



August 29, 2010

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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THE LORD'S WEEK AT HOPE

August 30 Monday	August 31 Tuesday	Sept. 1 Wednesday	Sept. 2 Thursday	Sept. 3 Friday	Sept. 4 Sat	Sept. 5 Sunday
10am Hope School Parent- Teacher Orientation 6:30pm Glorious Life Rehearsal	9am Highlights Mailing Crew 10am Staff Devotions & Meeting	10am Bible Study 6:30pm Mapping Class Ultimate Frisbee				8am Worship Service with Holy Communion NO Sunday School 11am Worship Service

HEADS UP! First Day for Hope School is Tuesday, Sept. 7

WORSHIP/MUSIC

WELCOME! Thank you for worshiping with us. Interested in becoming a member? See the pastor or note it on the Welcome pad. Sermons are available in audio/print form at: www.hopevabeach.org or in print form and on CDs in the narthex. Please turn off your cell phone. No food or drink in the sanctuary, please.

LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

www.lutheransforlife.org

“So great is my veneration for the Bible, and so strong my belief, that when duly read and meditated on, it is of all books in the world, that which contributes most to make men good, wise, and happy – that the earlier my children begin to read it. . .the more lively and confident will be my hopes that they will prove useful citizens of their country.” *John Quincy Adams, former president of the United States*

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Jennifer Rauch-2 & 3 yr olds (Rm 102)
Linda Seybold-4yo - 4th grade (Rm 103)

HOPE LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Full-Day Program is the new word at Hope School! This fall we will serve working families with morning and afternoon care, in addition to our regular morning programs for 2½ to kindergarten. This is a result of an *Ablaze for Christ* grant given us thru Circuit 12-Southeastern District. For more info on our new extended care programs call Carolyn (424-4894).

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

HOPE HIGHLIGHTS

NEED: Volunteer “chief” beginning Sept. 28. Newsletter crew meets the last Tuesday morning each month to prepare the Highlights for bulk mailing. The chief is responsible for getting the newsletter to the Bulk Mail Office on Lynnhaven Pkwy. This is an easy job. Commit to at least 6 months and try it out. For more info, see Wayne Gobble or call Martha in the office (424-4848).

HOPE CLEANING TEAM

Saturdays 3-5pm. For info: Ramona (browns94@earthlink.net) (558-2241)

PORCH CALL MINISTRY

Need volunteers to deliver gifts to visitors. Do you have one Sunday a month to offer? For more info: Simon Nance (thenances@cox.net)
Kathryn (assist@hope.hrcoxmail.com)

YOUTH MINISTRY

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

BODY (Rising 6th-8th grades) room 5
TRUTH (Rising 9th-12th grades & recent grads) Sr Youth Room

BOWLING & PIZZA

TRUTH will go Sunday, Sept. 19;
BODY on Sunday, Sept. 26. Meet at Hope at 12:30 with return at 4pm. Cost: \$10 each. We are going to Naval Station Norfolk so it is very important to sign up ahead of time so we can get in the gate.

ADULT MINISTRIES

HIGHLIGHTS CREW

This fun group meets the last Tuesday of each month at 9am to prepare the newsletter for mailing. No experience needed. Coffee & donuts! Join them this Tuesday, Aug. 31!

KNIGHTS OF HOPE

Our men's group meeting scheduled for Sept. 11 has been postponed to Oct. 9.

MINISTRY MAPPING

This class is for all who are in a ministry and those looking to get involved. Learn what "mapping" is and different ways to apply it to ministry. Class to be repeated many times—attend more than once to get your ministry mapped faster! Sundays-9:45am; Wednesdays-6:30pm.

LWML

Lutheran Women's Missionary League meets Saturday, Sept. 18, 10am at Hope. District Convention is Sept. 24-26. Deadline to register: Sept. 23. There is a 10am meeting on Aug. 28 for all attending the convention. Contact Jenny Erber if you can come.

HOPE'S E-MAIL LIST

If you have not been receiving the Special Announcements and the Weekly Announcements by way of e-mail, please sign up in the narthex.

SOCIAL MINISTRY

JCOC FEEDING

THANK YOU to those who assisted with the JCOC feeding on Saturday, Aug. 28, and provided a hot meal to those in need.

STUFF-A-BOOK-BAG-DRIVE

THANK YOU for making this drive a success with a one-week turnaround time! All organizations were very appreciative of the supplies. **25** of our Angel Tree children from last year participated in the program. They came to the church to receive their bags! Continue to pray for all the children of our recent book bag drive and the organizations that reach out to these families in crisis.

FOOD PANTRY OPEN DAYS

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED.

September open dates are: Wednesdays, Sept. 8 & 22, 6–7:30pm; and Saturdays, Sept. 11 & 25, 10–11:30am

Thank you to our August food pantry volunteers for giving of your time to bless others!

Please contact Karen at 450-4482 or kmpatton2010@gmail.com to assist.

STEWARDSHIP VERSE

Deuteronomy 16:17 - Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God which He has given you. (ESV)

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LIFE & FAMILY MINISTRIES

Nursery: Provided during Sunday Morning Worship and Sunday School for children under age 2

Children's Church: ages 3-7 during the 11am service, Sept - May

Sunday School: 9:30am for all ages. Preschool thru Grade 5 begin in sanctuary. Grades 6-12 meet in classes

Confirmation: Meets during Sunday School, September thru May (Unconfirmed students grades 6-8)

Youth Groups: Sunday Bible Studies, Wednesday Night gatherings, many other activities thru the year

Young Adults: (college-age and young families) Sunday morning Bible Studies and frequent social events.

Adult Education: Sunday morning and Wednesday night classes that enrich and strengthen your spiritual life.

Leisure Lutherans: (55+) Senior Group, lunch 3rd Monday

LWML: Lutheran Women's Missionary League meets 3rd Saturday alternate months.