



Behold Our God!

Isaiah 40:9-25

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Notes

NURSERY

Our infant nursery is for children ages birth through 2 years old. Nursing mothers are welcome to use the infant care room; Enter through the nursery door.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children 3 years old thru KinderKids will be dismissed during the worship service.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

There is no Sunday School this morning. It will resume next Sunday, January 5.

THIS WEEK @ HOPE

TODAY

8:00 & 10:15 a.m. Prayer Time (Grace Room)
8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)
NO Sr. High Youth Group

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30

8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (Well)
9:00 a.m. Bethesda Counseling (Grace)
8:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study (Lobby)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1 - HAPPY NEW YEAR

Building Locked

GOD'S GRACE

Sunday, December 22

Attendance: 8:30 a.m.: 203, 10:45 a.m.: 216

Weekly Offering: \$32,952.00 (not including ACH giving)
(Weekly Budget Needs: \$14,491.00)

Tuesday, December 24

Attendance: 5 p.m.: 381, 7 p.m.: 229, 11 p.m.: 165

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- There is no Community Meal today. It will resume next Sunday, January 5.
- 'Tis the season for holiday cheer! Please check the message boxes for any Christmas cards or notes you may have received. The message boxes are located in the lobby near the front door, and filed according to last name.
- Year-end financial donations to the church will be received through noon on Tuesday, December 31. Donations can be dropped off at the church office.
- If you used offering envelopes in 2019 your 2020 envelopes will be available next week and can be picked up in the lobby. Due to shipping issues with the manufacturer they will not be here until tomorrow. If you haven't had offering envelopes in the past and wish to use them, they will be available in the lobby as well. The Deacons strongly encourage the use of offering envelopes, or tithe by automatic withdrawal (ACH), to ensure accurate record keeping and regular giving.
- In accordance with the Constitution of the Reformed Church in America, unless there are reasonable spiritual objections presented to the Board of Elders, Darrell Todd & Cedric Winterboer will be installed as Elders and Derek Bailey and Levi Morris will be installed as Deacons next Sunday, January 5 as they were elected at the Congregational Celebration on December 8.
- First Wednesday Prayer & Worship will be January 8 (due to the New Year's holiday on January 1). Come at 6:30 p.m. to reconnect and refocus on Jesus in the new year, and pray for our church family, community and world.
- Hope Church subscribes to RightNow Media, a streaming library with access to over 15,000 Bible Studies for small groups, families, children, students, leadership development, and much more. The content comes from over 250 top Christian publishers and ministries and is like Netflix for Christian studies. Please contact Beth Mulenburg if you would like information on how to sign up.

CHURCH FAMILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Our condolences to Dave and Betty Oltman on the passing of Dave's brother, Ralph, from time to eternity on December 21.
- Mildred Klett is in the Spencer Hospital with pneumonia.

Welcome! We are glad you have joined us for worship today!

Please indicate your presence by completing this tab and placing it in the offering basket, or in the baskets at the back of the sanctuary or balcony when you leave. **Please print.**

Name(s): _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

- This is my home church
- This is updated information
- I'm visiting from out of town
- I'm looking for a church
- I'd like the pastor to call
- 1st Visit 2nd Visit 3rd+ Visit

New here at Hope Church?

Stop by the Guest Services desk for a welcome gift from us!

I would like more information about...

- Assisting with food/helping at funerals
- Children Ministries
- Coffee Team
- Design Team (seasonal decorating)
- Feed Our Children (backpack ministry)
- Greeter Team
- Library Team
- Missions Team
- Nursery Team
- Prayers & Squares (quilting ministry)
- Prayer Ministry Team
- Property & Grounds Team
- Sunday Community Meal Team
- Small Groups
- Take Them A Meal (meal ministry)
- Technology Team
- Usher Team
- Visitation Team
- Worship/Music Ministries
- Youth Ministries

A security person is on duty this morning.