

DISCUSSION GUIDE

- Icebreaker -

How'd you spend your Labor Day? What was your favorite part?

L.E.A.D. - Reflect on the message and ask one another

- What did you **learn**?
- How were/are you **encouraged**?
- What will you **apply** to your life?
- How does this **direct** you to pray?

FALL KICKOFF

COMMUNITY GROUPS

we're all about doing life together. For more info on all, visit [got-hope.org/CG](http://got-hope.org/CG).

HOPE YOUTH  
WEDNESDAYS @ 6:30 PM

GRADES 6-12  
The night consists of a game/ hangout time, break-out groups, and biblical, relevant, age-appropriate messages. Friends are always welcome! Make sure to sign up online for text alerts. [got-hope.org/youth](http://got-hope.org/youth)



WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Our Bible studies are times dedicated to studying God's word deeper within the family of God with women around you as well as to present your requests in prayer. [got-hope.org/women](http://got-hope.org/women)

MONDAYS @ 6:30 PM  
Starting Sept 11

Hope's Lower Level  
Hebrews: The Nearness of King Jesus  
COST: \$16



TUESDAYS @ 9 AM  
Starting Sept 19

Hope's Sanctuary  
Goliath Must Fall  
Childcare is provided.  
COST: \$11



GRANDPARENTS CONNECT

A time to discuss how to be intentional Christian grandparents, encourage one another, and pray for grandkids and their parents.

3RD SUNDAY TYPICALLY @ 4 PM  
Starting Sept 24

Hope's Lower Level  
[got-hope.org/grandparents](http://got-hope.org/grandparents)



SEASONAL CARE GROUP: GRIEF SHARE | STARTING SEPT 12

A thirteen-week small group study on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 - 8:30 pm. Grieving the death of a loved one? A friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences; losing a loved one. Facilitated by people who've walked the road you are traveling; people who understand how you feel and can offer encouragement. [got-hope.org/grief](http://got-hope.org/grief)



MEN'S MINISTRY

Join men from Hope as we study God's Word and walk through life together. [got-hope.org/men](http://got-hope.org/men)

MONDAYS @ 6:30 PM  
Starting Sept 18

Hope's Upper Room  
Hebrews - Bring a Bible, pen, & notebook!



WEDNESDAYS @ 7 AM  
Starting Sept 12

Hy-Vee Restaurant  
Ephesians - Bring a Bible, pen, & notebook!



YOUNG ADULTS

Discipling those age 18 - 35 to walk through life together in the pursuit of loving God, loving people, and making disciples. [got-hope.org/young-adults](http://got-hope.org/young-adults)

2ND SUNDAYS MEALS  
4TH SATURDAY @ 6 PM

Starting Sept 23  
Wiggins' House  
1 & 2 Timothy - Bring a Bible, notebook, & pen!



HOPE FAMILIES

We know all aspects of family in this world can get a little crazy, so join in for biblical discussions and prayer that will encourage you. Childcare is provided so the adults can focus on discussion. Then stay to share a meal with all.

[got-hope.org/families](http://got-hope.org/families)



1ST SUNDAY @ 4 PM

Starting Oct 1 at Fall Festival



connect card

Please fill out and place it in the offering or feel free to scan the QR code to fill it out online!



Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

This is my/our:

- first visit
- second visit
- visit often
- attend regularly

How did you hear about us?

Share a need, praise or prayer request:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

- this is for staff only
- send this on Hope text alerts

I'd like to take a next step!

- Today I said, "YES!"
- How do I say "YES!" to Jesus?
- I recommitted my life to Jesus
- I'd like to get baptized
- Start reading the Bible
- Have a pastor contact me
- Sign up for communication
- Attend membership class
- Info on digital giving
- I want to step into serving

# connect card

Please fill out and place it in the offering  
or slide under Pastor Mark's door.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I want to join in mission as a **Crestview Reading Buddy** and would love to be contacted.

