

WELCOME!

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship

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We are pleased that you are coming to worship at New Hope Presbyterian Church. In order to serve you well, please:

- *Visit our Welcome Table*
- *ESV Bibles are available on the welcome table for use during the service*
- *Turn off the ringer on your electronic devices*
- *Nursery is available for children up to age 4*
- *Children's Church is available during the sermon (suggested ages 3-7)*
- *Large Print bulletins available upon request*

Vision of New Hope Presbyterian Church

New Hope Presbyterian Church
is a grace and gospel-centered fellowship
which exists to magnify Jesus Christ
in the areas of worship, fellowship and outreach.

**Please sit right next to your neighbor to
make as much room as possible
for everyone.**

Morning Worship

October 28, 2018

Reflection — *"I labored diligently and anxiously as to how to understand Paul's word...the expression `the righteousness of God` blocked the way, because I took it to mean that righteousness whereby God is righteous and deals righteously in punishing the unrighteousness. Although an impeccable monk, I stood before God as a sinner...therefore I did not love a righteous and angry God, but rather hated and murmured against him..."*

~ Martin Luther

"then I grasped that the righteousness of God is that righteousness by which through grace and sheer mercy God justifies us by faith. Thereupon I felt myself to be reborn and to have gone through open doors into paradise..."

~ Martin Luther

Felt assurance of his love is the oxygen of our souls, keeping us alive, stabilizing us again and again, all the way..."

~ Ray Ortlund Jr

Approach to God

Welcome

Prelude

Call to Worship — Isaiah 12:1-4 (responsive)

¹You will say in that day: "I will give thanks to you, O Lord,
for though you were angry with me,
your anger turned away,
that you might comfort me.

²**"Behold, God is my salvation;
I will trust, and will not be afraid;
for the Lord God is my strength and my song,
and he has become my salvation."**

³With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation.

⁴And you will say in that day:

**"Give thanks to the Lord,
call upon his name,
make known his deeds among the peoples,
proclaim that his name is exalted."**

Hymn of Praise — All Praise to God Who Reigns Above

1. All praise to God, who reigns a - bove, the God of all cre -
 2. What God's al - might - y pow'r hath made his gra - cious mer - cy
 3. I cried to him in time of need: Lord God, O hear my
 4. The Lord for - sak - eth not his flock, his cho - sen gen - er -

a - tion, the God of won - ders, pow'r, and love, the God of our sal -
 keep - eth; by morn - ing dawn or eve - ning shade his watch - ful eye ne'er
 call - ing! For death he gave me life in - deed and kept my feet from
 a - tion; he is their ref - uge and their rock, their peace and their sal -

va - tion! With heal - ing balm my soul he fills, the God who
 sleep - eth; with - in the king - dom of his might, lo, all is
 fall - ing. For this my thanks shall end - less be; O thank him,
 va - tion. As with a moth - er's ten - der hand he leads his

ev - ery sor - row stills. To God all praise and glo - ry!
 just and all is right. To God all praise and glo - ry!
 thank our God with me. To God all praise and glo - ry!
 own, his cho - sen band. To God all praise and glo - ry!

Prayer of Adoration followed by the Lord's prayer

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Our Father who is in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one, for yours is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Songs of Praise

My Soul Will Sing (Psalm 103)

My soul will sing

With all the strength I have in me

I will rejoice with every day He gives

I will recall the wonders He has shown to me

His power to heal, His mercy to forgive

We join with angels to sing His praises;

He does not treat us as our sins deserve

High as the heavens reach above the earth

Is Your unfailing love, is Your unfailing love

Far as the east is banished from the west

You took our sins from us,

Removed our sins from us

How wide how high is Your unfailing love.

Our King delights

To show compassion to the weak

Their deepest needs He loves to satisfy

Throughout the earth

His justice and His mercy speak

And He will run to meet the victim's cry

From everlasting to everlasting

Our youth renewed with every step we take (chorus)

Though we are dust a moment in eternity

As flowers bloom today and then are gone

He crowns our lives

With beauty and with dignity

His patience smiles on all who turn to Him

From generation to generation

We'll tell the story of His faithfulness (chorus)

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Isaiah 40

(men) Do you not know?

