

**ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD
SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

9:30 a.m. January 14, 2018

WELCOME AND TIME OF GREETING

PRELUDE "If You But Trust in God to Guide You" Bradley Sowash
Philip King, Organist

CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

Leader: Sing to the Lord a new song;
People: Sing to the Lord, all the earth.
Leader: The Lord is about to do a new thing.
People: Speak, O God, for your servants are listening.
Leader: Let us worship God.

*HYMN 625 "O Lord My God, How Great Thou Art"

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

God our Savior, we confess that we fail to live in your light.
You have searched for us, and yet we hide from you.
You have lavished us with blessing, and yet we treasure earthly things.
Forgive us, God of Grace. Let the mystery of your saving love be revealed,
even in our lives, according to your eternal purpose;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: Those who trust in God will renew their strength.
They will run and not be weary, they will walk and not grow faint.
In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!
People: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S TIME

JOYS AND CONCERNS

INTERLUDE "Be Thou My Vision" arr. Dan Forrest/Wagner

PASTORAL PRAYER

ANTHEM "Come Down, Lord" Stan Pethel
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 Pew Bible, Pages 773-774

GIVING THANKS WITH OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS Elder David Akers

OFFERTORY "You Are Mine" arr. Matthew H. Corl

*RESPONSE HYMN 606 "Doxology"

**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

SCRIPTURE READING John 1: 43-51 Pew Bible, Pages 1290-1291

SERMON "CALLED" Reverend Owen Carriker

SUNDAY AT HOPE

CHILDREN'S CHURCH is a time for children ages 4 through 6 to gather and share the scripture which the adults will be sharing in worship. Children will leave after the "Time for Children" for Children's Church or for the Nursery (up to 4 years of age).

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL after worship at 10:40 a.m. in the Sunset Room.

YOUTH OF HOPE meet TODAY at 4 p.m. in the Youth Room.

LAST PHOTO SESSION FOR CHURCH DIRECTORY — Last sign up is TODAY immediately following the Worship Service at the tables in front of Fellowship Hall. Or call the church office on Monday, January 15. **Photography Dates: Monday, January 22 and Tuesday, January 23** from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thank you!

FELLOWSHIP DINNER

Thursday, January 18 — 5:30 p.m. — Fellowship Hall

Menu: Garden salad, Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, dinner rolls, coffee, tea and dessert

Cost: \$10 (Adults), Kids 12 and under—Free! But everyone needs a ticket!
Tickets available **TODAY!**

The King's Brass in Concert



Thursday, January 18 — 7 p.m.—Hope Church Sanctuary

Free Admission — A love offering will be taken.

**MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 2018
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. National Holiday
Church Office and Schools Closed**

UPCOMING EVENTS

"Study of Isaiah" Bible Study Class **Monday, January 15** at 6:30 p.m. and then repeats on **Thursday, January 18** at 10:30 a.m. in the Sunset Room. Questions? E-mail Reverend Carriker: owen@hopepreswh.org.

Hope's Book Club meets **Monday, January 15** at 10 a.m. in the Sunset Room. This month's selection, "A Year in Provence" by Peter Mayle will be discussed. Visitors and newcomers welcome. A listing of the 2018 monthly book selections is available in the information racks in the narthex. Any questions, please contact Marsha Long, (863) 651-6967. Thank you!

"The Shack Study" **Tuesday, January 16** at 7 p.m. in the Adult Library. Questions? Please contact Julie: julie@hopepreswh.org.

Willows of Hope (Singles and Widows) will meet **Wednesday, January 17** at Ruby Tuesday's at 12:30 p.m. Please RSVP: Bev Westover (863) 324-7823.

Kid's Rock — **Thursday, January 18** — 4 p.m. in the Youth Room.

**HOPE'S ANNUAL BAZAAR AND BAKE SALE
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3 — 7 A.M. TO 1 P.M.**

You may want to work at the Bazaar, bake for the Bazaar, or shop at the Bazaar—but you'll definitely want to be involved in some way! It's a major event at Hope Church every year, and we hope you'll all be involved to make it another resounding success.

If you'd like to help us set up during the week (January 29 — February 2) or work the sale itself, please call Mary Kaylor (863) 969-3352 to sign up for the days and hours you can work.

Still have items to donate to the sale? Please don't wait until the last minute! Bring them to the Church no later than Thursday, January 25. (No clothing or shoes, please.)

Our Bake Sale is almost as popular as the Bazaar itself! So we need LOTS of your wonderful baked goodies. Please bake and bake and **BAKE!** And then drop off your goodies in Fellowship Hall on Friday, February 2, in the morning between 9 a.m. and 12 Noon.

Questions about the Bazaar or Bake Sale? Please call Ava Vanyo (863) 585-6330 or Ellen Martin (863) 289-1013.

