

Sunday Worship & Prayers

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 12, 2025

8:45am and 10:45am worship services

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



CROSS OF HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL

Loving God - Transforming Relationships - Serving Others

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

Holy Communion –8:45am - Setting Three

All page and song numbers refer to Evangelical Lutheran Worship unless otherwise noted.

GATHERING

Prelude		Amy Ellis
Confession and Forgiveness		
Gathering Hymn	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>	Song 858
Apostolic Greeting		
Canticle of Praise	<i>This is the Feast</i>	Page 140
Prayer of the Day		

WORD

First Reading	2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c	
Psalm	Psalm 111	
Second Reading	2 Timothy 2:8-15	
Gospel Acclamation	<i>Alleluia</i>	Page 142
Gospel	Luke 17:11-19	
Children's Time		
Sermon	One In Ten	Adam Berndt
Hymn of the Day	<i>Now Thank We All Our God</i>	Song 840
Apostle Creed		
Prayers of Intercession		
Peace		

MEAL

Offering	<i>Antiphon</i>	Keri Sutter and Amy Ellis
Offering Response	<i>Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful</i>	Song 184
Great Thanksgiving	<i>The Lord</i>	Page 144
Sanctus	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy Lord</i>	Page 144
The Lord's Prayer		
Communion	<i>Lamb of God</i>	Page 146
	<i>Oh, For a Thousand Tongues to Sing</i>	Song 886
	<i>I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me</i>	Song 860
Prayer After Communion		

SENDING

Blessing		
Sending Hymn	<i>Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer</i>	Song 618
Dismissal / Postlude		Amy Ellis

Holy Communion - 10:45am - Praise +Team

All Songs can be followed along with the presentation.

GATHERING

Gathering Song
Centering Prayer
Centering Song

Lord Reign in Me

10,000 Reasons

WORD

Readings
Gospel
Children's Time
Sermon
Song of the Day
Prayers of the Church
Peace

2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c; 2 Timothy 2:8-15

Luke 17:11-19

One In Ten

Adam Berndt

Grace Wins

MEAL

Offering
The Lord's Prayer
Communion
Prayer After Communion

In the Fields of the Lord

Jesus at the Center of it All

SENDING

Blessing and Prayer for Peace
Sending Song
Dismissal /Postlude

Song of Hope (Heaven Come Down)

Help for the hearing impaired!

Cross of Hope has a loop system, enabling hearing impaired worshippers to get the service directly into their hearing devices via a telecoil system. We also have headsets you may borrow if your hearing aids are not able to use the loop system.



WORSHIP NOTES

In Holy Communion, God meets us in the meal. Jesus is truly present, and we come by the Spirit's grace. You are always welcome at God's table. All baptized believers are welcome to share in this, God's gift to us. Receive the bread and eat. *Gluten free option by request.*

Receive the wine (or juice) and drink. Place cup in nearby basket.

SERVING TODAY

Presiding Minister	Pr. Adam Berndt
Council Connections	Jessica Williams
Director of Music Ministry	Thomas Ropp
Accompanist	Amy Ellis
Music Leaders	Praise+Team

8:45am – Traditional

Assisting Minister	Mary Bresnahan
Acolyte	Issac Williams
Lector	Tim George
Cantor	Jessica Williams
Communion Server	Louise Hawley
Altar Team	Sherrie Simek

10:45am - Contemporary

Assisting Minister	Liz Sanchez
Lector	Barb Morton
Communion Server	Cecilia Lawrence
Altar Team	Cecilia Lawrence

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

It's a miracle! Multiple miracles! The waters of holy baptism have healed us. The body and blood of Jesus in holy communion have made us clean. We have died with Christ and been raised with him. For all this we have returned to offer thanks. From this place we are sent on our way rejoicing to share the good news.

*You are created in the image of
God from the very beginning.
This is the basis for God's justice:
Since everyone is made in the image of
God, then we need to recognize,
honor, and respect the image
of God in everyone.
No exceptions. – Fr. Richard Rohr*

Cross of Hope is located on the original and ancestral homelands of the Piro Tribe and Pueblo People, and we give thanks for their presence here since time immemorial. We also wish to recognize and honor all our Indigenous siblings who have and continue to call this land their home.

Highlights for this coming week at COH!

Monday, October 13, 2025

Indigenous Peoples' Day / Fall Break
Church office and school closed

Wednesday, October 15, 2025

8:30am to 9:00am

Morning Prayer in the Sanctuary

1:00pm to 2:00pm

WOW Bible Study in the Sanctuary

2:15pm to 2:45pm

Children's Chapel in the Sanctuary

3:00pm to 5:30pm

Flu Shot Clinic in the Great Hall

5:30pm to 7:30pm

Camp@COH in the Great Hall

6:00pm to 7:00pm

Men's Bible Study group in the church office conference room

Thursday, October 16, 2025

6:00pm to 7:00pm

Voices of Hope Choir practice in the Sanctuary

Friday, October 17, 2025

Praise+Team practice in the Sanctuary



BECAUSE FLU SEASON IS COMING!

**FLU
SHOT
CLINIC**

ALBERTSON'S PHARMACY WILL
BE SPONSORING A FLU CLINIC...

SHOTS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR
BOTH STUDENTS AND ADULTS.

WED, OCTOBER 15TH | 3-5:30 PM

The poster features a red heart with a white cross in the top left, a red syringe pointing upwards on the right, and a circular logo for 'Cross of Hope Church & School' in the top right. The background is a light teal color.



