

### 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

**Kids Clubs (Grades K-5)** - Wednesdays, 6:30pm-8pm

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

### Notable Dates

January 25 - Men's Breakfast

January 25 - Happy birthday, Jonathan!

January 26 - Annual Business Meeting

February 9 - Youth Group Super Bowl Party

February 15 - Happy anniversary, Stevie and Isabel!

February 26 - Happy birthday, Abbey!

March 9 - Daylight Savings Time Begins

April 20 - Easter

May 4 - Missions Emphasis Weekend

### Annual Business Meeting - January 26 following Sunday Gathering

Please mark your calendars and make every effort to set aside time for our upcoming annual business meeting. There will be many important things to discuss, celebrate, and look ahead to. Topics will include:

- Celebrations of 2024
- Current state of property/finances
- Looking ahead to potential ministry opportunities in 2025
- A vote to re-elect Jim Rivera to a two year term as elder
- A vote to approve a proposed 2025 Budget (to be made available next week)

Thank you for making this a priority! Oh, and also, we'll have lunch together!

### Greeting Ministry

Are you able to be friendly? Smile? Hand someone a bulletin? Then you are perfect for our greeting ministry! Interested in helping? Please sign up on the bulletin board downstairs.

### Financial Report

	Week of January 5	2025 Year-to-date
General Fund	\$510.00	\$510.00
Budget GF Target	\$TBD	\$TBD
Actual GF Expenses		\$1,509.87
<b>General Fund less Expenses</b>		<b>\$(999.87)</b>
General Fund % of Expenses		33.7%
Great Commission Fund (Designated and 2.5% of GF)	\$ -	\$ -
Wall Fund (Goal: \$5,000)	\$ -	Total: \$4,461.00

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](https://hopeinweissport.org/give)

## ALL OF IT MATTERS

Separate Ways  
Genesis 16-34

# Welcome to



# Hope

Community Fellowship

**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*

### 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!

- January 12 - Genesis 35-37
- January 13 - Genesis 38-40
- January 14 - Genesis 41-42
- January 15 - Genesis 43-45
- January 16 - Genesis 46-47
- January 17 - Genesis 48-50
- January 18 - Exodus 1-3

#### **For more information/sources:**

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