

Words of Hope - Weekly Announcements



Office Hours this week: Monday—Friday 8:15 a.m.—3:45 p.m.
215-946-3467 info@hopeLCS.org

Activity pages for young children are available from an usher.



“LOVE CAME DOWN”,
Advent Devotional booklets **are available** in the narthex
for your use and to share with family and friends
during the season of Advent.



Tonight...Service of Lessons & Carols

Sunday, December 10
7 p.m. in the sanctuary

Featuring the Adult Voice Choir
and Handbell Choir, with small groups
and congregational carol singing
All are invited to a reception afterward.



Your assistance is needed...

Ushers are needed for our Christmas Services.

Your assistance would be a *blessing*.

A sign up sheet is outside the worship area.

Christmas Eve: 5:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 11:00 p.m.

Christmas Day: 10:00 a.m.

Contact: Glenn Holmes holmesdude@yahoo.com 215-547-7138



WORSHIP - CHRISTMAS EVE & CHRISTMAS DAY

Christmas Eve Morning Sunday Morning Worship—1 service at 9:30 a.m.

Christmas Eve Evening 5:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 11:00 p.m.

Christmas Day Morning 10:00 a.m.

JOIN US! INVITE FAMILY & FRIENDS!



Opportunities to Brighten Someone's Christmas **Due by Dec. 17**

Our trees in the narthex and school lobby
are trimmed with bells, stars and stockings.

The *bells* picture various kinds of livestock
in support of Heifer International.

Since 1944 this organization has worked in the areas of livestock
and agriculture to develop programs that alleviate

Your monetary donation (of any amount) will
go toward the purchase of livestock for food
and as a source of income for an impoverished family:
cows that give milk; sheep that produce wool;
beehives that earn money through the sale
of honey and beeswax; and goats that provide milk.
You may designate which animal you would like your donation
to sponsor by placing the ornament in an envelope and
putting it in the offering plate, or give it directly to the office

The trees are also trimmed with small paper *stars & stockings*.

You will see various items needed by adults at the
Family Service Homeless Shelter at Five Points.
These gifts should be left unwrapped.



STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET:

1 Corinthians 1:7 "...so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift,
as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ."

The Lord sees to it that we do not lack any gift – He has given us
every spiritual blessing in Christ as well as every earthly need.
He is the Provider.

And we can trust Him to always provide for us in every way.

STEWARDSHIP



Coming in December...

EVENING BIBLE STUDY EVERY TUESDAY 7:00 P.M.

Join us as we journey together through God's Word and build/strengthen friendships with other people of faith.

We are studying the **Gospel of Matthew**.

Contact Enola Cook 609-464-2366 or rev3-20@hotmail.com



Youth Group Activity Night & Bible Study

Every Wednesday night from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Invite your friends! Grades 5-10

Lynn Holmes 215-932-8383 holmeslynn@gmail.com



Share the talents that God has given you by helping with some tasks around the building.



Please call Bill Durnin (267)393-2297. Email Trustees@hopeLCS.org

Our next scheduled work day is December 16 from 9 a.m.—Noon.

The **Lunch Bunch** (ages 18+) will gather on Tuesday, **December 19**, at 1 p.m. at **Garden of Eatin'**.

Join us to share good food & fellowship!

Please RSVP to **Barb Somerfield @ 215-757-9429** by Monday, Dec. 18.



Scrip Orders are due next on Monday, **December 18**, at 9 a.m.

It's perfect for ordering for Christmas shopping or gifts!

Contact: Sabrina Cusimano
215-860-2686 scusimano@hopeLCS.org



I thank God for the people of Hope, whom I thank for all the rides, meals, cards & visits over the last 3 months.

I look forward to returning to worship soon! — Barb Somerfield

blessed

Poinsettia Dedication Form

for

Christmas Eve & Christmas Morning Services



Would you like to dedicate a poinsettia for the altar?

The cost is \$13 for each poinsettia, due by December 17.

Please fill out the dedication form below, with your cash or check (made payable to Hope Lutheran Church) and place in the collection plate or drop off at the office.

In Honor of: _____

In Honor of: _____

or

In Memory of: _____

In Memory of: _____

Given By: _____

Amount Enclosed \$ _____



MISSING



**Have you seen the die-cut tray from the Art Room??
Please return to the Hope office. Thank you!**