

Summer Highlights:



Mt Hope Kids Camp



Guest Group Rockin Grace Chapel



Guest Group Discipleship

Words from the Director

It has been busy this summer and the time has flown by. So here is a little summer camp season update for you.

We had the opportunity to hang out with somewhere around 2000 people from June till the end of August. The hustle and bustle of camp life had us all running in circles. This year we had a limited or shall I say small staff, but wow we were sure mighty! Can I get an amen!! As I shared with you last time, God showed up, yet again, even in my doubt. Who would have ever thought we could pull off a full summer, with just 6 missionaries? Amazing how God worked miracles through the mighty, yet small staff here at camp in 2022. He has made Mt Hope come alive again. God's work has been done here this year and still continues on. We were even able to host our Mt Hope Kids Camp, Man Camp and Women's Retreat! We have a few more groups coming to finish out this year. God's plan for us is clear here at Mt Hope. Keep on Keeping on!!

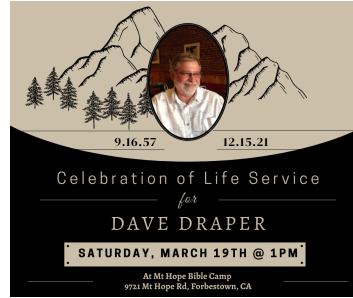
As amazing as this year has been, we know we can't do this without you! Thank you. Again, we hope you continue to join us on this mission, with prayer and financial support. We will commit to making Mt. Hope Bible Camp a place where people can find the peace, joy and love they need from Jesus.

Ps.25:10 (NLT) The Lord leads with unfailing love and faithfulness all who keep his covenant and obey his demands.

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Camp Clean Up Days

We were blessed to have the help of two groups on our clean up days. Our friends from PCSBA came and helped us on our Spring Clean Up Day and young adults from EV Free Oroville braved the weather and showed up for our Fall Work Day. We are so thankful for their support and work at Mt Hope. Look for future dates and please join us!! We feed our volunteers. 😊



Saying Farewell to a Longtime Friend of Mt Hope

Mt Hope was honored to host a Celebration of Life Service for Dave Draper. Dave was instrumental in making Mt Hope what it is today. Dave served here at the camp in many capacities. We are so thankful for the time that Dave served and he will be missed.

Along with hosting Dave's friends and family, Mt Hope will be placing a plaque in a bench by the Mt Hope Cup of Hope (coffee shop/store) in memory of his service at Mt Hope.

New Modular

We were so excited to see the arrival of our new modular for staff housing!! Thank you to those who helped make this happen!



Kids Camp

Mt Hope Kids Camp restarted this summer with “A Hope & A Future”. Using a Star Wars theme, Director Bud impressed upon the kids that they were made on purpose for a purpose, each camper was valuable to God. A great team stepped forward to run the program side of Kids Camp - Anna, Jessilyn, Jason, and Christi rocked it! We also had some volunteers lend a hand from Fathers House in Oroville, Ev Free in Oroville, and Woodland Bible and of course our summer missionaries. Thank you team! It is a core value of Mt Hope to be able to provide a place for kids in our community to come and be connected to Jesus. We also thank all of those who helped by providing camperships.



Man Camp

Mt Hope kicked off the return of our Man Camp (Men’s Retreat) with a focus on being “Connected”. Pastor James Stark led the men with a charge of the importance of being connected to God and being connected to each other. Men enjoyed great food (prepared by the director’s wife 😊) and fellowship, including a corn hole tournament!



Women's Retreat

Mt Hope Women's Retreat 2022 brought us the opportunity to "Be Still and Rest". One of the biggest challenges to resting is to not be consumed by worry and what brings worry? For me, a lack of control. Our guest, Peggy Johnson helped us concentrate on what we are responsible for and that we trust God in everything else. She also helped us think about what produces stinky fruit vs good fruit. Our friend, Cindy Milhous ran another successful silent auction and raised over \$2800 for camperships. We look forward to next year. *Rita Englund and Mt Hope Women's Retreat Committee.*



Needs Met and Continued Needs

Through your continued support and donations we were able to replace the staff housing modular that burned down in 2017, repair our walk in fridge and freezer, replace our old ac/heating units on the dorms, and a work party just completed replacing the old lumber around the flower beds in front of the Dining Hall. As we continue to work on improving and repairing camp, I wanted to share our current list of project and tool needs at Mt Hope. If you can help us with these needs it would be a huge blessing.

- 4 Cabins: approx. \$15,000 cost per cabin plus we need builders
- Landscape projects: \$1200 for block to replace more timbers and volunteers
- Fence project: we have the material, just need volunteers
- A UTV (We had a Kubota that was stolen in January 2020). It is an invaluable work tool needed to help out with so many projects.
- Golf carts for our housekeeping staff and transporting guests with impairments

As you can see there is lots of stuff to help out with and there is no discrimination here. Young, old (or should I say the young at heart) you're all welcome to come and spend a day here working on projects. If you are unable to bless us with time, your financial gift would be greatly appreciated. Thank you again for your continued support and God bless you and your families.

To keep updated on what is happening at Mt Hope, please check out our website: www.mthopebiblecamp.org, and our Facebook page: facebook.com/mthopestrong