

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.

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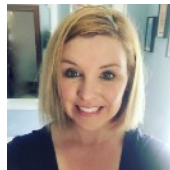
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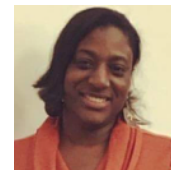


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Upcoming events

November



Partnering with Celebrate Recovery Living Word COG to supply the food for a full Thanksgiving meal to families going without.

December

The Santa Cause



Santa brings presents and meets kids at their house that would not have a fun Christmas morning, as many others experience.

Consulting/Encouragement Trips to:

- Buckhannon, WV January 11
- Sugarcreek, OH February 24-26

Ambassador Corner

meet people that we promote



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.







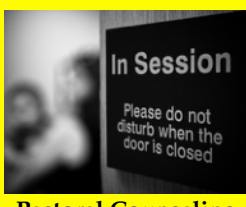
As we prepare for the Winter season, that means another year is about over. I said my final goodbye to my friends in Capon Bridge and wish them all the best as they build upon a solid foundation. They have overcome much this year and I anticipate great things.

Jessica is recovering well from her surgery and should be back in full swing by Thanksgiving.

I was pleased to add some training workshops and classes this Fall to my schedule at the 180 Center (Lazarus House) and hope to add some more in the Buckhannon, W.V. area. Below is a reminder of what I do.

Matt

What I do when I am not administrating, writing or prepping:

 Phone calls & emails	 Time Together	 Benevolent Care	 Being a bridge to HOPE	 Celebrate Recovery	 Pastoral Counseling
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Consulting


Helping organizations & leaders become a better organized & efficient group and/or leader.



DLC Groups


Disciplemaking Learning Community

Hanging out with other leaders and learning from experienced ministers.



Workshops & Classes

Helping YOU be a better YOU	Helping YOU serve OTHERS
Improving YOU	Being a Better Friend
Worldview Development	Leadership Development



One day I will learn Greek.
But for now, I'm learning how to dance.

Our desire is to help YOU, in any way possible, **BE THE CHURCH**. Become the **equipped and trained** friend that **INTENTIONALLY** reaches YOUR community and restores HOPE through **1st** & **2nd** Step Actions.

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.



May I just say that the weather in West Virginia is simply crazy! This California girl says, "get it together, W.V."

After a busy Summer and Fall dealing with our family transitions and personal health, Tis the Season to be Jolly is upon us! From Thanksgiving boxes to Santa delivering presents is going to make this lady smile ear to ear! (As well as get overwhelmed with all the details that make these blessings happen.)

Please feel free to join us for any or all future events.

Our next campaign cause is Santa Cause.

Jessica

We are still looking to add members to our Advancement Team

After some much needed counsel and study, Restoring HOPE is desiring once again to bring on board a *Director of Advancement* to oversee the behind the scenes needs that will allow us to continue to Encourage and Equip anyone desiring to restore hope. Contact Matt for additional information if interested.

Position Available

Advancement Team:

Director of Advancement

We are seeking an experienced leader that can mobilize volunteers to spread our vision and bring in the resources needed to help us help YOU - Be the Church.

Position Available

Advancement Team:

Buckhannon Support

We are seeking a person to raise funds and resources for our Buckhannon Community Impact.

Call Matt for details.

Position Available

Advancement Team:

Staff Support

We are seeking a person to raise funds and resources for our Executive Team's ministry expenses.

Call Matt for details.

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 am experiencing so much transition in my life. This is causing me to be more in tune with other's life tensions. If I can help you wrestle through a problem, feel free to connect with your Restoring HOPE Chaplain.

I look forward to hearing from you and having you share your prayer needs.

Please remember to pray for our team and our ministry efforts as we help people restore hope to the hopeless.

Please feel free to contact me for any information.

Kristina

In Memoriam - Larry Buchwalter -

Restoring HOPE wants to pay our respects to Larry Buchwalter. Larry and his wife Carol were members at my first church assignment in Orrville, OH. He embodied the gentleness and love for people that we all should attain.



In Memoriam - Roy Mackey -

Restoring HOPE wants to pay our respects to Roy Mackey. I grew up with Roy and served with him at Celebrate Recovery. Roy was my handyman for Restoring HOPE and did many repairs behind the scene for our community.



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:

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Your partnership allows our Staff to pay our bills and feed our kids. It allows us to be with those that are hurting. It allows all of us to be a part of a bigger team that is feeding children in poverty, rescuing little girls from sex trafficking, rescuing drug addicts, and rescuing adult sex slaves from being trafficked against their will. *Together, we are bringing Heaven's will on Earth!*

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