

Desert Hope Lutheran Church

Sunday, September 29, 9:30am

Prelude Southern Comfort Band
Old Country Church • Family Bible • I'm Living The Right Life Now

Welcome and Announcements Dr. Greg Silverman

Stewardship Message Todd Sander

Call To Worship Southern Comfort Band

Song *Swing Low, Sweet Chariot*

Confession and Forgiveness Patti Thibaut

Song *Down By The Riverside*

Children Dismissed for Sunday School

Scripture Readings (NIV)
Psalm 8
Philippians 4:4-7
Matthew 6:7-15

Message **"God Near and Far"**
Pastor Fred Baum

Songs *The Lord's Prayer*
I'll Fly Away

Prayers of the People

Apostles' Creed

Offertory *This World Is Not My Home • Just Over In Glory Land*

Holy Communion/Lord's Prayer

Song *Old Rugged Cross*

Communion Blessing

Song *Do Lord*

Sending

Postlude

Church of the Week: Doxa Church

Reader: Joanna Jongsma

Communion Assistants: Todd Sander, Dave Strong & Joanna Jongsma

Prayer Requests

Health and Healing: Bob Dillon and Gary Childs.

Protection, Wisdom and Guidance: For the restoration of the Via de Dios offices after a break-in. 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 for you to receive one-on-one prayer for yourself or a loved one.

Submit prayer requests at 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.

Worship & Special Events Calendar

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

Saturday, September 28: Oktoberfest Event, 5:00 PM—8:00 PM, Tickets are no longer available to purchase. 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.

Sunday, October 13: World Mission Sunday, Guest Speaker: Robynne, Chosen People

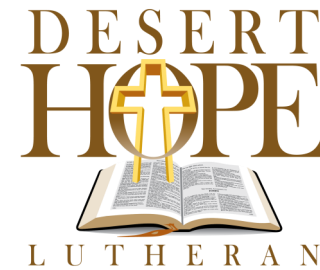
Tuesday, October 15: Voices of Hope Rehearsal, 7:15-8:30 PM

Sunday, October 20: Commitment Sunday

Wednesday, October 23: Voices of Hope Rehearsal, 7:15-8:30 PM

Bible Studies/Groups Updates

- **Prayer Team** meets Monday, 10am, Youth Room. Contact Judy Strong.
- **WOW (Women of the Word) Bible Study** meets Tuesday, 9am, via Zoom. Studying *Word of God* by reading and journaling the *Two-Year Bible Reading Plan*. Contact: Brenda McDowell.
- **Tuesday Evening Study Group** meets Tuesday, 6pm, Hope Center as they continue their study on “*John*” by John MacArthur. Contact Linda Kress.
- **Tuesday Knights Bible Study** meets Tuesday, 7pm, Hope Center as they started a 7-week lecture series on the Gospel of Mark by Professor James Tabor entitled “*Why Mark’s Gospel was Forgotten!*”. Contact Terry Bredehoft.
- **Quilters** will be on “hiatus” until further notice. Contact Lucy Dahn.
- **Thursday Morning Bible Study** meets Thursday, 9am, Francine Rienstra’s residence. Contact: Francine Rienstra at fgrienstra@gmail.com.
- **Thursday Women’s Bible Study** they will be on break through October 17. Resuming with their study on “*Ephesians*” by Jackie Hill Perry et al on October 24. Contact Amy Martin.
- **Friday AM Women’s Bible Study** meets Friday, 9:30am, Hope Center as they continue a 12 week study on “*Life Lessons from Luke*” by Max Lucado. Contact Wanda Johnson.
- **Sunday Adult Bible Study** meets Sunday, Hope Center, directly following worship and they will be finishing up the 4 week study on “*How To Love Your Neighbor*” on September 29. They will be on break October 6. Contact: Patti Thibaut for details.



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

WEEKLY WORSHIP GUIDE
Sunday, September 29, 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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