

Mount Hope Happenings

February 3-4, 2018

THIS WEEKEND

Coffee Hour - Join us in the Fireside Room between services for coffee, treats and fellowship.

Offering Envelopes - The 2018 offering envelopes are available for pick up in the hallway next to the Fireside Room.

It's Scout Sunday - See the green insert in today's bulletin!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Today's Sunday school rotation schedule:

- K5 & 1st - Cinema on the Mount
- 2nd & 3rd - Manna-facturing
- 4th & 5th - Bible Bang

Bible lesson for the month: The Woman at the Well.

We welcome all children 3 years - 5th grade on Sundays at 10:00 a.m. For info contact Colleen at sundayschool@mounthopelutheranchurch.org.

January Sunday School Service Project

On January 21st & 28th the Sunday school children and families dipped 200 spoons in white chocolate and crushed peppermint candies to add to a treat bag along with hot cocoa, marshmallows and a kit-kat bar. The treat bags are going to be given to the West Allis Police department as a thank you for everything they do for our community.

On Sunday, February 4th, my brother Jeff Zientek and his canine partner of the West Allis Police department will come to the 10:00 a.m. service so the children can present him with the treat bags. I am very proud of our Sunday school children and the dedication of their families to keep Christ in their daily lives through our monthly

service projects. A big thank you to those who donated items for the treat bags!

Attention all Sunday School Parents and Guardians: Please join Pastor Brian and myself on Sunday, February 11 after the 10 a.m. service for a meeting to discuss ideas and thoughts about the direction of the Sunday school program for next Fall. If you are unable to attend the meeting on February 11, Pastor Brian will hold a second meeting on February 18. We would like to have as much input from all of you as possible to make the program even better. Please email (sundayschool@mounthopelutheranchurch.org) or text (414-899-1558) to let me know which date you can attend. Thank you.

Colleen Hammerer
Sunday School Director

WORSHIP

Ash Wednesday is February 14. Worship services are at 12:00 p.m. in the Chapel, and 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Soup supper at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. See the insert for Lenten schedule.

LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS

Volunteers are needed to help with soup suppers starting on Ash Wednesday, February 14. We need volunteers to make soup, serve and clean up. Sign up in the Fireside Room or contact Gen Czaplowski at 414-543-8569.

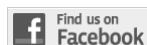
HOPE CLOSET MINISTRY

Have you been thinking you would like to know more about how the Hope Closet works? We are offering a special workshop to see firsthand how we process clothing, how clothing is distributed to our Hope Closet families, and what is involved in keeping the closet running smoothly. This workshop will include a brief orientation and some hands-on experience. It's a perfect opportunity for those who want to "try it out" before volunteering, or for those who

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don't have time to volunteer right now, but would like to know more about this ministry. Join us--on **Sunday, February 11 following the 10:00 a.m. service.** We will meet in the Hope Closet area for 45-60 minutes shortly after the 10:00 service ends.

HEALTH CABINET

Blood Pressure Screening is next weekend. Come to the Parish Nurse's office (Rm. 210) before or after worship services.

BOOK CLUB

The book club choice for February is "Small Great Things" by Jodi Picoult. The book club meets the third Wednesday of the month, February 21, at 1:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. All are welcome to attend.

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

Interested in joining Mt. Hope? We invite you to a special breakfast for new and newer members on **Saturday, February 24**, 9:00 to 10:00am at church. This meal is to formally introduce you to our church, and for us to get each other a bit better. For those of you who are interested in joining Mt. Hope, this will be a chance to do so and learn more about us and our mission. Then on the following **Sunday, February 25** we will have a formal introduction and new member installation at our services at 8:30 and 10:00 a.m. The installation will be at the end of the first service and at the beginning of the second service. Please contact Pastor Brian with any questions.

IN OUR PRAYERS

The Holy Baptism of Hayes Alexander Wagner, son of Rick and Kirstin Wagner, on Sunday February 4 at 10:00 a.m. Sponsors are Katelyn Thompson and Bobby Wagner.
Continuing concerns: Austyn, Jane Bereiter, Irene Brandies, Luellen Breed, Carol Dethloff, Brian Dombrowski, Glenn Forrest, Guy Gjefle, Lin Grieshaber, Joyce Gyllenberg, Lynn Hagerty, Gale Hendrickson, John Hoeting, Jamie, Glen Jones, Lorin Jones, Dorothy Kimpel, Irene Kotlarek, Iris Michelson, Tom Michelson, Sandra Moschetz, Paula Nurse,

Sandy Romanski, Randy Szyba, Daniel Wood, Sue Wood, Ziolecki Family.

In the military: Keegan Dentici, Jeff Foti, Greg Hastings, Natalie Nelson, Troy Nieland, Devin Paulson, George Santiago, Michael Strelow, Sawyer Wickersham. **Deployed:** Tai Chao.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, February 4th - Scout Sunday

Mission Team: Sub pick up before/after services

8:30 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

8:45 a.m. Instrumental Ensemble

9:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship (Fireside)

10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

6:30 p.m. High School Youth: Brewing the Faith

Monday, February 5th

Tuesday, February 6th

7:30 a.m. Women's B'fast Group (Michael's)

7:30 p.m. Milwaukee Festival Chorus

Wednesday, February 7th

9:00 a.m. Quilter's Group (Youth Room)

6:30 p.m. Ministries Board (202)

6:00 p.m. Praise Band (Sanctuary)

6:30 p.m. Youth Planning

7:00 p.m. Hope Choir (Chapel)

Thursday, February 8th

1:00 p.m. Bible Study (202)

3:00 p.m. Hope Closet & Hope Food Pantry: Open for Clients

6:00 p.m. WISH Support Group (202)

6:30 p.m. Bell Choir (Sanctuary)

Friday, February 9th

Saturday, February 10th

10:00 a.m. Hope Closet & Hope Food Pantry: Open for Clients

1:00 p.m. Mission Team: Wave Game

5:00 p.m. Blood Pressure Check (202/210)

5:30 p.m. Worship (Chapel)

6:15 p.m. Blood Pressure Check (202/210)

Sunday, February 11th

8:30 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

9:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship (Fireside)

9:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Check (202/210)

10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Confirmation Class

11:00 a.m. Hope Closet Workshop

11:00 a.m. Sunday School Planning Mtg.

11:00 a.m. Blood Pressure Check (202/210)