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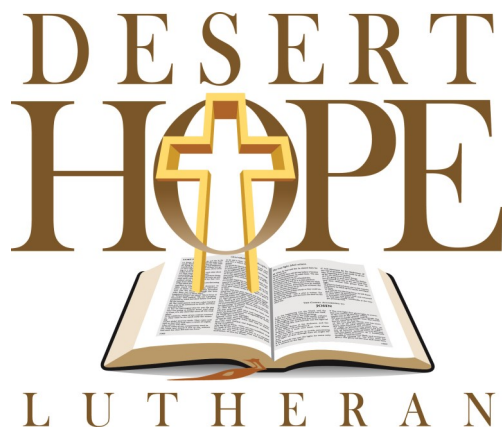
W O R S H I P G R O W S E R V E

T O G E T H E R

TODAY'S MESSAGE:
"Fruit of the Spirit: Joy"

January 17, 2021

HOPE NOTES



OUR MISSION:

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

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Sunday, January 17, 8:30 and 10:30am
Second Sunday after the Epiphany

Prelude

Welcome

Pastor Steve Bergeson 8:30
Heather Stein 10:30

10:30 Opening
Song *Whole Lotta Change*
Children's Message

Invocation and Prayer

Song

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

Confession

Song

Praise And Thanksgiving

Scripture

1 Chronicles 16:23-33 (ESV)
1 Peter 1:3-9 (ESV)

Special Music

Shout For Joy (Psalm 100)
Dr. Greg Silverman

Gospel

John 16:17-24 (ESV)

Sermon

"Fruit of the Spirit: Joy"
Pastor Steve Bergeson

Song

Living Hope

Prayers of the People

Confession of Faith

Apostles' Creed

Holy Communion

Song

Give Thanks

Benediction

Announcements

Song

Today Is The Day

Dismissal

Postlude

Readers:

8:30 LeeAnn Sample
10:30 Barb Kuehn



WORSHIP AT DESERT HOPE

Worship in-person is on Sunday at 8:30am & 10:30am. *The 10:30am service will be live streamed.*

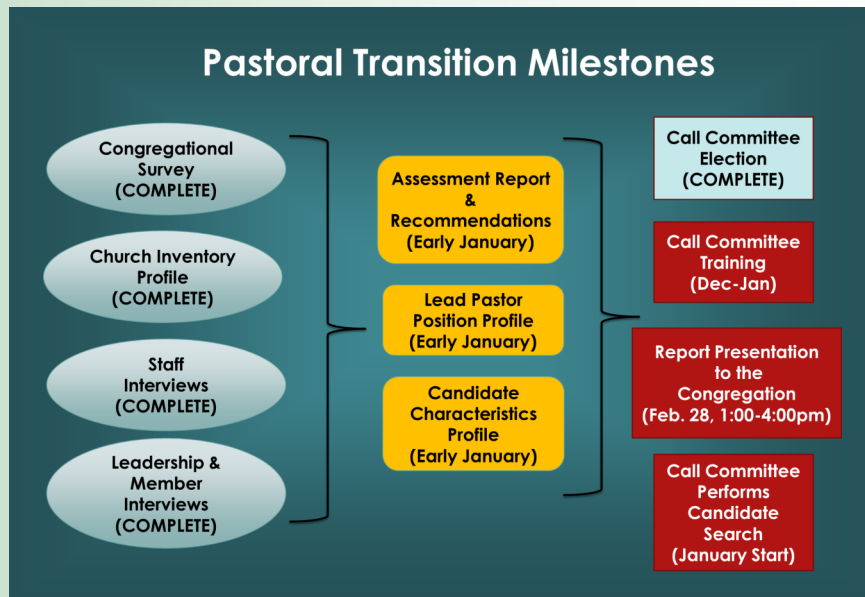
To ensure that there are sanitary seats for everyone at each worship service, every other row of chairs in the sanctuary is ribboned off. Please sit in the open rows only. At the conclusion of the 8:30 service, the ribbons will be moved to the alternate rows to provide "clean" seats for the 10:30 worshippers. At the conclusion of the 10:30 service the entire sanctuary will be thoroughly sanitized.

NURSERY AVAILABLE

Nursery will be open at the 10:30am service. If you would like nursery care for your child, please make arrangements with Angela Vorderbruggen or contact her at 760-712-9229. You can also contact Heather at 979-1563 or *Heather@DesertHope.org*.

NEIGHBORHOOD FOOD PANTRY

We are collecting canned and boxed food items and plastic bags for the Neighborhood Food Pantry. Bring your items on Sunday, and look for the open trunk. Thank you for your continued generosity in support of this ministry. Contact Beverly Hall, 949-285-5173 or *bevhallaz@gmail.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 or through the Desert Hope website, deserthope.org. You can also mail contributions to: Desert Hope, 7474 E Speedway, Tucson, AZ 85710.

