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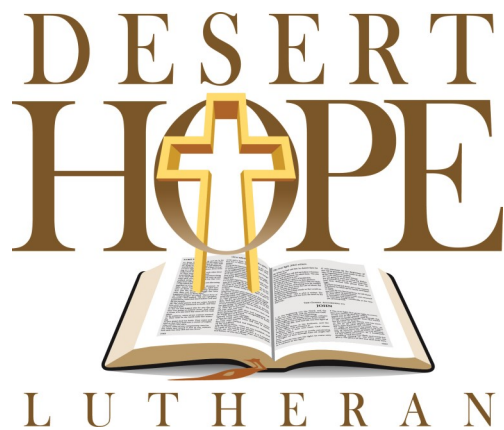
T O G E T H E R

TODAY'S MESSAGE:

"Give to God What Is God's"

October 17 & 18, 2020

HOPE NOTES



OUR MISSION:

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

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Saturday 5pm Worship

Prelude	<i>How Great Thou Art</i> Roberta Weiss, piano	
Welcome		Heather Stein
Invocation and Prayer		
Song	<i>Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)</i>	
Confession		
Song	<i>God Of Grace And God Of Glory</i>	
Scripture	Isaiah 45:1-7 (ESV) 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 (ESV)	
Gospel	Matthew 22:15-22 (ESV)	
Song	<i>10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)</i>	
Sermon	"Give to God What Is God's" Pastor Steve Bergeson	
Special Music	<i>I Exalt Thee</i> Debbie Osborn, piano	
Prayers of the People		
Confession of Faith	Apostles' Creed	
Holy Communion		
Song	<i>Praise To The Lord The Almighty</i>	
Benediction		
Announcements		Lynnea Fertal
Stewardship Campaign Chapel Talk		Bob Balck
Song	<i>My Lighthouse</i>	
Dismissal		
Postlude		



Sunday 9:30am Worship

Prelude	<i>How Great Thou Art</i>	Roberta Weiss, piano
Welcome		Heather Stein
Children's Music Video	<i>This Little Light Of Mine</i>	
Children's Message		
Invocation and Prayer		
Song	<i>Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)</i>	
Confession		
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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 October 19

Mon, Oct 19	Psalm 98; Daniel 3:1-18; Revelation 18:1-10, 19-20
Tue, Oct 20	Psalm 98; Daniel 3:19-30; Revelation 18:21-24
Wed, Oct 21	Psalm 98; Daniel 6:1-28; Matthew 17:22-27
Thu, Oct 22	Psalm 1; Numbers 5:5-10; Titus 1:5-16
Fri, Oct 23	Psalm 1; Deuteronomy 9:25-10:5; Titus 2:7-8, 11-15
Sat, Oct 24	Psalm 1; Proverbs 24:23-34; John 5:39-47
Sun, Oct 25	Revelation 14:6-7; Psalm 46; Romans 3:19-28; John 8:31-36

These Bible readings are from English Standard Version (ESV)

HALLOWEEN ACTIVITY

Children & Youth are invited to wear costumes to the 5pm worship service on Saturday, October 31 (Halloween). Of course, there will be candy! You are welcome to donate candy or join us to hand out candy after this service. Let Heather know if you will there for the extra activities. Contact Heather by call/text 979-1563 or Heather@DesertHope.org.

CURRENT STUDY GROUPS—IN-PERSON & VIA ZOOM

You are invited to join one of these groups. You can contact the leader for more information.

- **Women of the Word (WOW) Bible Study**, Tuesday at 9am via ZOOM
Study is on weekly SOAP readings.
Contact: Brenda McDowell, 444-0535, bmcadowe@comcast.net.
- **Tuesday Evening Study Group**, Tuesday at 6pm in Hope Center & via Zoom
Study is *Unseen Realm, Recovering the supernatural worldview of the Bible*.
Contact: Linda Kress: 721-7181 or lakress@cox.net.
- **Tuesday Knights**, Tuesday, 7pm in the Sanctuary
Study is Paul's letter to the Philippians, *Joy in Christ*.
Contact: Terry Bredehoft 751-4115 or tbredehoft@cox.net.
- **Thursday Women's Bible Study**, Thursday at 7pm via ZOOM
Study is *Entrusted* on 2 Timothy.
Contact: Amy Martin. 299-2475 or agigaxmartin@gmail.com.
- **Friday Women's Bible Study**, Friday, 9:30am, via ZOOM
Study is *Sermon on the Mount*.
Contact: Francine Rienstra, 954-1811 or Wanda Johnson, 719-308-772.

Plan to Come and  a Friend



IN-PERSON WORSHIP AT DESERT HOPE

Worship on Saturday at 5pm will be IN-PERSON only and will not be live streamed.

Worship on Sunday at 9:30am will be IN-PERSON and live streamed.

Pastor Steve Bergeson is here to minister God's word to us.

Please welcome Pastor Steve and his wife, Lynn.

There will be communion at both services.

The nursery will be open on Sundays only.

We will continue to follow CDC guidelines for in-person worship.

PRECAUTIONS FOR IN-PERSON WORSHIP

We continue to follow these precautions for in-person worship:

- On arrival, all persons undergo a touchless temperature scan and an application of hand sanitizer.
- Everyone is wearing a mask to cover their nose and mouth throughout the service. Those unable to do this are not attending this service.
- Ushers are available to assist in finding seats with respect to our social distancing measure, two empty seats between family/single groups. Everyone not in a family group is adhering to a 6-foot social distance and no physical contact.
- Outside, sanctuary and main bathroom doors are open for entry and exit to avoid touching of common doors and handles.
- We ask that all persons adhere to the 20 second handwashing guidelines. Parents/guardians are monitoring their children in those situations.
- The facility will be cleaned by volunteers immediately after conclusion of the Saturday service. We ask everyone to exit promptly to facilitate and expedite this process for the next morning's service.
- The nursery is currently closed Saturday evenings due to COVID-19 concerns. However, the child-sized toilet in that room is available if it is more convenient for a toddler.

