



Big News for Hope *By Jay Messenger, Executive Director*

As we enter a new year at Hope, we do so with grateful hearts, reflecting on God’s faithfulness throughout the past year. In nearly every measurable area, the Clinic’s reach and impact have grown. As the numbers in this newsletter reflect, we served a record number of patients—extending more resources, meeting more needs, and faithfully offering compassion, counsel, and hope in the name of Jesus Christ.

Behind these numbers are **lives saved and lives changed** through your generous giving, faithful prayers, and the dedication of a gifted staff and volunteer team. These are the **stories of women** who choose life for their babies, who discover hope and real options when they feel overwhelmed, who realize they are not alone and that someone truly understands, and who receive parenting support and mentoring to equip them for the journey ahead.

In addition to our regular daytime hours, **the Clinic is now able to serve more patients through expanded access** (including after-hours appointments at the clinic), two weekends each month, and one weekday evening. These appointments are consistently filled and allow us to care for individuals who are unable to visit during traditional daytime hours.

Looking ahead, we are eager to expand our services and extend our impact even further. In the fall of 2026 the completion of our new 10,600-square-foot building will double our patient and ultrasound capacity and allow us to add an additional nurse, to bring on a development director to strengthen our financial resources, and welcome a case manager to connect patients with community support. This expanded space will also allow us to grow our Parenting Initiative and bring all of our services together under one roof.

All of this is possible because of you. Your faithful partnership empowers women facing unplanned pregnancies to make healthy, life-affirming choices and encounter the hope of Christ. We are deeply grateful for the year behind us, and look forward with anticipation to all that God will do in the year ahead.

An Exciting New Partnership

You’ve just taken a pregnancy test. The result is positive—but this wasn’t planned. It’s late at night, early in the morning, or the middle of the weekend. Questions rush in. Where do I go? What shall I do? Who can I talk to? Who will truly listen? **Option Line exists for that very moment.**



Option Line is a 24-hour helpline designed to ensure that no woman facing an unplanned pregnancy has to walk through it alone. Staffed by a bilingual nurse, it offers immediate medical information, compassionate options counseling, and caring support—any time of day or night and always free of charge.

Through our partnership with Heartbeat International, this resource is available whenever our clinic is closed. After speaking with a nurse, callers can schedule an appointment with Hope at the next available time slot, ensuring timely follow-up and a seamless connection to in-person care. Option Line can be accessed through our website and directly through our voicemail system.



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It is already making a meaningful difference—connecting patients to appointments and even to our parenting initiative. More than simply a helpline, Option Line is an extension of our mission, expanding our reach beyond office hours and ensuring that hope, help, and the love of

Jesus Christ are always within reach for those who need it most.

2025 PATIENT STATS

- Total number of patients: **966**
- Total number of ultrasounds: **983**
- Total number of Parenting Initiative participants: **131**

2025 DONOR STATS

- Total number of donors: **1,499**
- Total number of new donors: **449**



Salem Foundation Support

Strong community partnerships are vital to providing the financial support Hope needs in order to provide our services to our patients. Our relationship with the **Salem Foundation** has grown steadily over the years, and we are very thankful for the recent award of \$1,500, which will provide prenatal vitamins for our patients!

In 2025, Hope medical staff gave 489 bottles of prenatal vitamins, an increase of 125 bottles over 2024. It is our practice to offer a starter bottle of prenatal vitamins to each pregnant patient choosing to parent, along with information about how to have a healthy pregnancy. **Thank you Salem Foundation!**

Supporting Hope's Future

We are excited to announce that the **M. J. Murdock Charitable Trust** has awarded funding to Hope in the amount of **\$250,000** for the **In Step Together capital campaign**.

Hope is thankful for a new partnership with the M. J. Murdock Charitable Trust. This funding will support the construction of our new building addition, providing the space we need to serve women and families in Marion and Polk counties for years to come.

2026 DATES TO REMEMBER

Baby Bottle Campaign

Mother's Day (May 10)
through Father's Day (June 21)

The Hope Run

Saturday, August 15
@ Minto Brown Island Park

Fall Dessert

Saturday, September 26
@ Salem Convention Center



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



"Thank you for the knowledge and baby items to help us get started raising [our baby]. I feel so much more prepared now. Thank you, thank you!"

~ A Hope Patient



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