(women) Have you not heard?

The LORD is the everlasting God,

The Creator of the ends of the earth. (repeat)

(men) He will not grow tired or weary,

(women) And His understanding no one can fathom.

(men) He gives strength to the weary,

(women) And increases the power of the weak.

(men) Even youths grow tired and weary,

(women) And young men stumble and fall;

But those who hope in the LORD

Will renew their strength.

They will soar on wings like eagles;

They will run and not grow weary,

They will walk and not be faint. (repeat)

Together: Do you not know?

Have you not heard?

The LORD is the everlasting God

Confession of Sin — Galatians 3:10-12

¹⁰ For all who rely on works of the law are under a curse; for it is written, “Cursed be everyone who does not abide by all things written in the Book of the Law, and do them.” ¹¹ Now it is evident that no one is justified before God by the law, for “The righteous shall live by faith.” ¹² But the law is not of faith, rather “The one who does them shall live by them.”

Assurance of Pardon — Romans 3:21-26

²¹ But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— ²² the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: ²³ for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, ²⁴ and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, ²⁵ whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God's righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. ²⁶ It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.

Song of Response — I Will Boast in the Cross

God did not call us because we were wise,
Or gifted with riches and might.
His chosen ones are the weak in this world,
Who hope in his all saving name,
That he might receive all the praise.

*So I will boast in the cross of Christ
And I will glory in Jesus and his sacrifice.
I will boast in the cross of Christ.
It is the power, it is the wisdom of God
And my great ransom, the cross of Christ.*

Great is the myst'ry of God's sovereign ways
That flow from the depths of his grace.
That he would give up his one precious Son
To bear all the cost of my sin,
Is a wonder I can't comprehend.

New Members Received* — Carol Bodmer, Marcus & Joy Cato, and MaryAnn Jones

Response in Song — For the Lord is Good

*For the Lord is good
And His love endures forever,
He's a faithful God to all generations
For the Lord is good,
And His Mercies will not fail us.
They are new each day.
So lift your voice and say,
"The Lord is good."*

Great is your faithfulness, O Lord,
Your loving-kindness fills
Our hearts to overflowing
Songs of rejoicing and sweet praise,
They fill our hearts, they fill our days...

**see biographies on the last page of the bulletin*

Congregational Prayer

Offering

If you're visiting, please fill out a gray visitor card and place it in the offering basket.

*At parent's discretion children ages 6-7 are dismissed
to children's church in **ROOM #3**, ages 4-5 are dismissed to **ROOM #5**.*

Sermon Text — Romans 1:16-17

¹⁶ For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. ¹⁷ For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, "The righteous shall live by faith."

Sermon — The Righteousness of God — for You!

~ Pastor Francis VanDelden

Closing Song — A Mighty Fortress is Our God (page 10)

Benediction

Postlude

The Righteousness of God — for You!

Romans 1:16-17

1. The Power of God (vs. 16)

2. The Righteousness of God (vs 17)

Closing Hymn — A Mighty Fortress is Our God

1. A might - y for - tress is our God, a bul - wark nev - er
 2. Did we in our own strength con - fide, our striv - ing would be
 3. And though this world, with dev - ils filled, should threat - en to un -
 4. That Word a - bove all earth - ly pow'rs, no thanks to them, a -

fail - ing; our help - er he a - mid the flood of
 los - ing; were not the right man on our side, the
 do us, we will not fear, for God hath willed his
 bid - eth; the Spir - it and the gifts are ours through

mor - tal ills pre - vail - ing. For still our an - cient foe
 man of God's own choos - ing. Dost ask who that may be?
 truth to tri - umph through us. The prince of dark - ness grim,
 him who with us sid - eth. Let goods and kin - dred go,

doth seek to work us woe; his craft and pow'r are great;
 Christ Je - sus, it is he, Lord Sa - ba - oth his name,
 we trem - ble not for him; his rage we can en - dure,
 this mor - tal life al - so; the bod - y they may kill:

and armed with cru - el hate, on earth is not his e - qual.
 from age to age the same, and he must win the bat - tle.
 for lo! his doom is sure; one lit - tle word shall fell him.
 God's truth a - bid - eth still; his king - dom is for - ev - er.

