



HOPE CHURCH

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*Be the
Message*



SPEAK LESS LOVE MORE

February 10, 2019

"Receiving the Message"

Be the Message: Part 1

Here's What to Expect Today

Gathering Song

"And Can it Be"

Welcome

say 'hi!' to someone

Praise & Worship

we sing together

"10,000 Reasons"

"Holy Spirit"

Hope Church News

we bring you up to speed on coming events

Moment for Mission

Bethany Christian Services

Prayer

we believe God hears our prayers

Giving

*to be thankful, help others, and pay the bills
if you're new, your gift to us is your presence*

"Build My Life"

Message

"Receiving the Message"

John 1:1-5, 9-14 (p. 750) & I Kings 19:11-13 (p. 255)

Prayer & Sending

we receive God's blessing and are sent to bless others

"O Come to the Altar"

Sermon Notes

“Receiving the Message”

John 1:1-5, 9-14 (p. 750) & I Kings 19:11-13 (p. 255)

I. What Does ‘Being the Message’ Even Mean?

_____ create _____ which can open the door for the Good News to be shared.

II. Our Individual Expression of the Message Will Be _____

III. How Do We Receive God’s Unique Message for Us?

A. By Studying _____

B. By Listening for _____ *I Kings 19:11-13*

C. By Embracing Your _____

D. By Paying Attention to Your _____

After the service, please join us for cookies and Water Street Coffee in the Fellowship Hall!

I'M NEW!

Welcome to Hope Church! We are so grateful to have you with us in worship today! We invite you to fill out the Contact Card in the pew and bring it to the Connection Center for a gift!

If you're interested in learning more about Hope and its various ministries, stop by the Connection Center where you can speak with a Connection Team member (with a blue nametag) and they'd be happy to answer any questions you may have!



INTERESTED?

Being part of a church is about having "all hands on deck!" If you have interest in a certain area of ministry at Hope, we'd like to hear from you! Grab one of the orange cards located in your pew. You can bring the completed card to the Connection Center!



TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS

Sanctuary Greeters Ed & Loretta Moore

Elder Greeters Gayle DeYoung, Steve Hellenga,
Scott Poehlman

Toddlers (2-3 yrs.) Marsha Tuinier & Deb Gillam

Infants (0-23 mo.) Dara Bosker & Meg Sanders



PRAYERS AND PRAISES

If you have a prayer concern or answer to prayer that you would like to share, please fill out the green Prayer Card found in the pews and place it in the box at the Connection Center.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

TODAY

- Choir Practice, 9:15 a.m.
 - Worship with Pastor Dan, 10 a.m.
 - Journey Alpha, 11 a.m.
 - *Be The Message* Small Groups, 11:30 a.m.
 - Journey High, 5:30 p.m. (with dinner)
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- Ruth Circle, 1 p.m. (Moore's)
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- Prayer Group, 9:30 a.m.
 - Midweek Mix (Italian Night - Sign up today!)
 - 5:30 p.m. - Dinner
 - 6:30 p.m. - Class for all ages
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- Choir Practice, 8:40 a.m.
- Morning Glory Service, 9:10 a.m.
- Worship with Pastor Dan, 10 a.m.
- Mission Offering for Bethany Christian Services
- *Be The Message* Small Groups, 11:30 a.m.
- Journey High, 6 p.m.



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CHURCH-WIDE CAMPAIGN: WEEK 1

Today we launch into the exciting topic of “Being the Message.” For the next five weeks we will be reading the book, discussing in small groups, and hearing Sunday messages around this idea of living out our faith. The specific goals this week are: 1) Read through Part 1 (first 3 chapters) of “Be the Message” and do the exercises at the end of each chapter; 2) Read through the first four chapters of John with the aim of reading through the entire Gospel by the end of the campaign . We pray that this next month and a half will be a catalyst for real spiritual growth for many of our members!

QUARTERLY MISSION

We are thrilled to support Bethany Christian Services as our first-quarter mission opportunity! You can find all sorts of helpful information on Bethany in the varied brochures located on the lobby table. We will have a stand-alone offering next Sunday, February 17.

NEXT MORNING GLORY - FEBRUARY 17 AT 9:10AM

You're invited to join us for a meaningful time of traditional worship through singing of hymns, thoughtful moments of prayer, Scripture reading, and inspirational music from the choir. Morning Glory ends at 9:40 a.m. so you can grab a cup of coffee and be ready for our weekly service at 10 a.m.!

IT'S TIME TO RESTOCK THE COOKIE CUPBOARD!

Our cookie supply for after worship services is running low! Would you consider picking up a package or two next time you're grocery shopping? Cookie lovers everywhere will be thankful!

RUTH CIRCLE

Ruth Circle will meet this week, Tuesday, February 12 at 1 p.m. at the home of Loretta Moore. They will be going over lesson 5.

YOUNG AT HEART

Sign up at the lobby table for brunch at Café Meli on February 19 at 9:30 a.m.

CLEAN OUT THOSE CUPBOARDS!

During the month of February, Dawn Brown will be collecting standard shaped, 10-12oz mugs for Ministry with Community to use in their dining room. They use these mugs to serve all of their beverages at every meal. You can leave your mugs under the nametag table in the north entrance. Now is the time to give that neglected mug collection purpose! Contact Dawn with questions! (dawnmarie320@gmail.com)



PARDON OUR DUST!

Over the next few weeks, work will be taking place to relocate our sound system! We ask for your forgiveness if things look a little 'out of sorts' during this time!

ELDER CARE GROUPS

Below are the designated elder care groups for 2019. Feel free to contact your elders for any care and prayer needs.

<u>Elder Team</u>	<u>Congregational Group (last name)</u>
Mike Koets, & Linda Joy	A-F
Don VL, Sr., & Gayle DeYoung	G-M
Scott Poehlman & Susan Williams	N-Z



MIDWEEK MIX: FEBRUARY 13

Italian Night!

Sign up today on the Mix board in the fellowship hall!

Classes are offered for all ages! High School age and adults will meet in the worship center to hear Rev. Dr. Mark Kraai teach on "Amazing Grace."

OUR MISSION

*As a community of Christ-followers, we exist to:
love Jesus, live like Jesus, and lead others into a living
relationship with Him*

OUR VISION

Helping a hurting world find the hope of Jesus

Connect With Us!

Dan Jongsma | Pastor of Worship and Spiritual Development
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