

WELCOME!



9:30 Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship

# WELCOME!

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

May 12, 2019

**Reflection** — *To be strengthened with the grace that is in Christ Jesus means to be living in dependence upon God. How does one demonstrate this kind of dependence? Quite simply, by being people of prayer. There is no other way to express your utter reliance upon God. Then, in believing that God will give the necessary strength asked for, you move out to do his work and will.*  
~ Tim Keller

*It is ever the Holy Spirit's work to turn our eyes away from self to Jesus; look not to thy hope, but to Jesus, the source of thy hope; look not to thy faith, but to Jesus, the author and finisher of thy faith. We shall never find happiness by looking at our prayers, our doings, or our feelings; it is what Jesus is, not what we are, that gives rest to the soul.*  
~ CH Spurgeon

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## Approach to God

### Welcome

### Prelude

### Call to Worship — Psalm 121:1-2 (responsive)

I lift up my eyes to the hills.

From where does my help come?

<sup>2</sup> **My help comes from the Lord,  
who made heaven and earth.**

### Opening Prayer (responsive)

O Holy Spirit,

Like the sun is full of light, the ocean full of water,

and Heaven full of glory, **so may my heart be full of you.**

Useless are all divine purposes of love

and the redemption accomplished by Jesus

**unless you work within me,**

regenerating by your power,

giving me eyes to see Jesus,

showing me the realities of the unseen world.

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**Give me yourself without measure,  
as an ever-flowing fountain,  
as inexhaustible riches.**

I bewail my coldness, poverty, emptiness,  
imperfect vision, feeble service,  
prayerless prayers, praiseless praises.

Don't let me grieve you or resist you.

**Come as Power,**

to expel every rebel lust, to reign supreme and keep me yours;

**Come as Teacher,**

leading me into all truth, filling me with all understanding;

**Come as Love,**

that I may adore the Father, and love him as my all;

**Come as Joy**

to dwell in me, move in me, enliven me;

**Come as Light,**

illuminating the Scripture, moulding me in its laws;

**Come as Sanctifier,**

body, soul, and spirit completely yours;

**Come as Helper,**

with strength to bless and keep me, directing my every step;

**Come as Beautifier,**

bringing order out of confusion, loveliness out of chaos.

**Magnify to me your glory by being magnified in me,  
and make me smell of your fragrance.**

## Songs of Response — Father I Know That All my Life

1. Fa - ther, I know that all my life is por - tioned out for me;  
2. I would not have the rest - less will that hur - ries to and fro,  
3. I ask thee for the dai - ly strength, to none that ask de - nied,  
4. In ser - vice which thy will ap - points there are no bonds for me;

the chang - es that are sure to come, I do not fear to see:  
seek - ing for some great thing to do, or se - cret thing to know;  
a mind to blend with out - ward life, while keep - ing at thy side,  
my se - cret heart is taught the truth that makes thy chil - dren free;

I ask thee for a pres - ent mind, in - tent on pleas - ing thee.  
 I would be treat - ed as a child, and guid - ed where I go.  
 con - tent to fill a lit - tle space, if thou be glo - ri - fied.  
 a life of self - re - nounc - ing love is one of lib - er - ty.

## We Have Not Known Thee

We have not known Thee as we ought,  
 Nor learned Thy wisdom, grace and power;  
 The things of earth have filled our thought,  
 And trifles of the passing hour.  
 Lord, give us light Thy truth to see,  
 And make us wise in knowing Thee.

We have not feared Thee as we ought,  
 Nor bowed beneath Thine awesome eye,  
 Nor guarded deed and word and thought,  
 Remembering that God was nigh.  
 Lord, give us faith to know Thee near,  
 And grant the grace of holy fear.

We have not loved Thee as we ought,  
 Nor cared that we are loved by Thee;  
 Thy presence we have coldly sought,  
 And feebly longed Thy face to see.  
 Lord, give a pure and loving heart  
 To feel and know the love Thou art.

We have not served Thee as we ought,  
 Alas, the duties left undone,  
 The work with little fervor wrought,  
 The battles lost or scarcely won!  
 Lord, give the zeal, and give the might,  
 For Thee to toil, for Thee to fight.

When shall we know Thee as we ought,  
 And fear and love and serve aright?  
 When shall we, out of trial brought,  
 Be perfect in the land of light?  
 Lord, may we day by day prepare  
 To see Thy face and serve Thee there.

## **Confession of Sin — Matthew 6:5-15**

<sup>5</sup> “And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. <sup>6</sup> But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

<sup>7</sup> “And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words. <sup>8</sup> Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

<sup>9</sup> Pray then like this:

“Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name.

<sup>10</sup> Your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

<sup>11</sup> Give us this day our daily bread,

<sup>12</sup> and forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.

<sup>13</sup> And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

<sup>14</sup> For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, <sup>15</sup> but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

## **Assurance of Pardon — Luke 22:31-32**

<sup>31</sup> “Simon, Simon, behold, Satan demanded to have you, that he might sift you like wheat, <sup>32</sup> but I have prayed for you that your faith may not fail. And when you have turned again, strengthen your brothers.”

