



Highlights from the Hill

As we enter the winter season we need to be aware that snow and ice may prevent travelling to church on Sundays. In the event of inclement weather, we will notify everyone by email if church services are cancelled. Please check the Hope website, Facebook page, voicemail message and local TV stations.



**Saturday, January 6,
10:00 am
Taking down the Greens**

What goes up must come down. Join us as we take down our Christmas decorations and put them into storage for the year.

Sunday, January 7, 2017

9:00— Breakfast on the Hill

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Our head chef this month is **Jay Stewart**. \$5 per person Children eat free.

10:00 am—Adult Forum

Generosity Sunday

We welcome a guest speaker from the Tulsa Boys' Home, our generosity plate recipient for January.

10:00 am—Children & Youth Religious Education

Most Sundays include outdoor activities. Please make sure your child is wearing sturdy shoes and clothing so they enjoy being with nature. Parents are always welcome to join in our fun and learning!

	4 – 6 year olds	Elementary	Youth
10:00	Chalice Children	Peace Making	24 Hours of Hope Planning
11:00	Story Time Snack	Intergenerational Service	Intergenerational Service
11:30	Art	Snack & Play	

Sunday, January 14

24 Hours of Hope – An event for 7th through 12th grades to encourage community, religious education and social justice. Cost is \$40. If the cost is prohibitive for your family, please contact Susan Spooner by email at susan@hopeuu.org A detailed schedule will be posted on the parent and youth Facebook page on Sunday, January 14.

11:00 am— Service/Stone Soup Sunday

“Finding Hope in Stone Soup” sermon by The Rev. Cathey Edwards

Join us after the service for lunch with delicious homemade soups, bread and desserts.



Upcoming Hope Events, Classes, News, and Reminders

Childcare is available by rsvp at least two business days before events. Please email childcare@hopeuu.org to make a reservation.

The Hope Choir (The Hope Singers)

Every Wednesday at 7:00 pm

Brown Bag Lunch

Every Thursday at 11:30 am

Bring your lunch and join us for lively discussions on current topics.

Threads of Hope

11:30 am—1:30 pm in the Log Cabin 2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Join us for our crochet and knitting projects or your own personal projects. Bring a sack lunch. You're welcome to just drop in anytime. Take a break in your day and come relax in our peaceful retreat on the hill. **Deborah Whittaker** debsharmony@yahoo.com **Carrie Muzika** , proenviromom@cox.net

Hope Book Club

6:30 pm 1st Mondays in the Log Cabin

No meeting in January. **Next meeting is February 5.** Discussing *My Name Is Asher Lev* by Chaim Potok. For questions contact **Chris Anrig** cmanrig@hotmail.com

Movie Night

Tuesday, January 9 at 7:00 pm

Our January movie is *To Catch a Thief*. It is a 1955 romantic thriller directed by Alfred Hitchcock, from a screenplay by John Michael Hayes based on the 1952 novel of the same name by David Dodge. The film stars Cary Grant as a retired cat burglar who has to save his reformed reputation by catching a new "cat" preying on the wealthy tourists of the French Riviera. Grace Kelly stars opposite him as his romantic interest in her final film with Hitchcock. This is one of Hitchcock's classic thrillers, which has a lot of suspense along with great acting by Cary Grant and Grace Kelly.

Come and join us on Tuesday, January 9th. Pop corn, soft drinks and discussion will be enjoyed before, during, and after the movie.



Cereal Sunday

Sunday, January 14

Please bring cereal for the homeless. This cereal, along with several gallons of milk, is taken to the **Tulsa Day Center for the Homeless** every month when we prepare their meal. The collection basket is in Fellowship Hall.

Hope Lunch Bunch

Wednesday, January 17, at 11:30. am

Our January location is Napa Flats at 9912 Riverside Pkwy., Tulsa. Join us for a fun, casual lunch. Please call or email **Lynn Walters** if you would like to come: lfwalters@aol.com or 918-893-2655.

Martin Luther King Events

Jan 14, Sunday, Noon

Gearing up for the MLK Parade Lunch (*Open to all ages!*)

Join us for a meal, multigenerational poster making, and marching song singing event.

Jan 15, Monday 8:30am

Marching in MLK Parade (*Open to all ages!*)

Join us behind Hope's new "50 Years of Hope" banner as we celebrate Tulsa's 39th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Commemorative Parade and its theme "50 Years Later the Dream Still Lives."

Donation Drive for HOMELESS VETS

The Veteran's Administration funds a program to assist homeless veterans in locating, obtaining and maintaining housing. Many of these Vets live in tents because they cannot tolerate the loud noises of a homeless shelter. This program does not provide funds for gloves, hats, scarves, blankets or coats. The Outreach Committee is having a donation drive through the month of January for these items.

Please bring in **your new or gently used gloves, hats, scarves, blankets or men's coats** and leave in the donation box in the Fellowship Hall. If you prefer to make a cash donation, leave your cash or check in the small basket on the table. Please write "Veterans' donation" in memo line of any checks. The Community Service Council of Tulsa administers this program called BRRX4VETS which stands for "Barrier Removal and Residential Exchange for Veterans". More information can be obtained at csctulsa.org/brrx4vets/

Roe V. Wade 45th anniversary

The Roe V. Wade 45th anniversary is this month. The Oklahoma Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice is collecting donations for the ad in the Tulsa World and other local newspapers. Donations for the ad need to be received by Monday, January 8. Please make your donations directly to www.okrcrc.org

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