

## YOUR GENEROSITY IS CHANGING LIVES

It has been a joy to see the generosity of our people throughout my time at Hope Community Church as they have chosen to financially bless our teens. We have many teens who are in difficult financial situations and find it challenging to go to some youth activities due to finances. Because of the generosity and unexpected financial sponsorships throughout the year from individuals and families from this church, we now have students who are attending youth activities that would typically find it challenging to participate. I am overwhelmingly thankful for this church and the way they are providing for and empowering the next generation of the church. - Pastor Amanda

The mission of Hope Community Church is supported through faithful and generous giving to our ONE HOPE ministry fund. If you have not yet joined this exciting journey, we invite you to discover the joy of giving to God and seeing His Kingdom expand in your life and in our community.

**Attendance 9.2.18** East Toledo Campus: No Report Oregon Campus: 158

|                      | Giving<br>9/2/2018 | Giving Month to Date<br>September 2018 | Expenses Month to Date<br>September 2018 |
|----------------------|--------------------|--|--|
| <b>ONE HOPE FUND</b> | \$ 8,305.00        | \$ 8,305.00                            | \$ 6,640.74                              |



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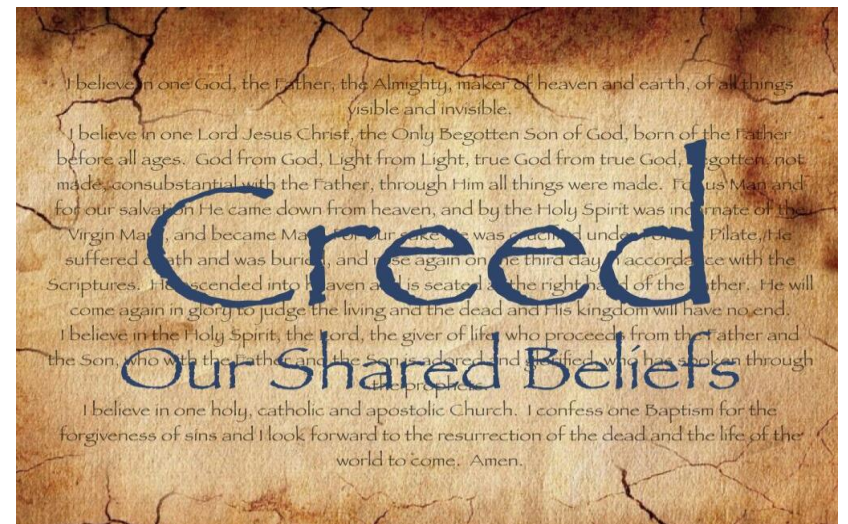
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On the Hope website, select Connect and then Directory.  
Click on the link and use the password HopeDirect.



To Be and Bring Hope to Our Community

September 9, 2018



**JEREMY ENGLAND, East Toledo Campus Pastor**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### OAKDALE ELEMENTARY AWARDS CEREMONY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

September 14, 1:30 - 2:30 pm

We'll have bounce houses and the video game trailer set up for the kids. Let Pastor Jeremy know if you're able to help.

**ETC POTLUCK PICNIC** to welcome Fall will be held right after church on September 23 in the Man Cave at Mike and Jackie Barczak's home, 26929 Cummings Road, Millbury. Paper products and meat will be provided. Bring a dish to share and a beverage.

## NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father, through Him all things were made. For us Man and for our salvation He came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became Man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate, He suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and His kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## READING PLAN FOR THIS WEEK

**Monday** - Genesis 1

**Tuesday** - Leviticus 19:2, Deuteronomy 6:4-5

**Wednesday** - Isaiah 5:16; 6:1-7; 40:18-31,

**Thursday** - Matthew 3:16-17; 28:19-20, John 14:6-27

**Friday** - 1 Corinthians 8:6; 2 Corinthians 13:14; Galatians 4:4-6; Ephesians 2:13-18; 1 John 1:5; 4:8

**BACK TO SCHOOL BASH** 6:30 – 8:00 pm, September 12 at the Oregon Campus

This is going to be awesome event for children ages 4 years – 5<sup>th</sup> grade! Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Hot dogs, chips and snow cones! Color run! Bouncy house! Gaga ball!

Invite your friends! Cost: \$2 per person.

Wear clothes that can turn colors. Bring sunglasses. RSVP and pay by texting "BASH" to 567-202-2111.

## ALABASTER OFFERING

The Alabaster Offering provides funds for property and buildings around the world for churches, schools, medical facilities, and homes for missionaries and national workers.

**Boxes are available in the tote box. See Pastor Jeremy for a box.**

**Return your filled box on Sunday, September 16.**

## SMALL GROUPS

Contact the small group leader for more information.

**6:00 pm Monday's** Nicole Bowman, 419-261-3506

**7:00 pm Friday's** (at Pastor Jeremy's house, 2317 Mellwood, Toledo) Mike Kowalski, 419-270-0033

## Sermon Notes

HEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

RESPOND: \_\_\_\_\_

SHARE: \_\_\_\_\_

### Take Home Point

God is beyond our understanding  
but invites us to go deeper.

### Next Week's Reading

Colossians 1:15-23  
Matthew 1:22-23

## SEPTEMBER KIDS FACTORY SCHEDULE/NURSERY SCHEDULE

**First Week:** Kids Sunday/Mary Cribbs & Dianna Yenrick

**Second Week:** Amber Hawes & John Peart /Mary Cribbs & Kaiden Hawes

**Third Week:** Evelyn Avery & Cathy Lorton/Nicole Bowman & Bethany Gillespie

**Fourth Week:** Kids Sunday/Barb Greisinger & Cathy Bishop

**Fifth Week:** Amber Hawes & John Peart/Patti Dickey & Kaiden Hawes

## HOPE STUDENT MINISTRIES

**Meets 6:30 – 8:00 pm Wednesdays at the Oregon Campus**

**For students in 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades.** For more information on any event, contact Pastor Amanda at [asparks@hopecommunity.tv](mailto:asparks@hopecommunity.tv).

Questions? Contact Pastor Amanda at 419-689-0018 or [asparks@hopecommunity.tv](mailto:asparks@hopecommunity.tv).

## SONFEST September 22, 2018 at MVNU

**Tickets:** \$33, for concert and meals. To register, pay, fill out an activity release form and a medical release form, text the word "SONFEST" to 567-202-2111 by Sunday, September 16. This year's festival will feature the artists Lacrae, Family Force 5, I Am They, Jackie Hill Perry, The Young Escape and Damac. The group will leave from the church at 9:00 am Saturday, September 22 and return approximately 12:30 am Sunday, September 23.

## FALL RETREAT

**November 2 – 4, 2018**

**For students in 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades**

Early registration: \$105 by October 15

Regular registration: \$115 by October 22

Register and pay by texting "FALL RETREAT" to 567-202-2111.