

# WELCOME!

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

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# **Morning Worship**

October 7, 2018

# Reflection

- Hospitality (not entertaining) is an outflow of a deep delight in God's love for us, the stranger.
- We all face problems of loneliness, sin, grief, betrayal. How can one person face all that alone? By faith. (Heb 11:32-34). We are conquerors of the problems that we face only by faith.
- And Christian hospitality in the community that develops from it is, I believe, the ground zero of our life in Christ: it is how our faith is visible and serviceable, powerful and potent. Hospitality from the home, in the neighborhood, and through the membership of the local congregation has the potential to transform us. Hospitality is our "by faith" bridge to each other, through Christ."

~ Rosaria Butterfield

# Approach to God

# Welcome

# Prelude

#### Call to Worship — Jeremiah 31:1-3; 1 John 3:1

(responsively)

<sup>1</sup>"At that time, declares the Lord, I will be the God of all the clans of Israel, and they shall be my people."

<sup>2</sup> Thus says the Lord: "The people who survived the sword found grace in the wilderness; when Israel sought for rest,

<sup>3</sup> the Lord appeared to him from far away.

I have loved you with an everlasting love;

therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you.

#### <sup>1</sup>See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are.

# Song of Praise — By Faith

By faith we see the hand of God In the light of creation's grand design In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness Who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith our fathers roamed the earth With the power of His promise in their hearts Of a holy city built by God's own hand A place where peace and justice reign (chorus)

We will stand as children of the promise We will fix our eyes on Him our soul's reward Till the race is finished and the work is done We'll walk by faith and not by sight.

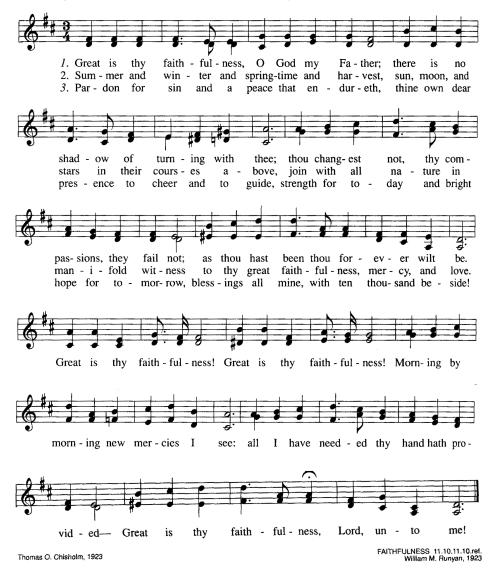
By faith the prophets saw a day When the longed-for Messiah would appear With the power to break the chains Of sin and death And rise triumphant from the grave

By faith the church was called to go In the power of the Spirit to the lost To deliver captives and to preach good news In every corner of the earth (chorus)

By faith this mountain shall be moved And the power of the gospel shall prevail For we know in Christ all things are possible For all who call upon His name (chorus)

# **Prayer of Adoration**

### Songs of Praise — Great is Thy Faithfulness



#### Songs of Praise, cont. — O How Good it Is

Oh how good it is when the family of God Dwells together in spirit, In faith and unity. Where the bonds of peace, Of acceptance and love Are the fruit of His presence Here among us.

CHORUS: So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord And with one heart we'll live out His word Till the whole earth sees the Redeemer has come For He dwells in the presence of His people.

Oh how good it is on this journey we share To rejoice with the happy and weep with those who mourn. For the weak find strength, the afflicted find grace When we offer the blessing of belonging.

Oh how good it is to embrace His command To prefer one another forgive as He forgives. When we live as one we all share in the love Of the Son with the Father and the Spirit.

#### Confession of Sin — 1 Peter 4:7-11

<sup>7</sup> The end of all things is at hand; therefore be self-controlled and sober-minded for the sake of your prayers. <sup>8</sup> Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins. <sup>9</sup> Show hospitality to one another without grumbling. <sup>10</sup> As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace: <sup>11</sup> whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God; whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies—in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

# **Silent Prayer of Confession**

## Assurance of Pardon — Luke 22:14-20

<sup>14</sup> And when the hour came, he reclined at table, and the apostles with him. <sup>15</sup> And he said to them, "I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer. <sup>16</sup> For I tell you I will not eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God." <sup>17</sup> And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he said, "Take this, and divide it among yourselves. <sup>18</sup> For I tell you that from now on I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes." <sup>19</sup> And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." <sup>20</sup> And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying, "This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood.

### Response in Song — Because We Believe

We believe in God the Father (echo) We believe in Christ the Son. (echo) We believe in the Holy Spirit. (echo) We are the Church and we stand as one. (echo)

Holy, holy, holy is our God. Worthy, worthy, worthy is our King. All glory and honor are His to receive; To Jesus we sing, because we believe.

