

WELCOME TO HOPE

TODAY IN WORSHIP

THE MESSAGE

“A Living Hope: Who We Are
And Why We Exist”

SCRIPTURE READINGS

1 Peter 1:3-9 (NIV)

John 14:1-7 (NIV)

PRAYERS OF HOPE

CONGRATULATIONS:

Breanna Jansen & Brad Evans as
they are united in marriage

BAPTIZED: Hoyt Clark
Hanson, Harrison Michael
Burgum

HOSPITALIZED: Kathy Boese,
Jean Bye, Arleen Frisch, Sheryal
Mittleider

SYMPATHY TO: Jamie &
Tamara Sprynczynatyk at the
death of his mother; Family of
Beverly Slotten, *charter
member*

IN OUR PRAYERS: All 6th
graders receiving First
Communion

SAY YES TO VOLUNTEERING

Volunteer opportunities that
have immediate needs:

- **Ushers for all services**
- **Greeters for all services**
- **Scripture Readers on
Wednesdays at 5:30 or
7:00pm**
- **Scripture Readers on Sundays
at 11:00am**
- **Hopekids Small Group Leaders
& Room Helpers**
- **Hopekids Online Small Group
Leaders**
- **Hopekids Hospitality**
- **Stephen Ministers (Training
begins Sept. 17)**
- **West Campus Set-up Team**
- **West Campus Tear-down Team**
- **West Campus Greeters**
- **West Campus Info Desk**

Visit fargohope.org/volunteer
or talk to us following worship.
Thank you for being the hands
and feet of Jesus!

NOTES:

A LIVING HOPE: **WHO WE ARE AND WHY WE EXIST**

Use this guide for personal or small group study.

REFLECT >>>

1. What defines you?
2. What is your purpose in life and how do you know?
3. What is the purpose of the church?

READ YOUR BIBLE >>>

- 1 Peter 1:3
- John 14:1-7

APPLY GOD'S WORD TO YOUR LIFE >>>

1. What does it mean to have been given a “new birth into a living hope”?
2. How would you define hope?
3. How is our hope alive? Why does that matter?
4. How does our hope give us purpose? What purpose do you have as a Christian?
5. How has your life been changed by hope in Christ?
6. How do we share hope? Is our hope just for eternal life or more?

7. What is God saying to you in our texts today? Why is telling others about Jesus so important?

We are people defined by a “Living Hope!” That means that our hope is not just a wishful feeling, but that Hope has a name... Jesus. Jesus provides us hope for this life and the next. We trust that our lives can be restored and redeemed today, and completely when we die. Hope means we can enter into the brokenness of this life with assurance, the chaos with confidence, the hurt with comfort, the conflicted with peace and even face death with joy. Because we know that victory has been won over sin and death by the work that Jesus Christ has done on the cross. Our work as Christ’s disciples is to share that good news of Hope in Christ with the whole world. We are children of Hope called to bring Jesus’ hope to the world!

PRAY >>>

Father, may my life be defined by the Hope we have in You. When I am afraid, bring me assurance, when I am in despair bring me confidence, when I am lost, show me the way. Guide us as Your church to show the world living hope. Thank You for the hope You provide us on the cross. Thank You for purpose, for joy and for the eternal comfort we have in You. In Jesus’ Name. Amen.

RE-OPENING INFORMATION & GUIDELINES

Please practice social distancing: maintain a 6ft. social distance between people

Please wear a mask: mask required ages 2 and older (exception of an underlying condition)

If you don't feel well: Please stay home and do not enter the building

Bathrooms: Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult

Wash & sanitize: Please wash your hands for at least 20 seconds

Our goal is to mitigate the possibility of transmission as best we can. Thank you!

NURTURED HEART APPROACH TO PARENTING

Sept. 29-November 3 | 7:00-8:00pm | Zoom - Online Class

See transformation in your life and the life of your child! For more information and to register, visit fargohope.org/adults

GROUPS FOR MOMS

KAMS (Kids and Moms) will begin meeting weekly in the park, beginning mid-September. Contact Ruth with questions at 701.238.1831.

MOPs/MomsNext will meet virtually on **Saturday, September 19, 10:00-11:00am**. More info at fargohope.org/women

BOOK CLUBS FOR WOMEN

Read 'n Relate: Meets the **1st Tuesday** of each month via Zoom at **7:30pm**. Contact Mary, 701.261.6204

Read 'n Relate, Too: Meets the **2nd Monday** of each month via Zoom at 11:15am. Contact Karen, 701.361.0325 or ksilbernagel@cableone.net

Register for either at fargohope.org/women

DIVORCECARE

Mondays, begins Sept. 28 | 6:30-8:00pm | South Campus | \$20

Find help and healing for the hurt of separation and divorce. Find out more at fargohope.org/hopecare

GRIEF SHARE

Mondays, begins Sept. 28 | 6:30-8:00pm | North Campus | \$15 for book

Get help and encouragement after the death of a loved one. Find out more at fargohope.org/hopecare

2nd GRADE BIBLE EVENT

Sept. 20 | 4:00pm | North or South Campus

Sept. 20 | 9:30am in worship | West Campus

All second graders and their parents are welcome to join us as we present Bibles to our 2nd graders. No RSVP needed. Contact hopekids@fargohope.org with questions.

JOIN HOPE LUTHERAN

It's easy to become a member!
Find out more and register online
at fargohope.org

BAPTISM ORIENTATION

Baptisms can be scheduled after
watching the baptism orientation
video. Find out more at
fargohope.org/baptism

HOSPITALIZED?

Please contact the Church Office
at 701.235.6629 or hopecare@fargohope.org. Our pastors want
to visit and provide care.
Hospitals will not notify us when
you are admitted.

SIGN UP FOR PASTOR PAUL'S EMAIL UPDATE

fargohope.org/about

GIVE ON THE GO WITH TEXT MESSAGING

Text the gift amount (Ex. \$50) to
701.404.8325. You will receive a
confirmation text, a receipt via
email, and the option to set up a
reoccurring gift.

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THIS WEEK AT HOPE

WORSHIP IN PERSON

Wednesday at 5:30 & 7:00pm
Saturday at 6:00pm
Sunday at 8:15 & 9:30am (Chapel),
8:15, 9:30 & 11:00am (Sanctuary)
fargohope.org/worship

WORSHIP ONLINE

Wednesday at 5:30pm CST
Sunday at 8:30 & 9:30am CST
Video is immediately archived so you can
watch when it's convenient for you!
fargohope.org/watch

HOPEKIDS | Age 3-Grade 5

Children's Sunday School

Wednesday at 5:30 & 7:00pm (No Pre-K
at 7:00pm)
Sunday at 8:15, 9:30 & 11:00am
Online Wednesdays at 6:30pm via Zoom
fargohope.org/children

MSM (Middle School Ministry) | Grades 6-9

Confirmation

Sunday at 6:00pm (6th–9th grade)
Online Wednesdays at 7:15pm via Zoom
fargohope.org/middleschool

HSM (High School Ministry) | Grades 10-12

Wednesday Nights

Wednesday at 8:15pm, South Campus
fargohope.org/highschool

HSM Life Groups

Small Groups and Hang-outs that
happen outside a Wednesday Night.
Email highschool@fargohope.org to find
your group!

