

DECEMBER NEWSLETTER 2020



Chairs will be provided, masks must be worn, and social distancing will be maintained.





If you have a loved one or friend in need of prayer, or need to make a change to a name on the prayer list, please send that information to doug@hopepd.org.

Remember in Prayer Jim Baber, Carol Beers, Bill & Marcy Bell, Bill Bloyer, Don Brithinee, Joe DeNovi and family, Francisco Duran, Analisa Ebert, Debbie Ann Ellingboe, Linda Ernest, Bob Fort, Edie Hastie, Angelika Hecht and her parents Inge and Herbert, Linda Kunelius, Karen Lee, Ned Martin, Donna McQuillon, Joyce Raul and Liisa Mendoza, Muckenfuss, Cathy Musacchia, Barb Musgjerd, David Musgjerd, Fr. Brian Nealy, Julie Nelson, Mark Oeding, Rita Rushing, Vic Sanchez, Kimball Sanclemente, Kent Schulz, Ken Severa, Debi Smith, Steve Spencer, Martha Terry, Linda Vollenhals, brother Dennis, Jayceon Wilson, Joan Woehrmann, Harriet Wright, Jack Youmans.



PLANTING SEEDS FOR THE FUTURE

"Even if I knew that tomorrow the world would go to pieces, I would still plant my apple tree today" - Martin Luther

Share your abundance beyond your lifetime... Remember Hope in your will!

Congress has enacted several tax laws to <u>encourage charitable giving</u> in 2020. The following may be important to you...and Hope! **The CARES Act Expires on December 31, 2020**

This recently enacted government stimulus bill, the "CARES Act", provides some additional tax relief for donors. This makes it easier to give and save at the same time.

- If you itemize on Schedule A of your tax return, you may deduct charitable gifts of cash up to 100% of your Adjusted Gross Income (AGI). This was previously limited to 60%.
- If you take the standard deduction on your 2020 tax return, you can claim a brand new "above-the-line" deduction of up to \$300 for cash donations to charity that you make this year.
- This Act temporarily waives required minimum distributions (RMDs) from qualified retirement plans and IRAs for the calendar year 2020.

For information about making a planned gift to Hope, please contact Lynn Hendershot, Chair, Legacy Committee: lynn.hendershot@yahoo.com or 410-949-5355

KIDS Ministry

Hope Kids Elementary and Early Childhood online at hopepd.org





Hope Kids values families having fun together! We know that families that have fun, families that play together, families that laugh together, do better. That's why Hope Kids has a MONTHLY Family Trivia Game Night on THE FIRST FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH (Next date is Dec 4) from 7:00-8:00pm. Contact Kevin@hopepd.org for more details.

REGISTER HERE



Hope Children Center provides a faith-based environment for children to enjoy before and after school. Our goal is to encourage children to be children! To welcome them to be a part of a loving and safe community. We value character education and we know it's importance. We also offer a Distance Learning Enrichment (DLE) program for working parents who don't have the luxury of staying at home with their children in order to assure that their kids are on task during distance learning. But even more then that we care about kids; about who they are now and who they are becoming. We have 3 BIG values we want every kid to know in our program. Treat Others Right, Make Smart Decisions, and Maximize Their Potential.

CHILDREN CENTER

Student Ministry

STAND FIRM

Hope Confirmation Classes, have begun. All classes online. Contact Nick at nick@hopepd.org. Sunday Services for Student Ministry continue on YouTube. Game Nights are Fridays at 8:00pm

GRIEF SHARING

Hope will be offering a Grief Support Group, providing help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child family member or friend, beginning in January 2021. GriefShare is a weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life after losing a loved one. Group meets every Tuesday starting January 12 - March 23 from 9:00am – 10:30am on Zoom. Also available is a weekly video that you can watch. If you want to share this with someone else, GriefShare flyers are available at the office or contact Tootie at jemar2@aol.com. Material cost \$20.00 and will be mailed to your home. Registration forms will also be online soon. For more info contact Tootie at jemark2@aol.com.



