

## Growth Group Sign-Ups

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Will You need childcare?  Yes  No

If so, for how many children (childcare available through 5th grade)? \_\_\_\_\_

Please put a "1" next to your first choice and a "2" next to your second choice.

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Playgroup

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## Hope Core Values:

Our goal as a church is to equip every member to live a lifestyle of worship. We live a lifestyle of worship by living out our Core Values. Worship is both a value and the goal. Sunday morning worship is essential to our spiritual growth and development (it focuses us on God and places us in a community of faith). Each of the other core values equips you to live a lifestyle of worship.

Each core value is essential in *Moving People from Life to Living*; they work together to shift the focus from me to God.

- **Worship** keeps my eyes on God not me.
- **Connection** places me in a community with other believers.
- **Growth** fortifies my faith and develops my understanding of God.
- **Service** strengthens my commitment to God, others, and my church.
- **Sharing** encourages others to join the journey.
- **Giving** is a statement of faith and an expression of my love and gratitude.

*The goal is to live a lifestyle of worship where my whole life points towards God.*

**Grow** – Learning the truth of God's Word and applying Biblical principles to our lives.

*"I pray that your love will overflow more and more, and that you will keep on growing in knowledge and understanding. For I want you to understand what really matters, so that you may live pure and blameless lives until the day of Christ's return." – Philippians 1:9-10 (NLT)*

- We grow in worship, small groups, and individual study.
- Growth fortifies my faith and develops my understanding of God.
- Growth is Spiritual development (Discipleship)
- Growth is a continuous process of development. Our faith grows and deepens throughout our lives.



# Spring 2012

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[moving people from life to living]



Growing spiritually is one of the Core Values of Hope Church. We believe that a great tool for growth is to be involved in a growth group that connects you to other people and allows you to study, fellowship, and learn about what God has in store for your life. To sign-up for a Spring 2012 Growth Group, simply fill out the back of this brochure and drop it in the Giving Back baskets during the service or at the front desk after. You can also see this brochure and sign-up online at [placeofhope.org](http://placeofhope.org). All costs for groups include necessary workbooks.

**Boundaries** - Having clear boundaries is essential to a healthy, balanced lifestyle. A boundary is a personal property line that marks those things for which we are responsible. In other words, boundaries define who we are and who we are not. This video based class is a great complement to the message series going on in January. The class will meet Sunday evenings beginning Jan. 29th at 6pm. Class includes workbook with minimal work during the week. The cost of this class is \$12 for one person or \$20 per couple. Childcare is provided.

**Final Words**- As Easter approaches, this class will look at the last seven recorded sayings of Jesus' life. These sessions will go along with the messages that are preached on Sunday morning. Join Brent Huckaby as we examine the final words of Christ and their significance for Jesus' ministry and our lives. This class will begin February 5th and meet at 4:30 pm at the church. The cost is \$15 and childcare will be provided.

**Invitation to John** - The invitation from Christ is: "Come and see, Follow me". Reading just two chapters of John a week, we will discover the life altering stories that invite us to follow Christ as true disciples. This DVD based class will meet at the church on Sunday nights at 4:30pm beginning January 29th. The cost of the class is \$13 for one person or \$20 per couple. Childcare is provided.

**United Methodist Beliefs** - Ever wondered what makes the United Methodist Church different from others. Curious about the core beliefs of our church. Join Pastor Frank as we explore the foundational beliefs of the United Methodist Church. A book is included for reading during the week. This class meets at church on Sunday nights at 6pm. beginning Jan. 29th. Cost is \$10. Childcare is provided.

**Promises of God** - When Adam and Eve sinned in the Garden of Eden, human-kind became separated from God. During this 7-week study, we'll look at God's plan to restore humanity to perfect relationship with him through Abraham, David, and eventually through his son, Jesus Christ. Class meets Sundays at 4:30pm beginning January 29th. Cost is \$13 per person or \$20 per couple. Childcare is provided.

**Crazy Love** - This study takes a look at the overwhelming love of God and how we can respond to that love in our everyday lives. The group meets on Thursday nights in the leaders home in Dallas. There is no childcare provided for this class. The cost of the class is \$10.

**Divorce Care** - Divorce Care is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside those who have been or are going through separation or divorce. Divorce Care groups are led by people who understand what you are going through and want to help. Classes will meet Monday nights at 7pm at the church. The cost of the class is \$25. Childcare is available for a small fee.

**Women's Group** - This group meets on Monday nights at 6pm. They dig deeper into the messages from Sunday morning and also spend time in fellowship and fun. This group meets regularly and childcare is available for a small fee.

**Young Couples** - This group is designed for young, married couples starting out in their relationship. They will meet weekly on Sunday nights beginning January 29th for study, fellowship, and fun. Join us as we grow in life together.

**Playgroup** - Are you a mom who is interested in connecting with others in the church? This group is designed as a fellowship group for parents of young children. This group will meet monthly at a local park, play-place or restaurant and allow parents to connect while their children get to know each other as well. Interested parents will be contacted by Alison English with details of the next meeting.

**Women's Group** - This group meets on Tuesday mornings for bible study, fellowship and Encouragement. The group is currently studying "When the Game is Over, it All Goes Back in the Box", a study on prioritizing life and connecting with God. No childcare available for this class.