HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Sundays 10:30 am Worship

12:15 (1st Week) Prayer for Missionaries

Evenings Fellowship Groups

Wednesdays 6:30-7:30 am Prayer Group

LEADERSHIP

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June 21, 2015

Order of Worship June 21, 2015

Welcome to Hope Presbyterian Church!

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

— Jeremiah 29:11

Hope is faithful confidence that God continues to author a story that moves us from vision to action.

—Mark Oestreicher, Hopecasting

We should always be wary of applying linear notions of progress to our prayer life and asking ourselves: "What stage am I in?" "How far have I progressed?" Whatever "progress" in prayer is supposed to mean, it certainly doesn't work like that. This is something Thomas Merton pointed out toward the end of his life. He said, "In prayer we discover what we already have. You start from where you are and you deepen what you already have, and you realize you are already there. We already have everything but we don't know it and don't experience it. Everything has been given to us in Christ. All we need is to experience what we already possess." There is nothing that separates us from this depthless depth whose ground is God.

-Martin Laird

Gathering in God's Presence

For All the Saints

For all the saints who from their labors rest, Who Thee by faith before the world confessed, Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.

Alleluia! Allelu...

Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might; Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight; Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light. Alleluia! Allelu...

O may Thy soldiers faithful, true, and bold, Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old, And win with them the victor's crown of gold. Alleluia! Allelu...

The golden evening brightens in the west; Soon, soon to faithful warriors comes their rest; Sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.

Alleluia! Allelu...

But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day; The saints triumphant rise in bright array; The King of glory passes on his way. Alleluia! Allelu...

From earth's wide bounds,
From ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl
Streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia! Allelu...

mercia. mercia...

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Call to Worship

Leader: The Lord is risen!

Congregation: He is risen indeed!

Christ is Risen

Let no one caught in sin remain Inside the lie of inward shame But fix our eyes upon the cross And run to Him who showed great love And bled for us Freely You've bled for us

Christ is risen from the dead
Trampling over death by death
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave
Christ is risen from the dead
We are one with Him again
Come awake come awake
Come and rise up from the grave

Beneath the weight of all our sin You bowed to none but heaven's will No scheme of hell no scoffer's crown No burden great can hold You down In strength You reign Forever let Your church proclaim

O death where is your sting
O hell where is your victory
O church come stand in the light
The glory of God has defeated the night
Singing O death where is your sting
O hell where is your victory
O church come stand in the light
Our God is not dead He's alive He's alive

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Forever Reign

You are good, You are good When there's nothing good in me You are love, You are love On display for all to see You are light, You are light When the darkness closes in You are hope, You are hope You have covered all my sin

You are peace, You are peace When my fear is crippling You are true, You are true Even in my wandering

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Looking UP from Hope. Our weekly e-letter is full of information about all that is going on at Hope. If you are not receiving Looking UP please email the office, hopeoffice2050@gmail.com.

Youth. Are you receiving the Hope & Redeemer Youth Updates? If not visit redeemerwsyouth.org to sign up so you can be sure to attend all of the awesome summer events we have planned.

VBS Meetings & Needs: Planning Team & Team Coordinators—will meet on June 22nd at 7:00pm. Volunteer Meetings—Please plan to attend both of our volunteer training sessions on June 28 & July 12 at 9:30am in the Adult Sunday School room. The Decorating Committee—Many items are needed for our VBS decorating this year. Lists are available in the worship center along with a collection bin. See Lauren Beam or Katie Denton with questions.

Coffee & Conversation. All women of Hope are invited to meet at the Bagel Station II on Wednesday, July 1st from 9:30-11:00am. Stop by for all or part of the time. Please contact Sallie Harrison sallieharrison@triad.rr.com with questions.

Save the Date! Our next Hope to See YOU at Dinner will be on July 18th.

Folders are available for children in 3rd-5th grades.

WiFi Password: Romans828

Welcome to Hope Church! We are glad you are here today, June 21, 2015 How may we pray for you?

Will you let us help?

If you or someone you know has a physical or financial need, talk to one of our Deacons.

Or, write your name and number below and a Deacon will contact you.

All requests are held in the strictest of confidence.

To receive Hope Church emails:

Name:		
Email:		

To update contact information for the Hope Church office, please fill in the reverse side of this form.

The Apostles' Creed

Leader: Christians, what do you believe?

Congregation:

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Children ages 3 years through 2nd grade are dismissed to attend their worship class.

Welcome and Prayers of the People

—Elise Clark

Offering and Doxology

Passing of the Peace of Christ

Life Together —Clyde Godwin

Message

—Clyde Godwin

"Prisoner of Hope"

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!
Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!
Behold, your king is coming to you;
righteous and having salvation is he,
humble and mounted on a donkey,
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

10 I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim
and the war horse from Jerusalem;
and the battle bow shall be cut off,
and he shall speak peace to the nations;
his rule shall be from sea to sea,
and from the River to the ends

¹¹ As for you also, because of the blood of my covenant with you, I will set your prisoners free from the waterless pit.

of the earth.

¹² Return to your stronghold, O prisoners of hope; today I declare that I will restore to you double.

