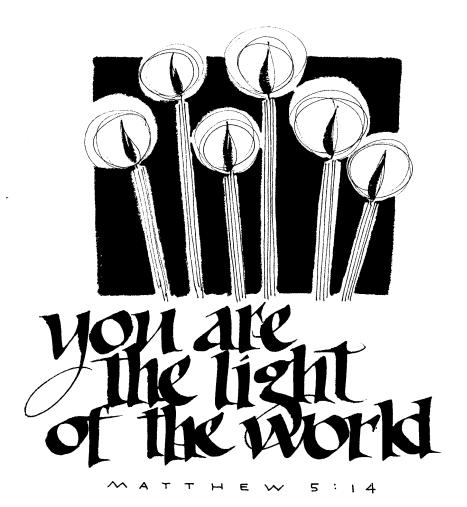
Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany February 5, 2023 10 am

We don't change the message, the message changes us



Please sign Fellowship Book today.

If you wish to continue to wear a mask during service, we encourage you to do so until you feel comfortable.

Hope Lutheran Chapel 5709 Osage Beach Parkway, Osage Beach, MO 65065 *Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod*

> 10 a.m. Indoor Communion Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Fellowship 11:20 a.m. Sunday School/Adult Bible Study

Rev. Guillaume J.S. Williams, Sr. Church Office ~ 573-348-2108 Alternate Number ~ 573-286-3427 Email: <u>office@HopeLutheranChapel.org</u> Website: <u>www.hopelutheranchapel.org</u> **WE WELCOME** you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. You are invited to open your heart to God's Word in Scripture, Sermon, and Song. Please sign our Record of Fellowship at each end of the open pews. **You are**

Always welcome here – this is your Father's House! As we worship, we stand for some parts of the Liturgy. However, please feel free to remain seated if you prefer.

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS ARE AVAILABLE. PLEASE ASK THE USHER IF YOU NEED ONE.

A cry room is available for fussy babies.

God Bless your worship with us!



Hope Lutheran Chapel Communion Statement: If you are a confirmed member in good standing of a LCMS or an AALC congregation, are repentant of your sins, and believe Jesus gives you His true body and blood for the forgiveness of your sins in the Lord's Supper, you are welcome

to commune with us today. (I Cor. 11:17-32) For Lutherans, receiving the Lord's Supper, is an action of the celebrating community, signifying a oneness in faith, life, and worship of the community. (I Cor. 10:14-22, 11:18-19, 26; Eph. 4:2-6) If you are a visitor from another Christian Church body or other faith, we welcome you to our service. As a sad consequence of the divisions in Christianity we cannot extend to you a general invitation to the Lord's Supper. Reception of the Lord's Supper by Christians not fully united with us would imply a oneness which does not yet exist, and for which we must all pray. If you are a visitor and not sure whether or not you should commune, please speak with the Pastor, Elder, or Usher before the service.

Communion Note: Please help the Elder by tipping the cup forward at the bottom.

SANITIZER/WIPES ARE LOCATED AT THE END OF AISLE FOR THE HAND RAILS. Trashcans for wipes are at end of ramp.

If it is difficult for you to kneel at the rail, please feel free to remain standing.

ORGAN PRELUDE

Opening Hymn ~ Blessed Jesus, at Your Word

- Blessèd Jesus, at Your Word We are gathered all to hear You. Let our hearts and souls be stirred Now to seek and love and fear You, By Your teachings, sweet and holy, Drawn from earth to love You solely.
- All our knowledge, sense, and sight

 Lie in deepest darkness shrouded
 Till Your Spirit breaks our night
 With the beams of truth unclouded.
 You alone to God can win us;
 You must work all good within us.

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- Gracious Savior, good and kind, Light of Light, from God proceeding, Open now our heart and mind; Help us by Your Spirit's pleading. Hear the cry Your Church now raises; Hear and bless our prayers and praises.
- 4 Father, Son, and Spirit, Lord, Praise to You and adoration!
 Grant that we may trust Your Word, Confident of our salvation,
 While we here below must wander, Till we sing Your praises yonder.

