



WORDS OF *Hope*

June/July 2022
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THE MASTER GARDENER

June 1–July 31

Dear People of Hope,

As summer approaches and there are signs of new life everywhere, we experience a palpable feeling of excitement and hope. I encourage you to continue to prioritize placing God first by attending worship in-person or online this summer.

In June and July, we will dig into a worship series called “The Master Gardener” where we will explore the many scriptures related to agriculture and see what God’s word teaches us about growth. In August, we will explore another series called “When in Rome” where we will preach on some of your pastors’ favorite texts from the book of Romans.

Weekly worship is a great way to do your Soul Business, and I strongly encourage you to make it part of your summer tradition. We invite you to join us in-person or online and, while you’re at it, why not bring a friend to worship with you?

Did you know multiple studies show that the number one reason people have never been to church is because they have never been invited? Well, I have good news! You and I can be an active part of bringing the good news of Jesus Christ to those in our lives who are lost, simply by inviting them. It really is that simple.

A great way to introduce someone who might be skeptical to what Hope Lutheran Church is about, is to invite them to an outdoor worship service at 9:30am, North or South Campus. So, grab a lawn chair and bring a friend to worship this Sunday!

In Christ,
Pastor Paul

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE • SUMMER WORSHIP BEGINS JUNE 1 & 5

NORTH CAMPUS

Sunday

8:30am* traditional (sanctuary)

9:30am contemporary (outdoor)

10:45am contemporary (sanctuary)

Wednesday

6:00pm contemporary

SOUTH CAMPUS

Sunday

8:30am traditional (chapel)

9:30am contemporary (outdoor)

10:45am* contemporary (sanctuary)

Wednesday

6:00pm contemporary*

*Livestream

WEST CAMPUS

Sunday

9:30am contemporary

Wednesday

6:00pm contemporary



A giant THANK YOU to all of our volunteers! From coffee and donut servers to greeters, ushers, communion servers, Wednesday night supper servers, and scripture readers. We appreciate all that you do to make Hope a special place to worship.

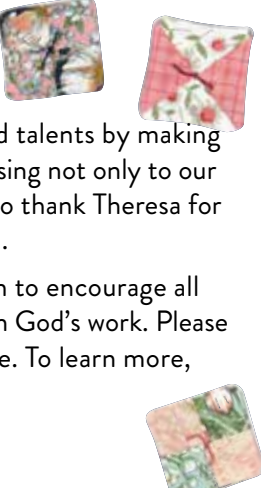
– Hope’s Hospitality Team



THANK YOU THERESA!

Over the last year-and-a-half, Theresa Rassel has been sharing her gifts and talents by making over 2,000 pocket prayer quilts! These pocket prayer quilts have been a blessing not only to our congregation, but our entire community. We want to take this opportunity to thank Theresa for her involvement in many areas of ministry here at Hope. We are so grateful.

Just as Theresa has used her time, gifts, and talents to help us in our mission to encourage all people to know the love of Christ, we extend our invitation to you to join us in God’s work. Please prayerfully consider being a part of the many areas of ministry here at Hope. To learn more, contact us at hopecare@fargohope.org or call 701.235.6629, x238.



Womens Ministry

GOLFING TOGETHER

Join us at 1:00pm on Tuesdays at various courses around the region. Visit fargohope.org/women for more information.

WALKING TOGETHER

Wednesday, June 1 | 9:00am | South Campus

Join us for an organizational meeting for a walking group.

TONING TOGETHER

Join women of Hope for low impact aerobics and toning via Skype, Tuesdays, 5:00pm and Thursdays, 5:15pm. Contact fargohope.org/adults for more information.

CARD MAKING

June 28 | 6:30–8:30pm | South Campus, Room 320

Cards with beautiful, heartfelt designs and a monthly reflection are made for HopeCare ministries. Projects are preplanned, and all supplies are provided.

CRAFTING TOGETHER

June 7 | 6:30–8:30pm | North Campus

All supplies will be provided.

Cost is \$37.

Register by June 3 at Fargohope.org/women.

Save the date to Craft Together on Tuesday, July 19 at the South Campus!



READING TOGETHER

We will meet 7:30–8:30pm at a shelter in Trollwood Park. Please bring a chair to sit on. Look for the black umbrella!



June 21

“In Five Years”
by Rebecca Serle



July 19

“The Second Life of
Mirielle West”
by Amanda Skenandore



August 16

“The People We Keep”
by Allison Larkin

BIBLE STUDY



Wednesdays June 1–July 20.

No meeting on June 15 and July 6.

7:00–8:30pm | North Campus Lounge

“Make Your Move” study by Lynn Cowell
hosted by Karen Moore
Questions? Email adults@fargohope.org.

NEEDLEWORKS

June 6 & 20, July 11 & 25 | 7:00pm | North Campus Library

Questions? Email hopecare@fargohope.org.



