HAPPY THANKSGIVING
TIME FOR REFLECTION!

VETERANS DAY
LET'S HONOR OUR VETERANS

WELCOME JELISA BOYKIN
MINISTRY TEAM

ADOPTION
BRINGING HOPE TO CHILDREN IN NEED OF A FAMILY'S LOVE

MARRIAGE WITHOUT MISERY

November Is National Adoption Month

In an era where strong families are increasingly essential, many children find themselves waiting patiently for the chance to find a home. Research shows that over 117,000 children and adolescents were in the foster care system as late as 2020.

This year, for National Adoption Month, the Children's Bureau is spearheading a targeted campaign to improve the adoption rate of teenagers. Of those waiting to be adopted, 1 in 5 are adolescents. Of those who were adopted, only 5% were teenagers. Additionally, the average time in foster care was 33 months.

We believe that there are many ways in which we can show the love of Christ. Adopting a child or teenager is one of them. If you or someone you know would like to learn more about how to advocate for adoption or become a family who adopts, visit www.childwelfare.gov today.

Advocating for ADOPTION

Fall is in the air

Looking for a way to fill more than happy stomachs during the Fall Season? Try filling your heart with these five Thanksgiving Activities for friends and family alike!

01 Fill a Gratitude Jar - We know this year has been tough for many, but we can't help reflecting on our many blessings. Encourage those you love to fill a gratitude jar with things we're thankful for and sit back and marvel at your many blessings!

02 Play Board or Card Games - Digital entertainment can indeed be delightful, but it's not to be trumped by old school fun. Find classic or new games to enjoy and watch the laughter unfold.

03 Assemble Care Packages - Though many have felt a since of relief, times are still tough for more than a few families. Take advantage of the opportunity to share how you care by finding families who need help the most.

04 Deliver Baked Goods to Friends & Neighbors - Nothing says love like homemade sweet treats. Choose your seasonal favorites and deliver them with a smile. You're sure to warm hearts and homes.

05 Get Started on Your Holiday Playlist - Planning to have a festive celebration at home or for a seasonal get together? Set the tone with the music that will make hearts melt by putting together a playlist of your number one favorites.

These are just a few, but you're welcome to add to the list. Make this season one to remember. You'll be glad you did!

iHOPE CHURCH

Celebrated by Americans now for over a century, it is our honor to express appreciation for veterans within and beyond our community in recognition of Veterans Day. Though originally designed to acknowledge those who died in service to the country following the end of World War I, it was expanded in 1954 to include all service members from all wars. It continues to hold the significance of the War's ending at the 11th hour on the 11th day of the 11th month in 1918.

There are many ways to venerate veterans who remain who have proudly served on our behalf. This includes, but isn't limited to: visiting veteran hospitals, sharing care packages, sending words of expression or even supporting veteran owned businesses.

We are continually blessed to live in a place where so many fight for our freedoms. Those who have served in our military made continual sacrifices that have shaped the present and future of our country. If you know someone who served or meet someone who has, be sure to venerate a veteran. They've earned it. Happy Veterans Day!

Fall reflection

Autumn leaves floating.
Crimson colors, golden hues.
Seasons are changing.

Cool weather greets you.
Hearts and homes are filled with warmth.
Thanksgiving abounds.

Holidays are here.
Count your blessings and your joys.
Love is in the air.

Good Hope Church
Annual Cruise 2023

Package Includes: R/trip Air from Houston, 9day Mediterranean Cruise, 2night stay in Barcelona, Spain w/tour, Transfers, & Port charges. For price inquiries please contact us.

