



HOPE ANTHEM CHURCH

Christmas Season: Advent – Hope

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Read: Job 8:11-14

When we forget God...

- _____ is idolized.
- _____ is minimized.
- _____ is sexualized.
- _____ & _____ are liberalized.
- _____ is popularized.
- _____ is glamourized.
- _____ is marginalized.

The _____ from God I get, the _____ I will have.

The _____ to God I get, the _____ I will have.

Three Types of Hope:

1. _____ hope.
2. _____ hope.
3. _____ hope.

Real hope is always based on _____ and not _____.

An _____ keeps me from drifting in storms.

When you are in a storm, _____ do you rely on?

10 Reasons for Hope: Matthew 6:9-13

1. My loving Father will never _____ me.
2. God's _____ is greater than an of my _____.
3. God is able to fit everything into His _____.
4. God has a greater _____ for my life.
5. God has _____ to meet all my needs.
6. Jesus died to _____ for all I've done wrong.
7. God will one day _____ all wrongs against me.
8. God has promised to _____ me.
9. Jesus can _____ me from any power.
10. This is not the end of _____.

Read: Jeremiah 33:2-3

It's time to start living with hope! Why? Because someone, somewhere is _____ to do what God has _____.



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Extra Notes: _____

Advent: Hope

Jesus loves me the way He finds me today, but He loves me too much for me to stay this way. If I'm going to make a difference for Him with my life in 2024, then I must grow in HIM!

Growth often comes through wrestling with questions: If not, why not?

- *Have I joined a small group?*
- *Have I started my generosity journey?*
- *Have I discovered my purpose?*
- *Am I making a difference?*
- *Have I been water baptized?*
- *Who am I helping to make these decisions?*

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What can I do to be bolder in my Gospel witness? (Gospel = the good news about Jesus!)
Write down 6 names of unbelievers in your normal network.

Normal Network:

- Family*
- Workplace*
- Neighborhood*
- Hobby or Recreation*
- School*
- Other: _____*

Names of Unbelievers:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

Here are things we can do for the people we have named:

- A. I will pray for them 3 times every day for the next month.*
- B. I will invite them to church every week for the next month.*
- C. I will serve them in a meaningful way 2 times in the next month.*
- D. I will give them gospel-centered literature (book, app, podcast, etc.) and follow-up about it.*
- E. I will personally share Jesus with them and pray with them 1 time in the next month.*

The Holy Spirit has been preparing me for this moment. The question is, "Will I obey?"

A prayer for boldness: "Lord Jesus, make me bold like you and the early Christians. Don't let me rest until I obey all Your commands! Amen!" What in my life should ever be more important than living in the fear of the Lord? NOTHING! Now Go and Do what Jesus says!