# Words of Hope - Weekly Announcements



Office Hours this week: CLOSED Monday Tuesday—Friday 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. 215-946-3467 info@hopeLCS.org





# SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 LOOKING FOR A CHURCH HOME?

JOIN US TO DISCOVER HOPE...WHAT WE BELIEVE AT HOPE, WHERE YOU FIT IN, AND SEE IF THE LORD IS CALLING YOU TO BE PART OF HIS MISSION WITH US HERE IN LEVITTOWN.



SUNDAY MORNINGS, BEGINNING SEPT. 16 AT 9:15 A.M.

### **Sunday School 2018-2019**

Jesus said.

"Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 19:14 ESV



Sunday School kicks off on September 16 at 9:15 a.m. Classes available for children ages 3 – grade 8. Bible Study or Discover Hope will be available for adults.

Confirmation is a two year learning experience, meeting weekly, when youths (typically 7th & 8th graders) learn about the Christian Faith and seek to grow in their relationship with God.



This process leads them to Confirmation- a special time when youths speak for themselves and commit to follow their Savior, Jesus.

Confirmation prepares your child to live for Jesus,

and to learn about the path to heaven that Jesus has prepared for us.

# Parents/students, please join us for an organizational meeting Sunday, September 9, at 9:15 a.m. in Room 111.

Bring your calendars and together we will decide what day and time works best for everyone. This will also be a time when you can ask any questions you might have about the program.

# Coming in September...



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



Join us as we journey together through **ROMANS** and build/strengthen friendships with other people of faith.

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

### Youth Group Activity Night & Bible Study Gr. 5-10



Every Wednesday night from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Invite your friends! Lynn Holmes 215 5477138 holmeslynnd@gmail.com

### **Mothers of Hope**

is a ministry of Hope Lutheran Church which exists to **encourage**,

**refresh** and **equip** mothers in their calling through the love and strength of God.



We meet together over coffee and a relaxing breakfast to encourage each other and share one another's burdens.

We look for ways to work together to bless other families in our community.

Childcare is always provided at no cost.

## Come, be a part of this wonderful circle of women!

Meetings are on the second Saturday of each month from 9:30-11:30 a.m.

### Our first meeting is coming up on September 8.

For more information, contact Lauren Shockey at mlshockey@yahoo.com or 215-750-1481

The next **Amish Market Mission** food pack-out for local homeless and needy will be at Hope on **Saturday, September 8,** from 4:30-5:30 p.m.



## Needed: someone to alternate months with our leader, as she has back issues.

The hour goes by quickly, and is a rewarding way to serve & help others.

Please contact Brenda Ruths @ 215-486-7760 to let her know that you are able to assist her.



# More in September...





Church Council Meeting—Monday, Sept. 10, at 7:15 p.m.
All Hope members age 18+ are invited to attend.
Contact: Tom Jeske 215-630-5517 thomas.jeske.6@gmail.com

Lowing, join us at Hope on the 2nd Thursday of every month for a Bible study—**Fruit of the Spirit**.

Beth Marks will be leading the study.

We will meet next on **Thursday, Sept. 13** at 1 p.m.



Contact: Beth Marks 215-757-1702

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

# Our next scheduled work day is September 15 from 9 a.m.—Noon.



Contact: Bill Durnin 267-393-2297 or Trustees@hopeLCS.org

The **Lunch Bunch** (ages 18+) will gather on Tuesday, **Sept. 18**, at 1 p.m. at *Garden of Eatin'*. Join us to share good food & fellowship!



Please RSVP to **Sandy Scott @ 215-943-6094**by Monday, Sept. 17 so that she may save a seat for you.



#### FRIDAY, SEPT. 28-CROCK POT LADIES

On the last Friday of each month, a group gets together to prepare meals and baked goods to frozen & gifted to Stacey & her family (see prayer list).

If you are able to contribute meals/baked goods, please call/text Doreen Norris for more info. 315-939-0198

But wait! There's more in September...

# Join us for a Hope Family Camping Trip on September 28-30 at Ringing Rocks Family Campground in Upper Black Eddy.



There will be plenty of down time for relaxing with your family as well as some scheduled group activities to participate in if you choose.

Go to www.ringingrocksfamilycampground.com and call to make your reservation THIS WEEK.

Sites are between \$36-\$42 a night.

Cabins/trailers are also available to rent.

When you call the campground, say that you are with the Hope Lutheran group.

Please RSVP to let Lauren Shockey know if you plan to come mlshockey@yahoo.com or 215-750-1481.

STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET: Deuteronomy 4:6

"Keep them and do them, for that will be your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, 'Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.' "

There is no wiser, more fulfilling life than a life lived according to the Word of God. We should be encouraged by this when the world tempts us to think that the Word of God is harmful to us. Our Father loves us; so all His Word is meant to bless us.