DIVINE SERVICE - Setting Three

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The sign of the cross + may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Confession and Absolution

C Amen.

Stand

- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

G who made heaven and earth.

- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **G** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

(I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent

of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the
→ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Service of the Word

Introit

Ps. 119:9-16; antiphon: Ps. 119:12

- P Blessèd are you, O LORD;
- **C** teach me your statutes!
- P How can a young man keep his way pure?
- **C** By guarding it according to your word.
- **P** With my whole heart I seek you;
- let me not wander from your commandments!
- **P** I have stored up your word in my heart,
- C that I might not sin against you.
- **P** Blessèd are you, O LORD;
- **C** teach me your statutes!
- P With my lips I declare
- **C** all the just decrees of your mouth.
- ${f P}$ In the way of your testimonies I delight
- **C** as much as in all riches.
- P I will meditate on your precepts
- **C** and fix my eyes on your ways.
- I will delight in your statutes;
- I will not forget your word.

Gloria Patri





as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

P Blessèd are you, O LORD;

G teach me your statutes!

KYRIE All Sing: Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

P Glory be to God on High,

All Sing: and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee.
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

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- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **C** And with thy spirit. (sing)
- **P** Let us pray.

O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Isaiah 58:3–9a ~ 1 Corinthians 2:1–12 (13–16) ~ Matthew 5:13–20 Jesus warns that "unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven" (Matt. 5:20), but He also calls His imperfect people "the salt of the earth" and "the light of the world" (Matt. 5:13, 14). That's because the Lord Jesus came not to abolish the Law or the prophets, "but to fulfill them" (Matt. 5:17) in perfect faith and love. Since He does and teaches all of God's commandments, He is "called great in the kingdom of heaven" (Matt. 5:19). God manifests His "demonstration of the Spirit and of power" in "Jesus Christ and him crucified" (1 Cor. 2:2–4), and through the preaching of the Gospel He gives His "secret and hidden wisdom" (1 Cor. 2:7). Christ gives this perfect righteousness to His people, and it leads them to true fasting, which is "to loose the bonds of wickedness, to undo the straps of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free" (Is. 58:6) and "to share your bread with the hungry and bring the homeless poor into your house" (Is. 58:7).

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

'Why don't You see our fasting? Why don't You know how we deny ourselves?' Look, when you fast, you do what you want; you mistreat all your workers. Look, you know you fast only to quarrel and fight and hit with a wicked fist. The fasting you do now will not get you a hearing above. Is this the kind of fasting I want, when a man denies himself for a day? Is it to bow your head like a cattail and make your bed of sackcloth and ashes? Do you call this fasting, a day that pleases the LORD? Isn't this the fasting I choose: to untie the *ropes of wickedness*, undo the bands of the yoke from among you, *let the oppressed go free;* yes, and tear off every yoke? Isn't it to share your food with the hungry, take poor, homeless people into your house, cover with clothes anyone you see naked, and not turn away from your own kin? Then your light will break through like the dawn, and you will quickly be healed. Your righteousness will go ahead of you, and *the LORD's glory* will protect you from behind. Then you will call, and the LORD will answer. You will look for help, and He will say, 'Here I am!'

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE LESSON

1 Corinthians 2:1-12 (13-16)

Isaiah 58:3-9a

When I came to you, fellow Christians, I didn't come to tell you God's truth with any extra fine speech or wisdom. While I was with you, I was determined to know only Jesus Christ and Him crucified. I came to you weak and afraid and with much trembling. When I spoke and preached, I didn't use clever talk to persuade you, but the

Spirit and His power proved the truth to you so that your faith may not be based on men's wisdom but on God's power.

