



Let's bring the
hope of Jesus to the world.



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OUR HOPE
FOUNDATION

Thank you
for your support!
"May mercy, peace, and love be
yours in abundance."
- Jude 1:2

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- ROMANS 12:12

Ministry Outreach



COMING SOON:
Father Larry's latest
podcast for men,
Esto Vir - Be a Man.

Help us with the next phase of renovations to
make **HOPE HOUSE** handicapped-accessible.



Follow us on all our social media by
clicking the link here. **SHARE** our short
one-minute reels with everyone!



Praised be Jesus Christ!

Happy Thanksgiving Season! I am deeply grateful for all of you, our supporters, during this season of gratitude. Your prayers, support, and kindness have been instrumental in furthering the mission of The Reason For Our Hope Foundation, and I want to express my heartfelt thanks.

As people of faith in Jesus Christ, we have countless reasons to be grateful. His unwavering faithfulness to us empowers us to extend that faithfulness to others and to live out His will, thereby demonstrating His love to the world. You are an essential instrument of His Hope, and I thank God for your faithfulness.



This year during our Annual Appeal we are really stepping out in faith. Besides our yearly bill for making our app, OurHope.TV, available to everyone free of charge, and meeting payroll, and doing everything the Lord asks us to do to spread hope, we also operate Hope House Retreat Center to help people encounter Jesus in a real way. The Hope House Retreat Center has a long and rich history, with its doors having been opened by the late Msgr. James Peterson in 1981. Over the past 42 years, countless individuals have attended retreats at this center and have encountered the presence of God in their lives through these retreat experiences. Msgr. Peterson, who was my Spiritual Director for over 30 years, passed on his vision to continue his work of bringing people to Christ through the retreat center. This vision beautifully coincides with the mission of The Reason For Our Hope Foundation – to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ and His Church.

So, we need to raise \$600,000 to make our Hope House Retreat Center handicapped-accessible. This significant undertaking will not only provide accessibility but also ensure that everyone, regardless of physical limitations, can experience the spiritual and transformative power of our retreats. We believe that making Hope House handicapped-accessible will extend the reach of our mission and allow more souls to encounter the transformative power of faith and hope.

I am soon starting another weekly podcast called "Esto Vir," which is Latin for "Be a Man." Here I will be interviewing men from around the world to talk about what it means to be a man today -- how to be a man of God and how to help other men. I will still continue to have my "Anchored in Hope" podcast, but this will help me reach men from around the world for Christ. Again, we need your help.

We cannot achieve these goals alone. We need your support to help us bring the Hope of Jesus to the world free of charge. I invite you to consider becoming God's instrument through monthly recurring support. Your contribution will directly support Christ's mission to bring Him and His Word to the world. You can donate by visiting <https://www.thereasonforourhope.org/donate/> or by mailing your donation.

Your financial support is instrumental in making these aspirations a reality. By contributing to this cause, you become an essential part of a mission that aims to make faith accessible to all and to foster an environment where lives can be profoundly changed through retreat experiences.

We invite you to join us in this endeavor, to be a part of the legacy of Hope House, and to help us create a more inclusive and welcoming space for all who seek to draw nearer to God. Your generosity will have a lasting impact on the lives of countless individuals, and we are deeply grateful for your support.

Thank you for considering our request, and may God bless you abundantly for your love, support, and generosity. Remember that I love you and pray for you every day. Have a blessed Thanksgiving, Advent, and Christmas Season. Peace.

In His love,

Yes!

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of Jesus Christ, as follows:

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Please obtain matching gift form from your employer, complete and return to the Foundation.



Thank you for your generosity!

*"We always give thanks to God, the Father of
our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you."
- Colossians 1:3*



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