

Hope Lutheran Church – April 5, 2026

| | Elder | Usher | Reader | AV Operator |
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| Maudy Thursday 6:30 PM | Andy N. & Richard S. | Dave & Julie Osen | Volunteer | Volunteer |
| Good Friday 1:00 PM | Dave M. & Will F. | Volunteer | Volunteer | Volunteer |
| Good Friday 6:30 PM | Richard Swalheim | Volunteer | Volunteer | Volunteer |
| Easter Sunday 8:00 AM | Richard S. & Dave M. | Dave & Julie Osen | Volunteer | Volunteer |
| Easter Sunday 10:27 AM | Andy, Will, & Greg | Volunteer | Volunteer | Volunteer |
| Altar Aides | Marian | | | |
| Coffee Bar | Easter Breakfast | | | |

Hope Lutheran Church: A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod 700 S. Superior Street, De Pere, WI 54115
Contact Information Changed? Please notify the church office if you have a change of address, email, or phone. We use email to communicate with our members for announcements as well as other important messages. If you are not receiving our emails, please send your information to

office@hopedepere.org to be added.

Family Room: A room is available for families with young children. Children's activity bags are also available in the narthex.

Volunteer: See the volunteer binder at the Welcome Stand in the narthex to sign up for the many weekly volunteer opportunities available at Hope.

Life Thought from Lutherans for Life: The babe once wrapped in swaddling cloths, the crucified Man wrapped in burial linens on Good Friday is now the Lord of Life risen from the dead! He has died for our sins (1 Corinthians 15:3) and He has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep (1 Corinthians 15:20). He has sanctified every stage of our life from conception to death, even promising resurrection to our mortal bodies (1 Corinthians 15:53). We are not to hasten death, but we also need not fear death because our Redeemer lives (Job 19:25), and in Him shall all be made alive (1 Corinthians 15:22)!



We pray for Jean VandenLangenberg, Rick Haegele, Bev Francken, Jayne Schroeder, Landon Dickie, Kiyah Garner, Nicole Klevesahl, Colleen Cummings, Caleb, Dick (friend of Bev Francken), Ralph (son-in-law of Bev Francken), Brady Harris, Mark Osen, Jack Jilot (Linda's husband), Jon (friend of Rhonda Rusch), John Kiley (former member of Hope), Family of Bob Gause (for various health issues), Ella (granddaughter of Alice Loppnow), Megan (niece of Bob & Tia Splittgerber), Rita Devroy, Dillon Steinfeldt, Dan (friend of Bev Francken), Bob Carlson, Jean (Jody Ebeling's mother), Zayden, Jonah, Kristin, Dawson, Rose Ann Schweitzer (DPCO Volunteer), Jo Franda (DPCO Volunteer), Delores Lemke, Shelley (neighbor of Lisa Osen), Howard Klug, Judy Vanden Plas, Dan Klug, Marissa (Chloe Becker's friend's mother), Mick Brennan (Terry Brennan's uncle), Al Schuettpelz, Roger Grueb, and Luke (son of Richard and Lenore Swalheim).

Hope's Strategic Plan Congregational Survey was emailed to congregation members on March 30th. The purpose of the survey is to obtain feedback regarding what we do, how we can better support you, and where we should grow. Whether you have been a member of Hope for 20 years or 20 days, your perspective is important. If you did not receive the email, please let the Church Office know at office@hopedepere.org so it can be resent to you. Thank you.

Have you checked your church mailbox lately? If not, please do so. There are also items sitting on the bookcase in the coatroom. Thank you!

Angels of Hope Preschool has a few Kringle Coupons left. The coupons are \$23 each. If interested, please see Julie Osen.

Middle School Nerf Wars! We will be partnering with Our Saviour and Redeemer Lutheran Churches for a nerf event. We would like to invite our current 4th graders who will be entering our Youth Ministry this summer to attend the event along with our 5th-8th graders. This event will be from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 19th.

Thank you to all who helped to prepare for the meal that was served on March 28th at the NEW Community Shelter. So many congregational members contributed in some way: making our main entree, making chocolate chip cookies, donating green beans and/or buns, or helping to serve the meal. Hope was able to serve over 135 people at the shelter and we were able to leave some food for a future meal. We received many words of appreciation from those that we fed. As Jesus served his disciples, we also can find ways to serve our neighbors. Thank you.