—Zechariah 9:9-12

Gathering at the Lord's Table

Children return to join their families

Leader: The Lord be with you. And also with you. All: Leader: Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord. All: Let us give thanks to the Lord Leader: our God. It is right to give Him thanks All: and praise. Therefore let us proclaim the Leader: mystery of the faith. Christ has died, All: Christ is risen,

Christ will come again.

Come in Power

I am a sinner, You are the savior
Flesh and heaven pull inside my heart and war
I want to love you more
But you are faithful when flesh is failing
My fingers reach to touch the hem of glory
Jesus, I want to love you more

So come in power Send your spirit among us Fill your sons and your daughters We are reaching, we are reaching out for you

There is a fountain for all the thirsty Where Jesus meets us where all his mercy pours out We want to taste it, Lord We'll drink forever at fountains Flowing from the throne of Jesus Healing our broken hearts We want to taste it, Lord

O mercy has found us Word of God made flesh King of heaven His voice is calling His voice is calling us home

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A Mighty Fortress

A mighty fortress is our God A bulwark never failing Our helper He amid the flood Of mortal ills prevailing For still our ancient foe Doth seek to work us woe His craft and pow'r are great And armed with cruel hate On earth is not His equal If we in our own strength confide
Our striving would be losing
Were not the right man on our side
The man of God's own choosing
You ask who that may be?
Christ Jesus it is He
The Lord of Hosts, His name
From age to age the same
And He must win the battle

And tho' this world with devils filled Should threaten to undo us We will not fear for God hath willed His truth to triumph through us A mighty fortress is our God His Kingdom is forever If we in our own strength confide Our striving would be losing.

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Benediction

"To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be the glory and dominion now and forever. Amen."

-Revelation 1:5-6

Schedule

June 21st

Deacons	Jim Weiss
Greeters	Sallie & John Harrison
	Hugh Dowlen
Nursery	Anita Skena & Sarah Redding
,	Anna Tseng & Ray Yeo
	Ben Bloodworth, Leslie Branch 🔗
	Janice Weiss
3's-5's	Joan & Michael Mitchell
K-2nd	Elizabeth & Barnes Harris,

June 28th

Deacons	Ken Burgess
Greeters	Ann & Ken Lee
	Darryl Beckerleg
Nursery	Brandi & Matt Deets
	Lynn Crumley & Darryl Beckerleg
	Elissa & Hugh Dowlen,
	Sallie Harrison
3's-5's	Beth & Frank Chen,
	Tess Stogner
K-2nd	Remain in service

ATTENTION VBS VOLUNTEERS:

Thanks to everyone who has signed up to volunteer at Camp Hope, July 12-15. IF YOU HAVE NOT SIGNED UP ONLINE, PLEASE DO SO ASAP. You will be receiving information from your team leader very soon. Still want to volunteer? It's not too late! We especially need a few more "camp counselors" who will oversee groups of children, people for the prayer team and folks to help with serving meals to the children and our volunteers. Sign up online today!! Contact Deanne Trollinger with questions.

Instructions for Communion

The Lord's Supper is open to anyone who is trusting in Jesus' death and resurrection alone for his or her redemption.

Grape juice is available as white juice in cups at the left and right station.

At the middle station, you may receive from the common loaf and cup. We follow the practice of Intinction. You dip the bread in the wine. There are gluten free crackers on the right & left tables.

People come forward and receive the elements from the back rows first.

If you need prayer, there is a group (including elders) available to pray for anyone in need of prayer in the kitchen. There is also a group of women in the room next to the Connections kiosk who can pray for women who may prefer this option.

For families with small children, there is a Communicants class (3rd grade and up) every February.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.

You are joy, You are joy You're the reason that I sing You are life, You are life In You death has lost its sting

(Oh) I'm running to Your arms
I'm running to Your arms
The riches of Your love will always be enough
Nothing compares to Your embrace
Light of the world forever reign

You are more, You are more Than my words will ever say You are Lord, You are Lord All creation will proclaim You are here, You are here In Your presence I'm made whole You are God, You are God Of all else I'm letting go

My heart will sing no other Name Jesus, Jesus

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, we confess how hard it is to be your people. You have called us to be your church, to continue the mission of Jesus Christ to our lonely and confused and broken world. Yet we acknowledge we are more apathetic than active, isolated than involved, callous than compassionate, obstinate than obedient, legalistic than loving. Gracious Lord, have mercy upon us and forgive our sins. Remove the obstacles preventing us from being your hands, feet, and faces of love in our broken world. Awaken our hearts to the promised gift of your indwelling Spirit.

This we pray in Jesus' powerful name. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's treasured possession, in order that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; Once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy. In Christ you are forgiven, redeemed, and made to be Christ's people. Thanks be to God!

—Based on 1 Peter 2: 9-10

Abide with Me

Abide with me; falls the eventide; The darkness deepens; Lord with me abide. When other helpers, fail and comforts flee, Help of the helpless, abide with me.

Thou on my head, in early youth didst smile; And, though rebellious, and perverse meanwhile, Thou hast not left me, though I oft left Thee, On to the close Lord, abide with me.

I need Thy presence, every passing hour. What but Thy grace, can foil the tempter's power? Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless Ills have no weight, tears lose their bitterness Where is thy sting death? Where grave thy victory? I triumph still, abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy cross, before my closing eyes; Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee; In life, in death, Lord, abide with me.

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