Wednesday's Camp@COH
Sign Up Meal Genius for

October 15

Burger/Hot Dog Night

If you would like to donate funds, please

CLICK HERE.

(<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094EA9AC29A6FCCF8-59277505-campcrossofhope>)

Thank you!



Cross of Hope Member
David Comfort

Died peacefully on October 6, 2025

*Please hold Gretchen
and all her family and friends,
in your prayers and care.*



**Family Promise graduation
last week!**

Jan Anderson
will be providing
a list of what the family
will need soon
if you can assist in any way.

Please text or call

Jan directly at 505 362 3663
to know more.



Pat Hurley Park Lower Loop
3828 Rincon Rd. NW
ABQ, NM 87105

**Rio Grande Food Project's
10th Hike to End Hunger**

Saturday, October 18th

10:00am - 12:30pm

Registration Opens at 9:30am

Visit www.rgfp.org for Info & Free Tix!

The Alzheimer's Association Walk to End Alzheimer's®
is the world's largest event to raise awareness and
funds for Alzheimer's care, support and research.



Nancy Lacher is fundraising this year's event to honor those in our congregation.
Saturday, October 25, 2025 at Mariposa Basin Park, Albuquerque NM 87109.

You can sponsor by donating to [Team of Hope](https://act.alz.org/site/TR/Walk2025/NM-NewMexico?team_id=1009344&pg=team&fr_id=18763) and/or register to walk too.

Link: (https://act.alz.org/site/TR/Walk2025/NM-NewMexico?team_id=1009344&pg=team&fr_id=18763)

Contact Nancy directly for more details at
505 934-0401 or by email at nlacher@crossofhope.org

WEDNESDAY October 29th
5-6:30 Pm

TRUNK OR TREAT,
CUPCAKE WALK,
NACHO BAR, DUNK
TANK, CARNIVAL
GAMES, BOUNCY
HOUSES & MORE!

6104 TAYLOR RANCH RD
ABQ, NM 87120

PLEASE JOIN US FOR
Cross of Hope School's

FALL
Harvest Festival

YOUR SUPPORTERS CHOOSE FROM 15 ROOM-FILLING FRAGRANCES!



***Mia Bella's Candles
by Patrice Leddy***

Please show support
for purchase on Sunday,
October 26, and November 16, 2025

The candles setup will be ready to
see / smell / and take home instantly
here in the church lobby.

Candles are \$20 each.
(Cash/checks/venmo/paypal)
All profits go to the COH Youth.

Please contact Patrice
at 505-280-6943 or by email at
Patriceleddy@hotmail.com
for any questions.

Community Prayers Needs

Please call or email the church office to add/remove names.

Members of the Community:

Wendy Harrison; Don and Beth Cretsinger; Diane and David Pressel; Laura and Jerry Burton; Tim Fuller; Greg Morrison; Bill Harris; Ruth Hinkel; Susan Jennings; Kat Cooley; Dick Bresnahan; Toni Kovarik; Flora Telles; Claudia Russo; Stacey Taylor; Phil Wangberg; Shirley and Dale McCan; Chris and Julie Morgan; Gary and Fran Hveem; Dolores Hughes; Shannon Reynolds; Judy Will.

Friends of Cross of Hope:

Jennifer (Keri Sutter's friend); Tim (Pat Benchik's brother); Tanya Patterson and Kim Mora (friends of Rhonda Warner); Bill (Beth Locke's brother); Ray and Barbara (friends of Gary Warner); Hart and Joyce Paulat (Kristi Valdez' parents); Mike Nelson (BJ Owens' brother); Barbara (Keri Sutter); Tom McCain (Tim Fuller); Brenda Erhard, Angela McKnight's Mom (Art Kavanaugh); Sue Harshman (Nancy Leon's friend); Paula Mickey Yarbrough (Karen Schwartz's neighbor); Susan Mann-Biddison (Toni Kovarik); Margaret George Davis (Linda George's daughter-in-law); Dianah Rowland (friend of BJ Owen); Sandy Jensen (niece of BJ Owen); Cecil Ingram (Joy Thornhill's dad); Virginia Casper (Lynne Bagby's Mom); Randy B (Elisa McLellan and family); Pam (Debbie Bokan's sister); Melissa, Tim, and Joseph (Gary Warner's niece and her family); Matt Clark (Rosemary Neely); Don Abeyta (Jennifer Abeyta); Frank Lepkowski (Toni Kovarik); Mark Christensen (Rhonda Warner's brother); Lorrie Willoughby (Linda W); Karen (Beth Cretsinger); Tom Grady (Sylvia Oelsner); Erik Hansen (Janet Conlon); Stacey Bender (Lois Casto); Brian Victorine (BJ Owens); Diane Lamp; Theresa Perez; Katie Halstrom (Sorensen's); Judi (Carolyn Bye); Audie (Pat Benchik); Nadine (Kathy Bramley); Ataliya (Dee Gutierrez); Karen (Janet Conlon); Bill Bramley (Todd Bramley); Griselda (Alex Cortinas); Rick O'Roark; Tony Rivera (Deborah Rivera); David Dees.

Comfort the Grieving:

Gretchen Comfort and family, and Cross of Hope, at the death of her husband, David.
Jackie and Stacey Taylor, and Mia as they grieve the death of Agnes Taylor.

**For more information on our ongoing ministries or events
scan the QR code or go to Crossofhope.org**

**All Worship Information may be found on Crossofhope.org
In the Worship Section.**

We appreciate your continued giving at Cross of Hope:

Giving Tab on crossofhope.org, Vanco
Via US Mail
Online bills pay through your bank.

