

TEAM CAPTAINS

Thank you for joining us at our first Hike for Hope. We are so excited to get outdoors! Along the trail you will get to learn more about Hope Street and snap a couple of photos. See below for all the details you need to make the day easy and a blast!

A Team Sponsorship includes 8 members who are 11 years old and older. Kids that want to participate that are 10 years old or younger are free. Each team member is given a Hope Street T-shirt. We ask that participants wear the shirt the day of the event. There will be youth t-shirts for purchase (\$5) the day of the event.

Hope Street is celebrating its 20th Anniversary! To commemorate that fact, we are asking each team to walk a collective 20 miles. This is simply a goal to reach. The trail we have mapped out is just under 4 miles. You will be given a map the day of the event. There will be volunteers along the way that will help guide you in the right direction.

Your team does not have to walk at the same time. You can split off. We have allocated 3 hours for your team to hike. You can start as early as 8:30 am.

Each team will be given a team sign. You can customize your team name the morning of the event. You will carry your team sign for the photo opportunities you will come across along the trail. There will be 13 photo stations.

Each team will need to have one smartphone for taking photos and posting to social media. The three acceptable modes for Social Media are: Instagram, Twitter and Facebook. Simply use #GFPHikeforHope. There will be a team collecting and viewing the photos and awards will go to the top 3 teams (Creativity, Participation and Fun).

There are 20 total fun facts along the way. Please take a brief moment to stop and learn more about Hope Street.

Have fun! There will be lawn activities, snacks and beverages available. Participants are not required to hike.

The Hike for Hope was created to raise awareness about what happens at Hope Street as well as celebrate the last 20 years. As we celebrate we anticipate the future of Hope Street - through a community center called Shechem. To learn more about Shechem visit our website at: <https://www.hopestreetministry.org/shechem>. We are asking each team to consider helping raise support for Shechem - by finding 20 people to donate \$20 (total of \$400) towards the building of Shechem. The net proceeds for the Hike for Hope will benefit Shechem at Hope Street.

If you have any questions about the event, or what can be expected, please do not hesitate to reach out via email at info@hopestreetministry.org or phone at 414-445-5404