

Hate Wall

“And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.” 1 Corinthians 13:13

Messages and acts of hate are present in our schools, cities, countries, and in our world. Every day there are acts of hatred, whether it be through words or through action, that dismantle our friends and family. With this in mind, we know that the one thing we can all do to combat this is to intentionally work toward creating a community full of love that overpowers the hate.

Directions:

1. Think of a prayer, a call to action, or just a positive phrase or word that captures the love and hope that God brings us.
2. Using a piece of fabric strip (short or long) and a marker, write that message of love and hope that overpowers the hatred on the wall.
3. Once done, tie your fabric strip to a nail on the wall covering up the words of hate. You can stretch your strip across to another nail and tie it on or just let it hang down. These thoughts will act as a symbol of the way that love and hope can transform our communities into positive places.

“Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that.”- Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.