

# The Hope Reporter Hope Lutheran Church (321) 242-1610 vierawest.org

Sunday Worship 9 AM & 10:30 AM Christian Education 9:15 A.M.

#### A Monthly Newsletter

### Reminders

VBS June 20-24 @ Regional Park

### Hope Summer Nights June 9 & 16

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Summer Office Hours 9-12 MWF

June 18 Habitat for Humanity Workday

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The month of June we participate in a Tool Drive

### Let's DO Something with Summer!

My family and I have had a great start to summer! We were able to spend a few days in St. Louis and visit with old friends and do some sightseeing. It is always great to enjoy a vacation and a change in schedule. Summertime invites all of us to run a different schedule and it can be tempting to get out of some of our good habits and routines.

One of the temptations is to skip church and just "shut it down" or "take it easy" with respect to church programs and Bible studies. I want to challenge you to do something quite opposite: Do something exciting in your faith and in your church this summer!

Our children and youth are setting an incredible example this month, and our church is supporting these impressive ministries!

June 20-24 Hope Lutheran will be hosting our fifth Vacation Bible School at the Viera Regional Park from 5:00 to 7:30 PM. We usually have 35 to 50 children attend the VBS & Soccer Camp and are helped by over a dozen church volunteers. These kids and volunteers won't be "taking it easy" or "shutting it down"; they will be active in their faith and community! I invite YOU to be a wonderful part of this ministry!

June 26-July 1 our high school youth will head down to Key West to work on an LCMS church and school in need of repairs as well as minister to the homeless in the area. They have fundraised for months and made plans and sacrifices to spend a week of their summer to help others and proclaim Christ! I invite you to pray for these young people and the chaperones as they serve.

What else can we do this summer to keep active in our faith? Look closely at the pages of this month's newsletter, as there are many opportunities to grow in your faith!

Don't get me wrong: Summertime in Florida means trips to the beaches, going on vacation, and oftentimes a hectic schedule. I just don't want any of those fun and wonderful things to crowd out the MOST fun and wonderful thing in our life: A vibrant worship relationship with our God! In Christ, Pastor Moreno

### HOPE SUMMER NIGHTS

Join us select nights in June & July for special events that include service, fellowship and growing in God's Word! In June we will celebrate two nights that will not disappoint! Feel free to bring a friend!



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#### HOPE LUTHERAN IN MELBOURNE

## Faith Talk Tips

Answer your phone with a witness like "God bless you, this is \_\_\_\_\_." Or something like it. This will start every conversation with a witness.

Invite friends and family to your home for dinner and fellowship and share a witness and prayer.

## Men's Bible Breakfast June 25

Join us Saturday June 25 at 9 AM for our monthly men's Bible breakfast at the Grecian Garden Cafe. We enjoy some great food and conversation and are also going through a topical study!

### Big Jungle Adventure VBS June 20-24 5:00 to 7:30 PM

It is time for Vacation Bible School once again! We are going to have an awesome time with our "Big Jungle Adventure"!

Grab a vine, brave the rapids, and prepare for a BIG JUNGLE

ADVENTURE! Kids (and volunteers!) won't want to miss a minute of this big adventure where they can go wild for Jesus! Complete with interactive and engaging activities, kids will learn about Jesus' amazing love all day, every day.



- Monday Big Basket Beginning
- Tuesday Rockin' Red Sea Rescue
- Wednesday Mighty Mountain Mission
- Thursday The Resurrection Race
- Friday The Jeweled Journey's End

Amazing Bible stories. Cool craft creations. Go Wild games. Gorilla-approved snacks. Jammin' Jungle tunes. Growing children in the faith!

## Help our Big Jungle Adventure VBS

Keep an eye out at church for a special bulletin board listing donation items we'll need for VBS. We appreciate your continued support and encouragement of our little ones as they grow in their faith.

## Family Movie Night June 11 at 6 PM

Join us Saturday June 11 to watch the latest in the Chronicles of Narnia movies: The Voyage of the Dawn Treader! With their dour, bookish cousin Eustace (Will Poulter) in tow, the youngest Pevensie offspring -- Lucy (Georgie Henley) and Edmund (Skandar Keynes) -- take an unexpected trip back to Narnia and join noble King Caspian (Ben Barnes) for an epic high-seas adventure. Setting sail aboard the Dawn Treader, the young heroes head for the end of the world, determined to rescue seven once-powerful lords banished by Caspian's evil uncle.



# JUNE WORSHIP LEADERS

	Reader	Greeter	Sunday School (9:15)		
June 5 9 AM	L. Kerley	The Sutters	A. Eckman & R. Moreno		
10:30	J. Sass	The Thompsons			
June 12 9 AM	T. McLaughlin	The Morenos	J. Decker & R. Moreno		
10:30	B. Jones	The Starinskys			
June 19 9 AM	J. Eckman	The Morrisons	N. Sutter & R. Moreno		
10:30	E. Wolf	The Nienass Famil	у		
June 26 9 AM	D. Burrier	The Montangues	S. Montague & R. Moreno		
10:30	V. Crane	D. Balvanz			
June Birthdays		Hono Luthor	on Church Clooning List		
1 Kevin Montague		Hope Lutheran Church Cleaning List Please sign up in the narthex to join a cleaning rotation			
2 Raquel Moreno		Cleaning can be done Thursdays-Fridays-Saturdays			

This very same list is on the refrigerator at Hope, simply mark off the task you completed! See pastor for the church's door combination!

