

**T L C**  
**July 4, 2010**

**THIS WEEK AT HOPE**  
**SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER**  
**PENTECOST**  
**SUMMER WORSHIP SERVICES**  
**Jones Chapel 10:00 a.m.**  
**Communion Sunday**



**MONDAY**  
Church office will be closed in observance of July 4th.

**TUESDAY**  
Rental of Tomas Hall – Stage Stormers - 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

**THURSDAY**  
Rental of Thomas Hall Stage Stormers 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**SATURDAY**  
United Methodist Night at the Phillies 7:00 p.m. See Bill Engler or Joanne Miles for any additional tickets.

**SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER**  
**PENTECOST JULY 11, 2010**

Sunday School for all ages will resume in September, 2010.  
Nursery care will also resume in the fall.  
Choir practice will begin again in September.

**Community Youth Group** meets every Sunday, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. at Hope UMC.

**Guest Speaker: Sonja Kerr**



**BIRTHDAYS OF THE WEEK**

July 4	Heather Wren
6	Ed Hatchigian
7	Erin Johnson
9	Lois Scheck
11	Evelyn Jones

**SUNDAY MORNING**  
**Week of July 11, 2010**

**Lay Reader** Patricia Cutillo  
**Ushers** Jackie Engler  
Ron Brunner  
Jodi Deegan  
Mark Thomas  
**Greeters** T.B.A.

**Counters** Peter Jacobs  
Ron Brunner  
**SUMMER SCHEDULE FOR**  
**CHURCH OFFICE**

Church Office hours will begin Tuesday, July 6th. The office will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The regular fall/winter schedule will resume on Tuesday, September 7th, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The office will be closed on Monday, July 5th in observance of Sunday, Independence Day, July 4th.

**IMPORTANT DATES TO**  
**REMEMBER IN JULY**

July 4	Communion
10	United Methodist Night at the Phillies 7:00 p.m.
19	Trustees Meeting 7:00 p.m.
20	Finance Meeting 7:00 p.m.
25	Worship Service at Merry Place in recognition and celebration of Hope's contribution to the restoration of the pier at Merry Place.

Every Tuesday and Thursday in June and July Thomas Hall is rented by the "Stage Stormers" a children's workshop.

**COURTYARD CONVERSATIONS**

Following the great success of Hope Floats, we are continuing our social time following worship by gathering in the Courtyard (weather permitting) for the remainder of the Summer. If you are interested in sponsoring light refreshments for a Sunday, please contact Joanne Miles at 610-449-9864. You can also e-mail her [milesj526@verizon.net](mailto:milesj526@verizon.net).

Below is our schedule:  
July 4th & 18th  
August 1st & 15th & 29th  
Sept 12th & 26th



**HOPE AND THE PHILLIES**

**Looking for a family night out? We still have five (5) tickets available for you to join the Hope UMC group at United Methodist Night at the Phillies on July 10th at 7:00 p.m. If you are interested tickets are \$26.00 each. Please contact either Bill Engler or Joanne Miles. Also, if you are interested in a ride or car pooling please contact Joanne Miles @ 610-449-9864 or [milesj526@verizon.net](mailto:milesj526@verizon.net).**

### ADDRESS CHANGE

### PLEASE CORRECT YOUR DIRECTORIES

Mr. & Mrs. Jack Hickman  
Covenant House  
2825 Carter Road  
Box 193  
Sumter, SC 29150

Phone# 1-805-460-0925

### ALTAR FLOWERS

Anyone wishing to sponsor Altar flowers  
All checked should be made payable to  
Hope UMC and the cost is \$35.00.  
The following Sundays are available:

July 11, 18  
Sept. 12  
Oct. 10, 17, 24  
Nov. 14  
Dec. 5, 12

**When no one has designated flowers for a specific Sunday we will use the artificial bouquet on the altar.**

### FROM OUTREACH

Marion Fash has kept our Adopt-A-Soldier program alive after all of our soldiers were sent home or re-assigned. She just sent off two packages to SGM Russell Christiana, marked for "Any Soldier". The problem is

Marion has run out of supplies to fill any more boxes. If you can help with this, please leave supplies in the basket in the Narthex, the church office or give them to Marion.

A brief reminder of items needed for either male or female: deodorants, candy, gum, magazines, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, body lotion, nail clippers, etc. or speak to Marion for a more complete list.

Thank you, Marion for continuing with this ministry.

Our Breakfast Bag program has been jump started by Don Roush with a generous donation of \$200.00. Thank you Don. I will be collecting during the Month of July for this project, both money and items, although I would prefer money so I can shop in bulk. Donations of one gallon zip lock bags and napkins are needed. We will be filling these bags for delivery to Annunciation in August which is the collection point for this area. This is also where our monthly casseroles are delivered for St. John's Hospice. If you have any questions regarding either one of these programs, please contact Doris Peabody.

Last year we spent \$410.77 and filled 180 Breakfast Bags.



*Dear Pastor Jim,  
Thank you so much for the nice note and gift card you sent for my graduation. I appreciate your thoughtfulness and can't wait to read some "fun" books over the summer instead of textbooks! Thanks again!*

*-Karyn Cherwinski*

### LOST AND FOUND

A set of keys with a blue clip marked "Bud Light" were found outside in the parking spaces after services last week. Contact the church office 610-446-3351.

### **HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP GARDEN TOUR**

**The Friends of the Haverford Township Free Library are presenting a garden tour on Saturday, July 10th 2010 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Advance sale tickets \$15.00 available at the Haverford Township Free Library or Tour Day Tickets \$18.00 available at the Grange starting at 10:30 a.m.**

**There is a Reception and Grange Garden Talk from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.**

### BE GLAD!

Be glad that you've had such a full, happy life,  
Be glad for your joy as well as your strife,  
Be glad that you've walked in sunshine and rain,  
Be glad that you've felt both pleasure and pain,  
Be glad that you've tasted the bitter and sweet,  
Be glad that your life has been full and complete,  
Be glad that you've walked with courage each day,  
Be glad you've had strength for each step of the way,  
Be glad for the comfort you've found in prayer,  
But be gladdest of all for God's tender care.

-Helen Steiner Rice



### **NEWSLETTER INFORMATION**

**All articles for the Mid-Summer Messenger should be in by July 15th. Either e-mail or bring to the church office.  
Thank you.**