Celebrate Recovery on Hope's Facebook page every Thursday 6:30pm. Zoom Open Share Groups 7:00pm Men's | 8:00pm Woman's. Invitation to the Zoom open share groups, please email cr@hopepd.org.



The Landing, Celebrate Recovery for High School Students, Thursdays at 7:00pm at Hope.

| | Needy Person's Fund |
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| December 6 | |
| December 13 | Presented by Jan and Brian Harnik |
| December 20 | |
| December 27 | Presented by Barbara and Stu Spencer in memory of Steve and Karen Spencer |

| | Altar Flowers |
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| December 6 | |
| December 13 | |
| December 20 | Presented by Lynn Sabin in memory of Gene |
| December 27 | |

| "Share the Gi | fts of God" |
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| October | 2020 |
| Average Weekly Attendance | 1003 (online) |
| Offering | \$105,978.00 |
| Growing Hope | \$1,981.00 |
| Miscellaneous Income | \$3,731.00 |
| Total | \$111,690.00 |
| Average Weekly Income | \$27,922.00 |

The Altar Flowers and Needy Persons Fund is now open for dates in 2021. Call the church office or contact Doug at Doug@hopepd.org to reserve a date.

ONLINE AND ON-CAMPUS WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Daily Devotionals Monday - Friday, 7:00am Facebook Live

Traditional ServicesOnlineHopepd.orgModern ServicesOnlineHopepd.orgHope Kids & StudentsOnlineHopepd.org

Men's Bible Study 1st and 3rd Tuesdays 7:30am Hope Center and Hopepd.org

Meet Up Wednesdays 6:00pm Gerald@hopepd.org to be included on zoom

Derek's Bible Study Tuesdays 11:00am Zoom. <u>Hopepd.org</u>

Stand Firm Tuesdays 5:30pm Online Registration contact nick@hopepd.org

Esther Circle December 9th 9:30am Zoom

Celebrate Recovery Thursdays 6:30pm <u>Streamed on Hope Facebook Page</u>

CR - The Landing Thursdays 7:00pm Church Parking Lot

CR - Men's Open Share Thursdays 7:00pm Zoom
CR- Women's Open Share Thursdays 8:00pm Zoom
Stephen Ministry Dec. 11th 9:00am Zoom

COACHELLA VALLEY RESCUE MISSION (CVRM) ANNUAL TOY DRIVE

Please donate new, unwrapped toys for boys and girls ages 0 - 12. Gifts may be dropped off at the church office.

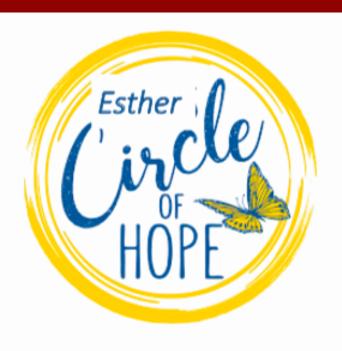
ESTHER CIRCLE

Wednesday, December 9th at 9:30am on Zoom. Annual Christmas Devotional

The Title is "Singing, writing, moving, connecting, Advent rituals for uncertain times" Email Barbara Savery: bmspgawest@aol.com or call 760-771-2827.

Zoom Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87856426116



HOPE APP

- . On-Campus service registration
- . Service bulletin
- . Prayer request
- . Check your kids in
- . Easy giving
- . Connect to social media platforms
- . Event signups

DOWNLOAD NOW



Download the app today.





