

Welcome to Echo Hill Presbyterian Church

Sunday, October 11, 2020



Worship Schedule

In-person worship will restart on
Sunday, October 18th at 9:30 am
in Fellowship Hall

Wednesday:

7:00 pm: Worship on Wednesday
(held virtually via Zoom)

Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Friday: 8:00 am – Noon

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• Echo Hill Snapshot •

Next up on the tour of our new location is the coziest room around! This study room features comfortable furniture and will eventually be an ideal spot for studies, discussions, and small group meetings.

Worship at Echo Hill is...

*Joyful. Spirit-filled. Thoughtful. Welcoming.
And intentionally diverse.*

First-Time Visitors: We have a gift to show our thanks to you for coming today. Please ask an usher!

Restrooms: Located next to the church office on the west end of the building.

Hearing Assist Devices: Please ask an usher if you need a hearing assist device.

Questions? Please feel free to ask an usher for assistance!

*Missed a copy of
the Bulletin News?
Contact the church office
and we'll send you a copy.*

Connection Card

In your bulletin is a green connection card. We ask that you complete the card and drop it in the offering plate. If you have a specific person, group, or event for which you'd like us to join with you in prayer, place this prayer request on the back of the connection card. This can be for a concern in your life or your health, or for a concern you have for someone else, or for a joyous event.

Welcome to 	
Name:	_____
Address:	_____
City:	_____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Best Contact Phone (____):	_____
Email (please print):	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if changes in contact information	
If 1st or 2nd-time guest, how did you hear about Echo Hill?	
<input type="radio"/> Radio ad <input type="radio"/> Church website <input type="radio"/> Church member <input type="radio"/> Parade/event	
<input type="radio"/> Facebook <input type="radio"/> Other _____	
<input type="radio"/> 1st-time guest <input type="radio"/> 2nd-time guest <input type="radio"/> Regular attendee	

Life at Echo Hill for the Week of October 11

Contributions: You can mail your contributions to the new address:
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The **October/November/December issue of *These Days*** (daily devotional) is now available. Free copies are located on the table just outside the church office. If you cannot make it to the church, call the office and we'll mail you a copy.

Here's your chance to help Family Promise of Linn County! In the month of October, Family Promise will receive a \$1 donation from each purchase of the \$2.50 reusable red "My Heart" bag at the Hy-Vee Drugstore located at 1520 6th St. SW in Cedar Rapids.

The **start of the new Wednesday morning study** has been delayed until November 4. The book I am basing it on is *Glad Obedience* by Walter Brueggemann. We will be looking at some of our favorite hymns and maybe a few you are not familiar with. BYM (Bring your mask!) – *Pastor Cathy*

Michael Becker will be on vacation October 19-23. Thanks to Sandy Minger and Bess Naujoks for filling in!

Worship Schedule

Echo Hill's session voted to resume in-person worship starting **Sunday, October 18th** at 9:30 am in Fellowship Hall. Masks and social distancing will be required (please see guidelines on the next page). Worship will continue to be recorded and available online for those who do not feel comfortable attending in-person (worship videos will be delayed and not immediately available on Sundays).

Parking: The church has a small parking lot with a few handicapped spaces, plus you can park in The Dental Center's lot next door (to the south towards Mount Vernon Rd.). A sidewalk connects their parking lot to the church's lot. Parking is also available on one side of the street.

Online Worship: When you watch a worship video, you can follow along with the order of worship printed on the back page of this newsletter. Worship videos are available at <https://vimeo.com/echohillchurch>. Past videos are also available on this page.

