
Benediction		
	Pastor: <i>Grow in Faith</i>	Congregation: <i>Impact The World!</i>
Postlude		

Reader: Ray Pulsifer

Communion Assistants: LeeAnn Sample, Terry Bredehoft & Paula Knauss



WORSHIP AT DESERT HOPE

Worship in-person is on Sunday at 9:30am.

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. *Please let the ushers know if you want communion brought to your seat.*

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

THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS

During November and December we will focus on donations for Holiday Food Baskets. Your continued support of this ministry and all of our outreach opportunities is appreciated.

We are planning to do food baskets for Thanksgiving for families from Gridley Middle School. Delivery of Thanksgiving baskets will be Monday, November 21. Food can be brought to church through Sunday, November 20. The signup sheets to donate turkeys or to volunteer to deliver food baskets are available in the Narthex. If you have questions, call the church office, 722-9134 or contact Linda Fountain, 299-4325 or l.fountain@comcast.net.

Monetary donations for the fresh food items are needed. Make checks to Desert Hope Lutheran Church with *Food Baskets* in the memo line.

Food items needed include:

cereal	cranberry sauce	canned soup, chili & stew
peanut butter	dried beans	pasta
jelly	brownie mixes	pasta sauce
stuffing mix	tuna	canned pasta
rice	boxed mac & cheese	flour
snack bars	canned fruit & vegetables	sugar

DESERT HOPE NEEDS...

- ◆ **Church Office Hosts**
Contact Joy Karr, 520-722-9134.
- ◆ **Sunday School Assistants**
Contact Lisa Byl, artlisbyl@gmail.com, 520-733-9196 or Judy Martin, jam1judy@cox.net, 520-490-8157.
- ◆ **Communion Assistants**
Contact Barb Kuehn, 520-344-7825 or barbkuehn@yahoo.com.

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.

Plan to Come and  a Friend

COMMITMENT CARDS & COMMITMENT SUNDAY

We hear God's promise of hope in the 29th chapter of Jeremiah.

*I have plans to prosper you, not to harm you.
I have plans to give you a future filled with hope.
When you call out to me and come to me in prayer,
I will hear you.*

Sunday, November 13, is our annual Commitment Sunday. Following the worship service, we will have an opportunity to return our completed pledge cards.

Commitment Sunday is a vital part of our annual planning process. The input each of us provides allows our leadership to forecast the coming year's contributions, thus helping us plan a wide range of worship, growth, and service experiences. It also helps us plan Desert Hope's continued support of local, national and international ministries that reach well beyond our walls.

Our congregation has always faithfully supported this process. We pray each of us will do so again this year.

Please watch the regular mail. A letter, 2023 pledge card and personal invitation to participate in the process will arrive soon.

God has richly blessed our congregation with abundant resources. Knowing that everything we have comes first from Him, we confidently hold His hand and humbly follow the path placed before us. It is our sincere hope that our commitments of time, talents and treasures will continue to bring glory to God in the coming year and well beyond.

God's blessings as we prayerfully consider our 2023 commitment to the Lord's work through Desert Hope.

From the 4th chapter of the Apostle Peter's letter to the early church,

*As each has received a gift,
use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace.*

Together, we will continue to love, grow and serve.

VIA DE DIOS GRAND OPENING

Via de Dios invites you to the Grand Opening of their new home.

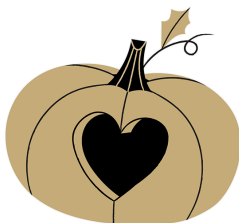
3615 N Prince Village Place #101

Saturday, November 12, 1-4pm

Come, Celebrate with us and find out our plans for 2023.

Contact: Francine Rienstra, 520-276-9424 or viadedios.az@gmail.com.

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You're Invited

You are invited to the exclusive Season 3 premier of "The Chosen." Please come as The La Paloma Group's guest hosted by Matthew M Gigstad. We hope you can join us for this special event.

Event Details

Sunday, November 20, 6:15-9:15pm

Galaxy Theatre
100 S Houghton Rd
Tucson, AZ

A brief educational presentation will precede the event.

Please RSVP by Thursday, November 17 at 520-529-1589 or gloria.livingood@thrivent.com.

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 November 6

Sun, Nov 6	Haggai 1:15b-2:9; Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21; Job 19:23-27a
Mon, Nov 7	Psalm 98; Haggai 2:10-19; 2 Peter 1:16-21
Tue, Nov 8	Psalm 98; Haggai 2:20-23; 2 John 1:1-13
Wed, Nov 9	Psalm 98; Zechariah 8:1-17; John 5:19-29
Thu, Nov 10	Isaiah 12; Isaiah 57:14-21; Romans 1:18-25
Fri, Nov 11	Isaiah 12; Isaiah 59:1-15a; 2 Thessalonians 1:3-12
Sat, Nov 12	Isaiah 12; Isaiah 59:15b-21; Luke 17:20-37

New bookmarks are available in the Narthex.

THURSDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Thursday, November 10, 12:30pm, Thursday Women's Bible Study will begin Kelly Minter's 7-week revised Bible study of the Book of Ruth. Participants should prepurchase the book through Amazon for the best price. Use this link: www.amazon.com/Ruth-Legacy-Revised-Expanded-Access/dp/1087749484/.

Contact: Amy Martin, 520-591-9771.

LUNCH BUNCH

Friday, November 18, 12pm, Lunch Bunch will meet in Hope Center for a time of fellowship and lunch. We will play card or board games that participants bring.

- Sign up at Connect Center in the Narthex.
- Choose a sandwich (turkey or ham). Cost: \$11.
- Bring a dessert to share and a favorite game.

This is a time to renew friendships! All 55+ are welcome.
Contact: Molly Black, mollybalck@hotmail.com.