June & July SUMMER MOVIE NIGHTS



June 9
North Campus
6:30-8:30pm
American Underdog



July 12
West Campus
6:30-8:30pm
The Secrets of Jonathan Sperry

August movie night:
August 9 | South Campus | 6:30-8:30pm



Sacred Rhythms Adult Book Study

June 14-August 23 | Tuesdays
7:00-8:30pm | South Campus

Meets every two weeks over the summer (6 times) to help participants develop new rhythms in their prayer life.

Register at fargohope.org/adults

MEN IN BOATS

June 10-12, 2022
Lakewood Park Bible Camp
Devils Lake

Register at fargohope.org/men

33 THE SERIES

Wednesdays | SOUTH CAMPUS | 6:30am

All men of Hope are invited to join us on Wednesday mornings at the South Campus for a relaunch of 33 series. 33 is a study for men designed to help them in their walk with Jesus.



"BE STRONG AND COURAGEOUS, DO NOT BE AFRAID; DO NOT BE DISCOURAGED, FOR THE LORD YOUR GOD WILL BE WITH YOU WHEREVER YOU GO." JOSHUA 1:9

HEAR YE! HEAR YE! CHILDREN OF HOPE, WE WANT TO CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO JOIN US AT THE KINGDOM OF TOVE.

SOUTH CAMPUS | June 6-9, 9:15-11:30am

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WEST CAMPUS | June 13-16, 9:15-11:30am

NORTH CAMPUS | June 13-16, 5:45-8:00pm

REGISTER AT fargohope.org/VBX



2022-2023 HOPEKIDS REGISTRATION

Register online at fargohope.org/children.
Registration forms are available at the Church Office.

Please consider pre-registering by June 20.
Email hopekids@fargohope.org with any questions.



2022-2023 HOPETOTS REGISTRATION

Register online at fargohope.org/hopetots.
Please register your children ages 6 weeks-4 years old at fargohope.org/hopetots. Children age three by August 1, 2022, and toilet-trained may register for Hopekids.



THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS!

Woohoo! We have made it through another year of youth ministry programming at Hope. We want to give a big THANK YOU to all the volunteers who have poured their hearts into our students so that they may know the love of Jesus. We are continually amazed and reminded that the youth of our congregation are not only the future of the church, they are the church now. We celebrate all that has happened this year and look forward to what is to come in the summer and next fall!
God bless, - Hope's Youth Team



ONE MISSION: FARGO-MOORHEAD

June 28-30 | South Campus (no overnights)

Registration is open and runs through June 8 (current 5th-12th graders). Students will be serving at various locations throughout Fargo-Moorhead. Cost \$60.

Register at fargohope.org/middleschool



HIGH SCHOOL
MINISTRY

HIGHSCHOOL@FARGOHOPE.ORG

JUNE 22
JUNE 29
JULY 6
JULY 13
JULY 20
JULY 27
AUGUST 10
AUGUST 17
AUGUST 24
AUGUST 31

SUMMER BONFIRES HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY

WEDNESDAYS 7:00-10:00PM
HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH - SOUTH CAMPUS





WE ARE BETTER TOGETHER

Some activities are better done alone, like brushing your teeth or playing Solitaire. Some activities are better and more satisfying when you work with others. Stephen Ministry is one of those ministries where we are better together. Even though Stephen Ministers meet one-on-one regularly with a person who is going through a rough time in life, they also meet with other Stephen Ministers and Leaders to support and encourage one another. Through training and supervision each Stephen Minister is equipped with the skills and support they need to be able to care for others. When we work together, God accomplishes wonderful things! Is God calling you to be a part of our Stephen Ministry Team?

Our next Stephen Ministry training class will start October 6, 2022 and we want you to prayerfully consider the opportunity to participate and become a Stephen Minister at Hope Lutheran Church.

Learn more by contacting a Hope Lutheran Pastor or Kim Youngquist at 701.235.6629, x322, email hopecare@fargohope.org or go to fargohope.org/stephenministry to find out more.

MEMORIALS

April 8–May 5

Memorials Given to Hope Lutheran Church

James Wheeler
Don and Peggy Volden

Vickie Axtman
Annette and Doug Bruer

Donna Fluge
Marcia Ubbelohde

James Frederickson
Jane Fredrickson

Curt Lundberg
Lundberg Family
Dallas and Mary Ann Boeddeker

Linden Churchill
Tom and Mary Lidahl

Memorials Given to Hope Lutheran Foundation

Donna Fluge
John and Lina Eide
Robert and Bonnie Neas

Jerry Usgaard
Lois Brantner

MEMBERS AND *Milestones*

April 8–May 5

BAPTISMS

Wrenlee Jo and Anna Marie Mae, daughters of Sean & Carrie Beckerleg

Wesley Christopher, son of Cory & Katie Loveless

Jaxx Connor, son of Connor & Christa Erickson

Brock Allan, son of Brian & Katherine Tulibaski

Lincoln Jon Halberg, Ethan Thomas and Kaden James Hannestad, sons of Dustin & Jessica Halberg

