

# Be the Church

*A bimonthly newsletter from Restoring HOPE that shows how we MULTIPLY and EQUIP others to restore hope in their communities and friendships.*

A Bimonthly Newsletter

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Message from our Executive Director



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Fundraiser

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Call Matt for details.

All inquiries are welcome.

Appreciation

See our financial goals and needs as we honor those that have supported our ministry.

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## Upcoming events

Consulting/Encouragement Trips to:

- Capon Bridge, WV  
March 9-10  
April 13-14  
May 11-12

- Sugar Creek & Reynoldsburg, OH  
March 29-31

March



We Care

**POSTPONED**

for the

### Ambassador Corner

meet people that we support



This year we had to make some changes in our approach to health and ministry. Keep our extended team in your prayers as we continue to promote their amazing efforts across the globe.

## Message from our Executive Director

### Matt Bohman

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Matt has been serving churches and helping people understand the Bible since 1992. He oversees our Day to Day operation and our **Multiplying** (coaching/proactive) efforts that include 1) **consulting** churches toward biblical mission 2) developing teaching & training material 3) training relationship/ministry skills and teaching Bible/religion and 4) our Ambassadors of HOPE **resourcing** movement. He also oversees our **Showing** 2nd step **counseling** efforts.



*This newsletter is super light. Due to a lot of sickness, some medical setbacks, and some family matters with some of my staff - we cancelled much of our January and February events. Considering that those months are not heavily scheduled, we didn't cancel much. Our hope is to regroup and bounce back sooner than later. For these reasons, our We CARE event has also been postponed. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause our Buckhannon Community. We plan on being ready for our summer Foodwagon and other summer activities.*

*We congratulate Jessica Bohman for her upcoming graduation from the Thrive leadership program. It was a lot of work and she has been transformed by the experience.*

*We also say thank you and goodbye to W.V. Crockett from our Advisory Board. He will be missed.*

*Pray for John Cale and his family as they navigate the loss of their daughter. John is one of our Buckhannon Liaisons to the South Buckhannon Mission Church.*

*Pray for Brendi Deitz as her cancer treatments have not responded the way we wanted. We desire a complete healing by our heavenly father or those medically gifted that we have access.*

*Pray for the church in Capon Bridge that we have been partnering with. That their leadership transition and unforeseen building maintenance issues and some building equipment that will need to be replaced may happen in a timely and pocketbook friendly manner.*

*Matt*

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## Message from our Connections Coordinator & Chaplain

### Kristina E. Newland Sammy

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Kristina oversees all of our staff chaplain needs and relationally connects our Executive Team and Advisory Board to each other and the world. She also manages our Eastern branch office right outside NY City, New York and oversees all of our Community Impact efforts in that area. She Pastors @First Community church of the Nazarene leading worship, trains lay leaders, & much more.

Side-note: she is an amazing singer, student and has the best chalkboard handwriting EVER!



*I look forward to hearing from you and having you share your prayer needs. If I can help you wrestle through a problem feel free to connect with your Restoring HOPE Chaplain.*

*Please remember to pray for our team and our ministry efforts as we help people restore hope to the hopeless. I am also encouraged by our White Plains Impact growing efforts. Buckhannon can't have all the fun! :)*

*Please feel free to contact me for any information.*

*Kristina*

**Remember to pray for our endorsed Global and Community Ambassadors of H.O.P.E. that are restoring hope across the globe.**

**Dave Garda**



Dave is a pastor & coach, with [Cadre](#), who has prayerfully come alongside 100's of churches in most every state, province & 23 plus countries since 1979.

**Rennie Garda**



Rennie serves as a mentor, coach, trainer and volunteer encouragement specialist with [Cadre Ministries](#).

**Jack Bohman**



Jack has been pastoring since 1975 and founded We HELP THEM which equips church leaders while being a care giver to the care givers in crisis.

Our endorsed  
*Global Impact*  
equippers

## Our endorsed *Community Impact* Ambassadors of HOPE

**Richmond, Virginia**



**Dan & Liz Baker**

Dan & Liz have opened up their home to people for long term stays and meet needs around them. Their lifestyle example was the catalyst for starting Restoring HOPE.

**Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania**



**Kit & Joann Kindred**

Kit & Joann have been caring for and training people all of their adult life. Now retired they have not stopped and continue to think out of the box ways to help people.

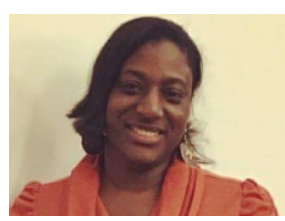
**Bakersfield, California**



**Josh & Liz Ratliff**

Josh & Liz had been having an impact on their city for several years before getting involved with rescuing women being trafficked up and down the West coast.

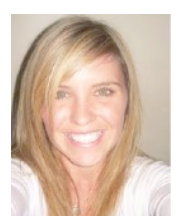
**White Plains, New York**



**Kristina E. Newland Sammy**

Kristina has been a long time supporter of Restoring HOPE and loves what we do in WV. She desires to impact her community through acts of kindness and Impact Events.

**Buckhannon, West Virginia**



**Jessica Bohman**

Jessica is also our Executive Assistant and has worked serving people with Autism since 2000. SEE page 3 for detailed information on how we impact the people in Buckhannon, W.V..

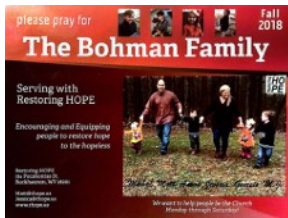


# In Appreciation

*We would not be able to encourage, equip and help all the people that we do without your financial support. Our team relies upon tax deductible donations to meet our basic family needs and provide quality services across the globe.*

**We want to thank those that have given financial support to Restoring HOPE in 2019:**

- We Help THEM
- Steve & Holly Bohman
- Central District C&MA
- Smitty's Suzuki
- Tim & Yvonne Loudin
- Judy Knorr
- Breath of God Ministries
- Jeff & Cassie Coffman



## Advisory Board

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