

Finance & Attendance Update:

Amount needed each Sunday to meet budget (2017):	2,669.25
Amount received last Sunday:	4,086.00
Total received to date this year:	92,855.17
Remaining amount needed to meet our budget:	45,944.83
Amount received this month for HFF :	490.00
Total received year to date for HFF :	18,945.06
Attendance last Sunday:	60

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, September 24

- 10:00 a.m. Worship – *Mission Sunday*
- 11:10 a.m. The Wired Word
- 11:15 a.m. SPRC
- 3:00 p.m. Grace Korean UMC Worship

Monday, September 25

- 5:00 p.m. UCM Dinner – *Hope providing*
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Group – Game Night
- 6:00 p.m. Wired Word

Tuesday, September 26

- 10:00 a.m. Garden Work and *Hope Clean-Up*
- 10:30 a.m. Staff Meeting

Wednesday, September 27

- 8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast @ Mt. Royal
- 3:00 a.m. CSA pick-up
- 5:00 p.m. Prayer Group
- 6:30 p.m. Choir

Thursday, September 28

- 9:00 a.m. Painters Group
- 9:30 a.m. Hope Quilters
- 12:00 p.m. Yoga
- 5:00 p.m. *CHUM Dinner*
- 6:30 p.m. Qigong

Friday, September 29

- 10:00 a.m. Newsletter Folding
- 10:00 a.m. *Brush removal at Hope*

Saturday, September 30

- 9:00 a.m. *Mission Summit (at 1st UMC)*
- 7:00 p.m. *World Beat Connection Concert*

Sunday, October 1

- 10:00 a.m. Worship – *World Communion*
- 11:10 a.m. The Wired Word
- 11:15 a.m. Music & Worship Meeting
- 11:15 a.m. SPRC
- 3:00 p.m. Grace Korean UMC Worship

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***WORLD BEAT CONNECTION CONCERT: Saturday, September 30, 7 pm here at Hope.** This talented troupe of vocal and instrumental musicians performs in Minnesota, the Caribbean and Latin America, blending styles of many cultural and ethnic backgrounds. A free will offering will benefit Hope mission efforts. Spread the word and invite friends!

***The Wired Word** is offered Sunday after-worship and Monday evening from 6-7 pm.

***Thank you to everyone who helped yesterday with all the Sales!**

***Mission Week is here!** September 23-30th. Be sure to sign up and get involved!

***Please come and help Cynthia fold the newsletter on Friday, September 29 at 10 am.**

***ATTENTION MUSICIANS!** Come share your talents at the Hope Concert on Sunday, November 12 at 1:00 p.m. Please let Liz Raihala know if you would like to play something.

STAFF

Administrative Assistant: Cynthia Coffin-Langdon

Administrative Assistant: Jennifer Amy-Dressler

Kid's Quest Director: Anita Rixe

Music Director: Liz Raihala

Custodian: Matt Johnson

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September 24, 2017

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With God's grace, we care for the soul for a lifetime and beyond.

PRAYER FOR THOSE AFFECTED BY HURRICANES

Lord God, we don't know how to pray. So many natural disasters at once feels overwhelming. We can only imagine how the victims feel, And we are so many miles away that we feel helpless. Surround those directly involved with your loving presence. Comfort the families of the dead and injured, and sustain those waiting for word of those they love. Protect, strengthen, and uphold the rescuers and emergency personnel. Help all of us to remember that your love is bigger and stronger than despair and destruction. Guide and strengthen us to reach out to those affected in ways that will bring healing. Give them and us a sense of your peace and hope. In the name of Jesus, our friend and healer, Amen.

Mission Week Opportunities

***Hurricane Relief Sunday, September 24:** A Special Offering will go to relief efforts through UMCOR. Join in after worship to help pack ten flood clean-up buckets.

***Baked Potato Bar for United Campus Ministries' Dollar Dinner on Monday, September 25 at 5 pm;** help prepare that day, or come to meet and eat with students.

***CHUM Dinner on Thursday, 9/28;** help prepare and cook during the day, or serve at CHUM Drop-In Center at 5:00 p.m.

***Hope Outdoor Clean-Up and Brush Removal on Friday, September 29, 10:00 am;** wear your work gloves. **WE NEED SOMEONE WITH A TRAILER to help haul away brush to WLSSD. Please call Sue Beeman if you have one.**

***UMC Mission Summit at 1st UMC, 9:00 am – 3:30 pm on Saturday, September 30:** Learn about the way we are, and can be, involved in mission through the UMC – and earn \$50 seed money for Hope missions by participating in the day.

***World Beat Connection Concert, Saturday, September 30, 7:00 p.m. at Hope UMC:** A great blend of world music styles! *Free will offering supports Hope missions.*

***Winter Wear sorting, Sunday, October 1 following worship:** Help sort clothing donated for Damiano Center from our September Mission project.

