

***We are glad you are with Hope Today!***

You are invited to learn more about us at; [hope4wichita.org](http://hope4wichita.org)

**Hope Kids City**; if you have children (Nursery – 5<sup>th</sup> grade) please take a moment before church to Check them in (at the Kids Table in the Welcome Center). Nursery-K can be in Hope Kids City all hour, 1st-5<sup>th</sup> grades will be dismissed after our Praise Time.

**Giving Options**: feel led to share a financial gift with us, you are invited to utilize our online Giving Options from our website [www.hope4wichita.org/give/](http://www.hope4wichita.org/give/) or text hope4wichita to 1-888-364-GIVE (4483) or 8918 W 21<sup>st</sup> N, Ste 200 #157, 67205.

**Communion**: if you have said YES to Jesus – you are invited to participate in Communion (The Lord's Supper). OnSite - you will be invited to visit one of our four Communion locations in the auditorium. OnLine - you are encouraged to get what you have available – cracker or chip and a glass of juice or drink beforehand.

**Prayer**: if you have a Prayer Need and would like our PrayerTeam to pray for you – please go to our website, scroll down to the 'Prayer Request' Button. You can also submit using the Hope Church App. There are also Prayer Partners available to pray with you during Communion.

**Pick up an Invite Card**: Invite Cards have our address, worship time, QR code to our Website, our Facebook page, and YouTube Channel address. Get one, Give One!

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**Show Up** – We are making a few adjustments to our Shower Up Ministry. We will be doing the 3rd Sat (10am-12) beginning May 16 and then the 1st Tuesday evening (6pm-8) beginning June 2. Please Sign Up each occasion you can help. That will let us know how many are coming (it takes 8-10 to work this outreach).

**Hopeict810** – twice a day at 8:10 you have the opportunity to pray for Church, City, Country & Self.

**Hope Embroidery!** Got a shirt, jacket, hoody or cap that you may look great with the Hope logo? Take your article of clothing to Logo Envoy at 355 S. Pattie. The cost is minimum \$9.



**May 10, 2026**



**Love God**



**Grow Together**



**Serve Others**

# The Shepherd!

Warm Up: Have you had one occasion that some pet or livestock did what they wanted?

1. Have you ever considered the nature of sheep and in the process reflected upon yourself? Today is that opportunity.
2. Four sheep characteristics are presented: vulnerability, tendency to wander, blindly follow others & defenseless in times of trouble. Which seems to be one area that you personally are familiar with? What issues has that area provided you?
3. Read John 10:11, 14-15, 27 (you can read the entire passage if you desire). How can the Good Shepherd help you not follow someone with a good story or able to say the right words?
4. Where can you "hear the Voice" of God? How can you become more Intune with it?
5. Ever seen a sheep as a pack animal? Neither you nor a sheep are meant to carry heavy burdens. How does the Shepherd work to alleviate heavy burdens on you?
6. Have you ever noticed others seem satisfied once they get too "good"? What is the struggle you face in trusting the Shepherd to bring you to His Best?
7. No one jumps into a burning house to save a picture or favorite coat! The Shepherd risks life for you. What battles your heart for the value the Shepherd has on you? Confess that, give it up today, & ask Jesus to help you sense the worth he sees in you!
8. Are you allowing Jesus to be your Shepherd today?

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**NEW GIVING**

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You're encouraged to write what God brings to you during today's message.

## Word for The Week (NLT)

We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all. **Isaiah 53:6**

My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. **John 10:27**

Cast your cares on the Lord and he will sustain you; **Psalms 55:22a**

The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. <sup>2</sup> He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, **Psalms 23:1-2**