## **HOPE CLOSET CORNER**

#### **HOPE CLOSET Needs**

\*Ground Beef Chunky Soup Peanut Butter
\*Chicken Breasts Spam Crackers for Soup

\*Chicken Strips Sugar Box Juices

Cereal Bars Pop Tarts Pancake Mix & Syrup
Granola Bars Flour Jar of Pasta Sauce
Brand Name Cereal Sugar Laundry Detergent

Thank you so much for the generous donations this past month. Also a big thanks to those who helped provide items for the Thanksgiving meals. There were so many words of gratitude!

We served about 12 families well this month. As you donate items this month, please remember to check expiration dates before you give. Also, we appreciate any and all donations, but our folks have come to depend on the regular items we stock, so if you can use the list here, that would be helpful. (Also, we need NO canned veggies now). Thank you for being a loving and giving church.

**Hope Closet Ministry** 

### **Sunday Activities**

Prayer Time - 9 am Sunday School - 9:15 am Morning Service - 10:30 am Children's Church - Grades K-5 Nursery available for ages 0-5

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<sup>\*</sup>These meats can be placed in the Hope Closet Freezer

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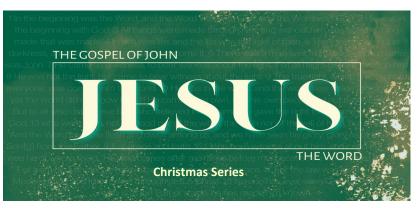
Sermon Outline - December 17, 2023

#### **Senior Pastor Brian Horrell**

# RESPONDING TO THE LIGHT OF CHRISTMAS JOHN 1: 6-13

- 1. Trustworthy Testimony 1: 6-9
- 2. The Rejection of the Testimony 1: 10-11
- 3. The Acceptance of the Testimony 1: 12-13

Sermons can be viewed by Tuesday of each week at watch.gracemh.com)



### \*\*More Interesting Facts about Lottie Moon\*\*

- Lottie led in the campaign to end the practice of bound feet. The Chinese believed small feet made a woman more beautiful, so girls' feet were bound tightly with cloth. Girls with bound feet could hardly walk. Infections, gangrene, and even death were common side effects of this practice.
- 2. In 1912 at the end of her career, famine, flood, and war encircled her China. Her friends were starving. In a final act of empathy, Lottie stopped eating and gave all her food away. When her friends realized the depth of her sickness, they put her on a boat to return to the United States. Lottie died on Christmas Eve while enroute to the U.S.

Senior Pastor: Brian Horrell
Associate Pastor: Jonathan Chaney
Music Director: Derek Burcham

**Today** - Prayer Time at 9 am, Sunday School at 9:15 am, and Morning Service at 10:30 am.

Today's sanctuary flowers were donated by Ronald Gibson and Knox & Emily Gibson: "In loving memory of our sweet Sheree."

- REMINDER: Please check your mail boxes!
- Lottie Moon offering continues today. Thus far, \$1,420 has been donated.
- Tonight No evening events
- This Afternoon Youth event from 5 9 pm! Departing the church at 5 pm for a quick dinner and then on to the Whitewater Center to take on the new illuminated canyon trail, returning at 9 pm to the church. <u>You need</u> to bring money for dinner!
- Sunday, Dec. 24 There will be no Sunday School classes
- Sunday, Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Communion Service at 9 pm
- Sunday, Dec. 31 No evening events
- Monday, Jan. 1 New Year's Day. Office closed.
- Thursday, Jan. 4 Men's Dinner, 6:30 pm
- Monday, Jan. 8 Circle of Friends, 6:30 pm
- Monday, Jan. 15 At His Feet, 6:30 pm
- Friday, Jan. 19 Timeless Treasures, 6:30 pm
- Sunday, Jan. 28 AWANA Bonus/Sports Night, 6 pm

Don't forget to register for Fuge Camp (June 17-22, 2024), if you want your child to attend. They must be registered by January 31! You can go to signup@gracemh.com to sign them up.

