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 11.19.2017 ♦ EPHESIANS 4:11-13



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 Sundays 10:30am ♦ office@hopecovenant.church
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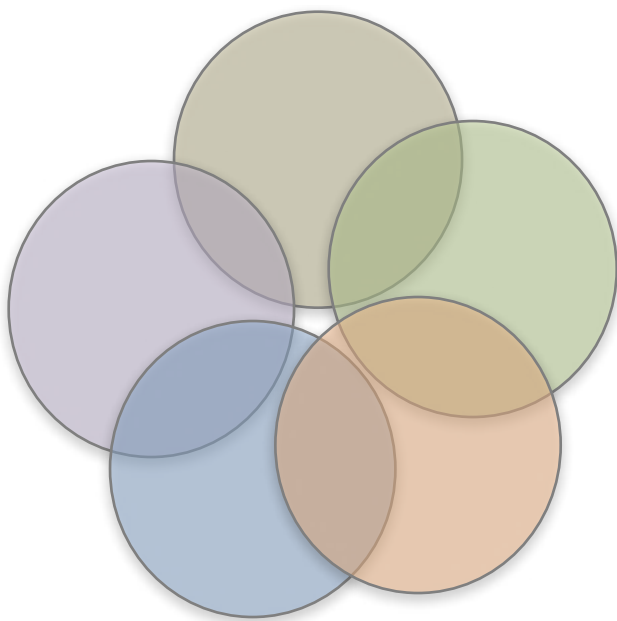
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- Sign me up for **Financial Peace University** beginning January 7th.
- I want to be on a **Tech Team** for Sunday mornings. Please train me!
 - ___ Video Switcher - need 2
 - ___ Audio - need 1
 - ___ Lights - need 3
- I want to use my musical ability for Sunday morning worship!
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 - ___ Vocalist

PRAYER & PRAISE

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Suggested discussion questions for conversation.

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Prophet - Calls us all to holiness and justice
Evangelist - Invites others to experience new life in Christ
Pastor - Loves like the Good Shepherd
Teacher - Embodies the Truth of God

1. As you think about Jesus' life and ministry, describe a way that he expressed his gifts as shepherd? Evangelist? Apostle?
2. As you think about the 5-fold ministry Jesus gifted to his body, the Church, which of these is most evident in your life? How might God be calling you to use that gift in the coming year?
3. Why do you think only 4% of American Churches reproduce? What is one way Hope Covenant could position itself to reproduce in the coming years?

HOPE HAPPENINGS...

Upcoming events and registrations on our website www.hopecovenant.church.

NO AFTERSHOCK THIS WEEK - Happy Thanksgiving!!!

- 12-1 **Float Decorating** at the Rickards 5:30 - 7pm. Bring lights, snacks & poster supplies to 1925 Country Club Road.
- 12-2 **Christmas Parade** - Meet @ 5pm in the South Central Mental Health parking lot (4th & Main).
- 12-3 **Member Sunday**
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