



WELCOME

People to faith in
Jesus Christ;

EQUIP

people with a
faith that works
In real life;

SEND

people in service
into the world in
Jesus' name.



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THE WEEKLY BANNER

WORSHIP

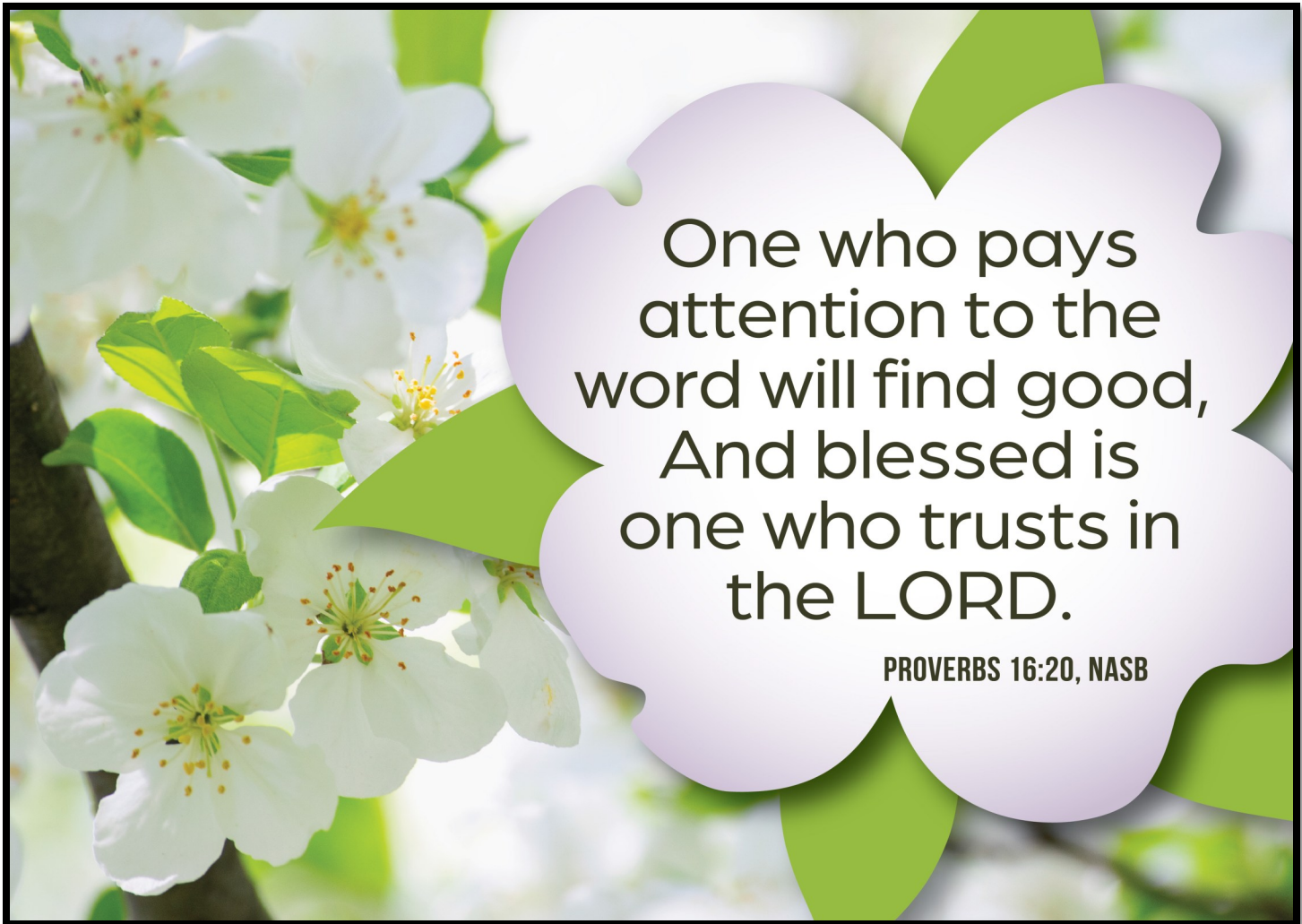
Welcome to this place of praise and prayers as we gather as part of the family of our heavenly Father.

