

Epistle Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

Gospel Reading: Luke 4:14-21

Sermon: “Inauguration”

Rev. Dr. Brian Jones

New Officers Installation

Session: (Installed) Jerry Bents, Larry Bratsch & Howard Jones

Deacons: (Installed) Gaylord Lind & Greg Swenson
(Ordained & Installed) Jackie Wahl & Jason Windingstad

Prayers for the People/The Lord’s Prayer

Sermon Hymn: “Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts” (Blue Hymnal #510/Screen)

***Affirmation of Faith/The Apostles’ Creed** (Screen)

ALL: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offering/Offertory: “Love Grows Here” Adult Choir

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

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Closing Hymn:** “What a Friend We Have in Jesus” (Blue Hymnal #403/Screen)

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

Postlude Maggie

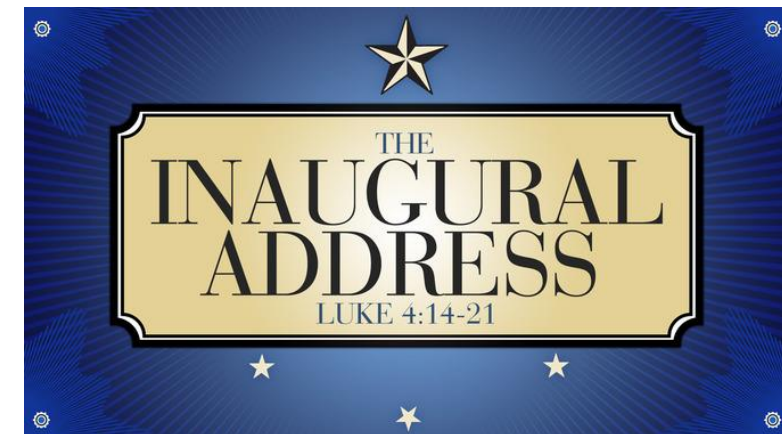
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Sunday, January 26, 2025

9:15 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship
10:00 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary
(On Facebook Live & KGLH Radio 96.9)
11:00 a.m. Annual Meeting
followed by a potluck meal



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: "Spirit Song"

(Screen)

***Call to Worship**

Lay Reader: Larry Bratsch

One: God built the heavens, the earth, and everything in them.

ALL: God calls us to be builders as well.

One: God calls us to build our lives:

ALL: To restore broken places and continue to grow.

One: God calls us to build our faith:

ALL: To study the Word and ponder its interpretation.

One: God calls us to build our community:

ALL: To build bridges of understanding and systems of justice.

One: God calls us to build history by fulfilling the promises of Scripture:

ALL: To preach the good news of God's love and liberation for all people.

***Morning Prayer**

One: Holy One, we thank you for the gift of the Bible, for its psalms and poems, myths and stories, histories, teachings, and prophecies. May the Holy Spirit who called out those ancient writings continue to call us out today, so that our lives may reflect the first sermon of Jesus, our crucified and risen Christ, who brings good news to the poor and lets the oppressed go free. In Jesus' name we pray.

ALL: Amen.

***Hymn of Praise:** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

(Blue Hymnal #464/Screen)

***Prayer of Confession**

ALL: God of our restoration, whenever we come home to you, we realize how far we have strayed and how much we have forgotten of your law and your love. We have not loved you with our whole hearts or loved our neighbors as

ourselves. Forgive us, heal us, and restore us to our relationship with you; through Jesus Christ, in whom we trust. Amen.

***Assurance of Forgiveness**

***Gloria Patri**

Glory be-to the Father, Glory be-to the Son, Glo...ry be-to the Holy Ghost. (Repeat)
As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, World without end, World without end. A...men. A...men.

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

Announcements/Prayer Concerns/Joys

Special Music: "Let There be Love"

Adult Choir

Children's Sermon

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

Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place; Lord, listen to your children praying, send us love, send us power, send us grace. (Repeat)

Prayer for Illumination

One: Just as we see your wisdom and glory in nature around us, God, may we hear your Word for us in the words of these readings, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit we may be drawn closer to you. Through your great preacher, Jesus Christ, we pray.

ALL: Amen.

Responsive Reading: Psalm 19:1-6

¹ The heavens are telling the glory of God;

and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.

² **Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge.**

³ There is no speech, nor are there words; their voice is not heard;

⁴ **yet their voice goes out through all the earth,
and their words to the end of the world.**

In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun,

⁵ which comes out like a bridegroom from his wedding canopy,
and like a strong man runs its course with joy.

⁶ **Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them;
and nothing is hidden from its heat.**

HOSPITALITY SERVANTS

Coffee Servers

January 26: Kelli & Matt Haglund

February 2: Jonelle & Harold Foreman

Ushers

January 26: Jason & Liz Windingstad, Greg Swenson & Wade Swenson

February 2: ****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

January 26: Larry Bratsch

February 2: Jonelle Foreman

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: January is...Toothpaste, Toothbrushes & Mouthwash
February is....Body Wash**

Please leave your donations on the table by the mailboxes. Thanks!
Any product at any time is greatly appreciated!

Annual Meeting today

Please plan to attend our annual meeting today after worship. A **potluck meal** will follow the meeting. Look for the annual report in your church mailboxes!

Card Shower

It's Kathryn Frazee's 80th birthday on February 13th. Her family wishes to make this birthday a memorable one by showering her with cards to open on her special day! Please send a card with memories dear, include well wishes with an old photo or two, or share words of gratitude; it's really all up to you! Please mail your card **by February 1st** to: Kathryn Frazee 3307 122nd Ave. East Edgewood, WA 98372. Her family thanks you for being a part of her special day!

Fun Day at the River of Hope Youth Center

Sunday, February 2 from 4:00-5:30

Food Provided

All youth and families are welcome!

Bring a friend!!

Fun inside playing games or fun in the snow if we have some!

Bring your sleds and outdoor clothing if we have snow.



THIS WEEK AT HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

January 26
(Sunday) 8:50 a.m. Handbells Practice
9:15 a.m. Coffee
10:00 a.m. Worship (Also Facebook Live and Radio)
11:00 a.m. Annual Meeting with Potluck to follow

January 27
(Monday) 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Conversation

January 28
(Tuesday) 6:00 p.m. Tuesday's Table at Peace Lutheran Church
7:00 p.m. Ruling Elder Training (per Zoom)

January 29
(Wednesday) 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Conversation
6:15 p.m. WOW
6:30 p.m. TAG
7:15 p.m. Choir

January 30
(Thursday)

January 31
(Friday) Office Closed

February 1
(Saturday) 7:00 p.m. AA

February 2
(Sunday) 8:50 a.m. Handbells Practice
9:15 a.m. Coffee
10:00 a.m. Worship (Also Facebook Live and Radio)
4:00 p.m. FUN Day at Youth Center

PRAYER REQUESTS

*Denotes New

Members with Health Issues:

Frank & Shelly Peralta, Velda Jones, Elroy Jones, Darlene Thompson, Bob Hinderks

Family and Friends with Health Issues:

Isabelle McBride (Skylar King's cousin)

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 Ardyce Hegstrom, Family of David Redepenning (Son-in-law of Kathryn Frazee), Family of Judy Heath, Family of Delroy Haverly

Care Facilities:

Jerry Gault (Prairie Senior Cottages, 1705 19th 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.

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