But we do speak a wisdom to those who are ripe for it, a wisdom unknown to the world today and to its rulers who pass away. Yes, we tell about God's secret wisdom that was kept hidden but that God before the world began planned for our glory. None of those who rule this world knew it. If they had known it, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. But it is as the Bible says:

No eye has seen, no ear has heard, and no mind has thought of what God has prepared for those who love Him.

God has revealed it to us by His Spirit. The Spirit finds out everything, even the deep things of God. Who knows what a man thinks except his own spirit? In the same way only God's Spirit knows what God thinks. Now we were not given the spirit of the world but the Spirit Who comes from God so that we know the good things God gave us. And we tell about them in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the Spirit as we explain the things of the Spirit to those who have the Spirit.

But a natural man doesn't accept the things of God's Spirit. He thinks they are foolish and he can't understand them, because one must be spiritual to judge them correctly. ¹⁵The spiritual person judges everything, but no one judges him. *Who has known the mind of the Lord so as to teach Him?* But we have the mind of Christ.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse thru Holy Gospel

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C Alleluia. Alleluia. (sing)

HOLY GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 5:13-20

 ${\rm I\!\!P}$ The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, fifth chapter.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

"You are the salt of the world. If salt loses its taste, how will it be made salty again? It's no longer good for anything but to be thrown out and trampled on by people. "You are the light of the world. A town can't be hidden when it's built on a hill. And you don't light a lamp and put it under a bucket but on the lampstand, where it gives light to everyone in the house. So let your light shine before people that they may see the good you do and praise your Father in heaven." "Don't think that I came to set aside the Law or the prophets. I didn't come to set them aside but to fulfill them. I tell you the truth, until heaven and earth pass away, not an i or the dot of an i of the Law will pass away until everything is done. Anyone, then, who sets aside one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called the least in the kingdom of heaven. But anyone who does and teaches what they say will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. I tell you, unless your righteousness is much better than that of the Bible scholars and Pharisees, you will never get into the kingdom of heaven."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

G Praise be to Thee, O Christ. (sing)

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C I believe in one God,

the Father Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth

and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,

the only-begotten Son of God,

begotten of His Father before all worlds,

God of God, Light of Light,

very God of very God,

begotten, not made,

being of one substance with the Father,

by whom all things were made;

who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary

and was made man;

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of the Father.

And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord and giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

Sit

Hymn of the Day ~ Thy Strong Word

- Thy strong word did cleave the darkness; At Thy speaking it was done.
 For created light we thank Thee, While Thine ordered seasons run.
 Alleluia, alleluia! Praise to Thee who light dost send!
 Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!
- Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness, Dark as night and deep as death,
 Broke the light of Thy salvation,
 Breathed Thine own life-breathing breath.
 Alleluia, alleluia!
 Praise to Thee who light dost send!
 Alleluia, alleluia!
 Alleluia without end!
- Thy strong Word bespeaks us righteous; Bright with Thine own holiness,
 Glorious now, we press toward glory, And our lives our hopes confess.
 Alleluia, alleluia! Praise to Thee who light dost send!
 Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!

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- From the cross Thy wisdom shining Breaketh forth in conqu'ring might;
 From the cross forever beameth All Thy bright redeeming light.
 Alleluia, alleluia! Praise to Thee who light dost send!
 Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!
- 5 Give us lips to sing Thy glory, Tongues Thy mercy to proclaim, Throats that shout the hope that fills us, Mouths to speak Thy holy name.
 Alleluia, alleluia! May the light which Thou dost send
 Fill our songs with alleluias, Alleluias without end!
- 6 God the Father, light-creator, To Thee laud and honor be.
 To Thee, Light of Light begotten, Praise be sung eternally.
 Holy Spirit, light-revealer, Glory, glory be to Thee.
 Mortals, angels, now and ever Praise the holy Trinity!

