

SERMON NOTES

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*Connecting the unconnected to Jesus Christ
and together becoming fully devoted to Him*



WELCOME!

10 AM Sunday, February 02, 2025



ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have children under the age of three, you are welcome to use our Nursery, in the Kindergarten Classroom.. The rest of the children will be dismissed partway through the service: Preschoolers ages 3 - 5 will meet in the Grade 3 Classroom. Those in Grades 1 - 6 will meet in the Children's Ministry Room.

OFFERING

We take the offering both as a reminder for supporters of this church to give regularly and to be thankful for those who do. If you are visiting with us, please do not feel obligated to give.

MISSIONS MOMENT

Gary Clow

MESSAGE

Pastor Darryn Botha

LIVING LIFE BACKWARDS
HOW ECCLESIASTES HELPS US TO LIVE WITH THE END IN MIND

The Transient Nature of Life Under the Sun

Ecclesiastes 1:1-11

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIBLE STUDY

2 - 3 PM Wednesdays

Enjoy coffee, fellowship, and Bible Study, with Pastor Matt.

AFTERNOON ADVENTURES

2:00 - 4:30 PM Thursdays

If you're interested in volunteering at Bernard Elementary please talk to Pastor Dave.

ONE LIFE ONE CHANCE

Baja Night Fundraiser

5:30 - 7:30 Friday, Feb. 7

Enjoy tacos, piñatas, & family fun - at Main Street Church.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

10 AM Saturday, Feb 8

The men meet the 2nd Saturday of the month at 9th End Café in the Chilliwack Curling Club,

AGM (ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING)

7 PM Sunday, February 23

Print copies of the Proposed Budget for 2025 is available at the office. Please contact Mandy if you would like a copy sent to you by email. Please plan to attend the AGM at the end of the month. All can attend, but Members only can vote.

PRAYER & PRAISE

MEAL TRAIN

For the Dearborns

Sign up to bring a meal to the Darborn family by going to <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/v029e6>

CHURCH CENTRE

We have a Church Centre app available to download onto your phone or access on the web. Stay connected and informed! See Pastor Darryn or David Rahn for assistance.

CHURCH OF THE WEEK

The Grove - Langley

Rev. Dr. Stefano Piva (Sr. Pastor)
Dan & Rose Sonsalla
(Worship Directors)

CHURCH PLANTERS OF THE WEEK

John & Sarah Cassidy



*Hope Community Church
Antelope, California*

Hope Community Church officially launched March 2019. Since then, they have seen many people renew or begin relationships with Jesus. Pray that new followers of Jesus will continue to find their way back to God at Hope. Pray for resilience in the struggles of life.

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

2025 Total Giving and Other Income to date: **\$28,603***

*This number represents tithes and offerings as well as other sources, namely interest and rental income.

Thank you for your Giving!

Statement by the Midtown CHURCH COUNCIL (Board and Pastors)

On February 23 at our AGM, the MTC Council will present the budget they have approved for 2025. In order to curb speculation and fear, the Church Council wishes to let the people of MTC know that the budget includes the spending to keep the current pastoral team together. The church membership will have to determine whether the majority of people agree with that decision by the Council by having a vote on that budget once it has been presented, discussed and understood.

Any person wishing to look at the budget ahead of time can request a copy from the office. At the AGM the budget will be presented line by line so that everyone can see what exactly is proposed and expected.

Please be in prayer about achieving agreement on the 2025 Budget.

FEBRUARY 2025

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
10-WORSHIP SERVICE COMMUNION			2-3 BIBLE STUDY	AFTERNOON ADVEN 2-4:30 7 PM WORSHIP ARTS REHEARSAL		10 - MEN'S BREAKFAST
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