

MESSAGES OF HOPE

Hope Ministries, where we are transforming lives through a multi-generational and community approach to alleviate poverty, providing Hope and a future.

Welcome Home



Please join us in welcoming the new additions to our family. Our Worthies Way has expanded by two amazing prayer warriors, Charolette Corey and Tandy Taylor. Charolette is gifted with many creative abilities and loves to minister to the community in this way. Tandy joined us from Magnolia, TX and spends much of her time prayer walking throughout our community. We also have three new mothers and five new children, with one more baby on the way! Camilla Dickson joins us with her daughter, Charisma, and is pursuing her Associate's Degree in Education through NTCC. The Lord is working with her in many ways, and she has recently begun a new job at Mill's Flowers and Gifts. Faith Fernandez joins us with her two children, Bella and Josiah. She is currently pursuing her Bachelor's Degree in Early Education at Texas A&M Texarkana. Faith has connected to a life group at church and recently started a new job that she deeply enjoys. Kionna Smith-Ford and her two children, Ka'Maria and Maurice, have joined us from Detroit. Kionna is expecting a bundle of joy in March! She is currently working toward a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration. They are experiencing more of God here and enjoy attending Calvary Bible Church. We are truly honored to have added each of these new members to our family and we cannot wait to see what the future holds for each of them.

The Dream Team

We have experienced a growth spurt at Hope! As we expanded to serve more families, our team continues to grow as well. It is our honor to introduce our new Women and Children's Minister, Misty Massey. Misty and her husband Fred served alongside their children, Ethan and Madison, in Hope Power Clubs for two years before she felt like she was called home to minister to her family for a season. She has a deep love for what God is doing at Hope and is a powerful addition to our team. Her duties include life coaching, teaching in rotation for our Wednesday night Freedom Class, and ministering to our seniors and children.



Pictured left to right: (Back Row) Judy Capps, Regina Glass, Haley Swindler; (Front Row) Zelene Rodriguez, Misty Massey, and Angelia Smith

Lasting Impact

“I would like to say thank you to each and every one of the people who prayed, donated, kept kids, washed laundry, and became my friend while at Hope. We would not be where we are today without all of you. I never thought I would be in a place where I could buy a home but because of the prayers, encouragement, and love I received while at Hope that dream became a reality. My children and I have been truly blessed and we can't wait to see what God has in store for us next!”

- Laylah, Hope Graduate



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Fourth Annual Skeet Shoot

Hope Ministries' Fourth Annual Skeet Shoot at Prairie Creek Sporting Clays was a success! We are humbled and excited to announce that, with your help, we raised over \$27,000! Words cannot express how thankful we are for every single individual and business who took part in this event. Whether you sponsored the event, volunteered, bought raffle tickets, or formed a team and participated, please know we could not have done it without you. This year we were blessed to have 25 sponsors and 20 teams. The Top Shooting Team was Conroy Tractor and our Top Shooter was Kent Stephenson. Chuck Burge was the lucky winner of the Benelli Shotgun, sponsored by Diamond C, and Dr. David Clark won the Hunting Trip for 4, sponsored by Hidden Lakes Hunting Resort. Thank you all for making a real difference in the lives of the seniors, mothers, and children we serve!

Back to School



God has been so good to our Hope mothers and children! Our mothers are working hard to earn their degrees in teaching, medical assistance, welding, and business administration, as well as one mother working on her GED. We also have our first college age child starting his first semester at NTCC. We are so grateful to see what God is doing with these amazing students and what they now have to offer to this community. It was a delight to see all of our children start their new school year off strong. Their smiling faces on the first day of school beamed with joy and anticipation. We are certain that they all will have an amazing year of great growth both academically and socially. Thank you for all the prayers, donations, and for our volunteers that tutor our moms and kids. You are all true blessings and valued members of our Hope Team!

In Loving Memory



Charles Curtis Cowles, 80, of Mt. Pleasant, Texas, passed from this life to his heavenly home on August 18, 2022. Born in Augusta, Kansas to Charles and Bessie on February 18, 1942, Chuck had lived in Mt. Pleasant since 2013.

Although Chuck was legally blind for much of his life, his family takes great joy in the confidence that he is now looking with perfect vision at his Savior, Jesus Christ.

Chuck's wife, daughter, and grandchildren have served Hope Ministries as faithful volunteers. We are asking for prayers for the Cowles family as they navigate the loss of their husband, father, and grandfather.

Shirley Cowles has asked, in lieu of flowers, for donations to be made to Hope Ministries in honor of Chuck Cowles.

End of Year Giving

Can you believe it is only 15 more Fridays until the end of 2022?

No doubt God has done amazing things this year with the expansion of our Hope family, and we know He is not done yet! Giving financially is one way you can help change lives and make permanent Kingdom impact. As you consider end of year giving, we hope you will prayerfully consider partnering with Hope.

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