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Sermon

Stand

Offertory

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"I've come to fulfill the law"

All Sing: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from

me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen. Prayer of the Church

Stand

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Common Cup Today. Please help the Elder by tipping the cup forward at the bottom.

Preface thru Agnus Dei

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

P Lift up your hearts.

G We lift them up unto the Lord.

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

- **G** It is meet and right so to do.
- It is truly meet, right and salutary . . .evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus (All Sing)

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth; heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom p194 to198

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and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

The Words of Our Lord

- **P** Our Lord Jesus Christ . . .
- **P** The peace . . . you always.
- **C** Amen. (sung)

Agnus Dei (All Sing)

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

Sit

DISTRIBUTION O Lord, We Praise Thee 10 Lord, we praise Thee, bless Thee, and adore O Lord, have mercy! Thee, Lord, Thy kindness did so constrain Thee In thanksgiving bow before Thee. That Thy blood should bless and sustain me. Thou with Thy body and Thy blood didst All our debt Thou hast paid; Peace with God once more is made: nourish Our weak souls that they may flourish: O Lord, have mercy! O Lord, have mercy! May Thy body, Lord, born of Mary, 3 May God bestow on us His grace and favor That our sins and sorrows did carry, That we follow Christ our Savior And Thy blood for us plead And live together here in love and union In all trial, fear, and need: Nor despise this blest Communion! O Lord, have mercy! O Lord, have mercy! Let not Thy good Spirit forsake us; Grant that heav'nly-minded He make us; 2 Thy holy body into death was given, Life to win for us in heaven. Give Thy Church, Lord, to see No greater love than this to Thee could bind Days of peace and unity: O Lord, have mercy! us; May this feast thereof remind us!

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I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table

- I come, O Savior, to Thy table, For weak and weary is my soul; Thou, Bread of Life, alone art able To satisfy and make me whole: Refrain.
- Refrain: Lord, may Thy body and Thy blood Be for my soul the highest good!
- 2 Thy heart is filled with fervent yearning That sinners may salvation see
 Who, Lord, to Thee in faith are turning; So I, a sinner, come to Thee. Refrain.
- 3 Unworthy though I am, O Savior, Because I have a sinful heart,

Yet Thou Thy lamb wilt banish never, For Thou my faithful shepherd art: Refrain.

- 4 Weary am I and heavy laden;
 With sin my soul is sore oppressed;
 Receive me graciously and gladden My heart, for I am now Thy guest.
 Refrain.
- 5 What higher gift can we inherit?
 It is faith's bond and solid base;
 It is the strength of heart and spirit,
 The covenant of hope and grace.
 Refrain.

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Nunc Dimittis (All Sing)

☑ Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Thanksgiving

- **P** O give thanks unto the Lord for He is good,
- **G** and His mercy endureth forever.
- **P** Let us pray . . . one God, now and forever.
- **C** Amen.
- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **G** And with thy spirit.
- **P** Bless we the Lord.

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Benediction

- **P** The Lord bless you and keep you.
 - The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
 - The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.

G Amen. Amen. Amen.

Closing Hymn ~ My Faith Looks Up to Thee

- My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine.
 Now hear me while I pray; Take all my guilt away;
 O let me from this day Be wholly Thine!
- May Thy rich grace impart Strength to my fainting heart; My zeal inspire! As Thou hast died for me, Oh, may my love to Thee Pure, warm, and changeless be, A living fire!
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

While life's dark maze I tread And griefs around me spread, Be Thou my guide; Bid darkness turn to day, Wipe sorrow's tears away, Nor let me ever stray From Thee aside.

When ends life's transient dream, When death's cold, sullen stream Shall o'er me roll, Blest Savior, then, in love, Fear and distrust remove; O bear me safe above, A ransomed soul!

Offering plates are in the back of the sanctuary as you leave. YOU ARE INVITED to join us in the downstairs fellowship hall for refreshments following service today.

