

## ***WELCOME GUESTS***

Please sign the attendance slip at the end of the pew and pass it on.

Please join us for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall following worship.

Interested in learning more about Hope UMC? Would you like a visit? Would you like to join? Please contact Pastor Russ, Pastor Jan Redman, or the church office.

**Hearing Devices:** Hearing devices are available in the tech booth at the back of the sanctuary. The tech volunteer will be happy to assist you.

**Transportation Ministry:** If you need a ride to a Sunday service, please call the church before Friday noon.

## ***CONTACT INFORMATION***

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**Bulletin announcements due Wednesday by noon.**  
**Newsletter items due the 17<sup>th</sup> of the month**



Hope United Methodist Church  
24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Worship Celebration for November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018

**Prelude**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**\*Call to Worship**

Liturgist: We remember, O God...

**People: The countless saints of history**

**who have blazed a trail of courage through time,**

We remember, O God...

**The tender touch of loved ones, the example of heroes,**

**the healing words of comforters, the remarkable acts of fearless ones.**

We remember, O God...

**The loyalty of friends, the kindness of strangers,**

**the joy of children, the sacrifice of parents.**

We remember, O God...

**The supreme love of Jesus, the blessing of his Spirit,**

**the reminder of his words, the sharing of his suffering,**

**the glory of his resurrection: shown forth in the lives of his disciples,**

**young and old, dead and living, brilliant and ordinary.**

We remember in every time and place the saints of God who have shown us the Lord.

**Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses...**

**let us worship God with joy!**

**\*Song of Affirmation**

*"For All the Saints"*

*Hymn #711*

**Choir**

*"Put Peace into Each other's Hands"*

**Unison Prayer**

*(Based on Psalm 24 & Revelation 21)*

**Faithful Redeemer, you are the beginning and ending of all things.**

**You promise to wipe away every tear,**

**that death and mourning will be no more.**

**You make your home among us, and abide with us as our God.**

**Teach us to live as the saints you call us to be,**

**that we may truly be your people, living and doing your will,**

**in the name of Jesus, who is the Christ. Amen.**

**Remembering Our Saints**

If you have a loved one who was a member of Hope and who has gone on to be with the Lord in this past year, please come forward and be ready to light a candle as his or her name is read.

If you have a loved one who has died that you would like to remember by lighting a candle, feel free to come forward as the congregation sings,

*"Hymn of Promise"*

*Hymn #707*

*"For All The Saints"*

*The Faith We Sing #2283*

**Congregational Prayer**

*"All Saints"*

*Hymnal #713*

**Sharing of Joys & Prayer Concerns**

**Pastor's Prayer**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Children's Message**

*"He Is Lord"*

**Jenny Lewis**

*Hymn #177*

**Scripture Reading**

*Revelation 7:9-17*

**Hymn of Celebration**

*"Soon and Very Soon"*

*Hymn #706*

**Scripture Reading**

*Hebrews 12:1-3*

**Message**

*"All Saint's Day"*

**Pastor Russ Jacobsen**

**Song of Preparation**

*"Faith of Our Fathers"*

*Hymn #710*

**The Lord's Supper**

**Communion Hymns**

*"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"*

*Hymn #731*

*"Onward, Christian Soldiers"*

*Hymn #575*

**\*Benediction**

*I Timothy 1:17*

Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God,  
be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Technology: David Sparks

Liturgist: Judy Clark

Accompanist: David & Sandra Murray

Greeters: Karen Davids, Laura & Leah Becker

Ushers: Al & Nancy Thompson,

Roger & LaDonna Dutton

## ***PRAYER MINISTRY***

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- Muriel Hanna
  - Angela (Steele) Powell
  - Gerald Schutrop
  - Merre Kivlin
  - Lonny Schmidtke
  - Newt Toland
  - Peter Ochs
  - Michael Schuster
  - Jim Whitney
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- In the service of our country: Tucker Bottin, Aron Goshorn, Bryce Hanson, David Miller, Cole Steinke, Terry Keithahn, Michael Wohlrabe, and Brett Sandum.
  - Armed Services personnel and their families.
  - Members and Friends in Health Care Centers and those at their homes including: Mary Fenske, Mae Hove, John & Merna Karels, Helen Reko, June Scheid, and Betty Swant.

