



### HGC PASTORAL COUNSELING

- ◆ Premarital
- ◆ Marital
- ◆ Individual
- ◆ Family

Hawthorne Gospel Church is committed to caring for your counseling needs. As our world speeds up and seems to become more complex every day, we stand ready to minister to your needs spiritually and emotionally.

The Pastoral Leadership Team is specifically focused in providing pastoral counseling to children through senior adults. In most cases, we can refer you to qualified Christian professional counselors in the North Jersey area, if necessary.

Contact: Pastor Howard Van Dyk, Jr. at 973-427-6960 x115.



*Grief Share, Morning Star,  
Released and Life Givers  
meet at the  
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GOSPEL CHURCH



Morning Star  
Children's Grief  
Ministry



The primary objective of the group is to move people from the place of a devastating diagnosis, or struggle with a life-threatening or life-altering illness, to extraordinary living as defined by John 10:10.

We expect participants to receive a fresh vision for life, a “game-changing perspective” on serious illness, and an understanding that your “valley of trouble can be turned into a door of hope” as spoken of in Hosea 2:14,15.

We meet the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday  
of each month  
in The Lower Chapel  
from 7:00 - 8:30 pm

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## FACING TOMORROW

It may be hard for you to feel optimistic about the future right now. If you've lost a spouse, child, family member, or friend, you've probably found that there are not many people who understand the deep hurt you feel.

That's the reason for GriefShare, a special seminar and support group for people grieving the loss of someone close. This group is sponsored by people who understand what you are experiencing and want to offer you comfort and encouragement during this difficult time.

## WHEN TO BEGIN

You are welcome to begin attending the GriefShare group at any session. Each is "self-contained," so you do not have to attend in sequence. You will find encouragement and help whenever you begin. You will be able to continue with GriefShare through the next cycle and view any of the videos you have not seen.

We meet the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month at 7:30 pm in The Chapel.

For more information, contact Lories Slockbower at 973-628-0745.

## What Is Morning Star?

Morning Star Children's Grief Ministry is a faith-based, free community-wide program serving children between the ages of 6 and 18 and their families who are experiencing grief and loss.



## Morning Star Series

The Morning Star schedule is 1.5 hour sessions, 2 times per month on Sundays at 5:00 pm in room C-8.

Following are the 2018 meeting dates:

September 9 and September 23  
October 7 and October 21  
November 4 and November 18  
December 2 and December 16

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Using God's Word and each other to grow spiritually and emotionally, Released comes together as a group of men and women who desire to be set free from the hurts, hang-ups, and habits in their lives.

If you, or someone you know, are in bondage to abuse, alcohol/drugs, overspending, anger/rage, bullying, codependency, control issues, fear/anxiety, gambling, grief, guilt, hurtful relationships, insecurities, lying, overeating, overworking, depression, pornography, sexual addiction, or any other addiction and desire to learn how to be free, you are invited to attend.

Released meets every Friday night in The Lounge from 7:00 to 8:30 pm and is led by Pastor Timothy Stanley, Peggy Goitz, and several other HGC leaders. Refreshments and a time of fellowship follow the meeting. Childcare is provided.

*Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Come near to God and he will come near to you... Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.  
(James 4:7-8, 10)*