



Highlights March 4, 2018

Calendar for the Week

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| <p>TODAY</p> <p>Monday</p> <p>Tuesday</p> <p>Wednesday</p> <p>Thursday</p> <p>Next Sunday</p> <p>Coming Up</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Choir Practice, 8:15 a.m. - Morning Worship with Pastor Dan, 9:30 a.m. - Celebration of Baptism for Hannah Bronsink - Mortgage Retirement Offering - Sunday School, 10:50 a.m. (info on back) - Journey Youth return from Spring Hill, 4 p.m. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Charter Task Force Meeting, 2 p.m. - Beth Moore Study Group, 6:45-8:45 p.m. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Executive Meeting, 2:30 p.m. - Elder Meeting, 7 p.m. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prayer Group, 9:30 a.m. - Midweek Classes, 6:15 p.m. - Journey Mid, 6:15 p.m. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Make Studio Night, 6-9 p.m. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Daylight Saving Time, Spring Forward! - Choir Practice, 8:15 a.m. (choir sings) - Morning Worship with Pastor Dan, 9:30 a.m. - Sunday School, 10:50 a.m. - Journey High, 5:30 p.m. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ruth Circle at Pat Block's, 3/13 at 1 p.m. |
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Weekly Volunteers

Greeters

N: Mark, Kathy & Laura Rozek
S: Tom & Phyllis Thomas

Greeters Next Week

N: Jerry & Lana Loedeman
S: Fred & Judy Gould

Ushers

Rob VanderWeele, Ken Larsen,
Tom Musk, Don VanDonselaar

Elder Greeters

Shauna Collison, Heather Offringa,
Rick Wielopolski, Don VanLandegent

Nursery

Heather & Lily Offringa,
Dara Bosker

Nursery Next Week

Karla & Kenna Durian,
Marsha Tuinier

Children & Worship

Angie Vreeman

Children & Worship Next Wk.

Donna Harmon

Coming Up @ Hope Church

Hope Church invites all of you, your family, friends and neighbors to join us for an Easter Celebration on April 1st! The Easter Worship Service will begin at 10:30 a.m. following a Community Pancake Breakfast at 9:30 am. Please spread the word, all are invited!

Prayers and Praises

Continued prayers for: The family of Joe Mejeur, Karen Otten, Irene Fraaza, Jake Zuidema, Mary Anne Schiedel, Ev VanDonselaar, Arlene Doot, Don DeWolf, June Schaap, Julie Bos, Jim Loedeman, Helen Roglic, Chuck Harmon, Becky Nap, Dave Collison, Gideon Schripsema.

If you have a prayer concern or praise that you would like to share, please fill out the green Prayer Card found in the pews and place it in the box at the Connection Center.

Giving Report for: 2/25

General/Mission Fund

Received

\$4,182.00

Budgeted

\$7,035.60

Mortgage Retirement

Received for the Week

\$00.00

Needed for Next Payment

(March 15)

\$5,368.85

Monthly Payment

\$5,468.85



Announcements

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Mailboxes have been updated! Please look twice before you grab your mail!

New Members Class: Pastor Dan will be offering this class in March to anyone who is interested in learning more about church membership here at Hope. We are calling it our “Essentials Class” because it will cover the essential material needed to assist people in making this important decision.

The class is made up of two separate 2-hour long sessions. Depending upon the schedule of those interested, the class will be offered on Sundays, March 11 & 18 from 5 -7 p.m. or Mondays, March 12 & 19 from 7 – 9 p.m. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Dan at dan@hoperca.org, or call the church office, or make a note of it on an Interest Card in the pew and place it in the offering plate.

Ruth Circle will be meeting at Pat Block’s home this month, on March 13th at 1 p.m.

We will be printing a new Church Directory for 2018 soon. If your information has changed and needs to be updated, please email Allison in the office (office@hoperca.org) or call (349-9788).

Lenten Worship Services:

Palm Sunday Worship

March 25 at 9:30 a.m.

Maundy Thursday Worship with Communion

March 29 at 7 p.m.

Good Friday Worship

March 30 at 6:30 p.m.*

Easter Pancake Breakfast

April 1 at 9:30 a.m.

Easter Morning Worship

April 1 at **10:30 a.m.**

*(*Hope Church is hosting a service that will be led by North Bridge Church, City Gate Church, and Good Shepherd Church. It will be a traditional worship service.)*

Young at Heart will be meeting at LaRue’s for brunch on Tuesday, March 20 at 9:30 a.m. Please sign up on the lobby table to attend!

Great Learning Opportunity for All: Pastor Dan will continue to lead the Adult Sunday School Class covering a number of different topics pertinent to our ministry here at Hope. If you were not present at the previous sessions, the elders strongly encourage you to listen to the presentations posted on our website and download the printed material, or stop by the library and ask for a CD and printed material.

Today, will be specifically addressing the 60+ members of Hope – but all are encouraged to attend. We will be meeting in the fellowship hall and discussing important information together that you won’t want to miss. The remaining schedule is as follows:

- *March 4 “Five Things Hope Church Desperately Needs from its Seniors”
- March 18 “Generational Differences and their Impact on Church Life”
- April 15 “Understanding Millennials to Reach Them”
- April 29 “Looking at Worship Through Various Lenses”

*session specifically targeting the 60+

On the alternate Sundays, the regular format of sermon discussion will continue. The purpose is to learn and grow together as a congregation to become a more effective church for the glory of God. So you are encouraged to carve out some time and make as many of these sessions as possible.

Elder Groups for 2018:

Elder Team

Congregational Group

(last name)

Angie Vreeman & Mike Klepser

A-F

Rick Wielopolski & Don VL, Sr.

G-M

Shauna Collison & Scott Poehlman

N-S

Steve Hellenga & Heather Offringa

T-Z