

I-5 Communication

We do our best to keep students and parents in the loop on the life and happenings of I-5. In order to do that, we use these quick and easy communication tools:

- **TEXT:** simply sign up for our handy-dandy text group and we'll send you a brief message every Wednesday afternoon (and occasionally other times). Here's how to sign up:
 - power up your cell phone's text messaging app
 - enter "81010"
 - text the message "@hsmi5"
 - answer the brief questions when prompted
- **FACEBOOK:** swing by the group titled "**Hope Church Interstate 5**", and you'll see weekly (and occasionally more) updates posted that will help you know what's happening
- **WEB PAGE:** point your web browser to...
hope4thefamily.com/ministries-5th-grade
- **PHONE:** if all else fails, give Pastor Kent a call at the church office: 260-824-1844



What is I-5?

Interstate 5 is a unique experience exclusively for fifth grade students at Hope Church! We recognize that fifth graders are in a unique time in their lives... and that provides a unique opportunity for Hope Church!

We want to see fifth grade students enjoy all that they've loved about HopeKids and step slowly into a whole new realm as they prepare to step into Hope Student Ministries next year. In short, Interstate 5 is a bridge.



With a yearlong experience in I-5, students will get comfortable with each other and some of the topics and trends that will soon be facing them as they mature into the awesome young men and women whom God has purposed for them to be.



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Fifth Grade

SPRING 2023

INTERSTATE

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Wednesdays

7:00 pm

meeting in the
Underground

What We'll Cover

We can't promise that our plans won't change, but here's what we envision happening this semester...

JANUARY:

- 11- Plugged In #1
- 18- Plugged In #2
- 25- ON THE ROAD *(see right column)*

FEBRUARY:

- 01- Fearless #1
- 08- No Meeting- Family Night!
- 15- Fearless #2
- 22- Fearless #3

MARCH:

- 01- Game Night in the Gym!
- 08- Acts #1
- 15- Acts #2
- 22- No Meeting- Spring Break
- 29- Acts #3

APRIL:

- 05- No Meeting: Holy Week
- 12- Acts #4
- 19- Acts #5
- 26- Acts #6

MAY:

- 03- Wild Rides #1
- 10- Wild Rides #2
- 17- End of the Year Bash!

A typical Wednesday night meeting...

- starts at 7:00 pm and wraps up right at 8:30 pm in the Underground
- gives you plenty of opportunities to hang out with your friends.
- features some games and fun— you'll want to wear comfortable clothes that will enable you to be active.
- focuses our attention with some solid Bible teaching geared specifically to the needs of fifth graders. You'll probably want to bring your Bible.. and if you don't have one, we'll help you chase one down!
- is a GREAT place to bring a friend!



5th Grade Sundays

Pretty much every Sunday morning, you'll find our awesome fifth graders meeting together for an hourlong gathering that provides top-notch biblical content and rich community.

Here's where your student will find their class on Sunday mornings:

- Main Campus- 9:30 AM in Room 416 of the Student Center
- North Campus- 9:30 AM or 11:00 AM in the last classroom on the left

On The Road

We make no apology... we LOVE having fun in I-5! Our regular weekly meetings... lots of fun right alongside some serious learning and life-change. But we know there's still something MORE.

We want to encourage these fine young men and women to broaden their borders a bit, so we'll feature a special outing on **Wednesday, January 25**. On this evening, we'll jump on the bus and take a trip to Haiti... well, not actually TO HAITI... but really close to that.

We'll actually travel over to Loving Shepherd Ministries just around the corner to learn what it's like to be someone their own age growing up in a third world culture.