Plan to Come and  Invite a Friend

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 January 18

Mon, Jan 18	Matthew 12:1-21; Psalm 10; Genesis 31
Tue, Jan 19	Matthew 12:22-50; Psalm 11; Genesis 32-33
Wed, Jan 20	Matthew 13:1-35; Psalm 12-13; Genesis 34-35
Thu, Jan 21	Matthew 13:36-58; Psalm 14; Genesis 36-38
Fri, Jan 22	Matthew 14; Proverbs 2:12-22; Genesis 39-40

New Bookmarks are available.



BIG WORLD

We'd like to start up Big World again if parents are willing. If you have a 1st-5th grader who would like to attend, please contact Angela Vorderbruggen at 760-712-9229. We are extending this invitation to include current 1st graders. Big World will meet in the Youth Room on Wednesdays from 6:30-7:30pm. For more information, please contact Angela or Heather, 979-1563 or Heather@DesertHope.org.

CURRENT BIBLE STUDIES

The following groups are currently meeting online or in-person. If you are interested in joining one of these groups, contact the person listed below for that group.

- Women of the Word (WOW) Bible Study, via Zoom, Tuesdays at 9am. Discussion on SOAPing. Contact: Brenda McDowell, 444-0535 or bmcdowe@comcast.net.
- Tuesday Evening Study Group, via Zoom, Tuesdays at 6pm. *Unseen Realm, Recovering the supernatural worldview of the Bible*. Contact Linda Kress, 721-7181 or lakress@cox.net.
- Tuesday Knights, Hope Center, 7pm. *Book of Hebrews, The Fulfillment of Faith*. Contact: Terry Bredehoft, 751-4115 or tbredehoft@cox.net.
- Thursday Women's Bible Study, via Zoom, Thursdays at 7pm. *Matchless* by Angie Smith. Contact: Amy Martin, 299-2475.
- Friday Morning Women's Bible Study, via Zoom, Fridays at 9:30am. *Gospel of John*. Contact: Wanda Johnson, 546-7934.

BIBLE READING PLAN FOR 2021

The Daily Bible Reading Plan for this year is *The Bible in ONE Year Reading Plan* designed by Christ's Church of the Valley. This plan reads through the entire Bible in one year. Each weekday you will be provided with readings from the New Testament, Old Testament and Psalms or Proverbs. Since the beginning of Desert Hope, as a congregation we have been involved with a daily Bible reading plan and **SOAP**.

• **Scripture**—Open your Bible to the reading found under today's date on your Bible bookmark. *Look for a verse that particularly speaks to you, and write it in your journal.*

• **Observation**—What do you see happening in the text? *Using your own words, write the main idea in your journal.*

• **Application**—Ask yourself how it applies to your life right now. *Write how this scripture can apply to you.*

• **Prayer**—This can be as simple as asking God to help you use this scripture, or it may be a greater insight on what He may be revealing to you. Now, write your prayer in your journal.

If you have not begun this reading plan, It is never to late to start. *Bookmarks are available in the Narthex and were sent by email.*

PUZZLE SHARING

Does anyone have an interest in sharing jigsaw puzzles? Some people are enjoying puzzles during this time of staying at home. Do you have puzzles that you'd like to share? If so, label them with your name and bring them into the church office. Would you like a different puzzle to put together? Come to the office to pick one up. Once it's completed, bring it back for the next person to enjoy. Office hours are Tuesday-Friday from 9am to noon. Contact Lynnea, 344-1757 or lynnea.w@deserthope.org.

Plan to Come and  a Friend

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

- Authentic Life Church

Health and Healing

- Holly Bland for relief from asthma.

Wisdom and Guidance

- For all the people of our nation as our new president is inaugurated. Help us to remember that we are "one nation under God."

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.

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:

Isaiah 9:6-7; Philippians 4:4-7;
John 14:25-27

PLEASE JOIN US

Sunday, January 17	Worship, Desert Hope, 8:30am (in-person only) Worship, Desert Hope, 10:30am (in-person & live streamed) <i>Nursery available at 10:30 only</i> <i>Sunday School will not resume at this time</i>
Monday, January 18	Prayer Team, Hope Center, 10am
Tuesday, January 19	WOW Bible Study via Zoom, 9am Tuesday Evening Study Group via Zoom, 6pm Tuesday Knights, Hope Center, 7pm
Wednesday, January 20	Confirmation Class, Hope Center, 6:30pm <i>Big World will not resume at this time</i>
Thursday, January 21	Thursday Women's Bible Study via Zoom, 7pm
Friday, January 22	Friday Women's Bible Study via Zoom only , 9:30am
Saturday, January 23	GriefShare, Hope Center, 1pm

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

Upcoming Events:

Information Meeting for the Congregation
Annual Meeting of the Congregation

Sunday, January 31, following 10:30 service
Sunday, February 7, following 10:30 service



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

Connect with us @
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