
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2024

Welcome & Announcements

Breakthrough Prayer

Centering

Opening Prayer & Call to Worship

Reconciling God, we ask you to help us open to compassion,
for we are a divided world,
and the conflict is waging even within us in this moment.

Empower us, and invite us to “do unto ourselves and others”
in ways that build up your kin-dom on earth as it is in heaven.
We pray this in the name of Jesus, the Center That Holds,
and in the power of the Spirit That Transforms. **Amen.**

We're accepted as we are.

Through God's power, all is reconciled.

We can cast aside our doubts and fears.

Peace and love are freely offered here.

Song “Help Us Accept Each Other” UMH #560

Peace Across the Divide

Wait. Breathe. Let us take a deep breath together. Let the anxiety take a break for just a moment. We are not alone. Christ is with us. The rhythm of our breath and heartbeat is the same. Our desire for life and love is the same. Our desire for a peace in which we flourish is the same. Let this moment permeate our souls and let us pass the peace of Christ between us. This peace is meant for all people.

Peace be with you.

And also, with you.

Song “Halle, Halle” TFWS #2026(2x)

Prayers of the People

- Prayer Song “Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying” TFWS #2193
- Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Special Music – Voices of Hope “You Are Mine”

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 11:6-9

Message

Offering

- #95 “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

- Offering Prayer:

Loving God, you teach us humility and service. We give of ourselves with grateful hearts. May all we give be a testament to our commitment to serve others, not seeking the highest places but embracing the path of sacrificial love. Use our gifts- use us- to advance your kingdom. Remind us that true greatness always comes through serving. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

Song “Blest Be the Tie That Binds” UMH #557

Benediction

Postlude

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **“CHRISTIANITY 101”** – Pastor Jerry of Lake Street will teach his six week class on key doctrines of Christianity in historical context. This will be held at Hope UM on Thursday evenings at 5:30pm Oct 10, Oct 17, Oct 24, Nov 7, Nov 14, and Nov 21. Both in-person and Zoom options are available. **Please sign-up on the clipboards if you plan to attend.**
- ◆ **HALLOWEEN TRICK OR TREAT** on Thursday, October 31: Come join the fun! We will be indoor so no worries about standing out in the cold! Volunteers wanted to decorate during the day, provide candy, hand out candy, or serve hot drinks. Costumes are fun but optional. Contact: Sharon Fortune: email szfortune@yahoo.com or call/text to 715-210-2989.
- ◆ **CHOIR HAS BEGUN** and you are invited to join in.
 - Practice 7:00pm October 17
 - Practice 7:00pm October 22
 - No Practice November 5 due to Elections
 - Practice 7:00pm November 12
 - Practice 7:00pm December 3
 - Practice 7:00pm December 17
 - Sing for Sunday Worship, October 20
 - Sing for Sunday Worship, October 27
 - Sing for Sunday Worship, November 10
 - Sing for Sunday Worship, November 17
 - Sing for Sunday Worship, December 8
 - Sing for Christmas Eve, December 24
- ◆ **JONAH UPDATES & ANNOUNCEMENTS** can be found online at www.jonahjustice.org
- ◆ **ONLINE GIVING IS NOW AVAILABLE!** Scan the QR Code at the bottom of the bulletin, then scroll down to the GIVE NOW option to set up or modify online giving. You can even download Hope’s Church Connect Page as a “web app” to your phone or mobile device to make it easier to access. (For tips on setting this up on your phone visit: <https://www.churchtrac.com/support/connect/install-church-connect-app>) This is a great way to stay connected with Hope UMC! Please contact Kristen in the office if you have questions or need assistance in setting up your online giving.
- ◆ **OFFICE HOURS:** **This week, Kristen will be in the office Mon, Tues, Wed. 9:00am-1:00pm.* Regular Church Office Hours are 9:00am-1:00pm Tues, Wed, Thurs. (Office hours may change occasionally, please call before you visit)
- ◆ **BREAKTHROUGH PRAYER:** We are inviting you to join us in this journey of discovering where God is leading us as we pray this prayer together daily, at 6:45 am or pm, or any time of your choosing if those times will not work in your life. As we do so, we allow the power of prayer to inspire and move us, that God’s will would be done, here on Earth as in Heaven.

*“Lord, light our way to see Your limitless possibilities for our lives and the church.
Unite us in Your vision, equip us for Your work. Amen.”*

THIS WEEK AT HOPE

Sunday, October 20	9:00am SUNDAY WORSHIP / CHOIR 1:00pm RIVER OF LIFE HISPANIC MINISTRY
Monday, October 21	6:00pm Ad Board
Tuesday, October 22	5:30pm Zumba (FH) 7:00pm Choir (Sanctuary)
Thursday, October 24	5:30pm “Christianity 101” (FH)
Sunday, October 27	9:00am SUNDAY WORSHIP / CHOIR 1:00pm RIVER OF LIFE HISPANIC MINISTRY

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