December Birthday and Anniversaries

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| | | 1 Carl Caddies David Sommerfeld Billie Intong John Bunge | Jim McNally Jeanette Jaime Malia Costello Nick Glover Sally Lynum-Lee Rebekka Voyles Sergio Guzman Aaron Hibler Wesley Moctezuma- Mantemayor Dean George Kwetcher | 3 Sara Gelhaus Helen Pingel Jim Reitz | 4 Karl Knudsen Darell Little Dylan Hawke Jon Karr Lisa Pulice Stephanie Roberts Nancy Frey | 5 Brenda Kay Renbarger Jana Livingston Shari Arias VAL and BUTCH DONAHUE |
| 6 Fred Erickson Paul Meinhold Alana Jones Jayne Strelecki | 7 Rachel Hudgens Barbara Stickel George Peterson | 8 Jordan Costello Lu Ann Beckloff Stephanie Erickson Avery Abudo | Lilly Blank 9 Christine Scarcella Susan Sommerfeld | 10 Ruby Mullendore Jennifer King Kevin McJilton Ashley Aguera JAYNE and EVELYN STRELECKI RONALD and JOYCE DORELL | 11 Eugene Kuebler E. Diane Smith Gerald Sharon Sebastian Mandarano Tom Hart | John Dove Carolyn Gottlieb James Kotz Linda Spencer Avery Wynne Bethany Marinez Harper Wynne Taylor Wynne Jonathon O'Donnell Wyatt Bell |
| Patricia Lee Elaine Roze Bill Stark Fisher Harvey Joel Lindstrom Lizzy del Campo Hartman Reagan Hargett DENNIS and JACKIE HART | 14 Barbara Alford Carl Lee Jeanne Pershall | 15 Craig Michaels Edie Dodd Karsen Middleton Taelyn Rabb | 16 Nate Karr Rosa Zingg | 17 Lexy Clay Mario Apodaca OLLIE and ANITA BOHNING BOB and LINDA STERTON | 18 Lenor Jones Evie Middleton Joey Bock | 19 Chris Backeberg Heather Van Meeteren Leah Mahery Michael Smith RICHARD and DEBREA ELLINGBOE RICHARD and CAROL SAVAGE |
| 20 Marcia McAfee Pam Bowman Skylaire Cabrera | 21 Jack Bjerke Emily Johns Adelen Blandon BARBARA and BILL SAVERY | 22 Susan Le Cornu Alex Arellano Megan Dolan | 23 Brian Nealy Richard Wolsky Connie Anderson Mark Sasueda | 24 Liz Biller Corinne Bjerke Jerry Bucklin Cheryl Spanbauer Simon Hughes | 25 Anita Bohning Sandy McGinnis David Robinson Felicity Gonda | 26 Charlotte Larsen Kimberly Moon Pat Ryden Holly Thackrah Taylen Christensen Teyla Tobin RALPH and LINDA SPENCER |
| Sonya Amman Robert Christensen John Miller IV Lyn Sabin Dr. Monte Russell John Miller IV BRUCE and BETH | 28 Lou Ann Henkens | 29 Gracie Zahler Mackenzie Bristow Rick McIees Sofia Benjamin Lucas Newell | 30 Joshua Renner Aidan Lopez Bob Randall Debbie Scott Tanya Lee Jim Allison | 31 Arlene Bengston Michael Mortenson Ollie George Sam Villaita | | |
| HAGEN JOHN and WALLI WEITZ | ROBERT and JUDY REED | DEL and KAREN LUNDE | RICK and WENDY CLARK | | | |

December

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| • | · | 1 7:30am Men's Bible Study | 2 6:00pm Meet Up | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| | | 11:00am Bible Study with Pastor Derek | | 7:00pm Celebrate Recovery | | |
| 9:00am Traditional Worship 9:00/10:30am Hope Kids 10:30am Modern Worship | 7 | 8 11:00am Bible Study with Pastor Derek | 9 9:30am Esther Circle 6:00pm Meet Up | 7:00pm | 9:00am Stephen Ministry | 12 |
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| 27 9:00am Traditional Worship 9:00/10:30am Hope Kids 10:30am Modern Worship | 28 | 29 | 30 6:00pm Meet Up | Happy New Year | | |



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