

First time at Hope?

We're so glad you're here! If you're willing, would you fill out a **connection card** from one of the pews? This will allow us to **get to know you** a little bit and follow up with you this week. When you're done, you can place the card in a basket at the front of the sanctuary or during the offering. Thanks!

Children's Church/Nursery

Kids ages **3 years - 5th grade** will be invited to **Children's Church** in the middle of the service. We do not currently have a staffed nursery, but you are welcome to use the nursery downstairs with your child during the service.

Regular Events

Prayer Gathering - Tuesdays, 6:30pm

Men's Breakfast - 2nd and 4th Saturdays,
8am @ Beacon Diner

Youth Group (6th-12th grade) - Sundays, 6pm-7:30pm
(resumes in the fall!)

Kids Clubs (Grades K-5) - Wednesdays, 6:30pm-8pm
(Tentative start date September 17)

DNA Groups - Adult Discipleship, Various Meeting Times
Interested? Let us know on a connection card

Notable Dates

September 4 - Leadership Meeting, 7pm

September 13 - Men's Breakfast

September 14 - Happy birthday, Wendy!

September 18 - Happy birthday, Laina!

October 3-5 - Crisp Air Festival

October 31 - Trick or Treat Night

Fall Ministry Relaunch

With the start of school comes the start of some of our fall ministries, including Kids Club, Youth Group, and DNA Groups. Be on the lookout in the coming weeks for more information about start dates and times for these ministries!

Crisp Air Festival - October 3-5

The event organizers have graciously allowed us to have another booth at this year's festival. More information and details will be coming soon, but please mark your calendars now as we will be needing available people to help us man the booth. Thank you!

Financial Report

	Week of August 24	2025 Year-to-date
General Fund	\$596.78	\$21,239.01
Budget GF Target	\$788.51	\$26,809.17
Actual GF Expenses		\$23,029.51
General Fund less Expenses		\$(1,790.50)
General Fund % of Expenses		92.2%
Great Commission Fund (Designated and 2.5% of GF)	\$1.00	\$487.63
Wall Fund	\$27.00	Total: \$5,316.00

If interested in financially supporting the ministry of Hope Community Fellowship, you can place offerings in the baskets at the front of the sanctuary. You can also give online by visiting hopeinweissport.org/give

ALL OF IT MATTERS

Watchmen
Ezekiel 1-22

BIG IDEA: As God's watchmen, we are called to love His city so much that we faithfully sound the alarm, giving people the chance to hear and be saved

So what?

1. What does this reveal to me about God?
2. How does this show the devastating effect of sin?
3. How does this reveal God's desire for redemption?

Now what? (James 1:22-25)

Participate in this week's reading plan!

- August 31 - Ezekiel 23-24
- September 1 - Ezekiel 25-27
- September 2 - Ezekiel 28-30
- September 3 - Ezekiel 31-33
- September 4 - Ezekiel 34-36
- September 5 - Ezekiel 37-39
- September 6 - Ezekiel 40-42

For more information/sources:

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Welcome to



Making, teaching, and equipping disciples of Jesus

Hope is...

the Gospel

Know it, accept it, live it

Prayer

Talking with and listening to God about our church, our community, and His Kingdom

Multi-generational

Making disciples who make disciples who make disciples...

Moving

Closer to God, to each other, and our community, in the name of Jesus