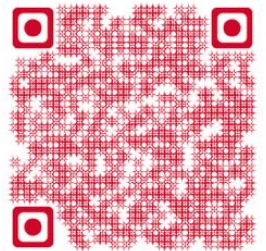


## < *Happenings at Hope Church* >

- + **Coffee hour/Sunday Luncheon:** There is a sign-up list on the whiteboard in the parish house kitchen for those who want to provide lunch. The entire year is listed on the sign-up pages. The last Sunday of the month is a Pot Luck, so plan to bring your favorite dish!
- + **Yarn Ministry:** The next meeting of the Yarn Ministry of Hope is scheduled for tomorrow, January 29th at 10 a.m. in the Parish Hall. All are welcome! For more information, please contact Deacon Nancy at [nlesher@hopeepiscopal.org](mailto:nlesher@hopeepiscopal.org) or 410-61-5016 or Patty Gokey at 717-304-8511.
- + **Mardi Gras at St. Luke's:** On Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, head on over to St. Luke's Episcopal Church for a Mardi Gras celebration beginning at 5:00 PM! The cost is \$10 at the door and will be complete with a Dixieland Jazz band at 7PM followed by a King Cake Reception. For more information head over to [Stlukesbazaar.org/Mardis-Gras](http://Stlukesbazaar.org/Mardis-Gras) or scan the QR Code on the bulletin board in the Parish House.
- + **Mid-Week Healing Service:** Our next Third Thursday service will be Thursday, February 18th at Noon. These casual, mid-week services will feature Holy Communion + Healing. Our Third Thursday services will take place at Noon on the third Thursday of each month through the end of the year! We follow along with the Scottish Liturgy and for those who don't need to head back to work, head over to the Parish House for coffee, tea and cookies following worship.
- + **Lenten Evensong:** Mark your calendar for this service celebrating the joint ministry of Help, Healing and Hope with St. Luke's Episcopal Church. The bishops of the Dioceses of Bethlehem and Central PA will be participating and there will be a reception to follow! The joint service will be on March 10<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 PM at St. Luke's.
- + **Membership Update Survey:** In an effort to minister to the parishioners of Hope Church most effectively, we are working through and updating our membership records and the contact information that we have on file.

A simple, digital survey has been created that you may fill out to help update us on current contact preferences, birthdays and important anniversaries, and areas that you are interested in getting involved here at Hope Church! You may access it by scanning the QR code! Thank you for helping us update our records!



*For those who are not tech-savvy, a paper copy of the membership survey is available on the table at the back of the Sanctuary! You may drop it off at the church office or leave it in the offering plate once complete.*

+ Now more than ever, people need your help. The pandemic and inflation have exasperated food insecurity and housing issues. We need to continue to support our local food banks. One in 10 Lebanon County residents face food insecurity, which means nearly 14,000 individuals do not have certain access to adequate food throughout the year. There is a collection basket in the back of the church. From LCCM.

+ **Dedicate a Bible:** Have you ever thought about dedicating a Bible in honor or in memory of someone? New pew Bibles have been purchased and placed in the pews for use during services. If you would like to sponsor and dedicate a Bible, please contact the church office. The cost is \$20. Forms are available on the table at the back of the Church.

### *Mark your Calendars!*

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| 1/29 | Yarn Ministry of Hope Meeting - 10:00 AM  |
| 2/4  | Boy Scout Sunday<br>Outreach Meeting - after lunch<br>Bird House Building - after lunch |
| 2/6  | GriefShare Loss of Spouse Session - 6:30 PM   |
| 2/10 | Mardi Gras at St. Luke's - 5:00 PM  |
| 2/13 | Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - 4:30-7:00 PM  |
| 2/14 | Ash Wednesday Service - 12:00 N   |
| 2/15 | Mid-Week Eucharist w/ Healing Service - 12:00 N   |
| 2/18 | Vestry Meeting  |
| 2/20 | GriefShare - 6:30 PM  |
| 2/24 | Vestry Retreat  |
| 3/10 | Lenten Evensong at St. Luke's - 4:00 PM   |
| 3/21 | Mid-Week Eucharist w/ Healing Service - 12:00 N   |
| 3/24 | Palm Sunday   |
| 3/29 | Good Friday Service - 12:00 N   |
| 3/30 | Easter Egg Coloring & Church Work Day   |
| 3/31 | Easter Sunday   |