THANK YOU FOR SERVING

9:30 a.m.

Usher: Brian Burden, Joe Seiver, Steve Ochs
Greeter: Kathleen & David Porter
Nursery: Dave Myers, Kelly Rundell

10:30 a.m.

3-year old Nursery: Monica Laird, Lauren Mendez
Toddler Nursery: Dan Poppert, Billy Rundell, Elsie Wright
Infant Nursery: Vickie Rinehart, Aimee Byrd
Chld Chrch (5-7): Farrah Wise, Talia Poortenga
Chld Chrch (3-4): Dennis Caruso, Cortney Keebaugh, Alyssa Wise
Sound: Ed Wright
Live Stream: Jesse Wright

Serving Next Week

9:30 a.m.

Usher: Matt Byrd, Jeremiah Wright, Rex King
Greeter: Farrah Wise, Nancy Seiler
Nursery: Laura VanDelden, Jen Williams

10:30 a.m.

3-year old Nursery: Joel Poortenga, Joli Chism
Toddler Nursery: Dan, JoAnne, & Austin Keister, Alexis Wise, Cora Kim
Infant Nursery: Lindsey Seiver, Linsey Rundell
Chld Chrch (5-7): Kelly McConville, Ella Mason
Chld Chrch (3-4): Jeff McConville, Man Kim, Zoe Poppert
Sound: Kim Hanlin
Live Stream: Belle Wetzel

THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

Today *Reformation Day Service*, 6:00 pm at Bethel OPC in Leesburg, VA. See the information flyer on the Welcome Table or in the Friday News.

Wednesday *Women's Bible Study*, 10:00am at the church

Saturday *Men's Breakfast*, 8-9:30 am at the church

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annual Report Alert!, all committee heads: please let your committees know that they should begin planning for their annual report submission. The submissions will be due in late November.

Join the North Carolina Hurricane Clean up, a potential hurricane clean up crew is being formed right now for a week's worth of service December 8-15. If you are interested in participating, contact Pastor Francis. There is a flyer in your mailbox...check it out!

Thank offering, it's that time of the year when we have the privilege of helping the OPC (our denomination) raise funds to support their Worldwide Outreach. Under Worldwide Outreach are the ministries of Home Missions, Foreign Missions and Christian Education. Once a year, we have the opportunity to participate with all the other churches in our denomination in giving to this cause. There will be flyers in your mailboxes over the next few weeks explaining the different missions. The Thank Offering will be taken on November 18.

Helping Hands, Join with others in the church on November 10th to help care for the widows, elderly and others at New Hope. Come help do yard work and other little jobs from 9:00 am-12:00 noon. See Matt Byrd for details.

NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT STUDY, the regularly scheduled dinner and Bible study that typically would be this Wednesday is cancelled for this week.

Nominations for Elder & Deacon are being solicited! If you know of someone you think would be an excellent elder or deacon, please check out the nomination forms we have available on the Welcome Table. Please talk to the person you want to nominate first to make sure they are able and willing.

Growth Groups meeting this week:

- **David Chism Growth Group:** meeting today at the Chism home from 5-7 pm.
- **Francis VanDelden Growth Group:** met on Friday
- **Dave Myers Growth Group:** Meeting at the church after worship.
- **Jason Rundell Growth Group:** Meeting today after church at the Rundell home.
- **Alex Mason Growth Group:** Meeting today from 5-7 pm at the church.
- **Brian Burden Growth Group:** Meeting today at 4:30 pm at the McConville home.
- **Dennis Caruso Growth Group:** unconfirmed. Please check with Dennis.

COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Our Church Family

- Pray for David Chism, Marc Ohlwiler, and Luke Hake as they prepare to travel to Puerto Rico this week. Pray for their preparations, for good health and for smooth planning and travel. Pray that the work that they do will be an encouragement to those in need and that they, too, will be greatly blessed from doing it.
- Pray for those who are out of work, looking for new work, or underemployed. Pray for patience amidst the stress, for trust in the Lord and His goodness, and for provision for all their needs.
- Pray that the Lord will raise up men for elder and deacon at New Hope.
- Pray for the upcoming diaconal trip to North Carolina to help the hurricane victims. Pray that a good, solid team of volunteers will be able to meet the needs of the people who have lost so much.
- Give thanks to God for the gift of the property we were able to purchase. Pray that we would be wise stewards over all He has given.
- Continue to pray for the Hake family in their trials. Pray for peace, healing and grace to walk through this difficult valley.
- Pray for Mandy Beeman who is expecting. Pray for the health of both her and her little one.
- Continue to pray for those who are struggling: Kim Hanlin's father, John & Muriel Hadidian, Charles Salter, Ron Oakes, John Bishoff, Tim Flora, Liesl Hake, Ed Rodatus, Faye Hake, Christine Mason and those who are grieving from the loss of loved ones. Pray for strength to bear their difficult trials.

Frederick Area

- Pray for the ministries we support financially in the areas: CareNet Pregnancy Center, the Frederick Rescue Mission and the Good News Clubs. Pray that through these ministries many will come to a saving faith in Jesus Christ as they hear the good news.

Missionaries & Others

- Pray for the mission of the month: OPC Worldwide Ministries. Pray particularly for the Christian Education ministry of the OPC as they provide ministerial internships, ministerial training, deacon training, the OPC website as well as all the OPC literature and Sunday school material (GCP) for the OPC. Pray for fruitfulness in this ministries endeavors as well as
- Pray for Kristen Lalley as she serves in Maynooth, Ireland with Serge International. Pray for her outreach to the students at Maynooth University as she works to faithfully bring them gospel. Pray, too, for Venture, the church's weekly youth event and for the relationships she works to develop there.

DAILY DEVOTION

Memory Text — Romans 1:16 —¹⁶ For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.

Westminster Confession 14.1, 2 “Of Saving Faith” The grace of faith, whereby the elect are enabled to believe to the saving of their souls, is the work of the Spirit of Christ in their hearts, and is ordinarily wrought by the ministry of the Word, by which also, and by the administration of the sacraments, and prayer, it is increased and strengthened.

14.2 ...the principal acts of saving faith are accepting, receiving, and resting upon Christ alone for justification, sanctification, and eternal life, by virtue of the covenant of grace

Monday: Rom 1:15-16. Why might Paul be tempted to be ashamed of the gospel (Acts 17:32, 2 Cor 13:4, 10:10, 1 Cor 1:27)? What about you? How does the gospel actually rescue you from true and lasting shame (Rom 6:21, 9:33, 10:11)? Why then is Paul eager to preach the gospel (v 15)? Pray for someone who needs the gospel, and for global missions.

Tuesday: Rom 1:16. Why must there be “power” for someone to believe (Rom 3:9-12, Eph 2:1)? Why is this power “of God” (Jonah 2:9, Rom 7:24f, 1 Cor 1:18)? Define salvation (cf Col 3:13f). The gospel (Jesus’ life, death, resurrection) is this power of God. What does that say about our confidence in the gospel, and sharing it? Why does a Christian still need to hear the gospel (e.g. 2 Cor 3:18)?

Wednesday: How does Rom 1:16 both limit and expand the recipients of this salvation? How is this salvation received (cf Rom 4:5)? What does it mean to believe, or have faith (WCF 14.2 above)? How can you grow in faith? Why does Paul (in his context) continue to emphasize that the gospel is to be preached to all (Jew and Gentile)? Consider whether or not this is your heart’s desire.

