

Hope Lutheran

218 W. 18th Street, South Sioux City, NE 68776

Website: Hopelutheranssc.com Telephone: 402-494-1847

Just a couple of reminders,

Hospital Visits: Due to federal hospital regulations, HIPPA, hospitals and care centers can only contact the church if you or your family give them permission or directions to do so. There is no way that Pastor can contact all facilities on a regular basis unless he knows of someone is admitted. Please leave message on the answering machine at the church as well as Pastor does have voice mail on his cell phone. If you should be hospitalized and do not receive a visit within 24 hours after contacting the church, please do so again because for whatever reason possibly the message has not been received. Church: 402-494-1847 or Pastor: 402-368-9929.

Prayer List: Please help us keep our prayer list updated by informing us graciously when names need to be added and removed. If we have taken off names that you would like for us to continue to remember in prayer please graciously inform us. Thanks

Online Contributions: The church is now offering online contributions. If anyone is interested in contributing online please contact the secretary at the church, if you have any questions or if you are interested. We will have forms you can fill out at the church. Any amount can be contributed and on the day you specify. Contact church at 402-494-1847. Thank you.

Address Updates: If anyone has a change of address, email address or phone number, please let Terry Koebernick @ koeb@cableone.net. If we have your correct information, we will be able to contact you if need be. We do not give out any information because we do respect everyone's privacy.



Upcoming Events:

June 14

Flag Day

June 16

Father's Day

June 21

First Day of Summer

June 30

4:00PM

Paul Flo Ordination & Installation

Office Hours:

Monday 9AM-1PM

Tuesday 9AM-2PM

Wednesday 9AM-1PM

Thursday 9AM-2PM

Friday 9AM-3PM

Church email:

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Pastor Michael Awe:

402-368-9929

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The1revma@gmail.com

Pastor Henry Witte:

712-202-4751

Email:

Handrwitte@gmail.com



VOTERS MEETING:

A reminder to all member of Hope Lutheran that there is a Voters Meeting held every 3rd Tuesday of each month. The meetings begin as 7:00PM in the Educational Building. We need everyone’s input. All Chairpersons must attend.

SORRY IF WE MISSED YOUR BIRTHDAY:

If we do not have your birthday on our list of birthdays for each month, please let the church office know so your birthday can be added.

ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

No food or drinks are allowed in the church per the Trustees.



2019 Lamplighters Meeting Schedule

9:30AM-11:00AM

First Wednesday of each month.

January 2—Hope (LSA Meeting)

February 6—Redeemer

March 6—St. Paul

April 3—Trinity (LSA Meeting)

May 1—Calvary

June 5— Concordia

July 3—Faith (LSA Meeting)

August 7—Hope

September 4—Redeemer

October 2—St. Paul (LSA Meeting)

November 6—Trinity

December 5—Calvary

January 2, 2020— Concordia (LSA Meeting)

Serving In May:

Ushers:

- 2.....Dave Schable & Kim Mast
- 9.....Russ Messerschmidt &Jeremy Pearce
- 16.....Gerald Barge & Steve Koch
- 23.....Kevin Diediker &Darwyn Glover
- 30.....Daryl Daum & Dave Calvert

Altar Care:

-Pat Glover
-Sandi Mallette

Greeters:

- 2.....Mr. & Mrs. Terry Koebernick
- 9.....Kathy Koch
- 16.....Mr. & Mrs. Vern Cummins
- 23.....Clarrene Leffler
- 30.....Clarrene Leffler

Altar Flowers:

- 2.....Tom & Vicki Gesell
- 9.....Carl & LuAnn Petersen
- 16.....Open
- 23.....Edith Chester
- 30.....Open

Acolyte:

- 2.....Aden Ferrera
- 9.....Isaac Moreno
- 16.....Adam Hamilton
- 23.....Isaiah Anderson
- 30.....Leiton Heinemann

2019 GRADUATES

Andrew Miller

-Parents:

Darren & Jenni Miller

Jeremy Pearce

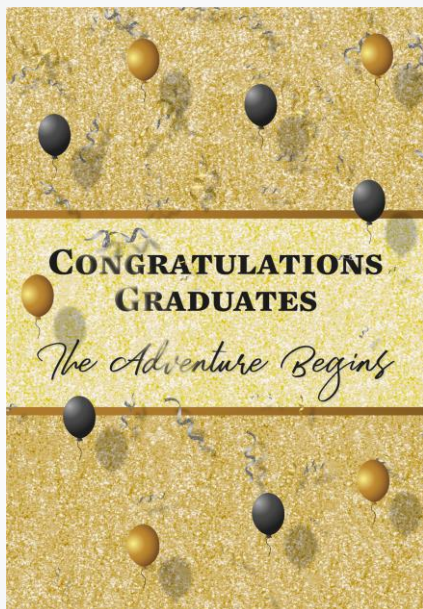
-Parent: Viola Pearce

Angel Roth

-Parent: Glenn Roth

Helen Roth

-Parent: Glenn Roth



The 2019 Calendar for altar flowers is in the Narthex. So if anyone would like to sign up for flowers, please sign your name and also what the flowers represent. Thank you