\_\_\_\_\_ is coming to **Hope Youth's Meatball Mafia!**  
Food allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ is coming to the **Fall Festival!**  
Food allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ is coming to  
 Women's Mon Evening  
 Women's Tues Morning  
Childcare needed? \_\_\_\_\_

Men's Mon Night

Men's Wed Morning

Young Adults

Hope Families

Grandparents Connect

Grief Share

# STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP

## CRESTVIEW READING BUDDIES

We are called to go to the hard places and as a church are intentionally choosing 4 strategic partnerships where we feel God has called us to be a light and put our love into action. Crestview is our first partnership. The school has personally asked us to come back to help meet this reading need and start sending buddies the week of September 18. Our hope and prayer is that we would specifically cover each Kindergarten and 1st Grade class at Crestview. Will you join the mission by stepping in and trusting God to equip you to go to the hard places? We are so excited to see how God is glorified as we step up to fill in this need!



[got-hope.org/crestview](http://got-hope.org/crestview)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

More info & sign up at [got-hope.org/events](http://got-hope.org/events).

### HOPE YOUTH: MEATBALL MAFIA | SEPT 16, 6 PM

Bring a friend to come for an Italian dinner and stay for some mafia fun.

### CHURCH PLANTING SUNDAY | SEPT 24

In the Great Commission, Jesus charges His Church to go and make disciples. Together, discipling and church planting form a powerful force to foster the growth of believers and expansion of God's Kingdom.

### INTERNATIONAL WORKERS | OCT 1

Due to the safety and security of our international workers, we will not be streaming our service on Oct 1.

### FALL FESTIVAL | OCT 1, 4 - 7 PM

Yard games, bonfires, hayrides, and s'more fun! Bring friends for this fun, family event! If you're a part of our church family, please bring a chili to share, guests can come and just be there! This event is hosted by Hope Families as their kickoff for the year, but is opened to all families and kids.

### SAVE THE DATES FOR RETREATS

**Jr & Sr High Avalanche**, Jan 5-7, 2024

**Men's Retreat**, Feb 23-25, 2024

**Weekend to Remember**, Mar 1-3, 2024

**Women's Retreat**, Apr 19-21, 2024

### 50% OFF WEEKEND TO REMEMBER THROUGH SEPT 18

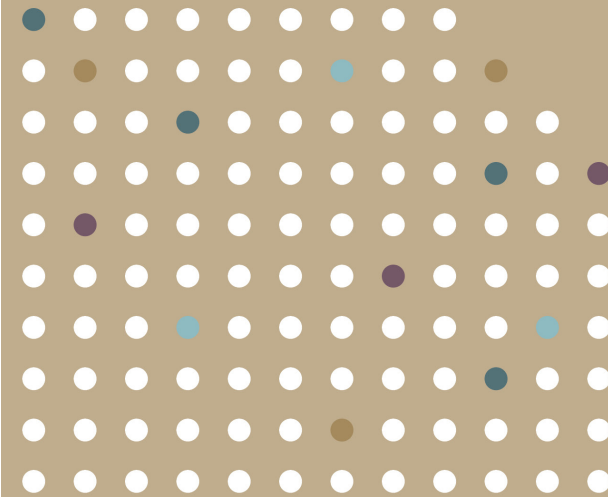
Have you ever wondered if there's more to your marriage than just "this"? Maybe you're looking for a change, a fresh start, or just an opportunity to strengthen your relationship with your spouse. At FamilyLife's Weekend to Remember marriage getaway, we invite you to step into a weekend full of intentionality and growth.



# SEPT 10, 2023



# the master plan



*you're welcome here!*

### HOPE KIDS' MOVE UP SUNDAY | TODAY

SUNS | BIRTH - GRADE 5

While children are always welcome in our services, we have an interactive program downstairs for kids to learn about God and apply His truth to their lives called Discovery Land. We also have a staffed nursery on that level. On this level, we have a family room available off our lobby.

[got-hope.org/kids](http://got-hope.org/kids)