- Sanctuary
  - Dust
  - Vacuum
  - Clean front glass doors and windows
  - Sweep front sidewalk and mats
- Bathrooms
  - $\circ \quad \text{Clean sink and toilet} \\$
  - Check and refill
    - Paper towels
      - Toilet paper
    - Soap
  - Take out trash
  - Mop (including Narthex)
- Fellowship Table
  - Prepare for Fellowship Time
    - Fill coffee and tea water
    - Check creamers and sweeteners
    - Put out cups
    - Put out napkins
    - Wipe countertop and tables as necessary
  - Take out trash
  - Dust bookcases, chair molding, etc.
  - Mop

### THANK YOU!

### **June Anniversaries**

2 Joachim Jones

10 Katie Eckman

11 Wendy Havens

15 Dale Morrison

17 Rachel Crane

17 Polly Tertocha

19 Brigitta Jones

24 Laura McLeran

Sutter

30 Kimberly & Melissa

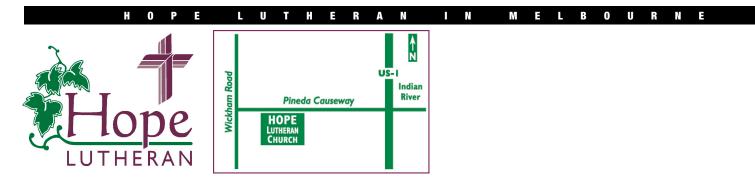
3 Matthew Thompson Jr.

June 8, 1996 Morenos

June 9, 2001 Keatings

June 10, 1978 McLerans

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### **Important Dates: A First Look at June 2011**



June 9 Hope Summer Nights 7 PM June 11 Movie Night 6 PM June 16 Hope Summer Nights 7 PM June 18 Habitat for Humanity 8 AM June 20-24 Hope VBS 5 PM June 25 Men's Bible Breakfast 9 AM June 26 - July 1 Mission Trip Key West

9 AM Worship w/ Children's church 9:15 Adult Bible Study (in our other location at the end of the plaza) 10:30 AM Worship

### June Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 8AM & 7:30 PM AA Meeting	2 9 AM Moms Club	3 Pastor Moreno Navy Drill	4 Pastor Moreno Navy Drill
5 9 & 10:30 Worship 9:15 AM Ch. Ed. 7 PM AA Meeting	6 9-12 Hope Office Hours 7 PM AA Meeting	7 10 AM Water Song Bible Study 5:30 PM AA Meeting 6 PM Boy Scouts	8 9-12 Hope Office Hours 8AM & 7:30 PM AA Meeting	9 10 AM Youth Beach Day 7 PM Hope Summer Night	10 9-12 Hope Office Hours 9:30 AM Card Making	11 9 AM Youth Car Wash @ Hope 6 PM Movie Night: Narnia: Voyage of the Dawn Treader
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## Summer Office Hours @ Hope

This summer we'll switch office hours to 9 AM to Noon on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. As always of course, you can reach Pastor anytime at the church's phone number (321-242-1610)! Visitors & volunteers always welcomed!

## <u>Outreach Corner</u>

Hope will be participating in Habitat for Humanity's 2011 Father's Day Tool Drive to re-stock their tool inventory. Stay tuned for details on how you can help out. The youth of Hope are also doing some constructing of their own during their servant event in south Florida. We will help with building supplies for this mission event. Thanks in advance for your help.

In Christ, Dorothee Jones, Outreach Chair

### Senior Youth

This month is a full one for our high schoolers! Our schedule:

June 9	Youth Beach Day 10 AM (Meet at Hope)
June 11	Car Wash 9 AM
June 17	Youth Beach Day 1 PM (Meet at Hope)
June 20 <b>-</b> 24	Youth Volunteer at VBS 5 to 7:30 PM
June 26 - July 1	Youth Mission Trip Key West



## <u>Junior Youth</u>

This month is a a fun one for our middle schoolers! Our schedule:

June 9	Youth Beach Day 10 AM (Meet at Hope)
June 11	Movie Night: Narnia 6 PM @ Hope
June 17	Youth Beach Day 1 PM (Meet at Hope)
June 20-24	Youth Volunteer at VBS 5 to 7:30 PM

## A Special Expression of Thanks from the Morenos

Raquel and I are blessed to call you our church family! This was very evident this past month as so many of you were able to come out to a party to celebrate some very important milestones in our lives. Raquel and I both turned 35 (yikes); celebrated our 15th wedding anniversary as well as my completion of my doctorate program in Military Ministry. We celebrate these in the strength and wisdom of God and we have been encouraged and supported by you every step of the way. Our family is humbled and thankful for your faith and your love. Thank you for being what God has called you to be: His children! We look forward to seeing what the Lord has for each one of us as we grow in Him and grow as a church family. You are very special to both my family and our church family; thank you! In Christ,

Mark & Raquel, Ethan, Elise & Elijah