
THE HOPE CONNECTION

Dear Hope Methodist Church Family,

Grace and peace to you!

Tiffany and I are truly excited to introduce ourselves and to begin this new chapter of ministry with you at Hope Methodist Church. From the very beginning, you have made us feel welcomed, encouraged, and loved, and we are incredibly grateful for the kindness you have already shown us.

As we prepare to make Hope our home, we are looking forward to becoming part of this wonderful community. Arkansas has always felt like home to us. My parents live in Mulberry, Arkansas, and Tiffany's parents live in Lakeview, Arkansas, so being able to serve in this beautiful part of the state feels like coming home in more ways than one.

One of the highlights so far was getting to work alongside many of you at the fish fry. It was a wonderful opportunity to laugh together, meet new friends, and experience firsthand the servant-hearted spirit that makes Hope Methodist Church so special. If that's any indication of what lies ahead, we know God has exciting things in store for all of us.

We are honored to have the opportunity to serve alongside you. Our prayer is that together we will grow deeper in our faith, love one another well, reach our community with the hope of Jesus Christ, and faithfully follow wherever God leads us. We are excited to worship with you, learn from you, and walk beside you as brothers and sisters in Christ.

One verse that has been on our hearts during this transition is:

"Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths." – Proverbs 3:5-6 (KJV)

As we look back over this journey, we truly believe God's hand has been guiding every step. From the very first phone call when I spoke with Rose, who graciously connected me with Joe, to every conversation, every visit, and every warm welcome we've received, we have seen God's faithfulness opening doors and confirming

His direction. Time after time, He has given us peace and reassurance that Hope is exactly where He is leading our family. We are thankful for His guidance and excited to see what He has planned as we begin serving alongside each of you.

Thank you for welcoming us with such open hearts. We are looking forward to getting to know each of you better and to seeing what God will do through Hope Methodist Church in the days ahead.

With gratitude and excitement,

Pastor Ian & Tiffany Beevers

August

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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9am W2elcome Home Breakfast  Blessing of the Backpacks	3 5 pm -Boble Recap	4 10am - Boble Recap	5 10am- Class meething  Hope	6 Watermelon Festival 	7 6:30 am Men's book Study	8 9am- noon Threads of Faith
9 Bring Jeans & Tshirts	10  Prescott 5 pm -Boble Recap	11 10am - Boble Recap	12 10am- Class meething  Garrett	13	14 6:30 am Men's Book Study	15
16 9am outreach meeting 12:15 AdBoard Meeting Ware a pair/ Bring a pair	17  Spring hill 5 pm -Boble Recap	18 10am - Boble Recap	19 10am- Class meething	20	21 6:30 am Men's Book Study	22
23 Blessing the items	24 companion meeting 5 pm -Boble Recap	25 10am - Boble Recap	26 10am- Class meething	27	28 6:30 am Men's Book Study	29
30	31 5 pm-Boble Recap		Pray For Our SCHOOLS 			

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

HELLO
AUGUST



AUGUST EVENTS

AUGUST 2ND -BLESSING OF THE
BACKPACKS

AUGUST 2ND - 9AM WELCOME HOME
BREAKFAST POT LUCK FOR
IAN & TIFFANY

AUGUST 5TH -BACK TO SCHOOL (HOPE)

AUGUST 8TH - THREADS OF FAITH

AUGUST 9TH -BRING JEANS & T SHIRTS
SIZES 6-12

AUGUST 10TH -BACK TO SCHOOL
(PRESCOTT)

AUGUST 12TH -BACK TO SCHOOL
(GARRETT)

AUGUST 16TH - WARE A PAIR/BRING A
PAIR(BLESSING OF THE ITEMS)

AUGUST 16TH - 12:15 AD.BOARD MEETING

AUGUST 17TH -BACK TO SCHOOL (SPRING
HILL)

AUGUST 19TH - LUNCH BUNCH @ JUAN'S

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

5th - Pat Hutson

Sandy Beaty

6th - Josh & Kimberly McMahan Anniv.

9th - Judy Vaughan

11th - Chad Morris

Deb Herman

Mandy Bush

Monica Morris

15th -Angie Burgess

20th -Lolita Murray

Eddie & Carolyn Aslin Anniv.