Wednesday - Thursday: Wednesday-Thursday Depart Houston/USA to Barcelona, SpainBarcelona, Spain Via Airlines Schedule
Friday: Barcelona, Spain
Saturday: Cannes, France
Friday - Saturday: Livorno (Florence Pisa, Italy)
Sunday - Monday: Livorno (Florence Pisa, Italy)
Tuesday: Rome(Civitavecchia), Italy
Wednesday: Naples/Pompeii, Italy
Thursday: Cagliari, Sardinia
Friday: Palma, Majorca, Spain
Saturday: Ibiza, Spain
Sunday: Barcelona, Spain
Monday: Houston, Texas. Via Airlines Schedule

Wednesday-Monday July 19-31 2023

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All relationships with God bear great fruit
when it is rooted in relationships
with others

Mediterranean CRUISE

we are HOPE

SUNDAY
All Audiences:
8AM & 10AM
Call
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WEDNESDAY
WORSHIP IN THE WORD
Via Streaming: 7PM
Featuring:
Dr. Elliott Green

GIVING

Your generosity positively changing lives in our church

Point your smart phone's camera to this code to access giving portal

Exciting Things to Do in the Month of November

NOVEMBER 9 & 11, 7:30 P.M.
HOUSTON GRAND OPERA
BROWN THEATRE AT WORTHAM CENTER
PERFORMING ARTS HOUSTON - BROWN THEATER, WORTHAM CENTER

NOVEMBER 6
LA TRAVIATA
BROWN CENTER AT WORTHAM CENTER
PERFORMING ARTS HOUSTON - BROWN THEATER, WORTHAM CENTER

NOVEMBER 11, 7:00 P.M.
CLEO PARKER ROBINSON.
DANCE ENSEMBLE
MILLER OUTDOOR THEATRE
WWW.MILLEROUTDOORTHEATRE.COM

NOVEMBER 12, 7:00 P.M.
CLASSIC JOURNEY
A TRIBUTE
MILLER OUTDOOR THEATRE
WWW.MILLEROUTDOORTHEATRE.COM

NOVEMBER 19, 6:30 P.M.
INSPIRE FILM FEST
THUNDER SOUL
MILLER OUTDOOR THEATRE
WWW.MILLEROUTDOORTHEATRE.COM

Welcome!

Good Hope Welcomes **New Ministry** Co-Director!

Good Hope is pleased to announce Sis. Jelisa Boykin has joined our ministry team as the new Children's Ministry co-director. Jelisa has served as lead servant within the Children's Ministry since 2018, providing parent and student support through 'Hearts of Hope' and the 'Parents Corner'. She is a board-certified behavior analyst, licensed behavior analyst and is a doctoral student in the College of Education's Department of Psychological, Health, and Learning Sciences at the University of Houston. She is also a graduate of Good Hope's Next Generation Leaders program. Most importantly, Jelisa loves God and all children, and is committed to sharing the love of Jesus with them!

We are excited to see what God has in store as she leads AWANA Bible Clubs, Children's Church and Vacation Bible School (VBS).

Cubbies Sparks Truth & Training

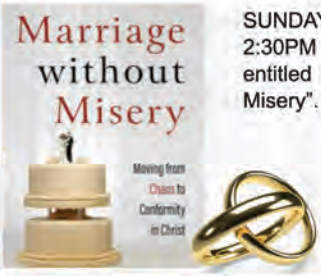
AWANA Clubs Online

AWANA AT GOOD HOPE
September 7 – December 7
7p.m. - 7:45p.m. online!

Are you looking for your child to grow in God's Word? Does your child enjoy games and competition? If so, please join our **AWANA Bible Club** each **Wednesday September 7 - December 7, 2022**.

The cost is $25 per child and includes Bible study guides, vest/t-shirt, bag/backpack and merit awards for scripture memorization. All are welcome and financial assistance is available.

Scan the QR code to register today!



SUNDAY, November 20th at 2:30PM via Zoom Virtual Series entitled "Marriage without Misery".

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INFINITE SCHOLARS
"The Possibilities are Infinite"

Free College-Scholarship Fair
Friday, November 11, 2022

Don't miss this opportunity to meet with colleges and universities to discuss admission & scholarship opportunities. Some colleges will be accepting students and awarding scholarships on the spot.

Learn more about moreCollegeOffers.com that helps students receive more admissions and scholarship offers.

9:00am – 12:30pm and from 2:00pm – 6:00pm

Students should bring: multiple copies of transcripts, ACT/SAT test scores, letters of recommendation, an essay titled "Why I want to attend college.", and a resume.

THIS PROGRAM IS OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS

Students can register for this event on-line at www.infinite-scholar.org