

School Supplies are once again being collected by the Board of Outreach for the kids at Sam Davey and Northwoods Elementary Schools.
Items needed:

- #2 pencils
- Colored pencils – pack of 12 (Crayola preferred)
- Erasers
- Highlighters (yellow)
- Markers, regular and fine tip, primary colors (Crayola preferred)
- Crayons - 24 count boxes (Crayola preferred)
- Loose-leaf paper - wide lined
- Pencil box or bag
- Spiral wide-ruled notebooks (blue, green, red, or yellow)
- Glue Sticks (unscented)
- Glue Bottles (small/regular size)
- Pocket folders (red, blue, green, yellow or purple)
- Scissors - small blunt style and regular
- Resealable plastic bags-sandwich and gallon sizes

There will be a box labeled School Supplies in the Gathering Area for donations! Thank you for your support!

Name Tag Update—The Summer Stretch Youth has organized the name tags in the gathering space. They are alphabetical and we tried to cluster families together. We are sorry for the inconvenience

At Hope Lutheran we acknowledge that we are on the ancestral homelands of indigenous peoples of the Council of Three Fires including the Ho-Chunk, Dakota, and the Anishinaabe (Ojibwe). Each of these Nations is unique and sovereign. We are grateful to their ancestors for their deep commitment to caring for the land.

Thank you for the gifts given to Hope Lutheran Church.

In honor of:

Our Birthdays.....Larry and Helen Keith

Happy “93” Birthday Delores Session.....Family

In memory of:

Joann Blaeser.....Jean Running



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Weekly Calendar

Sunday, August 3

9:00am Worship
10:00am Coffee Connections

Monday, August 4

8:30am Monday Morning Coffee
9:00am Blood Drive

Tuesday, August 5

Wednesday, August 6

Thursday, August 7

10:00am Feed My People

Friday, August 8

Saturday, August 9

Sunday, August 10

9:00am Worship
10:00am Coffee Connections

The flowers today adorning Hope this morning are to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Judy and Cory Tilleson and to celebrate the birthdays of Helen and Larry Keith.



This week we pray for:

Leona Fuerbringer, Jeanette Perry, Bob Adams, Jenni Hardie, Allison Price, Sue Carlson, Heidi Grange, Larry Bates, Julie Petersen, Richard Westerberg, Mary Lantz, Lance Leek, Clay Matthew

We celebrate the baptism of Theodore Timothy Koenig, son of Samuel and Haley Koenig. Thank you to Pastor Nate Aaseng for leading us in worship today.

Worship Stats at Hope

July 13—141—\$3,998.00
July 20—124—\$6,940.00
July 27—

Education Hour - We hold our final Education Hour on Spiritual Practices August 24th following worship! Join us for treats from the staff and to learn about and engage with some spiritual practices.

Blood Drive— Summertime is when the demand for blood donations are highest, but it is also the time blood drives see the least traffic. To help out, join the Red Cross for a blood drive here at Hope on August 4, 9-3p. See the posters in the gathering space to register online or walk-ins are welcome too!

Summer Stretch Single Day - Our final Summer Stretch day will now be held on August 28th, from 9:00am - 4:00pm! Open for youth between 6th and 12th grade! Email Grace if someone in your family plans to attend!

Women's Book Club Please join us this summer for our next meeting on Monday, August 18th, at 6:30 pm in the Fireside Room. In August, we are reading "*The Thursday Murder Club*" by Richard Osman, and in September, we will be reading "*The God of the Woods*" by Liz Moore. We also have quite a few books (adult and children's) on the book stand in the Gathering area. Feel free to enjoy any of them.

Volunteering with Youth & Family Ministries - this year we are looking for a handful of volunteers to lend their talents to being 8th grade mentors, confirmation small group leaders, JAM teachers, JAM substitutes, and adult presence on Wednesday evenings! If you're interested even part-time reach out to Grace! grace@hopechurchec.com

Lasagna Dinner—Join us on Tuesday, August 12th for a Lasagna dinner at 4:30 at Foster's Fireside. Dinner comes with Lasagna, Caesar Salad, Garlic Breadstick, a drink, and a homemade bar for dessert. All for \$15! All proceeds benefit secondary education and medical expenses for Terrah and Sadick.

Cards for Leona—Leona Fuerbringer has been battling cancer and is now in isolation for a bone marrow transplant. With the last round of noisy offering we put together a gift card so Leona can pick out gifts or toys or their family can get any essentials while she receives care. Something else we can do for her is send her mail! She would love to receive some mail or packages to open. They ask for no live plants or flowers, and no latex. Mail can be addressed to Ronald McDonald House Attn: Leona Fuerbringer 621 OAK ST SE, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55414-2901

Green Team Summer Collection—Hope's Green Team will collect clean good condition reusable tote bags the last Sunday of July and August alongside the battery collection. The totes will be donated at the farmers market to help reduce the amount of plastic bag waste.

PB&J Drive—For the month of August, Hope will be collecting peanut butter and jelly for neighborhood food charities. Look for the collection bin in the gathering area.

Fall Registration - Join our Youth & Family Ministries this Fall! If someone in your family is interested in joining JAM Children's Classes, Confirmation, After School Hours, Youth Group, or High School Bible Study please register today on our website or using the QR code!

Register for Fall today!



August 3, 2025
Time After Pentecost
Order of Service

- Welcome & Announcements
- Mission Statement
- Confession and Forgiveness
- Opening Hymn: #393
- Greeting
- Holy Baptism
- Hymn of Praise #122
- Prayer of the Day
- Special Music—Piano-Organ Duet
- Kathryn Hardie + Sarah Nestingen
- First Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23
- Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-11
- Gospel Acclamation — Page 142
- Gospel Reading: Luke 12:13-21
- Sermon—Pastor Nate Aaseng
- Hymn of the Day: #667
- Prayers for the People
- Sharing God's Peace & Noisy Offering
- Offertory #186
- Offering Prayer
- Communion Dialogue & Lord's Prayer
- Distribution
- Distribution Hymn: #502
- Post Communion Prayer
- Benediction
- Sending Hymn: #660
- Dismissal