

HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH

July 5, 2026

Engaging in the Mission of God...

Opening Songs: "Here I Am to Worship"
"Highlands (Song of Ascent)"

Please welcome and greet one another, as you are comfortable.

Bible Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-17

¹⁴But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of, because you know those from whom you learned it, ¹⁵and how from infancy you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, ¹⁷so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

Announcements & Offering

Offering Song: "In the Garden"

Message: *Mechanics of the Bible*

Closing Song: "Face to Face"

Worship leader: Brett Borman
Nursery care: Kelly Celona and Dominique Meo
Greeter: Karen Peterkin
Scripture reader: Joshua Peterkin

STAFF

Administrative Director: Karen Peterkin
Worship Leader: Brett Borman
Pastor: Josh Shaffer

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Children's Ministry:

Nursery care is available for the duration of the service.

Children's Church is on Summer Break- see you September 13th!

Dear Visitors and Guests,

Welcome to Hope! Please take a moment to visit the Welcome Table in the lobby to receive your free travel mug. If you would like to be added to our email list, please scan the QR code or contact us at info@hopeccdelco.com.



"BLESSING BAGS" FEEDING PROGRAM

Most needed donations include: Granola Bars, Nutri-Grain Bars, Horizon Shelf Sustainable Milk, Macaroni and Cheese Microwavable Cups, Canned Pasta, Canned Soup (with pop tops), Capri-Sun or Kool-Aid Juice Boxes/Pouches, Toaster Pastries (Pop-Tarts), Applesauce (single serve), Ritz Crackers Fresh Stacks.

Volunteer Opportunities:

Blessing Bag preparation: Thursdays at 6:00pm. Blessing Bag distribution: Fridays 5pm – 7:15pm at St. Stephen's Church: 128 Chester Pike, Norwood. blessingbagsforchildren@gmail.com

2ND QUARTER BUDGET UPDATE

Weekly need to meet budget: \$3,675.20
Average weekly giving received: \$4,139.04
\$463.84/week above need

KENYA MISSION TRIP – July 19 – August 1

Please join us in praying for Charlotte Peterkin and Josh Peterkin who will be representing Hope CC as part of the 2026 Kenya Mission Team. In total, there are 10 missionaries from Pennsylvania, who each need to raise \$4,200 to make the trip to Kenya possible.

Join us next Sunday, July 12, as we send off our missionaries.

PRAYER MINISTRY

Prayer Porch Meetings – Facilitated by Bob & Lois Citta. Open to all.
When: Sunday mornings from **9:45am–10:25am at Hope House.**

–Please email your prayer requests to: prayer@hopeccdelco.com.

–If you would like to receive prayer after worship, please join our Prayer Partners in the front of the Sanctuary.

Prayer Group – Hosted by Bob Citta

Bring a notebook and a Bible as we pray for our community.

When: Tuesday evenings from **7:00–8:30pm**

Where: The Citta residence: 714 Prospect Ave, Prospect Park, 19076

Next meeting: **July 7**

Contact Bob with questions: bobcitta@gmail.com.

SUMMER WOMEN'S GROUP

Women of Hope are welcome to gather for a time of catching up, sharing prayer requests, and diving into the Word of God during the summer months.

Meetings will be held at Hope House at 10:30am on the following Saturdays:

July 11

July 25

August 8

August 22

UPCOMING MESSAGES

July 5: *Mechanics of the Bible*

Knowing what the Bible is, and assigning it the value it deserves, will drastically improve our relationship with the Word of God.

– 2 Timothy 3:14–17

July 12: *Should I Stay or Should I Go?*

Some of us are commanded to go, others are commanded to stay.

Either way, our objective remains the same: Make disciples.

– John 4:39–42

July 19: *Forever Changed by the Word*

Some words, when read or heard aloud, have the power to change us forever.

– Nehemiah 8:8–10

July 26: *The Correct Approach*

Approaching the Word of God correctly leads us to the correct interpretation.

– 2 Timothy 2:14–16

August 2: *Plan for Success*

When we fail to plan, we plan to fail. Conversely, when we plan to succeed, we dramatically increase our likelihood for success.

– Luke 14:28–32

Guest Speaker Lineup!

August 9: Charlotte Peterkin and Joshua Peterkin – Kenya Talkback

August 16: John Clifford

August 23: Lynn Craig