We invite you to join us now and to return again often to celebrate the salvation we have in Jesus Christ, our Redeemer and Lord of our lives.

If you are visiting with us today, please be sure to introduce yourself to Pastor Fields and Pastor Rod Ford and sign our guest book as you leave.

Our Saturday night blended service is at 5:00 pm . Our Sunday morning traditional service is at 9:00 am and a blended worship service at 11:00 am. Adult Sunday school class is at 10am and Children's Sunday school class is at 11am.

Hospitality Team & Sanctuary		Tech Assistants		Communion Assistants		Reader & Acolytes	
Barb / Larry Shoop	9:00 AM	Julie / Steve Peterson	5:00 PM	Rhonda Zuziak / Doug Bine	9:00 AM	Reader: Jennifer Ensley	9:00 AM
Carla Donithan/Cathy Stefanik	11:00 AM	Barb Fields	11:00 AM	Dan Fagan / Sara Gladwell	11:00 AM	Acolyte: Daxton Bine	9:00 AM
Sara Gladwell	11:00 AM	Rick Riddell	11:00 AM	Randall / Carla Donithan	11:00 AM	Acolyte: Wesley Mullins	11:00 AM



One who pays
attention to the
word will find good,
And blessed is
one who trusts in
the LORD.

PROVERBS 16:20, NASB



PANTRY OF HOPE NEWS!

Heads up to Julie and Steve Peterson who are stocking our box this month. We are still low on cereal, peanut butter, jelly and canned fruit. Thanks to Richard Howe for picking up 400 boxes for our drive thru events. Thanks also to Pratt Industries for donating the boxes. If you are interested in helping with the Pantry, talk to any of our hospitality people. They will point you in the right direction.



Dog Bed Saturday
May 9
9:30 AM - 11:30AM
In Room Y4

The quilters are buried in fabric scraps and need your help. They will be chopping the fabric scraps and making dog beds for the Boone Co. Animal Shelter. It will be a fun service event for families and youth of all ages. If you need service hours for school bring your form to be signed. Contact Barb Zumbiel if you need more information.

CARING CARDS

The Caring Cards group will meet Thursday, May 14 at 2pm. Come join them in making cards for cancer patients. All supplies are furnished and no artistic talent or experience is needed.

Contact Cheryl Wyatt or Barb Zumbiel for details.



VBS 2026

AMAZON WISHLIST



Get ready for some fun on the farm at VBS June 7-11. We need farmhands with various talents to help make our Barnyard Round-Up a success! Please scan QRCode to volunteer.



The quilting ministry at Hopeful makes warm knotted blankets for our neighbors locally and throughout the world. If you can tie a knot, you can make a difference.


The quilting dates for May are:

Thursday, May 7
9:30-11:30

Saturday, May 9 (Dog Beds)
9:30-11:30

Thursday, May 21
9:30-11:30

Please contact Barb Zumbiel if you have questions.



HLC Ladies Bible Study

We will meet in the council room downstairs. Our study this year is titled "Jesus in Me" by Anne Graham Lotz.

May 4
June 1


If you have any questions contact Cindy Frederick 859-322-4002. You can also contact Pam Volland or Kim Heidel



SENIOR QUILT BLESSING

HONORING
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2026

EXTENDING OUR CONDOLENCES.

Our Heartfelt Sympathies

To Lindsey & Taylor Fields upon the death of Lindsey's grandfather, James "Butch" Cook, who passed away Sunday, April 26th, 2026



Cincinnati Free Store Food Bank annual HUNGER WALK is May 25, 2026.

If you would like to join the HLC team please click the link or scan the QR code. **Please be sure to designate Hopeful Lutheran Church as your team.**

If you are not able to join in the walk, you can still support the walkers by donating online. Every dollar raised by the team members comes back to the PANTRY OF HOPE.

<https://give.freestorefoodbank.org/team/649762>

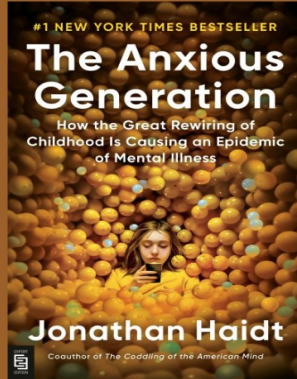
For questions contact Lisa Krejci, the team captain.



