

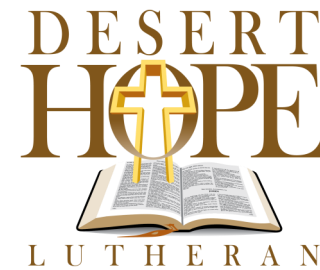
Bible Studies/Groups Updates

- **Women's Fellowship Bible Study** will meet on Sunday, October 12, 6-8pm at the home of Dell Hammond. Leader: Dell Hammond.
- **Prayer Team** meets Monday, 10am, Youth Room. Leader: Judy Strong.
- **Tuesday Evening Study Group** meets Tuesday, 6pm, Youth Room. Leader: Jim Kress.
- **Tuesday Knights Bible Study** meets Tuesday, 7pm, Hope Center. Leader: Jeff Dowling.
- **Quilters** meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 9am, Hope Center. Leader: Lucy Dahn.
- **Thursday Morning Bible Study** meets Thursday, 9am at Francine Rienstra's residence. Leader: Francine Rienstra at fgrienstra@gmail.com.
- **Thursday Women's Bible Study** meets Thursday, 12-1:30pm, Hope Center. Leader: Amy Martin.
- **Friday AM Women's Bible Study** meets Friday, 9:30am, Hope Center. Leader: Wanda Johnson.

For detailed information relating to topics of study, please refer to our website calendar at deserthope.org.



NEED TRUNKS and also **volunteers** to host simple games for the families. We will have a hot dog dinner (free) for the families and volunteers. Trunks should arrive between **4-4:30pm**, so they are ready to go at 5pm.



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WEEKLY WORSHIP GUIDE

Sunday, October 5, 2025

Welcome From The Friendliest Church in Tucson!

We are glad that you are worshiping with us today. Our goal is to grow together in faith and love for God and others. Please let me know if you have questions about Desert Hope or about your relationship with Jesus Christ.

Pastor Kent Groethe, Lead Pastor
218-731-5215 • pastorkent@deserthope.org

Please 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.

Nursery is available each Sunday at 9:15am until the end of service.

Sunday School is for elementary aged students. They can sit with their family in the worship service and will be escorted to the youth room after the hymn and before the readings.

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Sunday, October 5, 9:30am

Prelude *Lord Of The Dance* Debbie Osborn

Welcome and Announcements Patti Thibaut

Call to Worship Tyler Drysdale

Song *Everlasting God*

Confession and Forgiveness

Song *All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name*

Children Dismissed for Sunday School

Scripture Readings (NIV) Susan Lee Whittemore
Isaiah 40:1-5
2 Corinthians 1:3-7
Matthew 3:1-6

Message **"Comfort, Comfort My People"**
Rabbi Tim Hyslip

Song *Holy Forever*

Prayers of the People

Apostles' Creed

Offertory *One Bread, One Body*

Holy Communion/Lord's Prayer
Todd Sander, Terry Bredehoft and Joanna Jongsma

Songs *What A Friend We Have In Jesus*
Build My Life

Communion Blessing

Song *Today Is The Day*

Sending Patti Thibaut

Postlude

Prayer Requests

Health and Healing: For Paul Snell and his wife, Connie. For Patti Donahue and Hope Bergren.

Praise and Thanksgiving: For Dell Hammond.

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

Church of the Week: Vail Christian Church

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 the church office at 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, October 5: Sunday Worship, 9:30AM. Guest Speaker, Rabbi Tim Hyslip

Monday, October 6: Alpha, Hope Center, 6:00PM.

Wednesday, October 8: Voices of Hope Rehearsal, 7:15PM.

Saturday, October 11: DHLC 15th Anniversary Luncheon & Celebration, Desert Christian High School, 7525 E. Speedway, 11:30AM.

Sunday, October 12: 15th Anniversary Sunday Worship, 9:30AM.
Guest Preacher, Jim Cords

Monday, October 13: Alpha, Hope Center, 6:00PM.

Wednesday, October 15: Confirmation Class, 4:00PM.

Sunday, October 19: Commitment Sunday Worship, 9:30AM.

Monday, October 20: Alpha, Hope Center, 6:00PM.

Sunday, October 26: Reformation Sunday Worship, 9:30AM.

Monday, October 27: Alpha, Hope Center, 6:00PM.

Wednesday, October 29: Confirmation Class, 4:00PM.