



... whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me. Matt. 25:40

Volunteer Opportunities

Nurses: Wayne Clinic is always looking for MAs and RNs to work on Thursday and Saturday mornings.

Yard Work: Wayne Clinic is looking for a group of volunteers to pull weeds and trim bushes in yard.

If you are interested in volunteering in one of these capacities or would like to know about other volunteer opportunities at Hope, please contact Connie Hallom at 734-484-2989 ext. 203 or challom@thehopeclinic.org.



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Wish List

- **Epi-pens** and **Inhalers** are needed at both the Ypsi and Wayne medical clinic. Both items are extremely expensive. Please contact the Ypsi clinic at 734-481-0111 or Wayne clinic 734-710-6688.

Going Forward with Hope

We are excited to welcome our new Executive Director Douglas Campbell! Doug began work in September. He is passionate about serving at Hope, knowing that everyone who walks through our doors is met with joy, dignity and the hope of Christ. "And that's unique," he says. "There are few places where the whole person is ministered to in the way that Hope does."

Doug is a native of Detroit who left to study Art History at Kenyon College in Ohio. While there, he began to truly explore his own faith and beliefs. This began a journey that would eventually lead him to love and serve Jesus Christ, a decision that would change his life forever. It was while he was working as a development officer in Ohio that he first started feeling called to ministry. Following the call, Doug enrolled at Princeton Theological Seminary.

As part of his seminary formation, Doug spent a year in Scotland as a student minister. The church he was serving appreciated him so much that they invited him to remain as a full-time pastor for one year. He and his wife Emily, who is also a pastor, moved to Scotland where what was initially one year quickly became ten. During that time, Doug and Emily welcomed their two girls into their family. Doug also became the development officer for the Scottish Bible Society, an organization that works so that all people around the world have access to affordable Bibles in their own language. Eventually he was appointed their Chief Executive, a position he served for over seven years.



Doug and his family returned to the states where he has served as a consultant to non-profits and as an interim pastor in various churches across Metro Detroit. Since coming to Hope, he has shared how impressed he is with the staff and volunteers and how their ministry in the name of Christ offers real hope to everyone in need. He is looking forward to building relationships with all the members of Hope's community. Whether he is in the lobby, one of the clinics, or in his own office, he is always excited to meet new people.

We are very excited to have him on board and we are looking forward to the energy and excitement he is bringing to Hope. We feel confident that as we move forward with Doug at the helm, we will not lose sight of the heart of our mission- showing each and every person the overwhelming love of Christ.

Welcome Patti and Denese

Please join us in welcoming Patti Radzik and Denese Brown to Hope Clinic's ministry.

Patti took on the role of Development Director this August. Patti comes to us with a wealth of fundraising experience. Most recently she has worked at the National Multiple Sclerosis Society of Michigan as the Director of Leadership Events, focusing on event planning as well as relationship management of major corporate partners. Patti is excited to bring these skills and experiences to Hope Clinic and has hit the ground running as she prepares for our big fall fundraising dinner and auction, the Evening of Hope. She has a heart for mission and is very happy to be a member of Hope's family.



Patti Radzik

Denese joined Hope as the new Social Work Manager this July. Denese's career is founded on the principles of caring engagement, respect, learning, and a holistic perspective on how to serve and support others. For a number of years she was the Executive Director at POWER Inc., a community development organization dedicated to helping the residents of Washtenaw County reach their full potential. Her connections to the local community and her understanding of the issues that our community faces will be invaluable as we seek to expand our ability to serve our clients. Denese shares that she is "honored and truly blessed to be a part of the Hope Family." We are very excited to have her on board.



Denese Brown

Executive Director's Corner

I am so grateful for this opportunity to serve God at Hope! Those of you who are volunteers and supporters already know first-hand the tangible sense of joy that washes over you the minute you walk in the front doors. That's because Hope Clinic is not just any organization with your run of the mill staff and volunteers serving a commonplace mission.

This is a place rooted in the love of God where each person finds, well, hope. That was the original intention of our founder, Dr. Dan, who felt called by God to serve those in need by caring for the whole person. It isn't just meeting physical needs—although that's essential—but ministering to the whole person.

Hope fills the hole by serving the whole. And that's unique.

Each time someone can smile again without pain or a social worker prays and guides a family to the right place or someone walks out joyfully with groceries, we have a glimpse into what the Kingdom of God will look like in all its fullness.

At Hope, we get a foretaste of the Kingdom of God every day.

It is such a privilege and opportunity to be part of this ministry. I am grateful to be taking over for Pastor Victoria James and grateful too that she is continuing to serve on the board. If you've not been to Hope lately, come, taste and see that the Lord is good. (And stop in and say 'hello' to the new guy!)

Peace be with you,

M. Douglas Campbell

Executive Director

Hope Wayne's **"Hope on the Horizon"** Wellness Program is back in full swing offering group and individual sessions for healthy lifestyle changes including diet and exercise. Our **Get Fit Walkers** meet on Tuesday evenings in various parks in Western Wayne County. Call Cheryl McIntosh or Kim Armstrong at **734-710-6688** for more information.

New Board President

We are pleased to announce that Deacon Daniel Foley has agreed to serve Hope as the President of our Board of Directors. Deacon Dan had been on our board of directors for several years. He is a deacon at Christ the King Catholic Church and has previously worked as an attorney. With years of experience and a heart for God, we have the utmost faith that Deacon Dan will do wonderfully in this new position and will guide Hope well in the years to come.



Prescriptions for Health



Hope Clinic is a proud member of Prescriptions for Health, a program to help promote healthy life-styles. Eating right is a huge part of healthy living, but for many people it can be difficult to fit fresh fruits and vegetables into a tight budget. Prescriptions for Health is a joint effort between

Washtenaw County and local safety net clinics to solve this problem. Clinicians at participating clinics write their patients prescriptions for fresh produce just as they would write a prescription for medicine. Patients can take their prescriptions to local produce providers such as the farmer's market or the Hope Food Stand. Here patients can exchange their prescriptions for fresh fruits and vegetables.

Clara Green uses the program regularly. The program has been a blessing for both her health and her finances. "I love fruits and vegetables," she said. "I can get them for little or no money. It's very good for my health. When I went into the dentist they said I have very strong teeth, very clean and healthy, because I take care of myself." For Clara and many like her, the program has kept fruit and vegetables in their daily diet, keeping them happy and healthy. Prescriptions for Health and other programs like it help make living a healthy lifestyle on a budget possible.



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Join us Friday, November 3rd at the University of Michigan's North Campus Research Complex Dining Hall. Visit our website www.thehopeclinic.org for more information and to register and purchase tickets.

Interested in getting involved? Hope is looking for volunteers, sponsors, and auction items. Contact Patti Radzik at pradzik@thehopeclinic.org or 734-484-2989 ex 208 for more information.

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