

# CROSS OF HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOLS



Loving God - Transforming Relationships - Serving Others

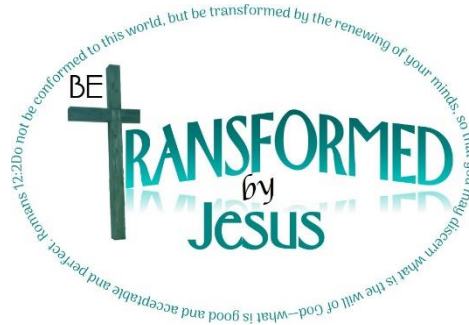


*May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace... Romans 15:13*

## H<sup>+</sup>PE-FILLED HAPPENINGS

**Fourth Sunday in Lent**

**March 22, 2020 – 9 AM**



Cross of Hope is a Spirit-centered community  
that shares Christ's love  
through worship, education and outreach  
to develop and strengthen relationships with God.

**At the current time the church office is open and our sanctuary is open for prayer**  
Monday-Friday 9am-3pm (subject to change, 505-897-0047) – Watch our  
Facebook page for updates.

**Worship with us on our Facebook page, search Cross of Hope Church**

- Sundays at 9 am
- Devotions daily at 9 am (using the Be Transformed by Jesus Lenten Devotional which is available on our website: [crossofhope.org](http://crossofhope.org))

**Archived resources on our YouTube channel, search Cross of Hope Church and Schools**

**Cross of Hope Lutheran Church and Schools**  
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Facebook: Cross of Hope Church

YouTube: Cross of Hope Church and Schools

Cross of Hope Preschool: 899-0928

Cross of Hope Elementary School: 897-1832

**Daily Readings:**

Sunday, March 22 - 1 Samuel 16:1-13; Psalm 23; Ephesians 5:8-14; John 9:1-41

Monday – Psalm 146, Isaiah 59:9-19, Acts 9:1-20

Tuesday - Psalm 146, Isaiah 42:14-21, Colossians 1:9-14

Wednesday - Psalm 146, Isaiah 60:17-22, Matthew 9:27-34

Thursday - Psalm 146, Ezekiel 1:1-3, 2:8 - 3:3, Revelation 10:1-11

Friday - Psalm 130, Ezekiel 33:10-16, Revelation 11:15-19

Saturday - Psalm 130, Ezekiel 36:8-15, Luke 24:44-53

Sunday, March 29 - Ezekiel 37:1-14, Psalm 130, Romans 8:6-11, John 11:1-45

**Continue your giving to Cross of Hope through:**

Giving Tab on [crossofhope.org](http://crossofhope.org)

@PAY, text 505-629-4012

Via US Mail

Auto pay through your bank

Drop off at the church, during office hours

**We are asking for information to help us connect through the church during this time**, and need some information from you. Many of you have received calls from our Care Team. If you have not had the chance to chat with someone over the phone, please help by filling out this brief survey: [Cross of Hope Care and Connection Inventory](#)

The Children, Youth, and Families Department (CYFD) and the Early Childhood Education and Care Department (ECECD) have made a series of temporary changes to New Mexico's early childhood policies to respond to needs of families.

CHECK OUT THE LINK:

<https://cyfd.org/news-events/news/new-mexico-expands-child-care-eligibility-guarantees-payments-for-child-care-providers-during-public-health-emergency>

Here is an opportunity to engage in service

**There is a volunteer opportunity to pack 30,000 meals each day to feed those in need throughout New Mexico during the COVID-19.** This will run for the next three weeks. The need is for volunteers to take a 2-hour shift to serve while practicing *current physical distancing best practices (groups of less than 10) and protocols*. Volunteers will be provided all sanitation supplies (gloves, hair nets, etc.). The packing will be performed at Legacy Church, led by Steelbridge, and the Department of Transportation will distribute these meals. To learn more or register to volunteer check out [www.loveabq.com](http://www.loveabq.com).

