



HOPE CITY CHURCH

*"Helping people experience the Hope
found in a life-changing relationship with Jesus*

LOVE | *unconditionally* - REACH | *intentionally* - TEACH | *transformationally*

SERVE | *relationally* - SEND | *courageously*

experiencing the kindness of God

the
FAVOR!
of
GOD!

4-WEEK TEACHING SERIES | APRIL 2024

 HOPE CITY
CHURCH

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TODAY @ HOPE CITY CHURCH

April 21, 2024

Thanks for joining us for our Weekend Services! Our staff & volunteers have been praying for each of you and we can't wait to get to know you. If this is your first time with us, fill out a Connect Card & pick up a **welcome bag** from the Connect Center as a gift to you from Hope City Church. Welcome Home!



“Experiencing God’s Favor through Adversity”

Romans 8:28

Pastor Oscar Chavez

ADVENTURE CLUB FOR KIDS

[children 3 years old through 5th grade]

Join us every Friday at 6:30pm on the HOPE CITY Church campus. Kid’s Adventure Club meets in Room B105. For more information contact: hopecitykids@hopecitychurch.la

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Join our HC Kids volunteer team. Connect with Judith V. for more info.

CINCO DE MAYO OUTREACH

On Sunday May 5, at 12:30-3:00pm. Join your HC Family for activities for all ages, kid’s jumper, games, lotteria, piñata, and more... A taco lunch with all the trimmings will be provided. Invite your neighbors, family, and friends. Stop by the courtyard after service this morning to grab postcards.

HC Hope Team | TLC

Looking for a way to serve at Hope City? Sign up to join our TLC Preschool | HOPE TEAM that serves coffee each Wednesday morning from, 7:30a-9:15a to the Preschool families, scan the QR code OR click on the ‘Events’ tab at hopecitychurch.la to sign up for a Wednesday slot.



THIS WEEK @ HOPE CITY

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| HC Open House Event | Sun | Apr 21 | 12:15pm |
| Ironmen Bible Study (Rm C103) | Tue | Apr 23 | 6:30pm |
| Gonzalez Small Group (Gonzalez Home) | Tue | Apr 23 | 7:00pm |
| TLC Hope Team (Coffee on Campus) | Wed | Apr 24 | 7:30am |
| Women's Bible Study (Rm B103) | Wed | Apr 24 | 6:30pm |
| Worship Team Practice (Worship Center) | Thurs | Apr 25 | 7:30pm |
| Bible Studies (English & Spanish) | Fri | Apr 26 | 6:30pm |
| Hope City Kids Adventure Club (Rm B105) | Fri | Apr 26 | 6:30pm |
| Hope City Students | Fri | Apr 26 | 6:30pm |

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Church Quarterly Meeting (1 st quarter) | Sun | Apr 28 | 12:30pm |
| Cinco de Mayo Outreach Celebration | Sun | May 5 | 12:30pm |
| HC Women's Tea | Sat | May 11 | 11:00am |



OPEN HOUSE YOUR INVITATION TO CONNECT WITH US
4.21.24 12:15PM
helping those new to Hope City Church find a way to get more connected

Join us today in Rm B103 for our Open House Event (lunch included)

PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES

- 1) Matt & Mai Higby | Japan
- 2) Cecil O'Dell | Japan
- 3) Phil Bryant | Canada
- 4) Faa Sumitra(GROW) | Thailand

HOPE CITY WOMEN

SPRING TEA

SATURDAY May 11, 2024

11:00am-1:00pm

All women invited. Gather the ladies in your life and join us as we celebrate the "Goodness of God"

And enjoy fellowship together

\$15 per person or \$100 for table of 8

Registration Now Open

Visit hopicitychurch.la/women

Or the Connect Center in the lobby



“Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding...” these are powerful wisdom words written long ago by a man noted for this quality. Trust is a simple word meaning to place our confidence in something or someone.

As I have been listening to this wonderful series on God’s favor my thoughts have traveled back in time to my own life experiences. I listen with a grateful heart as I have personally experienced this favor through good times and even what I consider hard times in my life. I have found this “Wisdom Favor” to be true. I remember once being a young man looking towards my unknown future with a level of apprehension, and not knowing what was to happen to me and my family in this unsettling world. The unknown always carries with it uncertainty. We never know what is awaiting us.

I now am no longer young and I look back over my lifetime with a subtle comfort knowing that God is indeed faithful and good. I now am convinced that when I gave my soul to the Lord, he took ownership of my life. He is now responsible for me. The bible teaches us this new ownership, “you are not your own; you were bought at a price....” He paid the price for believers, and He will bring us home safely.

I encourage you to look forward with the same comfort that you have looking back on His faithfulness in your own life. Know that He will care for you. He favors you.

John 16:33 “I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart I have overcome the world”

Ron Muir [HC Elder]

Attendance Last Week: In-Person Service: 108

Online views: 24

We are excited to announce a new church app for your phone which will allow you to register for upcoming events and give your offering online. Go to the app store and search ‘church center app’. Once it is downloaded, search for and choose ‘Hope City Church’. Enter your phone number and email and you are all set.