Officers

Chairman: Darwyn Glover (20)

Vice-Chairman: Robert Billiar (19)

Treasurer: Pat Glover (20)

Secretary: Sheila Floyd (19)

Financial Secretary: Cindy Quandt (19)

Boards

Elders

Kevin Diediker (19)

Doug Mallette (20)

Terry Koebernick (21)

Richard Quandt (20)

Ed Stone (19)

Robert Billiar (21)

Stewardship

Tom Gesell (20)

Ada Hunt (21)

Vern Cummins (20)

Barbee Knecht (19)

Deb Hammer (19)

Marie Wakefield (21)

Education

Katie Andersen (20)

Dawn Maslonka (21)

Mallory Calvert (20)

LuAnn Petersen (19)

Vicki Gesell (19)

Trustees

Daryl Daum (19)

Dave Schable (20)

Matt Calvert (21)

Missions

Clarrene Leffler (19)

Annette Poss (21)

Sharon Weber (19)

Wayne Westin (20)

Friendship Committee

Laverne Koebernick

Melissa Reed

Sharon Weber

Clarrene Leffler

Pat Glover

Kathy Danielson

Hispanic Ministry Committee

Dave Calvert

Clarrene Leffler

Sandy Calvert (Treasurer)

Dorothy Westin

Sharon Weber

Ed Stone

Chuck Griffin

Names that are **highlighted in bold** are the Chairpersons of each board.



ANNOUNCEMENTS | (WHAT'S HAPPENING)

- **2019 Polish Mission:** Will be July 16-30, 2019 in Radom if you are interested in going please contact Pastor Awe 402-368-9929
- **Pastor-Elect Paul Flo** is called to serve as Associate Pastor here at Hope Lutheran especially with Pastor Witte among the Hispanic Community. We praise God for this answer to our prayers.
- **The Church Boards** are looking for more new faces to fill some of the open chairs. Please give Prayerful consideration to these positions if someone from the Nominating Committee would approach you. They are not looking for an answer that very moment but would like you to Pray and Think about these positions. Remember, it takes all of us at Hope to keep the Church moving forward in a positive direction.



Hey families! Let's continue the joy and celebration of Easter! Learn even more of God's Miraculous Mission: Jesus Saves The World. Please reserve June 10-14, 2019 for Hope Lutheran's Vacation Bible School. All children ages 3-11 are invited to join in on the fun of exciting, interactive Bible stories, crafts, games, snacks and more. Each day from 9-11:30 a.m. come and journey through the galaxy and beyond as we learn about Jesus and this amazing world God has made.

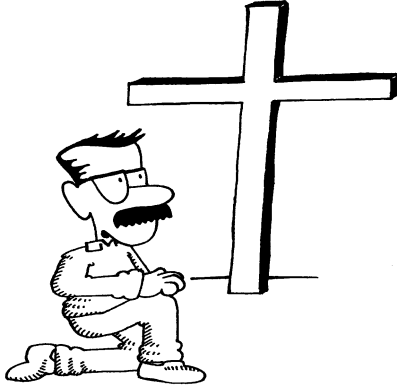
•The phone number for Doris Beckman in the Directory is not accurate. Her number is 402-632-4017. Sorry for any inconvenience.



- 1st Colleen Nobbe
- 2nd Susan Cook
- 3rd Joel Pauling
- 4th Joyce Stone
Ed Bohlman
- 5th Lance Beerman
- 6th Jake Anderson
Aaron Hilton
- 8th Maraya Griffin
- 9th Kathy Cadwell
- 10th Aaron Mast
Debi Hammer
Lucas Beatty
- 11th Dolly Parker
Terry Todd
- 14th Clara Woten
- 16th Troy Bloch
- 18th Bobbie Johnson
- 19th Brandon Durant
- 20th Rev. Ricky Jacob
Abel Bayona
Larry Nobbe
Dennis Tranmer
- 23rd Jeremy Nobbe
- 26th Dave Heinemann
Trey Pearce
- 27th Diane Barge
Justin Miller
- 28th Pam Babe
- 29th Janice Anderson
- 30th Joshua Reed