## ***SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES & ANNOUNCEMENTS***

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**This morning's Hope Radio Broadcast on KBEW, 1560 AM, is being sponsored by Mary Ochs in celebration of her 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebrated on October 31<sup>st</sup> with praise and thanksgiving to God for his many blessings.**

**The Service group for November is group 3. Thank you to service group 2 for all you served in October.**

## ***NOVEMBER MISSION OPPORTUNITIES***

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### **UMCOR**

UMCOR, United Methodist Committee on Relief – which we also had as a mission emphasis in September, is in need of our generosity this month too. Please know that for every \$1 we give to UMCOR, the entire \$1 goes toward emergency relief in our country and in 80 other countries around the world. It's a great way to express your thanks this time of year. Just write "UMCOR" on the memo line of your offering check, we'll make sure it gets put to good use. Also, keep Leon in your prayers for safe travel as he delivers the bicycles to our UMCOR Midwest Distribution Center this month.

### **LOCAL**

Locally in November, we plan to prepare and deliver Appreciation Trays to hospital staff, school staff, law enforcement and firefighters. If you'd like to donate to this project, just write "Appreciation" on the memo line of your offering check.

### **Lord's Acre- It's not too late to sign up!**

The 2018 Lord's Acre signup is up near the drinking fountain. Please consider signing up! Farmers (don't have to be actively farming to be a Farmer) contribute whatever returns from an acre of crop and Renters each contribute a minimum of \$70. Those who sign up – meet annually to decide which missions will receive the collective funds. Our motto this year: Sharing Hope's Abundance!!!!

## ***COMMUNITY EVENTS***

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**Swiss Steak Dinner** Let us do the cooking for you on Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup> from 11 am to 1 pm at the First Presbyterian Church in Winnebago. Family Style fresh baked pies. Adults \$10; Kids 10 & under \$5; Preschool – free. Deliveries & take outs available 893-3197.

**Early Response Basic Training and Recertification Course:** Nov. 10, 8 am - 4:30 pm, Fairmont UMC. Interested in disaster relief volunteering with UMCOR? This training is for new Early Response Team (ERT) volunteers and for those renewing existing certifications.

**Shiloh Lutheran Church will have their Fall Festival** on Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> from 10:20 to 1 pm. Scandinavian specialties, baked good, quilts and miscellaneous items will be for sale and a lunch of hot sandwiches, beans, salad, desserts and coffee will be available starting at 11 for \$7.

## ***MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES***

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### **Needed for Kindness Cans**

In the beginning of **2019** our KBC students will be doing kindness cans. We are in need of donation of small coffee can like containers. We will need quite a few of these! Thank you in advance!

## ***BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES***

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November 7<sup>th</sup>: Emerson Oliver, Clark Lundquist, Bucky King

November 8<sup>th</sup>: Derek Abel, Brady Farnham, Bobby Ward

November 9<sup>th</sup>: Michael & Sarah Darula

## ***FINANCES***

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October Budget Income: \$ 12,305.04

October Budget Expenses: \$ 15,603.92

YTD (10/31/18) Budget Income: \$ 157,472.87

YTD (10/31/18) Budget Expenses: \$ 203,306.99

## ***UPCOMING EVENTS***

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**November 4<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>**

***All Saints Day Remembrance***

***Communion***

9 AM: Worship

10:10 AM: Sunday School

1 PM: Cantata Rehearsal

1-3 PM: Charge Conference @ Wells

Open Doors UMC

**Monday, November 5<sup>th</sup>**

6 PM: Ministry Council

**Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>**

2 PM: Communion @ St. Luke's

4 PM: Membership & History

Committee

**Wednesday, November 7<sup>th</sup>**

7 AM: Men's Breakfast @ Mc Donald's

2:15 – 4:15 PM: KBC

5:45 PM: Meal

6:30 PM: Youth Worship

Service/Confirmation

6:30 PM: Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup>**

12 – 1 PM: Interfaith Caregivers Lunch

& Learn

5 PM: Joy Circle

**Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup>**

9 AM: UMW

10 – Noon: Bundle Up

**Next Week: November 11<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>**

**Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup>**

9 AM: Worship

10:10 AM: Sunday School

1 PM: Cantata Rehearsal

**Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup>**

5:30 – 7 PM: Couple's Group

**Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**

1 PM: UMCOR Work Day

**Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>**

7 AM: Men's Breakfast @ Mc Donald's

2:15 – 4:15 PM: KBC

5:45 PM: Free Supper @ BEA H.S.

6:30 PM: "Connect" the movie @ BEA H.S.

6:30 PM: Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup>**

9 AM: Faith Circle

9:30 AM: Rachel Circle

**Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>**

9 AM: UMW

10 – Noon: Bundle Up

**November 11<sup>th</sup>**

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