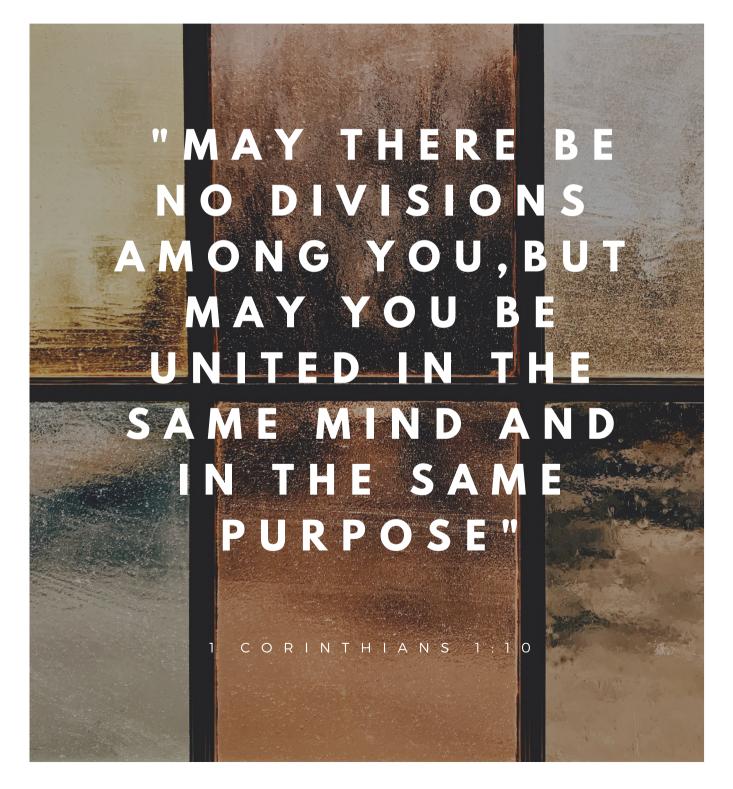
## PEOPLE OF HOPE

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#### **HEALING- HOPE FOR THE FUTURE**

When I give you the healing that you ask for, look with hope for the future. The proof of my healing is not just in these great works being done, but in the renewal of your joy, in the renewal of your hope, in the renewal of your faith, and in the renewal of you looking to me as your source and looking to me for the future. (ref. Isaiah 65)

#### HOPE

Our first hope is our baptism, where the old is removed to make room for the new. Today we are called to be open for the Holy Spirit to remove the old things in us that are blocking our hope. Let the Holy Spirit remove old sin, old angers, old hurts and old bitterness. These things block our hope, our baptismal hope. In their place, allow the Holy Spirit to bring new grace, new love, new faith and new hope. Sisters and brothers of Hope, to be hope to the world and each other, allow the Spirit to renew and replace and rebuild a new baptismal hope in our hearts today.

#### YOU ARE KIND

Oh, my People of Hope, like the wise men I have invited you to come and do me homage at the stable. Yet I know that many of you are blocked with the temptation that you're not worthy to be there, you're not worthy because of past sins, because of your weaknesses, because of your failings, because of your present sins, because of what you do and the resolutions you don't do. But you, my People of Hope, I've invited you here. I don't even think of your weaknesses, of your failures. I don't even think of your sins. And what treasure do you bring me? Bring me your gold. Your gold, my People of Hope, is your kindnesses. You are very kind to each other. People of Hope, be very kind to each other. Be especially kind to those in your family and to those who don't know me. And like the shepherds who went out and told everybody what they heard, go out and tell everybody that the Lord your God is kind. (ref. Matthew 2:10)

#### **PONDER YOUR BAPTISM**

When I stepped into the Jordan River, I sanctified the waters of baptism for all time. So, please ponder this, what do you think happened when I entered you?

Prophecies from Community Prayer Meeting Janauary 12th, 2020

## community conference

JAN 31-FEB 1

**KOINONIA ACADEMY** 

#### **DETAILS**

- Conference will be led by Mike Shaughnessy, Servant of the Word
- No charge for this year's conference
- Please bring a brown bag lunch

#### SCHEDULE

- Fri 8:00-9:30pm
- Sat 9:30-3:30pm

Sat begins with optional 8:30am Mass

 Lord's Day dinner Sat evening by small group

## THE RSVP LINK HAS BEEN EMAILED IF YOU HAVE YET TO RSVP, PLEASE DO SO

# Archdiocesan Men's and Women's Days

MEN'S - SATURDAY, FEB 29 WOMEN'S - SATURDAY, MAR 7

<u>SETON HALL UNIVERSITY - SOUTH ORANGE, NJ.</u>

See Men's day flyer for more details. Women's day flyer to come.