Living Wisely in an Unwise World

During this month in our worship services, we are learning how to live wisely in an unwise world. While human nature tells us that worldly fame and fortune will bring us peace and contentment, Christ tells us that fellowship with Him will fill our longings. *"But whoever drinks the water I give him will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life"* (John 4:14). Prevailing opinion urges us to look out for "Number One," but Peter exhorts us *"not [to be] greedy for money, but eager to serve"* (1 Peter 5:2). Common sense dictates that to get more, we must hoard our wealth for ourselves. Godly wisdom says, *"Freely you have received, freely give"* (Matthew 10:8).



"Life at its best" is a life with an eternal perspective. It is life nourished by Word and Sacrament. It is a life of stewardship of God's gifts and the giving back of those gifts. Please join with your fellow congregates each Sunday in our study based on *Life at its Best: Living Wisely in an Unwise World*. Go on our website www.Hopelutheranssc.com and learn about the great gifts God has given to us and how we as stewards can respond to His grace in our lives. *"And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work"* (2 Corinthians 9:8).



A HEARTY THANK-YOU TO
EACH AND EVERY CHRISTIAN FRIEND
AND FAMILY FOR THE PRAYERS,
CARDS, TEXTS, PHONE CALLS, GIFTS,
PARTIES, ETC. ON MY 80TH BIRTHDAY.

DENNIS BLOCH



CALVARY LUTHERAN PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Saturday, June 8th
8:00-11:00am

Pancakes, sausage, beverages.

There will be a free will donation to the Siouxland Soldiers organization.



May 2019 Voters Meeting

Members Present: Pat Glover, Darwyn Glover, Terry Koebernick, Laverne Koebernick, Ed Stone, Sheila Floyd, Daryl Daum, Dennis Bloch, Judy Bloch, Richard Quandt, Cindy Quandt, Dave Schable, Kathy Danielson, Sharon Weber, Katie Andersen, Robert Billiar, and Pastor Awe

Opening Prayer by Pastor Awe.

Kevin Diediker made a motion to approve the April Minutes. 2nd by Richard Quandt. Passed.

Ed Stone made a motion to approve the April Treasurer's Report. 2nd by Terry Koebernick. Passed.

Pat Glover made a motion to approve the April Financial Secretary's Report. 2nd by Laverne Koebernick. Passed.

Terry Koebernick made a motion to approve the April Individual Financial Reports. 2nd by Ed Stone. Passed.

Education: Confirmation was held May 19th, for Isaac Moreno and Adam Hamilton. Board of Ed decided to gift them personalized covers for their Bibles, engraved with their name and confirmation verse. A cake was purchased and served after church to celebrate the boys' accomplishment. Adult confirmation will be held on June 2nd. There will be 3 people receiving Confirmation. The Board of Ed is also looking for a new person to help teach catechism classes - either to teach first year or second year students (Pastor teaches third year).

Trustees: The blocks have been placed around the sign in the parking lot. This project will be complete when the rains stop. The lock on the Ed building door needs to be worked on or replaced.

Elders: Confirmation will be on Sunday, May 19. Angie will be on vacation July 15 – 19. We will seek volunteers to fill in. It was brought to the Elders' attention that the Board of Education is looking to buy/lease a copier with Memorial funds. We think it would be more cost-effective to use the main printer in the church office. Pastor Awe will be on his trip to the Congo July 4-16. Paul Flo has accepted the Divine Call to serve in our Hispanic Ministry. Date and time for Ordination/Installation yet to be determined. Elders are encouraged to attend the next group meeting of the Siouxland Hispanic Ministry Committee meeting here at Hope May 7th at 6:00pm. The Elders approved for Pastor Awe to be considered for Nebraska District Vice-president. He will pass this along to President Snow.

Stewardship: Board reviewed the "Life at Its Best" coverage with Pastor and reviewed the Hope website, weekly bulletins and newsletter notices. Board has been very pleased with the material and service messages. Board reviewed the April 2019 Financial Secretary report, bank statement and budget reports – all looked very good. The Board reviewed a "gift" contribution made to Hope for a specific cause and recommends all special donations be managed within the Memorial committee structure. The Board further recommends the Memorial committee be renamed the Memorial and Gift committee. Our next regular meeting will be **Thursday June 13 @ 4pm**. There was further discussion about having all the special donations be managed within the Memorial committee. This discussion was tabled to be worked out between the Stewardship Board and the Treasurer.

