

## Sunday Hours

9 am – Doors Open  
9:45 am – Sunday School  
11 am – Worship Celebration  
1 pm – Sunday Luncheon  
1:30 pm – Various Meetings  
3 pm – Doors Close

## Weekly Office Hours

Monday – Closed  
Tuesday – 9:30 am-3 pm  
Wednesday - 9:30 am-3 pm  
Thursday – 9:30 am-3 pm  
Friday – 9:30 am-3 pm  
Saturday – Closed

## Weekly Outreach Hours

**Solid Rock Soup Kitchen**  
Tuesday to Friday @ 12:30 pm

**Milk and Honey Food Pantry**  
Wednesday 1:30 -3:30 pm  
Thursday 10 am-noon/3:30 -7:30 pm

**Rags to Riches Clothing Closet**  
Wednesday 9:30 am-noon/1-4 pm  
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**Empowerment Center  
Emergency Referrals**  
Tuesday to Friday  
9:30 am-noon/1-4 pm



## Weekday Spiritual Programs

**Daily Worship & Prayer**  
Tuesday to Friday @ noon

**Bible Study**  
Wednesday  
6:30 pm Dinner  
7 pm for Study

## Celebrate Recovery Thursday

- 6:30 pm Snacks & Fellowship,
- 7 pm Large Group Lesson & Worship
- 8 pm Small Group Support

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# Rising Hope

## Sharing Our Faith... Sharing the Gospel

*Bringing the POWER of Christ  
and the support of the church  
to the least, the lost, the  
lonely and the left out.*





**Where the love of God in Christ for all people is so evident that it is undeniable that the Kingdom of God is at hand.**

**Love Unconditionally:** Because that's how God loves you;  
**Include Everyone:** Because the love of God in Christ excludes no one;  
**Celebrate Life:** Because God's Grace makes life worth celebrating



coffee in the winter, Rising Hope opens its doors as a Community Center to hundreds every week who seek respite from the weather and thirst for something more from life.

**“I was hungry and you gave me something to eat”**

- Between 150,000 – 200,000 times a year someone in our community eats because of the \$1,200,000 worth of food distributed through our Food Pantry, Soup Kitchen & regular church meals.

**“I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink.”**

- Offering a cold cup of water in the summer and a hot cup of



**“I was a stranger and you welcomed me”**

- Rising Hope is a place the homeless, the immigrant, and the poor and the wealthy work alongside each other to bring healing and hope to those in need. 2,800 times from December through March a homeless person is prevented from dying of hypothermia when they sleep at Rising Hope.

**“I was naked and you clothed me.”**

- Rising Hope passes on millions of dollars of gently used clothing to those in need about 30,000 times a year.

**“I was sick and imprisoned and you visited me.”**

- Rising Hope has an active recovery and ex-offenders ministry.

*“Rising Hope is a living Witness in the saving grace of Jesus Christ. It gives people a hope for a future far different from their past. It is a place of sanctuary, welcoming people regardless of background, economic status, or sexual orientation. Whenever I visit I am just filled with joy.”*

**Bishop Charlene Kammerer  
Bishop of the United Methodist  
Church**