



Hope United Methodist Church

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July 2018

Preparing for Worship in July

July 1st

6th Sunday after Pentecost

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27
Psalm 130 (UMH 848)
2 Corinthians 8:7-15
Mark 5:21-43

Pastor Linny Preaching

July 8th

7th Sunday after Pentecost

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10
Psalm 48 (UMH 782)
2 Corinthians 12:-10
Mark 6:1-13

Pastor Terri Preaching

July 15th

8th Sunday after Pentecost

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19
Psalm 24 (UMH 755)
Ephesians 1:3-14
Mark 6:14-29

Pastor Linny Preaching

July 22nd

9th Sunday after Pentecost

2 Samuel 7:1-14a
Psalm 89:20-37 (UMH 807)
Ephesians 2:11-22
Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

Pastor Linny Preaching

July 29th

10th Sunday after Pentecost

2 Samuel 11:1-15
Psalm 14 (UMH 746)
Ephesians 3:14-21
John 6:1-21

Pastor Linny Preaching



Camp and Grow!

It seemed we waited for so long, anticipating for the summer to arrive this year. Now, here it is flying by! July is upon us, and August will be gone in a blink of the eye. For those of you that plant a garden, you've been particularly grateful for all the rain that has been blessing the crops helping them to thrive and grow. When the harvest comes, may the fruits be bountiful! How is it that you have been tending to your garden?

As I think of things growing throughout the summer, my heart reflects upon the last two weeks with the children. First at resident camp and then at VBS here at Hope. Camp and Grow is a little phrase that has been in my mind since we came home from JOY camp. Each year it is my honor and blessing to carve out a week in my life and spend it with youth, 5th - 12th grade, at camp. As I help these campers to discover new ways to grow in God's grace; it never fails, my heart expands and grows as well.

It is so nurturing to "camp". To go to a specific place to focus on the goodness of our God, and allow yourself to absorb what is offered. A quiet chair each morning to feed from God's word, I sunlight sky to gaze into and a clear summer evening. Perhaps a secluded park bench on your lunch hour, or a time before your meal at the kitchen table, it is vital to your growth to carve out some time. We learn from the story of Martha and Mary, Luke 10:38-42, that we need to take time to camp at the feet of Jesus and listen, to pick what is important and not let that be taken away from you.

Camp and grow in grace this season, and share the bountiful goodness!

In Christ Love,
Pastor Terri

Those Who Serve

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| Liturgist | Becky Baldwin | Joyce Majewski | Dianna Marsteller | John Wietlispach | TBA |
| Greeter | Cathy Weltsch | Don & Dianna Marsteller | Cathy Weltsch | Gerry Grisham | Carole Blackwell |
| Host(s) | Brett & Peggy Chapman | TBA | Rosemary Zaninovich | Carolyn Kucinic | Gerry Grisham |
| Ushers | Bruce & Shirley Shoemaker | Don Johnson | Ed Hodgson | Don Johnson | Rosemary Zaninovich |
| Children's Message | TBA | TBA | TBA | TBA | Cheryl Foster |
| Offering Counters | Jill Genge & Carol Ryan | Jill Genge & Carol Becker | Jill Genge & Carol Ryan | Jill Genge & Carol Ryan | Jill Genge & Carol Ryan |

Please check to see that you are assigned to the correct day(s). If there is a change or correction, please let Bev know. Thanks for your help.



News & Announcements

We will meet for fine tuning for Summer Camp on **Thursday, July 5th at 6:00 p.m.**

Bible study - Classes will resume on the week of **July 9th** at the originally scheduled times

Pastor Terri will not be having any out of office hours this month. Thank you.

Back to school is around the corner and donations of backpacks and school supplies are greatly appreciated. Please place donations of school supplies in the room across from the pastor's office. **School Supply list can be picked up in the Narthex.** Thank you.

Free Summer Camp for Kids --- Monday, July 9th to July 20th -- 9:00am to 12:30pm. Crafts and activities, bounce house, water games, cookout and face paint finale for grades kindergarten to 6th. **Free Breakfast and Lunch (18 and under) @ Hope United Methodist Church, 2506 Caton Farm Road, Joliet, IL 60435.** To Register call the **Office: (815) 436-2209 or Pastor Linny's Cell: (847)274-0095.**

Volunteers are needed **Wednesday, July 11th** to help fulfill the obligation of the Hope United Methodist Church in **unloading the free pantry truck** at the Trinity Methodist Church. The food pantry is supported by Area Methodist Churches. **Cars will be leaving our parking lot at 9:30am on Wednesday and return near noon.** See Brett, Larry, Roger or Vic for more info

Trustee Meeting --- Meeting Tuesday, July 10th @ 7:00pm

Ad Council—Meeting Wednesday, July 18th @ 7:00pm

The Joliet Cluster is continuing to support the Ridgewood United Community Food Pantry, an outreach of Trinity United Methodist Church. Continued donations of Toilet Paper, Diapers, and Feminine Products (**July donation – Juice**) would be greatly appreciated. Please place them in the blue bin in the narthex. Donations of money are always welcome to help in the purchase of other food items.

Prayer Chains

At Hope UMC we have 2 active prayer chains: one on which we are connected by the internet and another one for those without internet access who wish to participate in this ministry. Each week you will receive a message containing the Joys and Concerns from the Sunday worship and any special requests that arise during the week. If you are so led, we ask that you offer prayers for these individuals and situations. Please contact Pastor Linny or the church office if you have questions or wish to be included on one of the lists.

If you wish to place flowers on the altar in honor or memory of a loved one, please contact the secretary in the church office to arrange the date and the dedication for the bulletin. You may also make a donation in honor or memory of a loved one in lieu of flowers. Please bring flowers 15 minutes prior to worship.

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For Kindergarten-6th Grade



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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 1 6ht Sunday after Pentecost 9:30- Worship 10:30-Fellowship 11:00-FaithLink VBS Presentation | 2 | 3 | 4  | 5 Summer Camp Meeting 6:00pm | 6 | 7 |
| 8 7 th Sunday after Pentecost 9:30- Worship 10:30-Fellowship 11:00-FaithLink | 9 Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm | 10 Trustee Meeting 7:00pm Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm Bible Study 7:00pm | 11 Pantry Truck Unloading 9:30am Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm | 12 Bible Study 10:00am Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm | 13 Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm | 14 |
| 15 8 th Sunday after Pentecost 9:30- Worship 10:30-Fellowship 11:00-FaithLink | 16 Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm | 17 Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm Bible Study 7:00pm | 18 Ad Council Meeting 7:00pm Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm | 19 Bible Study 10:00am Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm | 20 Free Summer Camp 9 am-12:30pm | 21 |
| 22 9 th Sunday after Pentecost 9:30- Worship 10:30-Fellowship 11:00-FaithLink Collection of Clothes & Shoes begins | 23 | 24 Bible Study 7:00pm | 25 | 26 Stuffing Backpacks with school supplies Bible Study 10:00am | 27 | 28 |
| 29 10 th Sunday after Pentecost 9:30- Worship 10:30-Fellowship 11:00-FaithLink Backpack Blessing | 30 | 31 Bible Study 7:00pm | | | | |



July Birthdays And Anniversaries

July 1 – Rob Hunter
July 5 – Connie Vahle
July 12 – David Wietlispach
July 13 – Travis Harris
July 14 – Marge Dernulc
July 18 – Katelin Bulanda
 Arlene Hupach
July 19 – Kate Cygan
July 20 – Pat Michalik
July 21 – Ed Hodgson
July 27 – Sue Wietlispach



July 12 – Virginia & Lee Nyhart
July 29 – Diane & Jeff Bown