

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
Week of March 3, 2019

Sunday, March 3—Transfiguration of the Lord

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

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

Monday, March 4

- 4:45 a.m. Sweatin' Hope Exercise Class, Parlor
- 9:00 a.m. Cards of Hope, Sunset Room
- 5:30 p.m. Circle of Friends, Beef O'Brady's, Winter Haven
- 6:30 p.m. Bible Study, "The Gospel of John," Sunset Room
- 7:00 p.m. Nueva Esperanza Prayer Group, Room 200

Tuesday, March 5

- 4:45 a.m. Sweatin' Hope Exercise Class, Parlor
- 9:00 a.m.— 2 p.m. AARP Tax Preparation, Fellowship Hall
- 10:00 a.m. Morning Glories Circle, Parlor
- 4:30 p.m. Aerobics, Multipurpose Room

Wednesday, March 6—Ash Wednesday

- 4:45 a.m. Sweatin' Hope Exercise Class, Parlor
- 8:00 a.m. Nueva Esperanza Prayer Group, Parlor
- 11:00 a.m. Hope's Prayer Group, Parlor
- 1:30 p.m. Circle of Hope, home of Ruth Berkey
- 6:00 p.m. St. Patrick's Day Dinner, Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service, Sanctuary**

Thursday, March 7

- 4:45 a.m. Sweatin' Hope Exercise Class, Parlor
- 10:30 a.m. Bible Study, "The Gospel of John," Sunset Room
- 4:00 p.m. Kid's Rock, Youth Room
- 4:30 p.m. Aerobics, Multipurpose Room
- 7:00 p.m. "Will of God" Bible Study led by Owen and Julie, Sunset Room
- 7:00 p.m. Nueva Esperanza Bible Study, Room 200

Friday, March 8 — Church Office Closed

- 4:45 a.m. Sweatin' Hope Exercise Class, Parlor

Next Sunday, March 10

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

WEEKLY WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Sunday, February 24, 2019 — 9:30 a.m. Worship 226

Ushers: Marsha Messmer, Captain; Marilyn Bauer, Gary Chandler,
Darlene Reedy, Sonia Roland **Flowers:** Marsha Messmer

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



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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ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD
Transfiguration of the Lord/Communion

9:30 a.m. March 3, 2019

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The Lord is king; let the people tremble.

People: The Lord is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake...

Leader: Proclaim the greatness of the Lord and worship upon God's holy hill;

People: for the Lord our God is the Holy One.

*HYMN 12 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

CHILDREN'S TIME

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

JOYS AND CONCERNS

INTERLUDE

PASTORAL PRAYER

ANTHEM "In Communion With Me" Mary McDonald/Linda Serino
Chancel Choir

GIVING THANKS WITH OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*RESPONSE HYMN 611 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" (Verse 1)

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of Love!
Hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

NEW TESTAMENT READING Luke 9:28-36 Pew Bible, Page 1260

SERMON "ENCOURAGEMENT FOR THE JOURNEY AHEAD"
Reverend Owen Carriker

*HYMN 521 "In Remembrance of Me"

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*HYMN 69 "I, the Lord of Sea and Sky"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

*Congregation stands, if able

Bold print: congregational response

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 Pew Pads.**

Children's Church (Ages 4—6). Children will be dismissed from worship after the Children's Time for Children's Church. **A Nursery** is provided from 9:15 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. in the CE Building, Room 246 for children under 4 years.

Family Worship Center, for parents with infants and toddlers, is located next to the Library. *Children's Busy Bags are available in the Narthex.*

PLEASE NOTE: Adult Sunday School Class led by Owen is meeting today in the Sunset Room after worship. We welcome ALL ADULTS! If you have children and wish to participate in this class, please note that today the **NEW** music/recreation program begins for your children so YOU may attend Sunday School.

Coffee Fellowship is hosted **today** by The Mission Committee before and after worship. They will also be collecting donations for Lynn Haven.

Chancel Flowers are given to the glory of God by Jim and Marsha Messmer in celebration of their 51st wedding anniversary on March 2.

The 2019 Flower Calendar is on the green stand in the Narthex. The cost for two arrangements is \$50. Please complete the yellow form and place in the offering plate or bring to the church office. Thank you!

ST. PATRICK'S FELLOWSHIP DINNER
6 p.m. — Wednesday, March 6 — Fellowship Hall

Menu: Corned beef and cabbage

(OR baked chicken for those who do not choose to have corned beef),
potatoes and carrots, rolls, butter, coffee, tea, and an Irish Dessert.

Cost: Adults \$10, Kids 12 and under—Free! Tickets are available **today**.



ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

7 p.m. — Wednesday, March 6 — Hope Church Sanctuary
(following the Fellowship Dinner)



"The Will of God" Bible Study—Thursday, March 7—7 p.m. in the Sunset Room led by Owen and Julie. It is open to everyone.

A Volunteer is needed to assist with **Kid's Rock** on Thursdays, 4 to 6 p.m. If you are interested in helping, please notify Julie (863) 324-6382. Thank you!

Presbyterian Women—All women are invited to join any or all Circles:

Circle of Friends—Monday, March 4—5:30 p.m.—Beef O'Brady's, Winter Haven. RSVP: Jeanie Madaus (863)326-6056 or Ann princecraft17@tampabay.rr.com.

Morning Glories—Tuesday, March 5—10 a.m. in the Parlor. Owen will be telling us all about our Christian history and traditions concerning Ash Wednesday and the Lenten Season. Questions? Call Lynne Maxwell (863)291-3819.

Circle of Hope—Wednesday, March 6 at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Ruth Berkey, 5008 Pebble Beach Blvd., Winter Haven.

See Calendar on back of bulletin for this week's activities and opportunities.