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## HOPEFEST, TWIN CITIES' NEWEST MUSIC FESTIVAL, PROVIDES NONPROFITS THE OPPORTUNITY TO SHOWCASE PRODUCTS AND SERVICES THAT PROMOTE HOPE AND HEALING

## Wings for Widows provides personalized financial coaching at no charge to help widows move forward with confidence and hope.

Wayzata, Minnesota — JULY 7, 2022. HopeFest, organized and sponsored by Wings for Widows, a MN 501(c)3 public nonprofit, is the newest summer music festival in the Twin Cities. The one-day festival features nine artists performing on two stages at the Hilde Performance Center, Plymouth, on Sunday, August 21, 2022. Gates open at noon.

The purpose of HopeFest is to bring families and friends together to celebrate HOPE, something that is very much needed following years of a global pandemic, high unemployment, indiscriminate violence, hyper-inflation, tumbling markets, and war. The live music provides the backdrop to Hope Village, which will showcase dozens of local nonprofit organizations, churches, and businesses offering services and products that promote hope and healing. This gathering of nonprofits is the first of its kind in the Twin Cities.

Musical artists include three local favorites: Kat Perkins of The Voice, country-favorite Hitchville, Mick Sterling Presents with his 11-piece orchestra, and award-winning Joe Flip and his band. In the tradition of Joyful Noise, national recording artists Building 429, Sidewalk Prophets, and Plumb will perform in the evening. National speaker and author Kristen Brown will emcee the event and Pam Lundell from KTIS FM will make a guest appearance. Food trucks, beverage tent, "live" mural artist Tom Jay, and more will make it enjoyable for the whole family to spend the whole day at HopeFest.

For more information, visit <u>www.hope-fest.org</u>. Tickets are on sale now at <u>www.hope-fest.org/tickets</u>.