May 2024 Calendar

Sunday, May 26 No Youth Group

Monday, May 27

Happy Memorial Day! 11:00am Memorial Day Picnic at Leland Park

Wednesday, May 29

10:00am Women's Sermon Study 10:30am Word and Prayer

Thursday, May 30 8:30am Men's Small Group 6:30pm Women's Sermon Study

## Pastors & Elders at Hope

Visit our staff page on our website for a full list and contact info.

Mickey Klink

Senior Pastor

Greg Lynas

Pastor of Worship & Implementation

Casey Ehlers

Pastor of Discipleship & Hospitality

Kurt Pazdra II

Pastor of Student Ministries

Mark Tichgelaar

Elder Chairman

Neal Neyer, Doug Juhlin, Olle Larson, Marshall Newhouse, Bryan Ott, Ed Kipp, Dennis Marrano Lay Elders

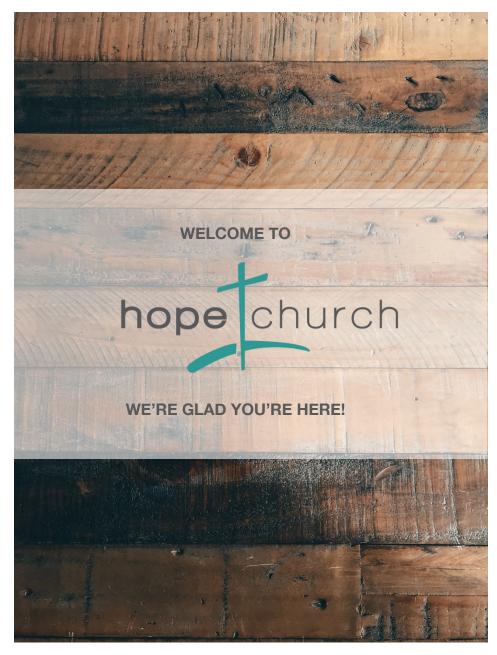
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Office Hours: Monday – Thursday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM



"Building a community that loves Christ to reach a community that needs Christ."

- Nursery & preschool care are provided during services for children ages 5 and under
- You can download or watch today's sermon on hefc.net or on our YouTube channel Hope Church Roscoe

#### Growth Hour 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM

- Worship Center: Anxious by Casey Ehlers
- Fellowship Hall: God's Big Picture: Kingdom by Doug Juhlin
- High School Class in Fireside Room
- Middle School Class upstairs in The Loft
- 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade in Classroom 10
- Elementary School in Drake Hall
- Preschool in Preschool Wing

#### Download our app Church Center and have access to:

- Upcoming events
- Praver requests
- Ministry information
- Library catalog
- Church directory
- Previous sermons

#### **Hospitality Center:**

Visit the cart in the lobby to pick up the following:

- Kids' activity bags
- Assisted listening devices
- Daily Bread booklets
- Printed song lyrics
- Connect Cards

Ways to Give:





box as you exit www.hefc.net **Church Center** 

### Sunday Worship 8:00 AM and 10:45 AM

There will be a cake reception for Pastor Kurt on Sunday, June 2, following second service in Fellowship Hall. While Kurt plans to remain part of the Hope Church family while he's in the area, we want to recognize and thank him for his two years of ministry as our Youth Pastor. Please stop by and say thank you as he transitions out of the role but remains a brother in our church family.

ANNOUNCEMENT

If you have a student (high school or college) graduating this spring that attends Hope Church for Sunday mornings/Youth Group or on summer breaks, please send a picture and graduation information to Jamie [jamie@hefc.net]. Be sure to include additional information if you are hosting an open house.

Diaper Drive: We are running a diaper drive for Willow Women's Center from Mother's Day to Father's Day. This year their biggest need is for diapers size 4-6 and wipes. We will have an area in the lobby where you can drop off these items on a Sunday morning or Mon-Thurs during office hours.