**The New Mexico State Dept. offers a hotline for seniors** who are unable to access groceries. <https://www.krqe.com/health/coronavirus-new-mexico/state-dept-offers-hotline-for-seniors-who-are-unable-to-access-groceries/>  
Call 1-800-432-2080 and leave a message

#### **New Mexico Aging and Long-term Services Department.**

- If you are in need of a meal, but are not able to get to a senior center or the center is closed, call your local senior center or 1-800-432-2080 with any questions.
- If you are unable to leave your home and need prescription medication, call 505-768-2084, if you are in Albuquerque; 1-866-699-4927 if you are outside of Albuquerque; 928-871-6868 if you are on the Navajo Nation; 505-629-8544 if you are in another tribal area or Pueblo.
- If you need to access benefits including Medicaid, Medicare or Disability Waiver Services, call the Aging and Disability Resource Center at 1-800-432-2080.
- If you are an older adult who is caring for children and in need of resources, call the Aging and Disability Resource Center at 1-800-432-2080.
- If you are worried about a loved one in a facility or worried about communicating with him or her, call the Long Term Care Ombudsman at 1-866-451-2901.
- If someone you know is experiencing an emotional, mental health or substance abuse crisis, call the New Mexico Crisis and Access Line at 1-855-662-7474.  
NM Aging and Long Term Services website: <http://www.nmaging.state.nm.us/>

**Census 2020** is fast approaching. It is a complete count of every person living in the US. It is mandated in the Constitution. The Census determines the House Representatives, and it is about distribution of funds; about 675 billion of federal funds are distributed to communities according to the number of persons in the census. Soon you will receive a postcard with instructions on how to respond. Respond to the census and be counted!

**Prayer Partners Needs for March 22, 2020**  
**Fourth Sunday in Lent**

*If you wish to add names to the prayers, please call or email the church office:*

**Health and Wellness:** Jan Anderson; Kev Lister; Kathy Gorman; Sheri Phillips; Valerie Harvey; Judy Mondlack; Bob G; Michael S; Diane Carrico; Karen Wilson; Chris Warner; Bill C.; Ed Bigheart; Carroll Werling; Robert Montoya; Leeon Carrico; Margaret Sachs; Dante Rossetti; Nancy Nelson; Judy Eide; Denise Zacharias; Sharon Gulbransen; David Dees; Karen Johnson; Carol Ray; Jessie; Penny M, Grace D, Steve S.; Betty Banks; Kathy Lovell; Judy Will; Dolores Hughes; Jason Ortega; Wendy Harrison; Carmine Rossetti; Todd McWilliam; John Romisher; John Fries; Lisa Fields and family

**Ongoing Needs:** Tami Ellis Maxine; Betty; Karen; Nancy; Jenny; Wes; Michelle; Michael; Scott Sylvester; Meagan Warner and family; Riana Manley and family; Kathy O'Roark; Herb K; Sharon H; Robina S; Evelyn H & family; Daniel M.; Rick O'Roark; Deanna and Marie; Blayne Murillo; Jennifer and Tony Crumpton; Emma, Kaden and Riley Spoon; Rick and Teresa Rose; Bill and Paula Phillips; Janet Bigheart and family; Chase, Robin and Harvey Johnson; Harry Bachman; Mary Rutland; Baby Mason; Peter McWilliam and family who are in Okinawa, Japan; Mike Snyder; Bill and Gem Harris; Carolyn Bye; Robert Bye; Deney Perkins; Russ and Mary Pat Edwards; Tony Rivera; Shirley McCan; Carice the grandmother of Pastor Adam; Norma Goewey; Charles and Gini Murphy; Kay Hendrickson; Ruth Franz; David Pressel; Bobbi Dopslaf; Cap Fritz

**Those serving our country in the Armed Forces:** Allison Martin; Dreyson Robertson and Nolan Schwab; Jack Morrison; Tyonna Sanchez; Bryce Mitchell; Bryce Bouloy; Preston Smart; Zach Vaughn; Matt Saiz; Beth Vaughn; Allen Kelly; Jack Hedenburg; Kandahar Brewer; Aaron Swingle; Ariel Higgins; Jaxon Rose and squadron; Sam Potter; Shawn Maestas; Matt Zamora; Matthew Coates; Marcos Gonzalez ; Erin Gonzalez; Chris Warner; Mark Webb; Ken Bisconer; Josh Orbinati; Stephanie Hightower; Peter McWilliam; Sam Fischer; Derek Evers; Tony Savee; Jason Toledo; Christopher Toledo; Brion Stroud; Gabe Martinez

We pray for those families who are a part of Cross of Hope's "52 Weeks of Prayer Initiative" – James and Denise Kouri; David and Toni Kovarik; Guenter Krumlinde

We pray for the work of the whole church and the Rocky Mountain Synod through the ministries of Trinity Lutheran Church, Laramie, WY and United Church of the San Juans Lutheran Church, Ridgeway CO