Mia Emery, daughter of Jordan & Heather Lorenzen

Tyrel Andrew Sessing

Maverick Michael Samuel, son of Walter Samuel & Tonja McKay

Collins Lee, daughter of Eric & Kelsey Burgad

MaKinlee Navyana and Bristol Ansleigh, daughters of Alexander & Amanda Yee

Jaden Christine, daughter of Derek & Kara Felber

Maverick Timothy, son of Kyle & Rachel Heinze

Cade Joseph Carlson, son of Cameron Carlson & Lauren Bale

NEW MEMBERS

Tom & Deidre Bale

Leanne Bjur

Mike & Sharon Brandvold

Bruce Froseth & Kathy Scheibe

Andrew & Callie Girodat

Patricia Hell

Scot Johnson

Rae Martian

Ann & Rand Nyberg

Dale & Linda Stinar

MARRIAGES:

Hayle Sachow Johnson & Austen Gilbertson
4/23/2022

Rachel Airhart & Alex Iverson 4/30/2022

DEATHS

Patsy Gebeke 4/21/2022

Linden Churchill 4/22/2022

Connie Kingsley 4/28/2022

PREACHING SCHEDULE

“The Parable of the Sower”

Matt. 13:1-9, 18-23

North: June 1/5 Pastor Paul Nynas

South: June 15/19 Pastor Paul Nynas

West: June 8/12 Pastor Paul Nynas

“The Wheat & the Weeds”

Matt. 13:24-30, 36-43

North: June 8/12 Pastor Mike Toomey

South: June 1/5 Pastor Mike Toomey

West: June 15/19 Pastor Mike Toomey

“Mustard Seed Faith”

Matt. 13:31-35

North: June 19 Pastor Sarah Seibold

(No worship at NC on June 15-VBX)

South: June 12 Pastor Sarah Seibold

(No worship at SC on June 8-VBX)

West: June 1/5 Pastor Sarah Seibold

“Lord of the Sabbath”

Luke 6:1-5

North: June 22/26 Pastor Ben Jacobson

South: June 29/July 3 Pastor Ben Jacobson

West: July 6/10 Pastor Ben Jacobson

“A Tree & Its Fruit”

Luke 6:43-45

North: July 6/10 Pastor Ben Sullivan

South: June 22/26 Pastor Ben Sullivan

West: June 29/July 3 Pastor Ben Sullivan

“The True Vine”

John 15:1-8

North: June 29/July 3 Pastoral Intern Stefanie

Jordheim

South: July 6/10 Pastoral Intern Stefanie Jordheim

West: June 22/26 Pastoral Intern Stefanie Jordheim

“The Lilies of the Field”

Matt. 6:25-34

North: July 13/17 Pastor Mike Toomey

South: July 20/24 Pastor Mike Toomey

West: July 27/31 Pastor Mike Toomey

“A Grain of Wheat”

John 12:23-26

North: July 27/31 Pastor Ben Jacobson

South: July 13/17 Pastor Ben Jacobson

West: July 20/24 Pastor Ben Jacobson

WORSHIP TIMES

NORTH AND SOUTH CAMPUS

Wednesday:

6:00pm Contemporary

Sunday:

8:30am Traditional (South Campus in Chapel)

9:30am Contemporary (Outdoor)

10:45am Contemporary

WEST CAMPUS

Wednesday: 6:00pm Contemporary

Sunday: 9:30am Contemporary

LOCATIONS

SOUTH CAMPUS

3636 25th St. S, Fargo

NORTH CAMPUS

2900 Broadway N, Fargo

WEST CAMPUS

2633 55th St S, Fargo

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CHURCH OFFICE 701.235.6629

HOPE LUTHERAN PASTORS



Paul Nynas
Senior Pastor



Michael Toomey
Executive Pastor



Sarah Seibold



Ben Jacobson



Ben Sullivan



Stefanie Jordheim
Pastoral Intern/
WC Director



Kevan Smith
Visitation Pastor

WORSHIP ONLINE

If you are unable to attend in-person, we invite you to worship with us online! You can watch live or find the play-back on our website at fargohope.org/watch. You can also watch on Facebook and YouTube: search for Fargo Hope.

FACEBOOK & YOUTUBE

Wednesday 6:00pm

Sunday 8:30am Traditional, 10:45am Contemporary

A podcast of sermon audio is available the Monday following worship at fargohope.org/listen or on the iTunes store.

STAFF

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Membership that Matters

Sign up at fargohope.org and a pastor will contact you to visit and welcome you to Hope's family. It's that easy. Questions? Email welcome@fargohope.org.

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CAMP HOUSE

high school retreat

Brimson, MN | July 31-August 4
Current 9th-12th graders
Cost: \$325

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REGISTRATION CLOSING JULY 6!
fargohope.org/highschool