OUR WORSHIP SERVICE can be heard every Sunday (on a week delay basis) from 8:30-9:00 am on **KRMS 1150 AM and 97.5 FM Radio**. If you would like to help sponsor this broadcast, place your contribution in a designated gift offering envelope marked "Radio Broadcast". *You can also tune into 89.3 FM at any time to listen to one of our previous services.*

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Sunday	Job 2:1-3:10	John 1:19-34
Monday	Job 3:11-26	John 1:35-51
Tuesday	Job 4:1-21	John 2:1-12
Vednesday	Job 5:1-27	John 2:13-25
Thursday	Job 6:1-13	John 3:1-21
Friday	Job 6:14-30	John 3:22-4:6
Saturday	Job 7:1-21	John 4:7-26
Sunday	Job 8:1-22	John 4:27-45
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DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

HOPE WEEKLY ANCHOR

IN OUR PRAYERS:

Steve Bauer Donna Beeman Emma Beeman Mark Buchholz Stella Cardin Donna Carlson Fran Carlson Ronda Connelly **Kinsly Coonce** Kellie Diaz **Evie Domm** Donna Duschene Henry Goddard Len Grawe Jane Hale Donovan Hill

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

- 2/6 Dave Heckman
- 2/10 Tina Cardin

ALTAR FLOWERS:

Altar Flowers were given to the Glory of God.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COLLECTION



We will continue collecting for the Benevolance Fund through January. Please place your offerings in the jar or basket during the Sunday School hour.

NEW FLOWER CHART! Find your special date to donate flowers for the Altar while the selection is good. Sign up early and often. The cost of flowers is \$26 per Sunday and you just need to put the money in the offering plate marked "Altar Flowers".

LCMS Stewardship Ministry Generosity Thoughts

Matt. 5:17 – "Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them." We cannot keep the Law of God perfectly. We are sinners. For us to be saved, Jesus had to fill up the Law in our place. Now the threat of the Law is abolished, and the Law itself is upheld. For in Christ now we desire to fulfill the Law and to live out a godly Christian life. This is precisely because we are so full of thanksgiving toward God for His salvation in Christ.

THRIVENT

Reminder: The deadline for directing Choice Dollars from 2023 is March 31st. Please call 800-847-4836 and when prompted say "Thrivent Choice".



	A	THIS	WEEK AT HOPE	
Feb 5 th	Sunday	10:00 am	Indoor Communion Worship	
		11:00 am	Fellowship	
		11:20 am	Sunday School for all ages	
Feb 12 th	Sunday	10:00 am	Indoor Communion Worship	
		11:00 am	Fellowship	
		11:20 am	Sunday School for all ages	
Lambs of Hope: Mon - Fri ~ 6:30 am — 5:30 pm Secretary's hours: Mon - Fri ~ 8 am - Noon Pastor's office hours: Mon - Thurs ~ 9 am - Noon				

Those Who Serve

	Today	February 12 th
Elder	Mike Merchant	Mike Merchant
Preparing the Altar	Sonja Howard	Kathy Heinemann
Preparing the Candles	Sonja Howard	Constantin Williams
Counters	Jerol Laughlin and Anita Topel	Roger and Joyce Trost

Love Kids?



Hope Lutheran Chapel Is looking For a New Director for "Lambs Of Hope Preschool/Daycare" This is a Paid Position. Over seeing all staff including hiring staff timecards, assist in classrooms, providing billing statements to families, keeping current on all State policies and day to day functions of the facility. This is for a Christian License-Exempt Child Care Facility in the State of Missouri, certified for 49 children. Hours will be determined and will require some flexibility and are Monday -Friday between 6 am to 6 pm. With occasional after hours meetings/activities. Must be great with children, detailed oriented, and have verbal, written and electronic communication skills. Pay TBD depending on experience.

If you are interested in applying for this position, please contact Debbie Thompson (573) 317-0126 or (573) 745-0952, or the church office, 348-2108.