#### Volunteers are needed. Please considering volunteering.

No conference registration fee for volunteers.

Please email John Dalessio at **jtdkjd@verizon.net**or call him at (908) 647-0345.

## THE CHAPEL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

February 8th, 2020 marks the **tenth anniversary** of the dedication of the Chapel of the Holy Spirit in the Saint Francis Building on the Koinonia Academy campus!

Take advantage of this gift by making a visit with Our Lord in the Eucharistic Chapel.

The hours are Monday through Friday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm.

The Chapel is closed on Holy Days of Obligation and National Holidays.



We are continuing to accept donations for the Chapel of the Holy Spirit. These donations will be used to defray ongoing operational costs of the Chapel (candles, hosts, alter wine, etc.). Please make your checks payable to The People of Hope and write "Chapel Donation" in the memo.

### Save the Date - YES Retreat 2020

Ignite is going on the YES Retreat!

March 27-29, 2020 Michindoh Conference Center in Hillsdale, MI An email with details will be sent out soon.

The YES Retreat is a three day, two night Christian high school retreat sponsored by Kairos North America. It is tailored to high school youth and guests of Sword of the Spirit affiliated communities.

# Camp Hope 2020

August 2-8 2020 // Tunkhannock, PA

Feb 1st: Registration opens for Returning Families

Feb 15th: Registration opens for All Families

To register a camper or volunteer please visit: camphoperegistration.com

#### TRUCK FOR SALE

2005 Ford F-150 SuperCrew Cab XLT Pickup
Good mechanical condition. Mileage: 210,000. Engine: 5.4 Liter V8. Tow
Package. 5½ foot Bed. Two Wheel Drive. Automatic Transmission
Please contact Jack Guenther: 830-265-1082 or jackryanguenther@gmail.com
Asking \$4000 or best offer

#### PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK

Please continue to pray for all the sick, especially for Clara Bickel, Jack Bickel, Maria Bickel, Dick Birmingham, Jane Calarco, Genna Camiolo, John Camiolo, Peg Camiolo, Fr. Jim Carroll, Jonathan Caruso, Steve Clark, Lou Cirrotti, Mike Dalessio, Joe Fierro, Margaret Fierro, Eric Garcia, Paul Giegerich, Jr., Laura Greey, Mark Helfrich, Gloria Hoffman, Joe Hoffman, Joseph McMullen, Rose Molnar, Danielle Neri, Shannon Hardy,

Walt and Joanne Quense, Lizzie
Quense, Lee Scarfone, Jack Spear, Lisa
Yacone, Carol-Ann McCarthy, Chris
Birk from the Word of Life in Ann
Arbor, MI, Peter Smith from Triumph
of the Cross in MD, and Jan Munk from
the Work of Christ in Lansing, MI.

Let's also pray for all those serving in the military, especially our loved ones.



#### IGNITE TEAM MEETING Thursday, January 30, 2020

Location: TBD 8-9:30pm

#### **IGNITE MIDDLE**

Thursday, January 30, 2020

Koinonia Academy 7:30-9pm

#### **IGNITE NIGHT**

Thursday, February 6th, 2020

Koinonia Academy 8-9:30pm

#### **SMALL GROUPS**

Thursday, February 13th, 2020

Location: TBD 8-9:30pm

#### **SMALL GROUPS - LEADER'S CHOICE**

Thursday, February 20th, 2020

Location: TBD 8-9:30pm



#### **COMPASS TEACHING NIGHT**

Tuesday, February 4 - 7:30 pm Location TBA

#### **COMPASS LORD'S DAY**

Saturday, February 15 Location and Time TBA

#### COMPASS SMALL GROUPS

Tuesday, February 18 Location and Time TBA

#### **COMPASS SMALL GROUPS**

Tuesday, March 3
Location and Time TBA

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **COMMUNITY CONFERENCE**

January 31- February 1 Koinonia Academy

**FAMILY FORUM - NIGHT 2** \*\*\*DATE CHANGE\*\*\*

Friday, February 21 8-10 pm Koinonia Academy

#### **COMMUNITY PRAYER MEETING**

Sunday, February 23 2:30-4 pm Koinonia Academy

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