Missions: The question is "What can we do for Missions?" Two years are up for Sharon and Clarrene. Will need a new Chairman. We will be helping with VBS. Clarrene and Annette will be helping in the kitchen and Sharon will be taking pictures.

Hispanic Ministry Committee: Paul Flo has accepted the Divine Call extended by Hope. He has one more class to take that will extend into June. Our committee is putting together a packet to send to Mr. Flo containing information about Sioux City, South Sioux City and the Siouxland area. We are working with PALS. No new updates from the Treasurer. Pastor Witte reports that his search for a summer Intern is ongoing. ESL potluck is May 13 at 6:00PM. The students and

instructors will have a work project on May 16 in the Education Building to prepare for the new flooring to be installed. Pastor Witte will also have a family Bible study on May 20. HMC will meet again on May 23 at 7:30.

Ordination and Installation will be June 30, 4:00 PM at Hope. Pastor Witte has invited Carlos Hernandez from California to be a guest speaker in October. Pastor Witte has submitted paperwork to get a summer intern. Next Siouxland HMC Group meeting will be May 28, 6:00pm.

Friendship Committee: We helped with the rib fest held on May 5th. We checked with the VBS chairman and got numbers to order T-Shirts for about 90 children. Should be an exciting year! We are looking forward to helping orient Paul Flo when he arrives. We will be hosting SSC Chamber Coffee hour on Friday, May 24th from 9:30-10:30 a.m. All help is appreciated.

President's Report: Thank you for coming. Everyone is working hard. Please keep up the good work. We will get through all these projects.

Pastor's Report: Easter services went well. Gave us information about the Nebraska District Vice President vacancy. His name has been submitted, and it will not affect his responsibilities at Hope if he gets this position. He was also asked to be the Pastoral advisor for LWML. With everything else, he had to turn that position down.

Old Business: Will be scheduling a time to install the cold air returns in the rooms and east hall wing. Will also get everything ready for June 15th and call for help to remove and install tile floor on the east side of the Ed. building. Katie's report on the sound equipment was put on hold till next month.

New Business: The gutter on the Ed building and the church downspouts have been approved for replacing. A motion by Richard Quandt and 2nd by Terry Koebernick to have the gutter people put on a gutter apron while they are replacing the gutter. Passed. Security key and intercom system put on hold. Waiting for more information. The nominating committee did a fine job on getting names for the ballot. There are still open positions that need to be filed. Take this ballot home and try to put in names that could possibly fill these positions. This will be voted on in June and installation will be July 7th. The 5 sound proof doors and 1 regular door will be here sometime in June. By the next meeting we will get the cost to install the doors. Due to being sound proof doors and the warranty, it is recommended that they be installed by an experienced installer. A motion by Kevin Diediker and 2nd by Richard Quandt to have Don Curry speak about the Gideons. Passed. This will be sometime in the fall.

Meeting Adjourned with the Lord's Prayer. Sheila Floyd, Secretary

NOMINATING COMMITTEE BOARDS

ELECTION—2019

President: Darwyn Glover (20)

Treasurer: Pat Glover (20)

Vice-President: _____(21)

Secretary: Sheila Floyd _____(21)

Financial Secretary: Cindy Quandt _____(21)

(6) Elders

1. Richard Quandt (20)

2. Doug Mallette (20)

3. Terry Koebernick (21)

4. Robert Billiar (21)

5. Ed Stone _____(22)

6. **Kevin Diediker** _____(22)

(6) Stewardship

1. **Tom Gesell (20)**

2. Vern Cummins (20)

3. Marie Wakefield (21)

4. Ada Hunt (21)

5. _____(22)

6. _____(22)

(3) Trustees:

1. Dave Schable (20)

2. Matt Calvert (21)

3. **Daryl Daum** _____(22)

(6) Education:

1. **Katie Andersen (20)**
2. Mallory Calvert (20)
3. Jo Diediker (21)
4. _____ (21)
5. Vicki Gesell _____ (22)
6. LuAnn Petersen _____ (22)

(6) Missions:

1. _____ (20)
2. _____ (20)
3. Annette Poss (21)
4. _____ (21)
5. _____ (22)
6. _____ (22)

Hispanic Ministry Committee:

1. ***Dave Calvert (Chairman)**
2. Clarrene Leffler
3. ***Sandy Clavert (Treasurer)**
4. Dorthy Westin
5. Sharon Weber
6. Ed Stone
7. Chuck Griffin

Friendship Committee:

1. ***Laverne Koebernick (Chairman)**
2. Melissa Reed
3. Sharon Weber
4. Clarrene Leffler
5. Pat Glover
6. Kathy Danielson