4-Part workshop

Apr 23, May 7, May 21, Jun 4

SCAN QR CODE TO SIGN UP



BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Bottles available for pick up on Mother's Day, May 10th.

Start saving your change and bills to support the Annual Baby Bottle Campaign.

Return on Father's Day, June 21st

QR Code for Online Donations



CARE NET
Pregnancy Services of Northern Kentucky



Hopeful Family Bowling!



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Altar Guild: Suzanne Meither, Judy Boelter, Susan Kelly, Sharon Tanner, Carleen Powell, Betty Powers, Rhonda & Dan Zuziak

PRAYER CONCERNS FOR THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF HOPEFUL

Betty Howe	Bruce Roe	Judy Insko	Roseatta Dringenburg
Barb Shoop	Debbie Fogle	Julie Duncan	Stephany Houston
Betty Garrison	Dorothy Hall	Mike Howard	Virginia Hahn
Betty Powers	Gene Mink	Rick Frederick	
Brent Ramsey	Harold T Dringenburg	Robin Jennings	

To add names to the prayer list please call the church office or email paula@hopefulchurch.org. The prayer concerns will be printed for 4 weeks, please call or email the office if you would like to remove a name or extend the prayer concern time.

Please continue to remember our shut-ins:

For a list of shut-ins please contact the church office.

Please remember those serving our country (Addresses for our military are located on the welcome table & notice board): Maj. Kiersten & Travis Schriener, SrA Megan Bine, CPT Nicholas Wentzel, SSGT Connor T. Ashley, Capt. David Nicolas, Capt. Matt & Audrey Case, Nolan and Arielle Wullenweber, Kevin Schwartz, Maj. Kerri & James Kegyes

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Hours: M-Th 9am-3pm & Fri 9am-1pm



Event Calendar 2 Week Snapshot

5/3/2026	Breakfast Fellowship	5/9/2026	Dog Bed Saturday
5/3/2026	New Membership Class	5/10/2026	Mothers Day
5/4/2026	New Membership Class	5/13/2026	PS Moving Up Ceremony
5/4/2026	Ladies Bible Study	5/14/2026	PS Moving Up Ceremony
5/6/2026	PS Beach Party	5/14/2026	PS Last Day of School
5/7/2026	Quilting Ministry	5/14/2026	Caring Cards Group
5/7/2026	Anxious Generation		

Ways to Give

Mailing address:

6430 Hopeful Church Rd,
Florence KY 41042

Online: Hopeful-church.org & click "GIVE"
Text "hopeful41042" to 1-888-364-GIVE (4483)

Other ways to Support Hopeful

Thrivent: Team Action Gift Cards & Choice Dollar Funds.

Kroger: Community Rewards—log into your account, click community rewards and add Hopeful

Offering budget goal for May: \$23,231.00

Last Week's Offering:

\$4,393.98

Benevolence—\$131.82

Attendance:

5 pm – 33

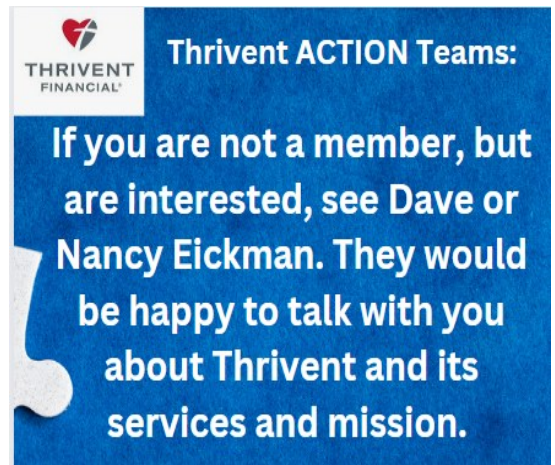
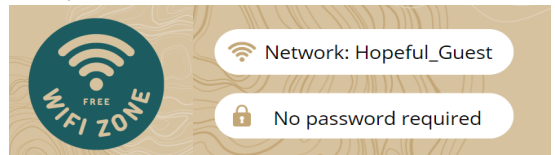
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11 am – 85

Counters for May

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