We believe in the Holy Bible. (echo) We believe in the virgin birth. (echo) We believe in the resurrection, (echo) That Christ one day, will return to earth. (echo)

We believe in the blood of Jesus. (echo) We believe in eternal life. (echo) We believe in the blood that frees us. (echo) To become the Bride of Christ. (echo)

# **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 — Leviticus 19:33-34

<sup>33</sup> "When a stranger sojourns with you in your land, you shall not do him wrong. <sup>34</sup> You shall treat the stranger who sojourns with you as the native among you, and you shall love him as yourself, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt: I am the Lord your God.

## Sermon — Practice Hospitality

~ Pastor Francis VanDelden

# Celebration of the Lord's Supper

# Preparation

# Words of Institution

**Receiving the Elements**<sup>\*</sup> — New Hope Presbyterian Church welcomes all baptized Christians who are forsaking their sins and trusting in Jesus Christ for salvation, and who are members of congregations that proclaim the gospel, to receive communion with us.

\*the bread served today is gluten-free

**Closing Song** — Jesus What a Friend for Sinners! (page 10)

# **Benediction**

# Postlude

# Practice Hospitality-

Leviticus 19:33-34

#### Closing Hymn — Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!



J. Wilbur Chapman, 1910

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#### THANK YOU FOR SERVING

#### 9:30 a.m.

Usher:	Ron Oakes, Jeff McConville, Dave Myers
Greeter:	Dawn Myers, Mary Troxel
Nursery:	Laura VanDelden, Alex Mason

#### 10:30 a.m.

3-year old Nursery: Marsha Wetzel, Megan Quist Toddler Nurserv: Ronnie Socash, Matt Layman, Karsten Wetzel, Karice Beeman Infant Nursery: Chld Chrch (5-7): Gingy & Claire Socash Chld Chrch (3-4):

Sound Live Stream:

Mandy Beeman, Katrina Howard Karen Ochs, Natalie Willman, Brigitte King Kim Hanlin Lance Duvall

#### Serving Next Week

#### <u>9:30 a.m.</u>

Usher: Jeff Jernigan, Lance Duvall, John Wise Greeter: Farrah Wise, Joan Johansen Kim Hanlin, Dave Myers Nursery: 10:30 a.m.

3-year old Nursery: Toddler Nursery:

Infant Nursery: Chld Chrch (5-7): Chld Chrch (3-4): Sound: Live Stream:

Hannah Vidal, Kendra Beaty Jason Rundell, Jesse Beaty, Rachel Jernigan, Lily Rundell Traci Poppert, Amy Wright Ann Burden, Elise Scotten Annie, Man, Cora Kim Dan Poppert Kyle Poppert

# THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

Tuesday	Session Meeting, 7:00 pm at the church
Wednesday	Women's Bible Study, 10:00am at the church

#### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Save the Date! Please mark your calendars for Saturday, October 27, from 8am-12pm for Fall Clean Up day. Come on out to help clean up the landscaped beds, rake the fillings on the playground, and perform a few other tasks. Families and children are welcome! Let's maintain a safe and beautiful property for our church and enjoy some good fellowship in the outdoors! Hot apple cider and other refreshments will be provided.
- October Fellowship Event "October Fires", Please join us on Sunday, October 21 from 5-6:30 pm for an October Fires and S'more Potluck. Bring your favorite s'more building material and share in some good fellowship around the fire pits of our gracious hosts. Sign-up for this event by visiting the "October Fires" table in the foyer. Note: Each host site has a limited number of spaces. For more information, see Marsha Wetzel or Lisa Rodatus.
- Ladies' Night Out is Thursday, October 18! Ladies, bring your friends and join us for dinner at 6:30pm at Alverdi's Italian Restaurant in Walkersville and/or dessert around 8:30pm at Patti Deschamps's home (207 Tylerton Ct, Walkersville). *RSVP for dinner by Wednesday, October 17* to Elease Layman at 301.767.6848 or elease.layman@gmail.com.
- Indoor Maintenance Committee Meeting, anyone who is interested is invited to join the indoor maintenance committee meeting being held on Monday, October 15th at 7:00 pm at the church. If you have any questions or would like to understand more of what this committee does, please contact John Laird at john.laird@yahoo.com.

# COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

#### Our Church Family

- Pray for our elders as they meet this week. Pray for unity, wisdom and grace as they lead and shepherd the flock.
- Praise God for His continue provision for us as a church. Give thanks that we have been able to purchase this property and pray for wisdom as we care for it.
- Pray for comfort and healing for those who are struggling with chronic physical pain.
- Give thanks for the "seniors" in our church and for their wisdom, life experience and faithful service. Pray that God will bless them in their twilight years, provide for all their needs and bring help and care when needed.
- Pray for those who serve in the military and put themselves in harm's way to protect our safety and freedom. Pray, too, for the reformed chaplains who bring the gospel to the troops.
- Continue to pray for the Hake family in their trials. Pray for peace, healing and grace to walk though 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 CareNet Pregnancy Center who serves the Frederick community by providing hope for those who are facing unplanned pregnancies. Pray that through this ministry the number of abortions in Frederick are reduced.
- Praise God for the successful Good News Clubs this past week and for the outpouring of support from the people of New Hope. Pray for Valory Snyder who is heading up the ministry and all those who are volunteering!