Thursday: Rom 1:17 What three ways can you understand “the righteousness of God” (1. Rom 1:18, 3:5, 2. Rom 3:21-22, 26, 3. Rom 10:3, 2 Cor 5:21). How are each of these actively brought to bear in the gospel? Given this righteousness ‘of’ God, how complete, effective, and irrevocable is your new righteousness in Christ?!!

Friday: Read Hab 2:1-4 and Rom 1:17. What was going to happen to sinful Israel? What promise are they charged to wait for? What two choices to they have? If they believe the promise they will live by faith. How does this charge to believe the promise and live in light of it underline Paul’s point in Rom 1:17? How are you trying to rescue yourself? Trust his perfect rescue!

Saturday: What is the main point of Romans 1:18-32?

New Member Biographies

Carol Bodmer: I was born in Louisville, Ky., one of four children...raised by loving parents who nurtured and trained us in the “things of the Lord,” as contained in the Scriptures. My Dad was a Baptist pastor, and my Mom was the homemaker. Our family moved to Montgomery County, Md. in 1953. I met my husband, Tom, during my college years. His family lived in Poolesville, Md. when we met. We now live in the home where he grew up. Tom and I have two children; a daughter, Carrie, and a son, Jason. They each have wonderful spouses and children of their own. We have 6 precious grandchildren. We have experienced the Lord’s great love and mercy throughout our lives. In this season of life, my gracious Heavenly Father, has settled my heart at New Hope, where His Holy Spirit causes the preaching of the Scriptures to “come alive” with direction, conviction, comfort and instruction; and where the Body of Christ is loving and growing in grace.

MaryAnn Jones: I am happy to become a member of New Hope this month! My background: I was born and raised in northern Illinois, became a Christian at the age of nine, married my best friend from the same town, lived many places following his career path, ending in Montgomery county 1970. We had been married 59 years when he died nine years ago. We have two married children, and eight grandchildren, seven living. They all live in this area. I graduated from Stetson University, taught second grade at Germantown Elementary in Germantown, Maryland for 20 years, also taught childrens’ Sunday school and later Senior Ladies classes for years. Two years ago I moved from Laytonsville to Buckinghams Choice, a retirement community near Buckeystown, and began another season in my life. I look forward to getting to know you, my new church family!

Marcus & Joy Cato: Marcus and Joy Cato and their children, Silas and Jacinda come to New Hope from Shady Grove PCA in Derwood, MD. They live in Hagerstown, MD,

NEW HOPE INFORMATION

NEW HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OFFICERS

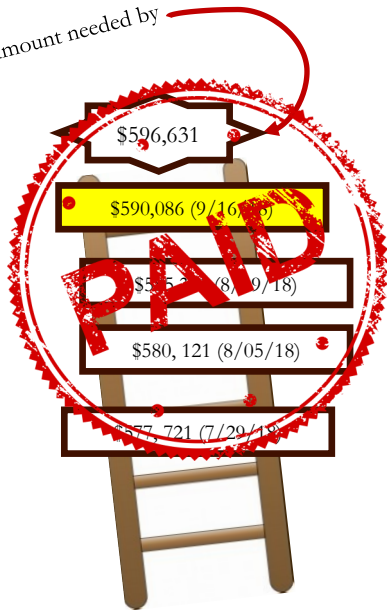
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ELDERS

- Rev. Francis VanDelden, Pastor & Moderator
- Rev. Steve Hake, Teacher
- Dennis Caruso
- Karl Koops
- Dave Myers
- Jason Rundell, Clerk

Capital Stewardship
Campaign Update!

Amount needed by



GROWTH GROUPS

Growth Groups meet throughout the area. They include worship, Bible study, fellowship, prayer and mission. They offer fellowship, encouragement, support, and accountability. Growth Groups are the backbone of our fellowship. If you would like to join a Growth Group, please fill out a gray care card that can be found on the back of the sanctuary chairs or obtained from an usher.

SERVICE TIMES

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service

Location: 5305-A Jefferson Pike
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OFFICE INFORMATION

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