— The Bazaar Committee



\$25 cards available today at the Scrip Table—Applebee's, Bass Pro Shop, Best Buy, Chili's, CVS, Darden Restaurants, Home Depot, Lowes, Outback, Ruby Tuesday, Staples, Walgreens and Walmart. **\$10 gift cards available**—Bath & Body Works, Bob Evans, Boston Market, Burger King, Cracker Barrel, Dairy Queen, Denny's, Panera Bread, Starbucks, Subway, Taco Bell and Wendy's.

2017 Annual Reports — **Church/Group Organization Leaders**, please e-mail your annual reports to donna@hopepreswh.org. All reports will be included in a printed report available at the Annual Congregational Meeting after the first of the year. Thank you!

*HYMN 720

“Jesus Calls Us”

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE “Pescador de Hombres” arr. Michael Emmerich

*Congregation stands if able
Bold print: congregational response

TO OUR VISITORS, NEWCOMERS, AND GUESTS—Welcome to Hope Church. We hope you will find words of encouragement as you worship with us this morning. **Please print your name, address, phone number, and e-mail on the Friendship Pads.**

A **NURSERY** is provided from 9:15 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. in the Christian Education Building, Room 246 for children under 4 years.

FAMILY WORSHIP CENTER, a friendly atmosphere for parents with infants and toddlers, is located next to the Library. *Children’s Busy Bags are available in the Narthex.*

HEARING ENHANCEMENT DEVICES and LARGE PRINT BULLETINS are available during Worship. Please see an usher for assistance.

CHANCEL FLOWERS are presented to the glory of God by the Worship Committee.

ASSISTING in worship today is Elder David Akers, member of the Finance Committee.

THE 2018 FLOWER CALENDAR is available on the green stand in the Narthex. Please sign up for Chancel flowers if you would like to reserve a special Sunday. The cost for two arrangements is \$50. Please complete the yellow information form and return it with your check to the church office. Thank you!

THE SHOPPING CART contents for the month of **January** will be dedicated to **Family Emergency Services** of Winter Haven. Their needs include all types of non-perishable food items as well as products for use in the home. Another way to help is by contributing monetary gifts. Please make checks payable to *“Family Emergency Services”* and place in the offering plate. Thank you for contributing to this worthy ministry.

A LIST OF PRAYER CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION IS AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX LITERATURE RACKS

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS
Week of January 14, 2018**

TODAY, January 14

- 9:30 a.m. Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Children’s Church
- 10:40 a.m. Adult Sunday School, Sunset Room
- 4:00 p.m. Youth of Hope, Room 200
- 6:30 p.m. Adult Ukulele Class, Room 200

Monday, January 15

Martin Luther King, Jr. National Holiday

Church Office and Schools Closed

- 5:15 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, CE Building
- 10:00 a.m. Hope’s Book Club, Sunset Room
- 6:30 p.m. “Study of Isaiah” Bible Study Class, Sunset Room

Tuesday, January 16

- 5:15 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, CE Building
- 9 a.m.—4 p.m. AARP Training, Fellowship Hall
- 9:00 a.m. P.E.O. Group, Parlor
- 4:30 p.m. Aerobics, Multipurpose Room 227
- 7:00 p.m. “The Shack Study,” Adult Library

Wednesday, January 17

- 5:15 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, CE Building
- 9 a.m.—4 p.m. AARP Training, Fellowship Hall
- 11:00 a.m. Prayer Group of Hope, Parlor
- 6:00 p.m. Bells of Hope, Bell Choir Room
- 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

Thursday, January 18

- 5:15 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, CE Building
- 10:30 a.m. “Study of Isaiah” Bible Study Class, Sunset Room
- 4:00 p.m. Kid’s Rock, Youth Room
- 4:30 p.m. Aerobics, Multipurpose Room 227
- 5:30 p.m. Fellowship Dinner, Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 p.m. Kings Brass Concert, Hope Sanctuary

Friday, January 19

- 5:15 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, CE Building
- 9 a.m.—4 p.m. AARP Training, Fellowship Hall

Next Sunday, January 21

- 9:30 a.m. Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Children’s Church
- 10:40 a.m. Adult Sunday School, Sunset Room
- 4:00 p.m. Youth of Hope, Youth Room
- 6:30 p.m. Adult Ukulele Group, Room 200

WEEKLY WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Sunday, January 7, 2018

9:30 a.m. Worship 249

Ushers: Barb Anderson, Captain; Marilyn Bauer, Bev DePamphilis, Bill Ryde, Lynne Maxwell

Flowers:.....Judith Calhoun



OUR MISSION STATEMENT TO ALL PEOPLE

**God loves us; we love God; reaching up through faith,
reaching out in love: being Christ’s Beacon of Hope.**

*We reach up by building an inclusive, Christ-centered, Bible-based church;
We reach out by serving the poor, caring for the sick and uplifting the
oppressed and broken;*

*We are a Beacon of Hope by being a loving community of believers,
bringing Christ’s example to life, as we are led by the Holy Spirit to use
our blessings and talents, and by empowering people to be servant leaders.*

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