



HIGHLIGHTS *from* ONE HOPE CHURCH

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This week

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The Beginning of Knowledge

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“The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and instruction.” Proverbs 1:7

As my son is 14 years old and looking to take his driver's test soon, I remember the mistake I made and implore him not to make the same error of judgment. I sat down with the booklet. My goal was to pass the written test and receive my learner's permit, so I could practice driving.

I looked through the book. It explained signs and how to recognize them by their shape. It laid out the laws of the land for drivers in Kansas. After skimming through some of it, with the deep wisdom of my 14-year-old brain, I said: “I know all of this. I'm

ready to take the test. Cake walk. Guess what? I didn't know it all! I failed to get the passing grade. Later, I read through the entire book and passed the test. Now to my parents' joy, they could take me driving!

How often in life, and even in the church, do we rely on ourselves. “I know what to do.” “I know what the church needs.” This can lead to years, even decades, of believing we have the answers within ourselves.

Solomon, who asked for the gift of wisdom, said that fools despise instruction. When we fail to take the time to continue learning and trust in our own knowledge, we can fall short. This is especially true with church leadership.

Do you believe Solomon? “The fear of the Lord is beginning of knowledge...” Even if the answer seems obvious, we should stop and pray. Listen for divine direction. Open the Word of God and seek instruction. Listen to trusted and faithful brothers and sisters.

Let's look at fear. Here, in the book of Proverbs, fear is used as a sense of reverence. We don't assume we know more than God. We can't assume we know more today than what God's Word tells us! Reverence means listen and obey. God is the beginning of knowledge. Age old wisdom comes from He who is the Beginning! Seek the Lord for guidance!

WORSHIP SONGS

Opening Song

[Trust in God](#)

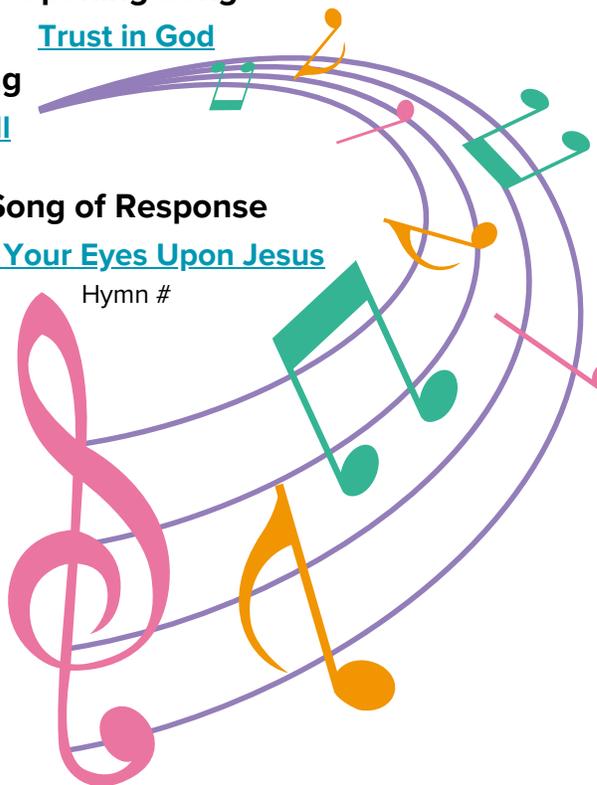
Worship Song

[I Surrender All](#)

Song of Response

[Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus](#)

Hymn #



HURRICANE RECOVERY RELIEF

You can help our brothers and sisters recover from the devastation of Hurricane Helene by making a donation to the GMC Disaster Relief Fund. Make your check to "One Hope Church" and note "Hurricane Relief" on the memo line. Thank you for your donations!



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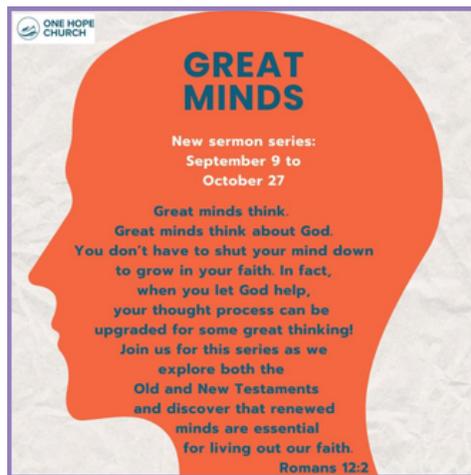
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SERMON SERIES



10/6

Genesis 13:8-18 "An Ethos of the Eternal"

10/13

Genesis 41:9-16 "Think Success"

10/20

2 Kings 3:3-14 "Seeking Wisdom"

10/27

2 Corinthians 9:5-15 "Choosing Cheerful Charity"

10/6 VOLUNTEERS

Clean Up

Earl S.

Fellowship - Treats

Lisa S.

Prayer Group

Earl S., Randall S.

Tech - Audio

Laurie K.

Tech - Video

Bob K.



PRAYER CONCERNS

*“Do not be anxious about anything,
but in every situation, by prayer and petition,
with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.”
~ Philippians 4:6*

Prayers for:

A quick resolution to the dockworkers strike
effecting 14 ports across the U.S.

All who have suffered loss of loved ones and
property from Hurricane Helene

One Hope Church Charge Conference 10/27

Ruby, back home doing PT for broken wrist,
Sheryl A.'s mom

One Hope Outreach event at
Deanna Rose Farmstead 10/18

Healing for all who are struggling with
allergies or illness

For those in transition... new living situations, jobs

For those who have lost their hope in Jesus
Christ, may their hearts be softened to hear His
voice again

Jenna R., breast cancer, friend of Michelle G.

One Hope Church, to find its own affordable and
spacious worship location

Global Methodist Church Heartland Conference

Peace for Israel, Ukraine & Taiwan

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Prayer | 8:30am

Worship | 9:00am

Children | 9:15am

Fellowship | 9:50am

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