## **Response in Song — 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.

## **Apostles' Creed** (in unison)

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth:**

**And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried:**

**He descended into hell;  
the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.**

**From there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church;  
the communion of saints;  
the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.**

**Amen.**

\* 'he descended into hell': i.e. Christ suffered hellish agony on the cross

\*\* 'catholic': i.e. universal, worldwide

## **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 8:26-27

<sup>26</sup> Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. <sup>27</sup> And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

## Sermon — The Spirit is Interceding for You

~ Pastor Francis VanDelden

## Closing Songs

### Gracious Spirit Dwell with Me

1. Gra - cious Spir - it, dwell with me: I my - self would gra - cious be;  
2. Truth - ful Spir - it, dwell with me: I my - self would truth - ful be;  
3. Might - y Spir - it, dwell with me: I my - self would might - y be;  
4. Ho - ly Spir - it, dwell with me: I my - self would ho - ly be;

and with words that help and heal would thy life in mine re - veal;  
and with wis - dom kind and clear let thy life in mine ap - pear;  
might - y so as to pre - vail where un - aid - ed man must fail;  
sep - a - rate from sin, I would choose and cher - ish all things good.

and with ac - tions bold and meek would for Christ my Sav - ior speak.  
and with ac - tions broth - er - ly speak my Lord's sin - cer - i - ty.  
ev - er by a might - y hope press - ing on and bear - ing up.  
and what - ev - er I can be, give to him who gave me thee!



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# The Spirit's Intercession

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Romans 8:26-27

1. The Sufferer's Needs (26)

2. The Spirit Intercedes (26)

3. The Father Accedes (27)

## **Heavenly Father, Beautiful Son**

Father, You loved me  
Sent Your Son to redeem  
Jesus, You washed me  
By Your blood I am clean  
Spirit, You've opened these blinded eyes  
And brought me to Christ

*Heavenly Father, beautiful Son  
Spirit of light and truth  
Thank You for bringing sinners to come to You*

Father, You gave me  
To Jesus to keep  
And Jesus, You love me  
As a shepherd, his sheep  
Spirit, You've given me faith in the Son  
And made our hearts one (chorus)

Father, You're waiting  
To hear my requests  
Jesus, Your loving  
Open hand is outstretched  
Spirit, You're in me, You intercede  
And help in my need (chorus)

## **Benediction**

## **Postlude**

# THANK YOU FOR SERVING

## Serving This Week

### 9:30 a.m.

Usher: Dave Myers, Dustin Mixon, Jeff McConville  
Greeter: Dawn Myers, Jyl Mixon  
Nursery: Ron Socash, Victoria Mason

### 10:30 a.m.

3-year old Nursery: Alex Mason, Billy Rundell  
Toddler Nursery: Claudia Rigg, Karl Koops, Samantha VanDelden,  
Lily Rundell  
Infant Nursery: Kathy Koops, JoAnne Keister  
Chld Chrch (6-7): Jason & Hazel Rundell  
Chld Chrch (4-5): Karen Ochs, Megan Quist, Brigitte King  
Sound: Dan Poppert  
Live Stream: Belle Wetzel

## Serving Next Week

### 9:30 a.m.

Usher: Brian Burden, Joe Seiver, Pete Vidal  
Greeter: Valory Snyder, Paul Vidal,  
Nursery: Traci Poppert, Laura VanDelden

### 10:30 a.m.

3-year old Nursery: Liesl Hake, Kendra Beaty  
Toddler Nursery: Mary Troxel, Jesse Beaty, Alexis Wise, Joel Chism  
Infant Nursery: Vickie Rinehart, Cortney Keebaugh  
Chld Chrch (6-7): Linsey Rundell, Zoe Poppert  
Chld Chrch (4-5): Todd & Darcie Smith, Alyssa Wise  
Sound: Kim Hanlin  
Live Stream: Lance Duvall

## THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

**Tuesday**                      *Session Meeting, 7:00 pm*

**Wednesday**                *Women's Bible Study, 10:00 am at the church*  
*Dinner & Bible Study, 6-7:30 pm at the church*

**Thursday**                    *Ladies' Night Out, see announcement page for details*

**Saturday**                    *Mens' Ministry Extra, 8:30-9:30 am at the church*

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**VBS: Summer Seaquest...** it's coming, and it needs your help! We have a great need for Classroom Leaders and Assistants. Without them we can't have a VBS, so please pray that God would supply the volunteers that we need. Volunteer sign up can be found at <https://vbspro.events/p/newhopesummerseaquest2019>.

**Nursing Mothers Room**, classroom #4 has been dedicated for use by nursing mothers during the worship service. We would ask that mothers and young children **only** use this space to provide privacy for those who are nursing. The sermon is livestreamed into this room.

**Fellowship Meal**, Please mark your calendars for our May Fellowship Dinner on Sunday, May 19th from 5 to 7 p.m. Join us for a Mexican-themed potluck night. A sign up genius link was sent in the Friday News and there will be a sheet at church for each family attending to sign up to bring a main dish as well as a side or dessert. The Caruso growth group will be in charge of set-up and clean-up for this meal. Please contact Farrah Wise if you have any questions ([farrah.wise@comcast.net](mailto:farrah.wise@comcast.net); 240-286-4408).

**Joining New Hope**, Belle Wetzel and Dustin & Jyl Mixon were interviewed for membership and will be joining the church soon.

**Ladies' Night Out is Thursday**, May 16! