

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

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 4, 2026

8:30am – Indoor Worship Service

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

GATHERING

Prelude

Confession and Forgiveness

Gathering Hymn

Faith Begins by Letting Go

ACS 1004

Apostolic Greeting

Canticle of Praise

Glory be to God

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Prayer of the Day

WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 5:1-7

Psalm

Psalm 80:7-15 (*Tone 5*)

Second Reading

Acts 4:5-12

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia

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Gospel

Matthew 21:33-46

Children Time and Sermon

Pr. Adam Berndt

Hymn of the Day

Thine the Amen

ELW 826

Apostles' Creed / Prayers of Intercession

MEAL

Offering

Amy Ellis

Offering Response

Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful

Song 183

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord

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Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

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Eucharistic Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Communion

Lamb of God

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There in God's Garden

ELW 342

One Bread, One Body

ELW 496

Prayer After Communion

SENDING

Blessings for Pets and Animals / Blessing

Sending Hymn

How Clear is Our Vocation, Lord

ELW 580

Dismissal and Prelude

Holy Communion –10:30am

All Songs can be followed along with the presentation.

GATHERING

Gathering Song
Centering Prayer
Centering Song

Create in Me

What if I Gave Everything

WORD

Readings
Gospel
Children's Time and Sermon
Song of the Day
Apostles' Creed
Prayers of Intercession
Peace

Isaiah 5:1-7; Acts 4:5-12
Matthew 21:33-46

Strong Tower

Pr. Adam Berndt

MEAL

Offering
Thanksgiving at the Table
The Lord's Prayer
Communion
Prayer After Communion

You're Still God

I Could Sing of Your Love Forever

SENDING

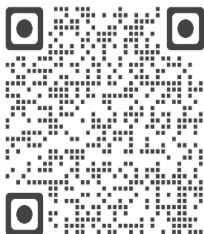
Blessings for Pets and Animals
Blessing
Sending Song
Dismissal / Postlude

Friend of God

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.





Don't' Foret! 😊 To check out

ongoing ministries and events, just scan the QR code! 😊

With one quick scan, you can find all your favorite sections and easily search our website online at

<https://www.crossofhope.org>.

Pet blessings on Sunday, October 4, 2026

In the spirit of Saint Francis of Assisi,



Blessing of the Animals.

Meet on the lawn

in between
worship services.

**COH School and Church Office
will be closed
October 12, 2026**



*"What makes them worth doing is the God we are serving. You happen to be God's field in which we are working. Or, to put it another way, you are God's house." —
1 Corinthians 3:9 (The Message)*

VOLUNTEERS for GARDENS and GROUNDS

We are looking for volunteers to help care for our gardens and grounds. Opportunities for group work on Thursday and/or Friday morning at 8am, or you can serve on your own schedule and time that works for you!



Please connect with
Rudy and Sherrie Simek
in person or at **(505-362-8571)**
to join the group of caretakers.

Community Prayers Needs

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

Members of the Community:

Jan and Dale Anderson; Gary and Fran Hveem; Laura and Jerry Burton; Bruce Molde; Dolores Hughes; Julia Ann Hawkins; Linda Willoughby; Rich Neely; Liz Sanchez; BJ Owens; Mike Leddy; Pat Benchik; Rudy and Sherrie Simek; Claudia Russo; Wendy Harrison; Tony Girard; Greg Morrison; Ruth Hinkel; Don and Beth Cretsinger; Bill Harris; Flora Telles; Susan Jennings; Phil Wangberg; Dick Bresnahan; Shirley and Dale McCan; Shannon Reynolds.

Friends of Cross of Hope:

Bradley and Sierra (Chris and Julie Morgan's son and his wife); Antonio and Debra Alba; Michelle (Vicki Bachman); Michael (Beth Christians' dad); Bet and David Moss (Sherrie Simek); Joyce Paulat (Kristi Valdez's mom); Bill Bramley (Todd Bramley); Shannon B (Elisa Mclellan); Bryn, Liz, and Brooklyn Whisenand (Laura and Jerry Burton); Katie Halstrom (Sorensen's); Doug and Stephanie Johnson (Adam Berndt); Judy Will; David (Rosemary Neely); Paul, Martha, Christine, Vincent, Shirley, and Geneva (Art Kavanaugh and RC Jordan); Ray and Jackie (dear friends of Carlene Hobbs); Sam Mann, Susan Mann-Biddison's grandson (Toni Kovarik); Ed Klaus (John Romisher); Edward Swanson (Jan Anderson); Dawn (Jennifer Vola's Mom); Jan Meoli (Sherrie Simek); Spencer (Laura Burton's nephew); Jennifer (Keri Sutter's friend); Tim (Pat Benchik's brother); Tanya Patterson and Kim Mora (friends of Rhonda Warner); Bill (Beth Locke's brother); Mike Nelson (BJ Owens' brother); Barbara (Keri Sutter); 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 and Joseph (Gary Warner's niece and her family); Mark Christensen (Rhonda Warner's brother); Lorrie Willoughby (Linda W); Karen (Beth Cretsinger); Erik Hansen (Janet Conlon); Stacey Bender (Lois Casto); Diane Lamp; Theresa Perez; Judi (Carolyn Bye); Audie (Pat Benchik); Nadine (Kathy Bramley); Ataliya (Dee Gutierrez); Karen (Janet Conlon); Griselda (Alex Cortinas); Rick O'Roark; Tony Rivera (Deborah Rivera); David Dees.

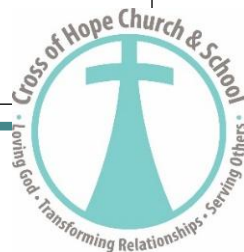
Comfort the Grieving:

Sheri Phillips and family at the death of her brother, Robert Rutherford.
Jennifer Abeyta and family at the death of her husband, Don.



We appreciate your continued giving at Cross of Hope:

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



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