22nd -Mary Ward

Charlton Luker

24th -Sandy Henley

Ashley Sears

30th -Karen Montgomery

Paul Wilson

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS

Blessing of the Backpacks

Sunday

August 2, 2026

All children, youth, & college students, bring your backpacks to be blessed during the service for the upcoming school year.



Bible Camp

The theme this year was "Under the Sea" where the kids learned different stories that revolved around water. We had 10 kids participate and they all had a great time ending with the field trip to the Shreveport Aquarium.

Big THANK YOU to Keith McGhee for putting together the lessons and helping to keep Bible Camp an important part of the life of our church!



YOUTH NEWS



End of Summer FLOAT TRIP

FRIDAY - AUGUST 7, 2026

All youth are invited to come on an end of summer float trip. This is open to all youth entering the 6th-12th
More information will be provided closer to the time of the event.
Any questions, contact Rose

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WEDNESDAY

INVITE FRIENDS
WIN PRIZES!

HAVE FUN

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

STARTING SEPTEMBER 2, 2026

in Fellowship Hall

parents encouraged to attend

OPENING NIGHT STARTS WITH A MEAL!

TACOS, CHIPS, QUESO

BINGO GAME NIGHT!



Wanted: Donations of Gift Cards

Youth/Children's groups would love donations of gift cards from restaurants, visa gift cards, WalMart gift cards for prizes for Bingo night, Please give to Rose, Jim, or Brandon. Thank you!!



COOKBOOK

Coming This Fall!

We are starting a church
cookbook!

Please gather up your favorite
recipes
and get ready to share them.

For more
information please
call: Cathryn Looney
@ 979-229-7899

Let's Get
COOKING

Drop-off location to be announced soon!

LIGHT FROM THE WORD

HEAR THE HARD TRUTH

They will turn their ears away from truth and turn aside to myths. (2 Tim. 4:4)

2 Timothy 4: 3-4

The best leaders don't shy away from hearing difficult things. They want to know so they can grow. We live in a culture that is increasingly drawn to whatever feels right and seems desirable. When it comes to receiving truth from the Scriptures and people in our lives, we are warned that there will come a time when human instincts will be to reject truth and turn toward more comforting myths. We may not want to admit that we ourselves could ever fall into this category, but anytime we don't want to hear what someone has to say simply because we don't like the content, we need to check ourselves. God's Word says, "Wounds from a friend can be trusted" and "As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another" (Prov. 27:6,17). These verses remind us that it is a gift when friends, mentors, or family members are willing to share sound doctrine with us that can shape us to be more like Jesus.

It has taken most of my life to finally desire to receive helpful truth even if it hurts at first. Note the part of the verse that says, "They will gather ... teachers to say what their itching ears want to hear" (v.3). This should make us ask ourselves: Who am I looking for and inviting to speak into my life?

- Nicole Wiencek

**GIVE AND RECEIVE HONEST, HELPFUL TRUTH TO
KEEP GROWING IN CHRIST.**



UPCOMING DRIVES

August 9th & 16th, we will have "Blue Jean Sundays" where we will ask you to bring jeans to church to donate. Sizes 6-12. Watch the bulletin inserts on Sundays for more info!



FINANCES

THANK YOU FOR GIVING



WE MAKE GIVING EASY!

Text "Hope Church" to 73256 using your mobile device or scan this QR code with your phone's camera!



PASTOR'S FUND

Any money placed on the altar rail on Communion Sundays is allocated to our pastor's fund. This money is used for helping individuals/families in need at the discretion of our pastor.

JULY ATTENDANCE & TITHING

june 28th

Att.- 108 Tithe-\$8,558

July 5th

Att.- 80 Tithe-\$7,773

July 12th

Att.- 84 Tithe-\$6,266

July 19th

Att.- 78 Tithe-\$3,032

July 26th

Att.- 73 Tithes-\$4,050



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PRESCHOOL NEWS

3, 2, 1...BLAST OFF!

Our teachers are working hard to get their classrooms ready for the upcoming school year! We are all very excited to see what this year will bring. We have 24 students registered, with 1 class for 3-year-olds and 1 class for 4-year-olds. We have 1 After School Care class also!

Sabrina Lambert will be teaching our 4s this year and she has also agreed to fill the Director position and Jessica will work alongside her to get her trained and certified. She did amazing as our 3-year-old teacher last year and we are so excited to have her accepting new challenges this year!

Please pray for us as we continue to finalize details for the start of school, and pray for our students and families as they prepare for this big step!

**FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8**