

Mount Hope Happenings

November 24-25, 2018

THIS WEEKEND

Coffee hour - Join us in the Fireside Room between services for coffee, treats and fellowship. Coffee Hour is from all of Mount Hope, for Pastor Brian and Cindy.

Altar flowers are given by Keith and Sandy Paukner in loving memory of Dorothy and Katherine Paukner; and given by Dale Oistad in loving memory of Ginny Oistad.

FAREWELL PASTOR BRIAN

Pastor Brian has accepted a call to serve at St. John's Lutheran Church in Brookfield. Today is his last Sunday at Mt. Hope, and November 30 will be his last day in the office.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Today's Sunday School schedule:

- Bible Bang
- 9:00 a.m. Family Service Project:
Blankets for Hope Closet

We welcome all children ages 3—5th grade on Sundays at 10:00 a.m. For information contact Christine at sundayschool@mounthopelutheranchurch.org.

FACILITY MAINTENANCE

Boiler Fund - The goal is \$43,000 for the boiler. We have received \$38,068 (through 11/18/18). Please make checks payable to Mt. Hope and note "Boiler Fund". Thank you!

CHRISTMAS TOYS FOR KIDS

The Christmas tree is up! We are looking for toys to place under the tree. Toys will be distributed to our Hope Closet children and to children who come to Good Samaritan. We especially need toys for older children -- such

as sports balls, Nerf toys, manicure sets, hair dryers/hair straighteners, and Lego or other building kits. Each gift will bring joy to a child who has been through some desperate circumstances. Cash or checks made out to Mt. Hope may also be dropped off in the box under the tree. Thank you in advance for spreading some Christmas joy!

ALTAR FLOWERS

The 2019 altar flower sign up is available at the church office counter. If you'd like to give altar flowers - please sign up and note any special occasion. The cost is \$25 (for two arrangements). Contact Sandy Paukner with any questions 262-782-2588.

GOLDEN MEMBER CHRISTMAS EVENT

We're asking for volunteers to assist with the Golden Member Christmas worship and luncheon on December 11th. We need transportation drivers, and volunteers to help with set up, serving, and clean up. We also need cookie bakers to provide a special treat for members to take home. See the sign up sheets in the Fireside Room. We appreciate and thank you for any help you can provide. Contact Gale Hendrickson (414-327-2882) or Sandy Alioto (414-546-1716) with questions.

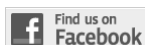
BOOK GROUP

The book club choice for December is "Little Women" by Louisa May Alcott. The book club meets the third Wednesday of the month at 1:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. All are welcome to join us.

QUILTER'S GROUP

The Quilter's Group needs clean sheets (no flannel), blankets and mattress pads, Please label donation, 'Quilter's' and include your name. **We welcome volunteers** to construct quilts. On the job training is provided. There are many jobs, machine sewing, sorting material, tying quilts, trimming and pinning mattress pads and blankets. We meet every Wednesday, 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. Contact

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website: mounthopelutheranchurch.org + email: office@mounthopelutheranchurch.org
Office hours: Monday- Friday 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.



Gale Hendrickson (414-327-2882) with questions.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED

We are in need of an offering counter. We count once a week and it usually takes about an hour. Please contact Linda Helminski if you're interested in helping out (414-321-3194 or 414-526-0044). Thank you.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Lutheran A Cappella Choir of

Milwaukee will be presenting its annual Christmas concert, "Out of Darkness...Light!" on Friday, Dec. 7th at 7:30pm and on Sunday, Dec. 9th at 3:00pm. Friday's concert will be held at Grace Lutheran Church, W196 N9525 Cross View Way, Menomonee Falls. Sunday's concert will be held at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, 1615 N. Wauwatosa Ave., Wauwatosa. Ticket prices are \$15 (\$12 for seniors and students). Details are available at www.lutheranacappella.org.

WORSHIP LEADERS

November 25: Assisting Minister: Keith Paukner; Communion prep: Kathy Toth; Communion servers: Sandy Paukner, Cathy Hinrichs, Mike Heins; Reader: Cathy Hinrichs. **December 2:** Assisting Minister: Sandy Paukner; Communion prep: Eileen Ihn; Communion servers: Bruce Malchow, Jeff and Sandy Sikich; Reader: Bruce Malchow.

IN OUR PRAYERS

The Holy Baptism of Samuel Robert Driessen, son of Aaron and Kimberly Driessen, on Saturday, November 24th. Sponsors are Tami Steiner and Robert Steiner.

Continuing concerns: Jane Bereiter, Irene Brandies, Luellen Breed, Sherry Christie, Delores Cowell, Carol Dethloff, Brian Dombrowski, Glenn Forrest, Audrey Herden, Frank Janosch, Glen Jones, Lorin Jones, Marlene Koch, James Mages, Vikki Schaal, Ron Steiner, Randy Szyba, Carol Taylor, Austyn, Tracey, Corey.

(If you'd like a name placed on the prayer list, contact Donna at 414-541-9500 or donna@mounthopelutheranchurch.org. The name

will remain on the list for two months. If concerns extend beyond that time please renew your request.)

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

THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 25th

8:30 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

9:00 a.m. Sunday School: Service Project

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

10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

Monday, November 26th

6:00 p.m. WISH Support Group (Conf. Rm.)

Tuesday, November 27th

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

7:30 p.m. Milwaukee Chorus (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, November 28th

9:00 a.m. Quilter's Group

9:30 a.m. Prayer Group

6:30 p.m. Cocaine Anonymous (Fireside)

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

Thursday, November 29th

1:00 p.m. Bible Study (Conf. Rm.)

3:00-7:30 p.m. Hope Closet & Hope Food Pantry: Open for Clients

6:30 p.m. Bell Choir

Friday, November 30th

Saturday, December 1st

10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Hope Closet & Hope Food Pantry: Open for Clients

5:30 p.m. Worship (Chapel)

Sunday, December 2nd

8:30 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

8:45 a.m. Instrumental Ensemble (Quilter's Rm.)

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

10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Ministries Board (Conf. Rm.)

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