#### Missionaries & Others

- Pray for the mission of the month: OPC Worldwide Ministries. Give thanks for our denomination that puts much thought, energy and prayer into home missions, foreign missions and Christian education. Pray that the upcoming thank offering will be given to generously so that these missions will flourish and grow.
- 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.

**Memory Text** — **Romans 11:33-36** — <sup>33</sup>Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways! <sup>34</sup> "For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has been his counselor?"

Heidelberg Catechism 55. What do you understand by "the communion of saints"? First, that all and every one, who believes, being members of Christ, are in common, partakers of him, and of all his riches and gifts; secondly, that every one must know it to be his duty, readily and cheerfully to employ his gifts, for the advantage and salvation of other members.

**Monday:** Lev 19:33. Have you ever felt like a stranger? What was that it like? Imagine a stranger in all-Jewish Israel (e.g. Ruth). What does Lev 19:33 forbid? What are some ways a stranger can be treated poorly/ wrongly? How have you done this with attitudes, actions, words? How does society do this? How does the gospel confront us in this? Pray for change.

**Tuesday**: What does Lev 19:34 command us (Rom 12:13, 1 Tim 5:10, Heb 13:2) How does "as yourself" fill out the command? See Deut 10:18f for how God treats the stranger. Who are the strangers in your life (church, work, neighborhood, etc)? How can you love Christ by showing them hospitality (Mt 25:36)? Will you?

**Wednesday:** What is the motive for hospitality given in Lev 19:34 (cf Dt 24:17-18)? How is Jesus the ultimate stranger-lover (hospitality in Greek is 'stranger-lover') (see Eph 2:4, 19)? How should these truths help motivate you to practice hospitality? What are a few small ways you can begin to show hospitality?

**Thursday:** Lev 19:33-34, 1 Pet \_\_\_\_. How is a lack of hospitality contrary to the very nature of God? How does hospitality reflect God's character? If we do hospitality but are grumbly about it (1 Pet 4:8), what does that reveal about our motivation? How does that grumbly heart cause us to turn back to Wednesday's question? How can you show hospitality when you are at church?

**Friday:** Lev 19:33-34. What are the excuses and fears that keep you from obeying this commandment? How do Lev 19:18 and Luke 10:27 argue with those excuses/fears? Pray for help in this. Trust God in it. Remember that God commands this of those who are already his children -so rest in his grace, not in your hospitality-record (or lack thereof). Remember how you have been deeply encouraged by someone else's hospitality/love.

**Saturday:** What is the gospel that Paul mentions in Romans 1:1-7?

#### Invitation to the Lord's Supper

Since it is our privilege today to celebrate the blessed sacrament of the Lord's Supper, we are called to prepare our hearts by rightly examining ourselves.

**"Do This in Remembrance of Me,"** says Jesus as He invites us to His Holy Supper. It is not only a privilege, but also a personal responsibility to respond to this gracious invitation. The apostle Paul alerts us to this responsibility in 1 Corinthians 11:27, "Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord." Furthermore, the Lord, through the Apostle Paul also instructs us that those who eat and drink "without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgement on himself."

In light of the scriptural teaching, the elders invite you to join in the communion celebration on the basis of the following personal affirmations:

- 1. I confess that I am a sinner and repent of my sins.
- 2. I have been baptized into the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.
- 3. I believe in Jesus as my Savior and Lord who forgives all my sins because of His sacrifice.
- 4. I desire to show my thankfulness to God by resolving to live in faith and obedience before my Lord, and in love and peace with my neighbors.
- 5. I have made a public profession of faith in a church that recognizes the sovereign authority of God's Word and that we are saved only by grace through faith in Jesus Christ.
- $6.\,\mathbf{I}\,\mathbf{am}\,\mathbf{a}\,\mathbf{member}\,\mathbf{in}\,\,\mathbf{good}\,\,\mathbf{standing}\,\,\mathbf{in}\,\,\mathbf{my}\,\,\mathbf{home}\,\,\mathbf{church.}$

If, for some reason, you do not believe you should partake of communion with God's people at this time, the elders would then urge you to refrain from participating today and they would also urge you to actively seek out either one of the elders or the pastor for further instruction. They are eager and willing to discuss these matters in light of God's Word, as they are called to tend to these matters for the purity of Christ's Church, His Glory, and the good of His people.

We are confident that the Savior accepts us at His table when we come in faith, with sorrow for our sins, and with a will to follow Him as He commands.

## **NEW HOPE INFORMATION**

#### NEW HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OFFICERS 2018

#### ELDERS

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

Capital Stewardship Campaign Update!



#### **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 Frederick, MD 21703

#### OFFICE INFORMATION

Church Office: 5305-A Jefferson Pike Frederick, MD 21703 301-694-3595 admin@newhopeopc.org

Office hours: Monday: closed Tues-Friday: 9:00-3:00

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