

**Gospel Reading: Luke 5: 1-11**

**Sermon: “Humble Sinners”**

**Rev. Dr. Brian Jones**

**Prayers for the People/The Lord’s Prayer**

**\*Sermon Hymn:** “Here I Am, Lord” (Blue #525/Screen)

**\*Affirmation of Faith/The Apostles’ Creed**

**Offering/Offertory:** “Jesus Lead Me Near The Cross” Handbells

**\*Doxology** (Blue #592/Screen)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*Closing Hymn:** “Be Thou My Vision” (Blue #339/Screen)

**\*Charge/Benediction:** “Aaron’s Blessing” Rev. Dr. Brian Jones/Cong. Echo

**Postlude** **Maggie**

## Hope Presbyterian Church

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**Sunday, February 9, 2025**

9:15 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship  
10:00 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary - Communion  
(On Facebook Live & KGLH Radio 96.9)



**As a community of Christ, Hope Presbyterian Church demonstrates the good news of God’s love, grace and hope.**

- *We build relationships with one another in order that we might strengthen our ability to love God and love others.*
- *Visitors, youth and children are welcome to participate in worship, Bible Study, spiritual development opportunities, prayer, and service.*

*God is here and welcomes you! If you are a visitor and are looking for a church home, be assured you are welcome and needed at Hope Presbyterian Church. We are a people who seek to respond to God's love in Christ and we invite you to join us.*

*Please be advised that our sanctuary worship service is on Facebook Live and taped for television broadcast, aired on Channel 18 (Windstream Cable) and Channel 181 (Charter Cable) on Sundays (2:30 pm), Tuesdays (11:30 am and 8:30 pm), and Thursdays (8:00 am and 5:00 pm).*

**\*(Please stand as you are able)**

**Prelude**

**Maggie Harp**

**Welcome**

**Opening Song:** "I Love You, Lord" (Sing the Faith #2068/Screen)

**\*Call to Worship**

**Lay Reader: Sue Block**

One: We have come from different backgrounds on various roads to get here.

**ALL: But we are all here seeking an experience of the holy.**

One: Listen for the promise of God's steadfast love and God's faithfulness.

**ALL: We are listening for God's call in our lives.**

**\*Morning Prayer**

One: Holy One, earth and heaven reverberate with your glory, and humans and angels alike sing your praises. Open our minds to your breathtaking work in the world, even as you call us to spread the good news of Jesus Christ, our mentor and savior, in whose name we pray.

**ALL: Amen.**

**\*Hymn of Praise:**

"O Worship the King All Glorious Above"  
(Blue Hymnal #476/Screen)

**\*Prayer of Confession**

**ALL: O God, though we walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve and deliver us. Though our lips are not clean, and our hearts are not pure, you call us.**

**Forgive us, we pray, when we wander away from you, lost and at risk. Forgive us when our lives do not reflect your glory and the purposes you intend. Help us to comprehend your ways in the world. We long to feel your grace and glory, for in you, Emmanuel, we can be healed and set free; in Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.**

**\*Assurance of Forgiveness**

**\*Gloria Patri** (Screen)

**\*Passing of the Peace** (Let us share Christ's peace by greeting each other)

**Announcements/Prayer Concerns/Joys**

**Special Music:** "The Savior's Cross" Handbells

**Children's Sermon**

**Response:** "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying" (Sing the Faith #2193/Screen)

**Prayer for Illumination**

One: God of steadfast love and faithfulness, you have lifted up your name and your word above everything. By the power of your Holy Spirit, help us to hear your word with understanding, so that in our speech and actions, we may lift up your name above all things; in Jesus' name we ask it.

**ALL: Amen.**

**Responsive Reading: Psalm 138**

1 I give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart;  
before the gods I sing your praise;

2 **I bow down towards your holy temple  
and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness;  
for you have exalted your name and your word  
above everything.**

3 On the day I called, you answered me,  
you increased my strength of soul.

4 **All the kings of the earth shall praise you, O Lord,  
for they have heard the words of your mouth.**

5 They shall sing of the ways of the Lord,  
for great is the glory of the Lord.

6 **For though the Lord is high, he regards the lowly;  
but the haughty he perceives from far away.**

7 Though I walk in the midst of trouble,  
you preserve me against the wrath of my enemies;  
you stretch out your hand,  
and your right hand delivers me.

