

## **WELCOME TO HOPE**

As we worship the Lord our God in spirit and truth, may His presence and the communion of the saints bring you joy and peace. After the morning service we have a fellowship time, so please join us. Infants and children are welcome in our services; but if your child is unsettled; you may take him/her to the room behind the curtain.

Sermons are uploaded to our website: [www.hopekingston.com/sermons](http://www.hopekingston.com/sermons).

**Tithes & Offerings:** our morning offering is received for the general operations of the church; our afternoon offering is designated for missions & mercy work unless otherwise noted. E-transfers can be made [hopepresb@gmail.com](mailto:hopepresb@gmail.com)

# ***HOPE Presbyterian Church***

## **LORD'S DAY – November 10, 2024**

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### **MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30<sup>AM</sup>**

*Greetings and Announcements*

**\*Call to Worship & Invocation:** Psalm 89:1-5

**\*Praise of Adoration:** Psalm 84 O Lord of Hosts

**Covenant Renewal:** 1Peter 2:9-12

**Assurance of God's mercy:** 1Peter 1:18-19

**Prayer for grace**

**Praise of Thanksgiving:** Before the Throne of God

*Receiving tithes & offerings while singing*

**Children's Focus**

**\*Praise:** TH 148 How Shall the Young [Psalm 119]

Worship in God's Word

**Sermon Reading:** John 8:48-59

**Message:** Jesus, The Great I AM!

Prayer of Application

**\*Praise:** TH 163 At the Name of Jesus

**\*Benediction**

**Closing Doxology:** Thou Art Worthy

Thou Art Worthy

Thou art worthy,  
Thou art worthy,  
Thou art worthy O Lord;  
To receive glory,  
glory and honour,  
glory and honour and  
pow'r.  
For Thou hast created,  
hast all things created,  
Thou hast created all  
things.  
And for Thy pleasure  
they were created;  
For Thou art worthy O  
Lord.

### **AFTERNOON WORSHIP SERVICE 4:00<sup>PM</sup>**

*Greetings & Announcements*

**\*Call to Worship & Invocation:** Philippians 2:5-11

**\*Praise:** TH 330 Holy Ghost Dispel Our Sadness

**Confession of Faith:** Shorter Catechism 9-10 [p.870]

Intercessory prayer for one another

**Praise:** Psalm 86B v.11-17 Your Way Teach Me Lord

*Receiving offerings for Mission and Mercy*

**\*Praise:** Psalm 119N v.105-112 Your Word's a Lamp

Worship in God's Word

**Scripture Reading:** 1Corinthians 2:6-16

**Message:** Wisdom Revealed by the Spirit

Prayer of Application of God's Word

**\*Praise:** TH 339 For Your Gift of God the Spirit [st.1,3,4]

**\*Benediction**

**\*Closing Doxology:** TH 726 Spirit of the Living God

Spirit of the Living God

Spirit of the living God,  
Fall fresh on me;  
Spirit of the living God,  
Fall fresh on me.  
Break me, melt me,  
mold me, fill me.  
Spirit of the Living  
God, Fall fresh on me.

### **MEETING AT:**

Portuguese Cultural Center  
959 Division Str, Kingston

### **SERVICE TIMES:**

Morning – 10:30AM  
Afternoon – 4:00PM

**Pastor:** Rev. Kevin Carter (613) 876-1467

**Elders:** Jon VanDyk [clerk]  
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**\*Congregation stands if able**

## **HOPE Prayers for this week**

**Church Family Focus:** Yvonne VanderMeer and Christina

**Mission focus:** HOPE Notes

### **Monday Nov 11**

Pray for our children and youth, that they grow in grace and understanding of the Lord. Pray for our homes with covenant children who have turned away from the Lord. Pray for our homes to shine forth the light and kingship of the Lord Jesus.

### **Tuesday Nov 12**

Pray for the Lord to grow HOPE Church with more households that would help us become stable in leadership, stewardship and spiritual gifts. Pray for the regular means of grace [preaching, sacraments, prayer] to be a joy and encouragement in our midst.

### **Wednesday Nov 13**

Pray for those in HOPE who have significant health struggles: Barb Pryce; Rudy; Joanne; Naomi; and others. Pray for them to know the all-sufficient grace and care the Lord provides to the afflicted.

### **Thursday Nov 14**

Pray for HOPE's outreach and witness through our households. Pray for the Lord to be set apart in your heart, that we are ready to speak the gospel and testify to the hope we have.

### **Friday Nov 15**

Pray for Pastor Carter's labour in prayer and ministry of the word. Pray the Lord will bring prosperity to His Word preached and to the gospel. Pray for the building of His Church in Kingston.

**Reflections on the Christian Life:** Those who sin are slaves to their sin, whether they realize it or not. This means that they cannot break away from their sin. For that, they need a power greater than their own. As the Son of God, Jesus alone holds that power and is able to give real freedom.

**Thoughts on John 8:31-36**

#### **Sermon Points:**

**Morning:** Jesus The Great I AM!

1. The Glory of His Word
2. The Honour from His Father
3. The Power of His Divinity

**Evening:** Wisdom Revealed by the Spirit

1. The Necessity of the Spirit
2. The Works of the Spirit
3. The Graces of the Spirit

**Prayers & Intercessions:** This week's Presbytery focus is Reformation ARP Mission in Winsor ON. The Rev. Jordan VanAmerongen is the Mission Developer there.

1. Give thanks to the Lord for providing a home for our family in a quick time frame. Pray for grace as we settle into our new home and a life of ministry.
2. Please pray for wisdom for myself and the session during this transitional time for Reformation. Please also pray for patience and grace from the congregation as we together seek to live out and shine the light of the gospel in Windsor.
3. Over the last little while we have seen an increase in the number of students who have been attending. Please pray that God would use them on campus, and that we as a congregation could be a blessing to them.

#### **Service providers:**

- Refreshments for November 17 will be provided by Pastor Kevin and Joanne Carter.
- Tellers for today are Noah and Joelle

#### **Announcements**

**-Operation Christmas Child - Fill a Shoebox:** It's that time of year again to send a box of blessings to needy children around the world! If anyone would like to fill one or more shoeboxes for the Samaritan's Purse "Operation Christmas Child", please speak to Kathy de Vries to get your box(es). Full boxes should be given to Kathy no later than Sunday, November 17. For more donation options about the program visit: [www.samaritanspurse.ca](http://www.samaritanspurse.ca) or ask to see the "Samaritan's Purse Christmas Catalog".

**-Saturday, November 16,** Young Adults Bible Study will be held at 6:30pm. We will be studying the Upper Room Discourse in John from Sinclair Ferguson's *Lessons from the Upper Room*. The study will be held at Noah and Megan's apartment.

**-Saturday November 23** the next session of the Men's Mentorship Fellowship meets at 9:00am. The purpose of this fellowship is to encourage a godly piety of life and devotion in areas of prayer, use of Scripture, visitation & spiritual care for one another, and of general ways in which we as men of HOPE can encourage and edify the saints. There is a goal toward identifying leadership among our men too. All men of HOPE aged 20yrs and over are welcomed. This will be held at 92 Queen Mary Rd.

**-Sunday November 24:** HOPE Notes will meet here at the center between services. Please keep this ministry in your prayers and should you know of anyone who may benefit from receiving a letter or card, please speak to Megan or Alison.

**- Ladies Bible Study:** The next two ladies Bible studies will be on **November 26 and December 10 at 10am** We will be meeting at the Carter's home, 92 Queen Mary Road. Our study is a Ligonier series with Dr W Robert Godfrey titled "*Learning to Love the Psalms.*" All ladies are welcome.