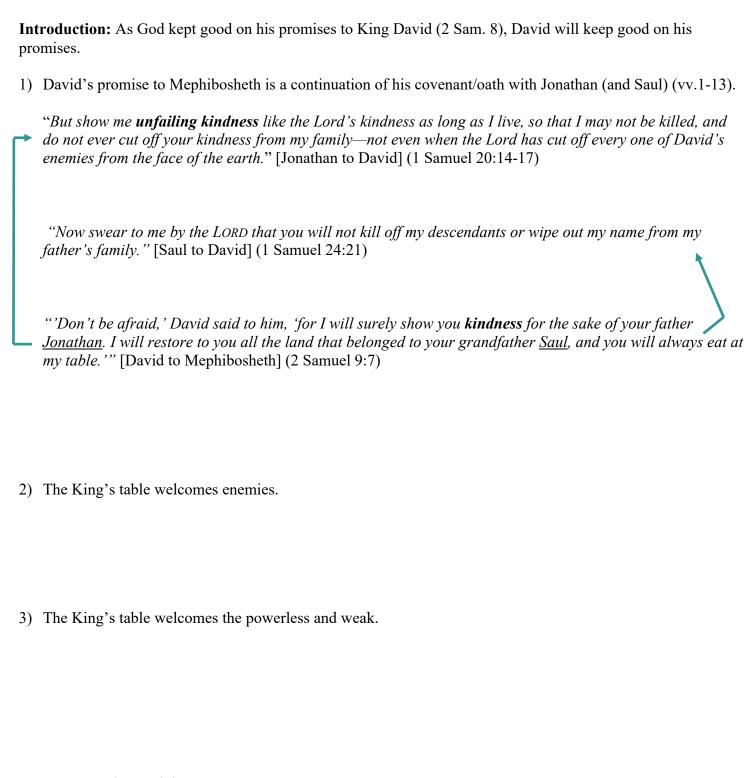
**VBS Supply Needs:** We are still in need of these recyclable items plastic water bottles (thicker plastic kind), clear soda bottles (16.9-20oz), and round oatmeal tubes. There are collection bins near the preschool area and in the lobby. Contact dawn@hefc.net for the complete list of needs.

VBS Child Registration is open now! Sign-up at HEFC.NET/VBS today!



#### The King's Kindness

46<sup>th</sup> in the "Samuel" Series 2 Samuel 9:1-13 May 26, 2024 Pastor Casey Ehlers



#### **Response:** Praise God that...

"At just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." (Romans 5:6-8)

#### **Sunday Text Questions**

2 Samuel 9:1-13 May 26, 2024 Pastor Casey Ehlers

Read the text aloud and discuss together any significant observations or issues needing clarification.

1) Have you ever been surprised by the generosity of a stranger, or even an enemy? What did that look like?
2) David's kindness stems from God's kindness (v. 3). What practices could you adopt to look for ways to show God's kindness in your life and relationships?
3) The King's table welcomes enemies. What does this look like in your life? What does this look like in an election year?
4) The King's table welcomes the weak and powerless. What does this look like in your life?
5) How is this text a shadow of the Gospel of Christ?
6) In what other ways, if any, did this passage speak into your life to teach, rebuke, correct, or train you in righteousness (cf. 2 Timothy 3:16)?
Further study this week: Passages related to the message of this week's text: 1 Samuel 20 & 24 (Mon);

Matthew 5:1-12 (Tues); Romans 3:1-20 (Wed); Romans 3:21-31 (Thurs); Romans 5 (Fri).



### TO OUR 2024 HOPE GRADUATES!

**Bryce Mohnacky** graduated from Hononegah High School. Open house graduation party is **Sunday, May 26,** from 1-6pm at 4743 Wild Deer Trail, Roscoe, IL.

**Lainy Curtis** graduated from Hononegah High School. Open house graduation party is **Saturday, June 1,** from 1-4pm at 401 Diana Drive, Rockton, IL.

**Sophia Hedges** graduated from Hononegah High School. Open house graduation party is **Saturday, June 18,** from 2-6pm at 8319 Crockett Road, Roscoe.

**Lydia Nordgren** graduated from Hononegah High School. Open house graduation party is **Sunday, June 23,** from 3-7pm at 5708 Reidenback Road, South Beloit, IL.

**Evelyn Rudy** graduated from North Boone High School and Rock Valley College with an Associate in Science degree. Open house graduation party is **Saturday, July 20,** from 2-6pm at the Newhouse Farm (13407 Capron Road, Capron, IL).

**John McKenzie** graduated from Hononegah High School.

**Dawson Schreier** graduated from Hononegah High School.

Bristol Rosenbaum graduated from Hononegah High School.

**Brianna Trevino** graduated from Hononegah High School.

Isabelle Molitor graduated from Hononegah High School.



# Annual Community Memorial Day Picnic

Monday, May 27 11AM – 1PM

Music, games & free food!

Leland Park 5815 Broad St. Roscoe, IL

Invite a friend or neighbor too. All are welcome! Door hanger invites are available in the lobby to pick up and distribute in your neighborhoods. You can also sign-up online to volunteer at this fun event.



## Women of Hope invite you to a Game Night on Friday, June 7, at 6:30pm

This event is for high school age to adult. Come for an opportunity to connect and just have fun! Please sign-up on the app or at the kiosks in the lobby for planning purposes.

#### What to bring:

- Your favorite mug
- Your favorite game
- Your favorite snack

#### We will provide:

- More board games
- Coffee and tea



## Attention all volunteers who work with children and teens!

We are having a mandatory Care & Safety of Minors Training event on Monday, June 3, from 5:30-8pm. This training is for teens and adults who work with minors. This includes nursery, Growth Hour, AWANA Clubs, VBS, Youth Group, etc. Please sign up to attend or talk to Vera if you can't make it and need an alternative.

Child care and dinner are provided for this training.

Register on the app or at the kiosks in the lobby.