8 **The Lord will fulfil his purpose for me;  
your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever.  
Do not forsake the work of your hands.**

## HOSPITALITY SERVANTS

### **Coffee Servers**

**February 9: Nancy Birkeland**

**February 16: Julie & Bob Ehrlich**

### **Ushers**

**February 9: Harold & Jonelle Foreman, Clara O'Connor & Jill Gau**

**February 16: (open)**

**\*\*\*Please sign up on the sheets in the Fellowship Hall (by the library) to usher or lay read. Thank You!**

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

### **Lay Readers**

**February 9: Sue Block**

**February 16: Jeff Wersal**

**Sound Operators:** Pete Bratberg, Duane Taatjes, Daryl Taatjes, Wally Titus

**Video Operators:** Carter Taatjes, Pete Bratberg, Wally Titus, Daryl Taatjes,  
& Barry Sampson

**Screen Operators:** Stephanie Bents, Sherry Bratsch, Jerry Bents

**Radio Operators:** Harold Foreman, Daryl Taatjes, Duane Taatjes

## HOPE HAPPENINGS!

### **CARE Pantry Challenge: February is....Body Wash**

Please leave your donations on the table by the mailboxes. Thanks!

Any product at any time is greatly appreciated!

### **Fun Day Sunday at the River of Hope Youth Center**

The Fun Day last Sunday was postponed. Stay tuned for the new date.

### **Souper Bowl for Belize TODAY after worship**

Please join us for soup, bread and dessert-all made by the participants going to Belize! It will be a free-will donation with proceeds going towards expenses for the mission trip. Stay after worship and enjoy dinner with us!

### **Masterworks**

The Willmar Area Symphonic Orchestra presents "Masterworks" on Sunday, Marh 2<sup>nd</sup> at 3:00 pm at the WEAC in Willmar. Conversation with the Director will be held at 2:30 pm. Joshua Pierskalla on viola, performing Telemann's "Viola Concerto in G Major". Also performing works by Beethoven, Martines, Hayden, and Bologne. Cost: \$15 for adults. Kids 18 and under are free. Tickets available at the door.

**THIS WEEK AT HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

February 9 (Sunday) 9:15 a.m. Coffee  
10:00 a.m. Worship (Also Facebook Live and Radio)  
11:00 a.m. Souper Bowl for Belize-Free-will Donation

February 10 (Monday) 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Conversation  
6:30 p.m. Mission Committee Meeting

February 11 (Tuesday) 3:30 p.m. CARE Pantry Shopping with TAG  
6:00 p.m. Tuesday's Table at NL Evang. Covenant Church

February 12 (Wednesday) 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Conversation  
5:15 p.m. Meatball Supper Planning Meeting  
6:15 p.m. WOW  
6:30 p.m. TAG  
7:15 p.m. Choir

February 13 (Thursday)

February 14 (Friday) Happy Valentine's Day!

February 15 (Saturday) 7:00 p.m. AA

February 16 (Sunday) 9:15 a.m. Coffee  
10:00 a.m. Worship (Also Facebook Live and Radio)

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**\*Denotes New**

**Members with Health Issues:**

\*Allison Bratsch, Sharon Jones, Frank & Shelly Peralta, Velda Jones, Elroy Jones, Darlene Thompson, Bob Hinderks

**Family and Friends with Health Issues:**

Etta Holmgren (Charlotte DeLong's neighbor) Lisa Swanson  
Kim (Friend of Jeff Lamphere) Dale & Barb (Friends of Karen Hagemeyer)  
Dick Bratsch (Larry's brother)

**Grieving:**

\*Family of Christine "Chris" Johnson, Family of Bennett Jergenson (Jonelle Foreman's Uncle), Family of Ardyce Hegstrom, Family of David Redepenning (Son-in-law of Kathryn Frazee)

**Care Facilities:**

Jerry Gault (Prairie Senior Cottages, 1705 19<sup>th</sup> Ave. SW-Willmar), Shar Williams (Carris Health Care Center, 1801 Willmar Ave. SW), David Carlson (Bethesda North Pointe), Jeanette Gault (GlenOaks), Betty Harder (Bethesda North Pointe), Barb Morris (Copperleaf in Willmar), Mary Lou Swart (Bethesda North Pointe)

**Other Concerns:**

For those dealing with mental health issues and who struggle with addiction  
For those deeply wounded by domestic violence  
For those grieving the death and injury of a loved one due to violence and war  
For those affected by natural disasters, COVID-19

**Please Note\*\*** If you have a prayer request, please fill out the prayer request card from the ushers and return it to them, which will be given to Pastor Brian.

**February Deacons of the Month: Julie & Bob Ehrlich**