

March 3, 2024

HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Engaging in the Mission of God...

Opening Songs: "Here I Am To Worship"
"From The Inside Out"
"How Great Is Our God"

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

Bible Reading: Genesis 3:8-10

⁸Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the LORD God as he was walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and they hid from the LORD God among the trees of the garden. ⁹But the LORD God called to the man, "Where are you?" ¹⁰He answered, "I heard you in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; so I hid."

Children's Church (4yrs old-5th grade)

Announcements & Offering

Offering Song: "Narrow Road"

Message: *Now Return With Sincerity-* Jamey Hindorff

Worship Musicians: Brett Borman, Jon Blasucci and Anya DiBiase
Childcare: Bob Citta, Lois Citta, Jen Ursone and Alyssa Grady
Greeter: Tina Buchanan
Scripture Reader: Tom Pilson

STAFF

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

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Children's Ministry: Nursery is where kids ages 0-4 years old can play, move, and learn about Jesus. Children in pre-K through 5th grade are welcome to join Children's Church, beginning at the message time.

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 contact us at info@hopeccdelco.com.
Thank you!

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

"Blessing Bags" Feeding Program

Donations include: Granola Bars, Fruit Bars, **Horizon Shelf Sustainable Milk**, Macaroni and Cheese Microwavable Cups, Chef Boyardee Microwavable Cups, **Ramen Noodles** or any Microwavable Soup, Hormel Meals, Juice Boxes/Pouches, Fruit Snacks, Applesauce (single serve), **Fruit Cups** (single serve), Other Snacks (single serve) - Chips, Pudding, Cookies, Pretzels, etc.

Volunteer Opportunities:

Blessing Bag preparation: Thursdays at 6:00pm.

Blessing Bag distribution: Fridays 5pm - 7:15pm.

St. Stephen's Church: 128 Chester Pike, Norwood.

blessingbagsforchildren@gmail.com

UPCOMING

Women's Breakfast- Saturday, March 16, 9:30am-11am

Women are invited to this time of fellowship held at Hope House.

Please see the email to sign up in advance and for more information.

Contact Rose Marie Blasucci with questions: rosemjacobs@gmail.com

Family Easter Celebration, Saturday, March 23, Setup at 12:30pm,

Event at 1:30pm: Everyone is invited to this event: children, parents, grandparents and more! Join us for a walk around our church property gathering Easter treats and enjoying a time of fellowship together! Bring a bag to put your snacks in as you gather them. *If you are interested in volunteering to set up a table and hand out snacks, please refer to the email to sign up.* Contact Joyce with questions: Joyceparcell6@gmail.com

SMALL GROUPS

Jesus Series Adult Group – Hosted by Tricia Leboon

Men, women, couples and singles over 18 years are all welcome.

Group discussion will be based on the Jesus Series reading plan.

When: Sunday evenings from 6:30–8:00pm

Where: Hope House – 1st floor

Next meeting: March 3

Jesus Series Women's Group – Hosted by Brindy Reiher

Group discussion will be based on the Jesus Series reading plan.

When: Monday evenings from 7:00–8:30pm

Where: Hope House – 1st floor

Next meeting: March 4

Prayer Group – Hosted by Bob Citta. Open to all.

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

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

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

Next meeting: March 5

Jesus Series Men's Group – Hosted by Josh Shaffer

Group discussion will be based on the Jesus Series reading plan.

When: Wednesday evenings from 7:00–8:30pm

Where: Hope House – 1st floor

Next meeting: March 6

Youth Group – Hosted by Josh Shaffer

Students in grades 6–12 are welcome.

Group discussion will be based on the Jesus Series reading plan.

When: Sunday evenings from 6:30–8:00pm

Where: Hope House – 2nd floor

Next meeting: March 10

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.

TODAY'S MESSAGE: *Now Return With Sincerity*

A testimony of sin and a case for immediate and sincere repentance rather than running away to hide from God and the church out of shame. It teaches that once convicted, the pain can only be remedied by being honest with the Lord God and warns that the longer we wait, the further we will backslide. -*Genesis 3:8–10*

THE JESUS SERIES READING PLAN

3/04 – Mark 11:1–11

3/05 – Mark 11:12–33

3/06 – Mark 12:1–27

3/07 – Mark 12:28–44

3/08 – John 12:1–36

3/09 – John 12:37–50

Join us after worship at Hope Café, just behind the sanctuary, for some free refreshments.