


Freedom to Dream Big

Inspired by God's love and forgiveness, the time has come for People of Hope to **dream big**, proclaiming a God who acts boldly to share love with all people.

A Strategic Planning process this year will help the congregation clarify God's call for the future. Whether it be innovation in the worship experience, expansion of Christian education ministries to children, youth, and adults, or targeted outreach to the Rochester community and greater world, People of Hope is poised to thrive in 2020 and beyond.

In recent years, a mortgage payment has made it difficult to dream God-sized dreams. The time has come to retire the debt and free People of Hope to fully become what God intends.



So if the  SON sets you free,
you will be free indeed.

John 8:36

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THRIVE 2020



GOD'S PROMISE  OUR RESPONSE

PEOPLE OF HOPE

25 Years of Hope

In 2020, People of Hope celebrates 25 years of coming together as caring Christians, welcoming all, to explore and grow in a loving relationship with God.

In the name of Jesus, Member Missionaries act boldly. Hungry people receive food. Homeless youth encounter caring hearts. Those on the margins find community. Faith is shared. People experience the love of God. Without People of Hope, Rochester would not be the same.

The question for the next 25 years of ministry: What does God have in store for People of Hope? How do we respond to God's blessings and thrive into the future? Removing the burden of a mortgage payment will free People of Hope to boldly move forward in hope.

Thrive 2020 will propel People of Hope into the future. Financial gifts, above and beyond regular support for the ministry, will make this possible.



God's Promise, Our Response

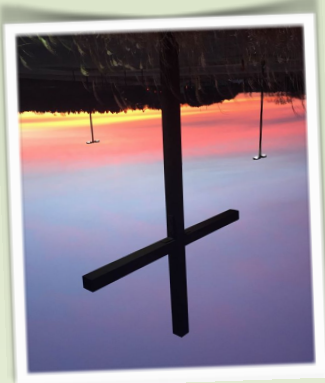
Please pray about People of Hope's mission and ministry. Review the giving chart and consider how God calls you to respond. The plan is to have the gifts received and debt retired by the end of 2020.

Gifts of stock, IRA Required Minimum Distributions, or other assets are welcome.

Be ready to complete your intent card and return it during

worship on Sunday, March 22nd.

Together, as we walk together in faith, People of Hope will thrive! Thank you for being a part of this exciting congregation.



"New missions
open up when
the load is lifted."

HOPE

reigns supreme
as our eyes
turn to God."

Marilyn Hansmann

Gift Amount	# of Gifts	Total per Amount	Running Total
\$15,000	1	\$15,000	\$15,000
\$10,000	1	\$10,000	\$25,000
\$8,000	2	\$16,000	\$41,000
\$5,000	4	\$20,000	\$61,000
\$2,500	6	\$15,000	\$76,000
\$1,500	9	\$13,500	\$89,500
\$1,000	11	\$11,000	\$100,500
\$500	17	\$8,500	\$109,000
\$250	17	\$4,250	\$113,250
\$100	12	\$1,200	\$114,450
\$50	11	\$550	\$115,000

GIFTS NEEDED FOR THRIVE 2020 CAMPAIGN

KEY CAMPAIGN DATES

March 15, 2020

Community Meal

(Traditional Lutheran church

luncheon after worship)

March 21, 2020

Prayer Vigil

March 22, 2020

Commitment Sunday

(Intent cards due)

December 31, 2020

Goal date for receipt of all gifts