SPIRITUAL GIFTS WORKSHOP

A Spiritual Gifts Workshop will be held in Hope Center on Sunday, December 4 & Sunday, December 11, 10:45am. Patti Thibaut will lead the workshop.

Are you unsure of the gift God has given you? Then attend the upcoming Spiritual Gifts workshop. We are using the Spiritual Gifts Profile provided by Church Doctor Ministries. Please come and learn where God wants to use you in service to Him. RSVP by calling the Church Office, 520-722-9134.



MORNING DEVOTIONS

Join Pastor Kent Groethe for Morning Devotions, Monday through Thursday at 8:30am.

Morning devotions are available live via the Desert Hope Facebook page at [Facebook.com/DesertHopeLutheran](https://www.facebook.com/DesertHopeLutheran).

Devotions can also be viewed at Desert Hope YouTube channel:

https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLQOTwQVq50w1fofJuWWKVfZM0k_aJbtE5.



PATRIOTIC SERVICE

On Sunday, November 13, during worship we will honor those who have served or are currently serving our country in the military with a Patriotic Service. Please meet at 9am in the north end of the Narthex for a quick run through. You are encouraged to wear your uniforms. Questions? Call Janet Bredehoft, 751-4115.

NEW MEMBER CLASS

On Sunday, November 6 at 10:45-11:45am, join Pastor Kent Groethe for a 4-week New Member Class. *Classes will be on Sundays November 6, 13, 20 & 27.* To signup, call Joy Karr at the Church Office, 520-722-9134.

CITY PSALMS COMMUNITY CHOIR

On Sunday, November 6, 7pm, join City Psalms Community Choir at Desert Hope to sing Christmas songs. Visit citypsalms.com/choir for more information and to download sheet music. *Refreshments will be provided.*

Plan to Come and  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.

The ushers will direct you to the altar. You will be given a wafer and an individual cup of wine or white grape juice.

Please let the ushers know if you want communion brought to your 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 hear us as we pray at lunch time each day for spiritual renewal churchwide and wisdom for our leadership.

Health and Healing

- Glenn Weber who is home from rehab and continuing with rehab at home in order to regain full use of his right hand.
- Shirley Marker for relief from insomnia.
- Wayne Lohmeier for successful medical procedure in California. Travel safety for Kathy and Wayne.

Comfort and Peace

- For the family and friends of Gene Rupnik who passed away.
- For the family and friends of Margaret Larsen who passed away (req. by Margo & Rob Caylor, friends).

Praise and Thanksgiving

- For the provision of the location for the new home of Via de Dios, so that they can now offer more events to the Tucson community.
- For Marge and Hal Rupard's 68th wedding anniversary
- For Paula and Chris Erdos' 43rd wedding anniversary

Protection, Wisdom and Guidance

- For the leaders of our country and all world leaders.
- For the people of Ukraine, Taiwan & Israel as they face outside aggression.
- For military and their families on alert or deployed.

Direction and Blessing

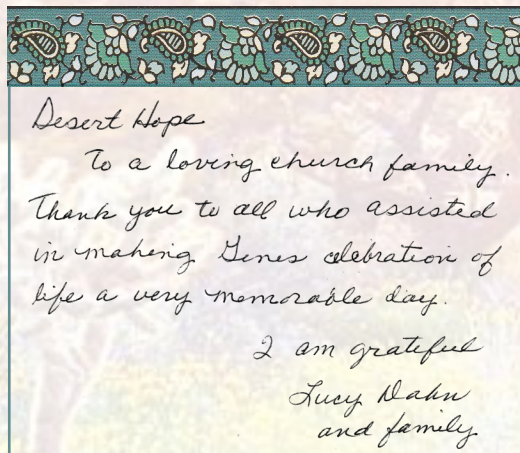
- For the Desert Hope Leadership Council: Margo Caylor, Pastor Kent Groethe, Paula Erdos, Delna Falk, Joanna Jongsma, Dan Knauss, Jim Kress, Keith Kuehn, Judy Martin, LeeAnn Sample, Patti Thibaut, Scott Wooster.
- For the Desert Hope Governance Team: Terry Bredehoft, Bob Balck, Kris Hubbard, Dan Knauss, Keith Kuehn, Cathy Skow.

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, 520-722-9134.

Please make sure you have permission for prayers printed in the bulletin.



Scriptures for Next Sunday (NIV): [Genesis 12:1-9](#); [1 Corinthians 12:12-26](#); [Matthew 28:16-20](#)

PLEASE JOIN US

Sunday, Nov 6	All Saints Sunday Sunday Worship, 9:30am (in-person & live streamed) Sunday School, 9:30am New Member Class, 10:45-11:45am City Psalms Community Choir Event, 7pm
Monday, Nov 7	<i>Prayer Team will not meet</i>
Tuesday, Nov 8	WOW Bible Study, Hope Center and via Zoom, 9am Tuesday Evening Study Group, Skow Home & via Zoom, 6pm Tuesday Knights, Hope Center, 7pm
Wednesday, Nov 9	<i>Crafters Ministry will not meet</i> Confirmation Class, 3-4:15pm
Thursday, Nov 10	Thursday Women's Bible Study, Youth Room, 12:30pm
Friday, Nov 11	Friday Women's Bible Study, Hope Center, 9:30am

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

Upcoming Events:

New Member Class	Sundays, November 13, 20 & 27, 10:45-11:45am
Commitment Sunday	Sunday, November 13
Patriotic Service	Sunday, November 13
Lunch Bunch	Friday, November 18, 12pm
Thanksgiving Food Basket Delivery	Monday, November 21
Spiritual Gifts Workshops	Sunday, December 4 & Sunday, December 11



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WORSHIP

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

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

Connect with us @
deserthope.org