

# OCTOBER EVENTS

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Visit [fargohope.org/youth](http://fargohope.org/youth) to sign up for Hopetots, Hopekids, MSM & HSM for 2025-2026!

## HOPEKIDS & HOPETOTS

### Hopekids Fall Family Fun Event

**October 19 | 4:00pm | South Campus**

Come to make a craft, do a devotion, and enjoy a snack. Fun for the whole family! RSVP by emailing [youth@fargohope.org](mailto:youth@fargohope.org) or walk-ins are welcome!

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY

### Youth Worship Rehearsal

**Sundays | 1:00pm | South Campus**

This is a combined rehearsal at our South Campus for all middle & high school students. All musical abilities welcome; bring your instruments if you have one, or let us know what you'd like to learn!

## HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY

### HSM Worship & Prayer Nights

**October 12 & November 9 | 7:00pm West Campus**

All high schoolers and their friends are welcome to join us for a monthly night of worship and prayer.

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## ALL CONGREGATION

### For the ONE Generosity Initiative

Our For the ONE vision is to build a permanent location for our West Campus worship community and to update youth spaces at both North and South Campus. Our goal is to fully engage our congregation in a commitment to this generosity initiative. Every gift matters! We are launching a 1,000/1,000 challenge. We are asking that 1,000 households that haven't yet made a commitment to For the ONE make a \$1,000 commitment over the next three years. Which means that for less than \$28/month, or one coffee a week, you can help make the For the ONE vision a reality. To see where we currently stand or to make your commitment visit [fargohope.org/fortheone](http://fargohope.org/fortheone).

### My Hope Pledge 2026

**My Hope Pledge cards available in the pews and online at [fargohope.org/giving](http://fargohope.org/giving).**

Your pledge allows our leadership to make wise plans for the future year and beyond. Thank you for your partnership through your financial support as we work "to encourage all people to know the love of Christ." Please return the My Hope Pledge Card to lighted cross giving kiosks, by mail, or online at [fargohope.org/giving](http://fargohope.org/giving). Thank you for your generosity and support of the mission and ministries of Hope Lutheran Church!

### Sermon Series: Gather at the Table September 17-November 23

Life and relationships happen around tables. Holy Scripture is full of table

stories. These stories teach us about our relationships with each other and invite us deeper into relationship with God. In this series we will examine "table stories" from the Bible and discover what they mean for our lives together.

## All Saints' Week

**October 29 & November 2**

During Hope's All Saint's worship we will commemorate the day by singing songs that proclaim the eternal promise of God in Christ, share photos of people who had their celebration of life service at Hope, pray for those who lost loved ones this past year, and have small mementoes available after each service for those who wish to have a physical reminder of God's eternal promises, love and grace.

## ADULT MINISTRY

### Rhythms of Hope

**October 5 | 10:45am | All Campuses**

Rhythms of Hope is an 8-week small group resource written by Hope's pastors. We want every adult, young and old, to engage in this study. Join us for our launch event Oct. 5 at all campuses. Register at [fargohope.org/adults](http://fargohope.org/adults) or email [adults@fargohope.org](mailto:adults@fargohope.org) to get connected!

### Salvation Army Coats for Kids & Families Distribution

**Set-up: October 9 | Shifts Available South Campus**

**Distribution: October 9 & 10**

**Shifts Available | South Campus**

Volunteer to help set-up or help people shop for coats, sign up at [fargohope.org/adults](http://fargohope.org/adults)

**Young Adult Dinner  
& Worship Night  
October 12 | 6:30-8:30pm  
South Campus**

Join us for dinner and worship! For details, visit [fargohope.org/adults](http://fargohope.org/adults).

**Save the Date: Great Plains Food  
Bank Food Drive  
November 2-30 | All Campuses**  
Watch for details, coming soon!

**WOMENS MINISTRY**  
**Read 'N Relate**  
**Tuesday, October 7 | 7:00pm**  
**North Campus Fellowship Center**  
**Monday, October 13 | 11:00am**  
**South Campus Library**

**KAMs (Kids and Moms)**  
**Thursdays | 9:00-11:00am**  
**North Campus Lounge**  
Moms at any stage of motherhood are welcome, come and receive support and encouragement as Christian women and mothers. Childcare is provided with registration at [adults@fargohope.org](mailto:adults@fargohope.org) or by contacting the Church Office.

**Save the Date:**  
**19th Annual Rest & Rejuv**  
**Saturday, November 8**  
**North Campus**  
A fun, inspiring and informative day for moms of children with special needs. Register by October 31 at [fargohope.org/women](http://fargohope.org/women).

**Save the Date:**  
**Annual Tables By Design**  
**Christmas Brunch**  
**Saturday, December 6**  
Watch for details, coming soon!

**MENS MINISTRY**  
**Man Talk Breakfast**  
**October 9 | 6:30am**  
**South Campus**  
Join the Men of Hope for a free-will breakfast and speaker Mark Wallace from Faith Forward. We wrap up in time for you to be at work by 8:00am.

**Men's Mornings**  
**Wednesdays | 6:30am**  
**South Campus**  
Two different studies will be offered: Game Plan for Life & A Man and His Marriage.

**HOPECARE**  
**GriefShare**  
**Mondays | 6:30pm | North Campus**  
Get help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend. More info at [fargohope.org/hopecare](http://fargohope.org/hopecare).

**DivorceCare**  
**Mondays beginning October 6**  
**6:00pm | South Campus**  
Come and find help and healing for the hurt of separation and divorce. Join anytime! More information at [fargohope.org/hopecare](http://fargohope.org/hopecare).

**Stephen Ministry**  
Stephen Ministers fill an important role in the care of our congregation and community by filling the gap between group support and specialized professional support. They can also be utilized for care in coordination with other support.

If you or someone you know would like more information about Stephen Ministry, please contact a Hope Lutheran Pastor or Kim Youngquist at 701.235.6629, visit [fargohope.org/hopecare](http://fargohope.org/hopecare), or email [hopecare@fargohope.org](mailto:hopecare@fargohope.org).

**OCTOBER PREACHING  
SCHEDULE**  
**Sermon Series: Gather at the Table**  
**The Last Supper**  
Pastor Sarah Seibold  
West: October 1 & 5

**Levi's Party**  
Pastor Mike Toomey  
North: October 1 & 5

**Anointing of Jesus' Feet**  
Pastor Paul Nynas  
South: October 1 & 5

**Bread & Wine**  
Pastor Ben Jacobson  
North: October 8 & 12  
South: October 15 & 19  
West: October 22 & 26

**Dinner Alone**  
Pastor Paul Nynas  
North: October 22 & 26  
South: October 8 & 12  
West: October 15 & 19

**Wedding Feast**  
Pastoral Intern Andria Messelt  
North: October 15 & 19  
South: October 22 & 26  
West: October 8 & 12

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**All Campuses**  
North: Pastor Ben Jacobson  
South: Pastor Sarah Seibold  
West: Pastor Ben Sullivan