Worship on Wednesday (WOW) is taking place via Zoom! WOW is held at its normal time (7:00 pm on Wednesday nights). And since we do it virtually, we can sing! If you'd like to participate, please email Carol Sindelar at fishlounge1@cs.com and she will send you a Zoom invite for that week's worship.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday:

11:30 AM: Calvin-Sinclair Worship-Sanctuary

Monday: Office Hours: 8:30 am-4:30 pm

Pastor Cathy Out of Office

9:00 AM-12:00 PM: Sewing Group-Fellowship Hall

Tuesday: Office Hours: 8:30 am-4:30 pm

9:00 AM: Calvin-Sinclair Coffee & Conversation-Fellowship Hall

Wednesday: Office Hours: 8:30 am-4:30 pm

Deadline for Bulletin News (10:00 am)

10:00 AM: Wednesday Morning Study Group-Outside or Fellowship Hall

7:00 PM: Worship on Wednesday (Via Zoom)

Thursday: Office Hours: 8:30 am-4:30 pm

6:00 PM: Worker Bees

Friday: Office Hours: 8:00 am-12:00 pm

7:00 PM: Worship Recording-Sanctuary

Saturday:

9:00 AM-11:00 AM: Sole Hope Shoe Party-Fellowship Hall

Gleanings from Jim White

"My home is where I have my library."

- Erasmus



"Like" Echo Hill on Facebook! Just go to www.facebook.com/EchoHillPresbyterianChurch.

This is the official Facebook site for Echo Hill. Check it out for words of guidance, photos, event information, and more!

In-Person Worship Guidelines



Dear faith community,

As you might have read, we are beginning live worship in Fellowship Hall at 9:30 am on October 18th. The Session, with advice from Deacons, felt as if we should at least give people the option. The service will be recorded on Sunday so there will be a delay in posting it online. We will wipe down everything possible. We will provide masks if you forget them, along with hand sanitizer and wipes. Please stay home if you do not feel comfortable. Here we are on a new adventure; let's take baby steps, toward being the body of Christ in this place. – *Pastor Cathy*

In order to hold worship as safely as possible, we'll observe the following guidelines when we start worshipping in person October 18th:

1. Please maintain a physical distance of six feet or more from others.
2. Please wear a mask. Disposable masks will be available for those who need one.
3. Along with masks, hand sanitizer and wipes will also be available.
4. There will be no singing, passing of the peace, or passing of the offering plate.
5. There will be a plate on a table for offering.
6. We have a plan for the orderly dismissal of the congregation to maintain social distancing. The ushers will guide you when the service ends.

Sole Hope Shoe Party!



On October 17th, we will again be cutting out fabric for 10 pairs of shoes for Sole Hope. This project provides Ugandan people with shoes to help prevent jiggers. The patterns are used to cut pieces out of denim fabric (used jeans) then these pieces are sent back to be sewn together along with the sole. No special sewing or cobbler skills required!

If you would like to be included in the shoe making process, come to Echo Hill, 715 38th Street SE on Saturday, October 17th. We will start at 9:00 am and end around 11:00 am in Fellowship Hall. Please bring your fabric scissors. We will be following safe Covid-19 precautions: No food, wear a mask, and social distancing. Hope to see you on October 17th! – *The Caring Team*

Food Bank Update



Since our move to the Calvin Sinclair building, we haven't had activity for donations. So, we are going to try a new approach to donating to the food bank we support each month. If you would like to support the organization, instead of bringing items to the church, consider making a monetary donation. Often, the organizations can purchase food at a lower cost, and more efficiently than we can. The food bank we will be supporting in October is the Linn Community Food Bank at First Presbyterian Church in Cedar Rapids. So if you would like to contribute, simply give your donation to Sandy or Michael in the office, or mail it to church, with a notation on the check for "food bank." Make your checks out to "Echo Hill Church" and we will send one check at the end of each month. Thank you, Echo Hill, for your support of these organizations, especially in these "interesting" times.

Face Masks Available



If you are in need of a cloth face mask, Echo Hill has some available! Please feel free to take one if you need one. They are located on the lower shelf of the table outside the church office.

If you cannot make it out to the church or would prefer not to venture out of your home, please contact Michael and we'll make sure one gets delivered to you.

A huge thanks to Alice Brown for providing the masks!

Order of Worship – Week of October 11, 2020

The recorded worship service will be available to watch on Sunday morning.

You can follow along by going to <https://vimeo.com/echohillchurch>
and clicking on this week's video.

Gather for Worship -----

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship

Prepare for Worship -----

Proclaiming God's Word -----

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture

Philippians 4:1-9

Message

Pastor Cathy Allen

Responding to God's Word -----

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Offering

Leave to Serve God's People -----

Benediction/Blessing

Postlude

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