

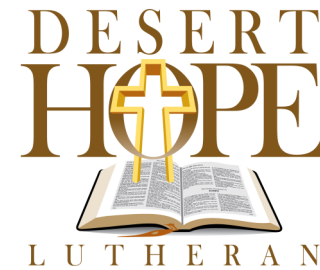
## FINANCIAL DASHBOARD

Aug-24		
2024 Actuals	Aug-24	Jan to Aug 2024
Actual Income	\$24,729.64	\$306,321.51
Actual Expenses	\$35,097.68	\$283,388.22
Income vs. Expenses	(\$10,368.04)	\$22,933.29
2024 Budget	Aug	Jan to Aug 2024
Budgeted Income	\$28,901	\$311,929
Budgeted Expenses	\$37,371	\$293,549
Income vs. Expenses	(\$8,470)	\$18,380
Average Weekly Giving	2024	2023
Aug-24	\$5,985	\$6,382
Jan to Aug 2024	\$8,811	\$7,559

*NOTE: These numbers reflect contributions to DH's regular operating budget. Designated/restricted contributions are not included.*

# Oktoberfest

**LAST DAY TO PURCHASE  
TICKETS IS  
THIS SUNDAY,  
SEPTEMBER 15TH**



**To Be Transformed as We Follow Jesus Daily,  
Leading Others to Do the Same.**

**WEEKLY WORSHIP GUIDE**  
Sunday, September 15, 2024

### **Holy Communion**

Communion every Sunday provides an opportunity to receive Christ anew in this Holy Sacrament. All who trust in Jesus for eternal life are welcome to participate. Ushers will direct you to the altar. You will be given a wafer and an individual cup of wine or white grape juice. *Gluten free wafers are also available.* Please let the ushers know if you want communion at your seat. If you are worshipping at home, gather wine or grape juice and bread and take communion during the same time.

### **Important Reminders**

- We encourage you to wear your name badge each Sunday. Wear it proudly!
- Nursery is available each Sunday at 9:15am until the end of service.
- During service, children are dismissed to attend Sunday School after the song and before the readings.
- Pick up an *Invitation to Worship card* at the Welcome Center. Pass the word of this marvelous opportunity to worship Jesus and enjoy our fellowship.

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# Desert Hope Lutheran Church

Sunday, September 15, 9:30am

Prelude  
Welcome and Announcements Pastor Kent Groethe  
Call To Worship Emma Brazzel  
Song *The Lion And The Lamb*  
Confession and Forgiveness  
Song *Come Thou Fount Of Every Blessing*  
Children Dismissed for Sunday School  
Scripture Readings (NIV)  
Acts 10:27-33  
1 Corinthians 15:3-8  
Matthew 5:43-48  
Message **“Red Flags of Religious Beliefs”**  
Pastor Kent Groethe  
Song *Gratitude*  
Prayers of the People  
Apostles’ Creed  
Offertory Emma Brazzel & Dr. Greg Silverman  
Holy Communion/Lord’s Prayer  
Song *Revelation Song*  
Communion Blessing  
Song *Glorious Day*  
Sending  
Postlude

*Church of the Week: Pathway of Hope*

**Reader:** Donna Burman

**Communion Assistants:** Donna Burman, Nancy Schaffer & Dee Allen

## Prayer Requests

**Health and Healing:** For Darrell Higman, Tina Neubaur, Don Kress and Pat Hyland.

**Comfort and Peace:** For the family & friends of Lois White.

**Protection, Wisdom and Guidance:** For the leaders of our country, all world leaders, people in countries facing outside aggression and the military and their families.

### **Prayers for Unbelieving Loved Ones**

We pray for our loved ones who do not yet know Christ that you would stir in them faith in Jesus Christ.

*Following the service, there will be Prayer Team members at the front of the Sanctuary on the right for you to receive one-on-one prayer for yourself or a loved one.*

Submit prayer requests at [www.deserthope.org](http://www.deserthope.org) or by calling the church office, 520-722-9134. *Please make sure you have permission for prayers printed in the Worship Guide.*

**Long Term & Military Prayer Lists are available on the Prayer Table. The Prayer Team prays for all those on the lists each week.**

## Worship & Special Events Calendar

**Sunday, September 15: Guest Worship Leader: Emma Brazzel**

**Sunday, September 22: New Member Sunday**

**Saturday, September 28:** Alpha, starting September 28, 9:00 AM. Contact Kees and Joanna Jongsma or Cathy Skow.

**Saturday, September 28: Oktoberfest Event, 5:00 PM—8:00 PM,** Donation of \$25.00 per person, ages 21+. **Tickets will be available Sunday at Church until September 15.** Must have a ticket to attend.

**Sunday, September 29: Guest Worship Team—Southern Comfort Band**

**Saturday, October 5:** Alpha, 9:00 AM. Contact Kees and Joanna Jongsma or Cathy Skow.

**Sunday, October 6:** City Psalms Choir Rehearsal, **6:00 PM-8:00 PM**

**Wednesday, October 9:** Voices of Hope Rehearsal, 7:15-8:30 PM

**Saturday, October 12:** Alpha, 9:00 AM. Contact Kees and Joanna Jongsma or Cathy Skow.