

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH, 2025

MID-WEEK CONNECTION

GROWING HOPE

Fourth Sunday

This Sunday, we will celebrate with St. John's Lutheran Church, our partner in the Growing Hope project. The theme for Sunday's service is 'hungering for hope.' We will be hearing stories from the Growing Hope Globally community and reading Scripture around the ideas of hunger, abundance, and hope.

In the Bible, God gave some instructions through more than 2,000 Biblical references from prophets, teachers, and apostles on how people should respond to those who suffer from hunger. We won't be looking at all of them, of course, but as you prepare for Sunday, consider the following questions:

- What does it mean to be hungry? Physically? Spiritually?
- What does it mean to have abundance?
- What is our individual and communal responsibility to those who hunger?
- How do we best manage the Earth's resources and our own to meet the needs of those who hunger?
- How do we join in partnership with those in need as brothers and sisters rather than as 'saviors'?

SCRIPTURE PASSAGE

Isaiah 58:10; Matthew 25

HAPPENINGS

Wednesday, September 24th

7:00 am Men's Bible Study

Sunday, September 28th

9:30 am Worship Service - Growing Hope/MCC Stories

11:00 am Christian Education

12:00 pm Harvest Celebration

Information for Online Worship

If you are unable to join the Zoom call, there will be a video of the service posted to the HMC YouTube channel to watch later.

Zoom link: <https://zoom.us/j/96847418604>