

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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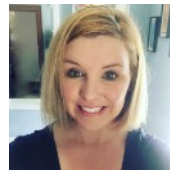
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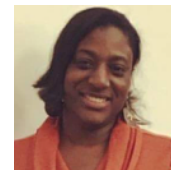
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Upcoming events

Consulting/Encouragement

Trips to:

- Capon Bridge, WV
May 8
June 7-9
July 14
- Bakersfield, CA
July 1-10
- Clarksburg, WV
July 18

June



Partnering with the Pregnancy Care Center to stock up their shelves with baby diapers.

July



Foodwagon

Providing food and fun for kids that lack through local community partnership.

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.



Winter is finally past us... (we hope.) As we glide through Spring - Summer is just around the corner. Our fundraising efforts are still not quite where we need them to be.

So, we are asking anyone prompted to support Restoring HOPE to do so. Continue to pray for us as we add more people to our team and seek more businesses and churches to support our ministry. Pray with our Advancement team as well.



Please pray for our Buckhannon Community Impact team as our team has been hit hard with personal life obstacles. From the loss of a child to battling cancer, our team has slowed down this last season. As we learn how to better serve our communities through these hiccups, keep us in your prayers as we continue branching into our four strategic community impact areas. We have many more people involved and get to share the joy.

Our partnership in Capon Bridge, W.V. hit a shockingly unexpected snag and needs to replace some office and other church building furnishings. The church folk responded very well during the ordeal and are seeing a very positive future in the aftermath. We want to thank a couple churches and the Central District of the C&MA for their encouragement and help in keeping us on track.

I am still pursuing more opportunities to teach/train and getting time to write and develop more of my training materials. Despite the hiccups, I am still believing this will be our best year yet.

Matt

Positions Available

Advancement Team: Fundraiser

If raising money for a non profit is in your wheelhouse then we have a great position for you. We are seeking two experienced fundraisers and offer better commission rates than most.

Call Matt for details.

Capon Bridge highlights



Message from our Community Impact Director

Jessica Bohman
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Jessica is our Executive Assistant and Community Impact Director. She has professionally worked serving people with Autism since 2000 and has over five years experience in C.A. as a service coordinator. She oversees our office needs and our 2nd step action efforts for Families Dealing with Special Needs/Autism. As a survivor of childhood abuse, she also oversees our 2nd step action **counseling** and encouragement for other Survivors of Abuse.



Spring is here! What up W.V. with the Winter season?! The Buckhannon Community Impact Team has been hit hard this year with personal challenges. We had to postpone our visit to the nursing home. We are hoping to regather and prepare for our Summer events. We also continue our partnership with the Pregnancy Care Center and joined them to dedicate their new building.

Summer picnics are just around the corner. Please feel free to join us for any or all future events.

Our next campaign cause is Foodwagon.

Jessica

Pregnancy Care Center House Dedication, May 5th



In Memoriam - Madison Cale -

Restoring HOPE wants to pay our respects to the daughter of John Cale Jr., one of our Community Impact Liaisons. We are sorry for your loss.



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. This time of year is not enjoyed by everyone. For many it is a reminder of what they have recently lost. Let our light shine just a little bit more this season.

Please feel free to contact me for any information.

Kristina

Remember to pray for our endorsed Global and Regional 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 *Regional Impact* Ambassadors of HOPE

Doug Bennett



Doug founded [Magdalene Hope](#), that helps prostitutes being trafficked and offers them a way out to escape their pimp, detox and safely restart their life elsewhere.

Annie Lobert



Annie founded [Hookers for Jesus](#) which is an organization that helps prostitutes in Las Vegas leave that lifestyle.

Doug Spears



Doug is the Northern WV rep with [Celebrate Recovery](#) that helps those with hang-ups, hurts or habits to overcome and recover from those addictions and behavior.

Ben Kelley



Ben works with [Remember Nhu](#) which is an organization that rescues little girls from sex trafficking and provides them, now orphans, a place to live and get an education.

Matthew & Caroline Barnett



[Matthew](#) pastors at the Dream Center which rescues people in hopeless situations and has radically transformed their L.A. neighborhood and city.

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
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- Jeff & Cassie Coffman
- Chris & Veronica Knorr
- Mt. Rupert UMC
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