SERVE OUR CITY

On Sunday, November 15, 1-3pm, Desert Hope is participating in a city-wide effort to spread the love of Jesus out to Tucson. We are one of many churches joining in this endeavor and hope that you will be inspired to join. At Desert Hope we will be:

- packing 200 lunch boxes for Casa Maria Soup Kitchen and La Frontera Mental Health Clinic.
- packing Christmas bags for foster children involved with More Than A Bed's ministry.

All projects will adhere to the state's recommended CDC guidelines. There is a signup sheet on the counter in the Narthex. You can go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E084BAAAB28A2F85-serve5> and select Quadrant 2, Northeast to sign up for projects at Desert Hope. You may also choose from other projects across the city by selecting different quadrants. Questions or more information? Call Lynnea at 344-1757.

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GREETINGS DESERT HOPE

God is moving our Church into a new chapter of ministry. Your Leadership is proceeding with prayerful and purposeful actions towards our next permanent pastor. We are following the LCMC guidance packet and the Desert Hope Lutheran Church Constitution.

The steps taken so far:

- Provided pulpit supply for October – Pastor Steve Bergeson, retired Lutheran pastor from Fountain Hills, Arizona. Come and be blessed with his ministry of the word.
- Established a job description for a Transition Assessment Team to lay the ground work for churchwide assessment. They will make recommendations back to Leadership Council, and then oversee the assessment process which will lay the groundwork for a future Pastoral Call Committee.
- Appointed the Members of Transition Team: Terry Bredehoft, Becky Moss, Art Byl, Kelly Patterson and Rob Caylor.
- Outlined Communication processes to keep Congregation informed using Hope Notes, regular emails, phone calls and other means.
- Engaging in negotiations for an Interim Pastor.

We thank God for:

- Our staff and volunteers who with grace and creativity enable Desert Hope to function, worship and move forward.
- For our ministries and those we support: Agua Prieta, Big World, Gospel Rescue Mission, Tucson Neighborhood Food Pantry, Mission of Hope Haiti, Gridley Middle School Partnership, Food Baskets, Christmas for Cops, J17 and others.
- For the hope we have that God will lead us through this transition to a new chapter of broader and deeper ministries for the building of God's Kingdom.

Yours in the Hope of Christ,

Kris Hubbard, President Desert Hope Leadership Council

DONATE TO DESERT HOPE WHILE SHOPPING

Thinking of starting your Christmas shopping? You can donate to Desert Hope at the same time by using Amazon Smile! Prime Day is back starting October 13 through October 14. By shopping at AmazonSmile (instead of Amazon) and designating Desert Hope as your charity, AmazonSmile will donate to Desert Hope on qualified purchases. Contact Lori, 245-0325 or lori.fabbri@deserthope.org, with any questions or help in getting started.

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.

For in-person worship we are using prepackaged communion kits that contain a wafer and grape juice sealed in a cup. You will pick up the kit from the large table in the Narthex immediately after you sanitize your hands when you arrive. Following the Words of Institution and the Lord's Prayer, you will lift your mask away from your mouth; and we will all take communion together while everyone stays in their seats. Afterwards, please replace your mask over your nose and mouth. The ushers will come by to pick up the used cups and sanitize your hands. 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

- Neighborhood Church

Health and Healing

- Scott Wooster for recovery and no complications following colon cancer surgery.

**Long Term & Military Prayer Lists are available 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

Memorial Service for Luke Richards at Desert Hope
Saturday, November 21, 10am.

FROM THE STAFF AT GRIDLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL

Dear Desert Hope,

"THANK YOU" is a simple phrase,

But still, it's meant to show

That we appreciate your help

More than you could know.

Thank you so much for all
the amazing supplies for our
students!

Scriptures for Next Sunday:

Revelation 14:6-7; Romans 3:19-28;
John 8:31-36

PLEASE JOIN US

Saturday, October 17	In-person Worship, Desert Hope, 5pm (will not be live streamed) GriefShare, Hope Center, 1pm
Sunday, October 18	Worship, Desert Hope, 9:30am (in-person & live streamed) Sunday School, 9:30am Nursery open during 9:30am Worship
Monday, October 19	Prayer Team, Hope Center, 9am
Tuesday, October 20	WOW Bible Study via Zoom, 9am Fellowship on the Patio, 9:30am- <u>Reservations are required</u> Tuesday Night Study Group, Hope Center, 6pm Tuesday Knights, Sanctuary, 7pm
Wednesday, October 21	Fellowship on the Patio, 8:30am- <u>Reservations are required</u> Confirmation Class, Hope Center, 6:30pm Big World, Youth Room, 6:30pm
Thursday, October 22	Thursday Women's Bible Study via Zoom, 7pm
Friday, October 23	Friday Women's Bible Study via Zoom, 9am

Live Streaming at 9:30 can be accessed at: <https://www.youtube.com/user/DesertHopeTucson>

Upcoming Event:

Sunday, November 15 from 1pm to 3pm, we are participating in the city-wide, *Serve Our City*.



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WORSHIP

Saturday, 5PM (in-person)

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

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

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