

HOPE PRESBYTERIAN FAMILY NEWS

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MORE ON ROOFING

Those guys on the roof? They come early and stay late, working until 7 p.m. or so. On Wednesday nights we hear them clomping around over Hambley Hall and the classrooms. What are they doing? Well, we think they are putting a new roof on our church spaces. Last week they worked on the roof over the church offices, taking the new air conditioner off line for a few days so the roof under the unit could be made water-tight. It will be nice for Mike to be able to get back to his desk. Last week he worked out of Room



Overview of hall roof looking towards kitchen

5. We think the children's classrooms come next, and maybe the roofers will finish over the choir room. But, frankly, we aren't sure of the schedule. Anyway, when they are done, we will have a really good roof over our heads. That's great news!

Here are some pics as to what it looks like so far: -

CHURCH NEWS

ALTERNATIVE ADULT CLASS -- We are starting a second Adult Sunday Morning Class. This will be taught by our wonderful Beth Walley. The class will be focused on the Bible and on our journey in faith, Faith perspectives on current events is already well studied in the Wired Word class, so we won't be doing that. This class will be different. Relationships will be stressed, and a creative approach will be used.

KICK-OFF -- The new class will have a "Kick Off" on October 7 and 14 in Hambley Hall at 9:00. A brunch will be served both those days, so come in and hear our plans, share some hopes and ideas, and have a good time in faith. Come to one, or both of the brunches. We are ready to get started!

By the way: we will be needing a medium to large size flat-screen monitor to use with this class. If you have one you could donate we would appreciate it!

OFFICE NEEDS -- The church has upgraded some software, making it possible for us to be better with our record-keeping. We are looking for some folks who are pretty comfortable with computers (or tablets, or even smart phones) who would be willing to help us with this effort. If you like "behind the scenes volunteer work" this

"There is no one who is insignificant in the purpose of God."

Alistair Begg



Overview of hall roof with classrooms 5-8 in the distant far left



Overview of kitchen roof



Removing the old roof from over the office

would be really good for you, and it would be a big help to the church. Mike Cozens will provide the necessary training. Please let us know if this is a good "fit" for you.

WORLD COMMUNION -- is next week! We'll be remembering that Christians all around the world will be joining us at the Lord's Table; we will also receive the Peacemaking Offering. If you would like to bake a special bread for this Sunday, perhaps lifting up your own family's heritage, please let Linda Kent know.

ALL SAINTS DAY -- is the first Sunday of November. We will call out the names of those who have passed into eternity in the past year. If there are special friends and family members you would like to have remembered in worship on November 4th, please write their names on a prayer card, or on the Friendship Pad for us. Many thanks!

STARRY NIGHT -- The Christmas Play is "in rehearsal" with actors and actresses here at the church on Monday and Thursday evenings. There will be a strong story line (do you think it might involve a baby?) and there will be lots of music. If you want in on this action, please contact Angie Cozens or come along to a rehearsal.

CHURCH MEETINGS COMING UP

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| Sunday | 09/30 | 10:15 a.m. Worship Service |
| Monday | 10/01 | 07:00 p.m. "Starry Night" play rehearsal |
| Wednesday | 10/03 | 05:45 p.m. WNA, covered dish meal
07:00 p.m. Bells practice
07:30 p.m. Choir practice |
| Thursday | 10/04 | 07:00 p.m. "Starry Night" play rehearsal |
| Saturday | 10/06 | 05:30 p.m. Fellowship supper at Perkins |
| Sunday | 10/07 | 10:15 a.m. Worship Service |

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