



Led by the Light

Shepherds

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Notes

NURSERY

The nursery is closed temporarily. Nursing mothers are welcome to use the infant care room.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children's Church is not offered at this time.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School in our building is temporarily on hold. It will resume in January.

THIS WEEK @ HOPE

TODAY

8:30 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)
9:45 a.m. Congregational Meeting (Harbor)
10:45 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15

9:00 a.m. Bethesda Counseling (Grace)
10:15 a.m. Staff Meeting (Lobby)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16

9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Study (Well) - coffee @ 9
5:30 p.m. Feed Our Children (Well)
7:00 p.m. Worship Team (Sanctuary)

CHURCH FAMILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Our condolences to Angie & John Hameister and family on the passing of Angie's father, Eugene Johnson of Spencer, from time to eternity on December 6.
- LaVern (Joe) Hamrick was admitted to the Spencer Hospital on December 7 for Covid.
- Keith Swancutt is in the Sioux Falls Heart Hospital after experiencing a heart attack.

GOD'S GRACE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6

Attendance: 8:30 a.m.: 105 10:45 a.m.: 50

November Giving: \$61,570.35
(Monthly Budget Needs: \$65,444.00)

A security person is on duty this morning.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- All confessing members of Hope Church are invited to our annual Congregational Celebration this morning at 9:45 a.m. (in between the two worship services) in the Harbor. We will be celebrating what God has done in 2020, look ahead at 2021, and participate in the selection of new church officers by the drawing of lots. Elder nominees are Barry Anderson, Arvin Druvenga, Jim Hill and Doug Van Hofwegen. Deacon nominees are Alex Johnson, Luke Lovin, Eric Meeter and Eric Van Der Heide. Agendas are available on the table in the lobby.
- Craig's Christmas Mix/Holiday Playlist is available on Spotify or Apple Music if you would like to enjoy a digital copy.
- Everyone is invited to join us in on Christmas Eve at one of our three in-person worship services at 5:00 p.m. (masks required), 7:00 p.m. (masks required) or 11:00 p.m. (masks optional) in the Sanctuary. Nursery will not be provided.
- If you used offering envelopes in 2020 your 2021 envelopes are available to pick up in the lobby. If you haven't had offering envelopes in the past and wish to use them, they are 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. If you wish to tithe ACH, please contact a Deacon or the church office.
- Everyone is invited to participate in Dough Holy Night, a deliciously-fun experience with the true meaning of Christmas baked in. Gather in your kitchen at your convenience, provide the simple baking ingredients, and press play on the interactive video. Sign up through this link or at https://hopechurchspencer.breezechms.com/form/388f0a to receive free access to the online video. This fun experience is designed for everyone to praise Jesus while eating cookies and discover the ingredients that made the first Christmas ever so sweet!
- Join Sarah Kerns each evening at 7:00 p.m. through Christmas on Hope Kids FaceBook live for a short bedtime story. This is perfect for busy families to take a moment to hear the whole Christmas story - how Jesus was promised from the garden, and everything we learn after that just points us to Him.

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