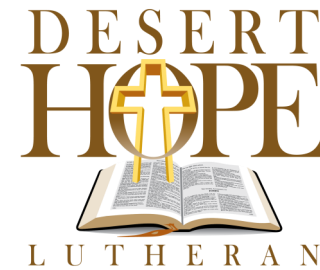


Monetary Support

Monetary support is essential to the mission we share at Desert Hope. 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.



Bible Studies/Groups Updates

- **Prayer Team** meets Monday, 10am, Youth Room. Contact Judy Strong.
- **WOW (Women of the Word) Bible Study** meets Tuesday, 9am, via Zoom. Studying *Word of God* by reading and journaling the *Two-Year Bible Reading Plan*. Contact: Brenda McDowell.
- **Tuesday Evening Study Group** will be on “summer hiatus” until early September. Contact Linda Kress.
- **Tuesday Knights Bible Study** will be on “summer hiatus” until early September. Contact Terry Bredehoft.
- **Quilters** meet 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 9am, Hope Center. Contact Lucy Dahn.
- **Crafters Ministry** meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 2pm, Hope Center. Contact Judy Strong
- **Thursday Morning Bible Study** meets Thursday, 9am, Francine Rienstra’s residence. Contact: Francine Rienstra at fgrienstra@gmail.com.
- **Thursday Women’s Bible Study** meets Thursdays, 12:30pm. Continues the study began on “*Discerning the Voice of God*” by Priscilla Shirer. Contact Amy Martin for further details. Fellowship Luncheon planned for August 8. They will be on “summer hiatus” for the remainder of August.
- **Friday AM Women’s Bible Study** meets Friday, 9:30am, Hope Center. On July 26 they will begin a 12 week study on “*Life Lessons from Luke*” by Max Lucado. Contact Wanda.
- **Sunday Adult Bible Study** will be on “summer hiatus” until early September. Contact: Patti Thibaut for details.

**To Be Transformed as We Follow Jesus Daily,
Leading Others to Do the Same.**

WEEKLY WORSHIP GUIDE

Sunday, July 21, 2024

Holy Communion

Communion every Sunday provides an opportunity to receive Christ anew in this Holy Sacrament. All who trust in Jesus for eternal life are welcome to participate. Ushers will direct you to the altar. You will be given a wafer and an individual cup of wine or white grape juice. *Gluten free wafers are also available.* Please let the ushers know if you want communion at your seat. If you are worshipping at home, gather wine or grape juice and bread and take communion during the same time.

Important Reminders

- We encourage you to wear your name badge each Sunday. Wear it proudly!
- Nursery is available each Sunday at 9:15am until the end of service.
- During service, children are dismissed to attend Sunday School after the song and before the readings.
- Pick up an *Invitation to Worship card* at the Welcome Center. Pass the word of this marvelous opportunity to worship Jesus and enjoy our fellowship.

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Sunday, July 21, 9:30am

Prelude *Be Thou My Vision • Rustle Of Spring*
Debbie Osborn, piano

Welcome and Announcements Jim Kress

Call To Worship Lisa Byl

Song *Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)*

Confession and Forgiveness

Song *Be Thou My Vision*

Children Dismissed for Sunday School

Scripture Readings (NIV)
Esther 5:12-14
Romans 8:28-30
John 16:31-33

Testimonial Dave Strong

Message **“God Speaks Through Coincidences”**
Pastor Kent Groethe

Song *Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)*

Prayers of the People

Apostles’ Creed

Offertory *With Child-Like Faith* Debbie Osborn, piano

Holy Communion/Lord’s Prayer Jim Kress

Song *How Firm A Foundation • Jesus Paid It All*

Communion Blessing

Song *Your Grace Is Enough*

Sending

Church of the Week: Thank God for giving us the Church and the guidance He gives to all those who serve.

Reader: Donna Burman

Communion Assistants: Todd Sander, Cathy Cramer and Rod Cramer

Prayer Requests

Health and Healing: For Lucy Dahn and Pastor Kent & Kay Groethe.

Comfort and Peace: For the family and friends of Bi Graves, Thai Pugh’s sister, who passed away.

Protection, Wisdom and Guidance: For the leaders of our country, all world leaders, people in countries facing outside aggression and the military and their families.

Prayers for Unbelieving Loved Ones

We pray for our loved ones who do not yet know Christ that you would stir in them faith in Jesus Christ.

Following the service, there will be Prayer Team members at the front of the Sanctuary on the right for you to receive one-on-one prayer for yourself or a loved one.

Submit prayer requests at www.deserthope.org or by calling the church office, 520-722-9134. Please make sure you have permission for prayers printed in the *Worship Guide*.

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

Worship & Special Events Calendar

Sunday, July 21: Sunday School - *Lights, Camera Action!*

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Sunday, August 4: Sunday School - *Circus of Faith*

Sunday, August 4: City Psalms Choir Rehearsal, **6:00 PM-8:00 PM**

Sunday, August 11: Sunday School - *Circus of Faith*

Sunday, August 18: Sunday School - *Circus of Faith*

Sunday, August 18: Guest Speaker, Courage International

Friday, August 23: Hot August Night Worship: 7:00 PM—8:30 PM, praise and worship open to all

Sunday, August 25: Sunday School - *Circus of Faith*

Monday, September 2: Church Office Closed for Labor Day