Dirty car? Angels of Hope can help!

- We will be selling Kwik Trip Car Wash Cards!
- April 12th – 26th
- \$35 per card = 5 washes
- Sold between services on Sundays and on Wednesday evenings

Scrip: \$1,966.50 YTD. REMINDER - there will be NO IN-PERSON SALES on Easter Sunday. Orders may be placed in the box - it will be checked on Monday. You may also call/text Sue or Judy or email hopedeperscrip@gmail.com with orders.

Christmas Store: It's April and time for "April Showers" - the indoor kind! Collection targets include body wash, hand and body soaps, body scrubs, masks, shampoos, etc. Think gift type items - gifts sets are also specifically requested. Thank you to all who have been donating! We have a very nice start for this year's store.

National Youth Gathering Meeting on Sunday, May 17th, at 11:45 a.m. for current 6th-10th graders and their families who are interested in attending the National Youth Gathering July 3-7, 2028, in San Antonio, Texas. Please come learn more about this exciting opportunity, fundraising, and what to expect as we begin to prepare.

Angels of Hope Preschool Registration is accepting applications for the 2026-2027 school year! Spots are still open in the 3-year-old and 4K classes. For more information, please contact Gail Thiel, Preschool Director, or check out their website at www.hopedepere.org/angels-of-hope.

Do you see something that needs to be fixed? The Trustees have created Maintenance Work Order Forms and invite members to complete a form any time they find an item that needs to be fixed or addressed within our building. The forms are in the coatroom; once completed, please place them in the Trustees' mailbox. Thank you for helping to keep our building in good working order.

The NEWLHS Drama Department invites you to enjoy an evening of farcical fun as they perform *Headin' for a Weddin'* by Le Roma Greth! At 6:00 p.m. on April 24th & 25th, audiences will experience the mayhem that comes with unexpectedly being stuck in a cabin with a bunch of hillbillies in the middle of a snowstorm. Who will win the feud that breaks out? Will Maw ever get her washin' machine? Who will end up gettin' hitched in the end? Tickets will go on sale April 6th at 9:00 a.m. and can be purchased at <https://our.show/newdramaspring26>.

DPCO Food Pantry: The Food Pantry is open for donations Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Distributions take place on Wednesdays from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. The nonperishable food collection barrel is always in the coat room at Hope, and we emphasize the pantry collections on the 4th Sunday of each month (April 22nd and 26th).

Looking for activities to keep your child active, learning, and busy this summer? Look no further than at a Blazer Summer Camp! NEWLHS is offering the following camps this summer: 3-D Printing, Art, eSports, Musical, Robotics, Soccer, and Volleyball (Basketball Camp dates will be added.) To register for a Blazer Summer Camp, use this QR Code:



Our Saviour Lutheran Church Hiring Pre-School Teacher: OSLC is seeking a Pre-School Teacher for the 2026-2027 school year. To learn more, see the flyer on the bulletin board in the narthex. Resumes can be submitted to preschool@oslc-gb.org.

This week at Hope.....

Sunday, April 5 - Easter

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| 8:00 AM | Worship |
| 8:30-10:30 AM | Easter Breakfast |
| 10:27 AM | Worship |

Monday, April 6

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| 5:00-9:00 PM | Fellowship Hall Reserved |
| 6:30 PM | Praise Team |
| 7:30 PM | Moms of Hope |

Tuesday, April 7

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| 7:30 AM | Oak Street Café Bible Study |
| 8:00 AM | Bulletin Submissions Due |
| 9:30 AM | Ladies Bible Study |
| 6:15 PM | Men's Bible Study |
| 7:30 PM | Ladies Bible Study |

Wednesday, April 8

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| 5:15 PM | Choir |
| 5:30 PM | Confirmation |
| 6:30 PM | Embers of Hope |
| 6:30 PM | Worship |

Friday, April 10

Angels of Hope Preschool Field Trip

Sunday, April 12

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| 8:00 AM | Worship |
| 9:15 AM | Sunday School |
| 9:30 AM | Adult Bible Study |
| 10:27 AM | Worship |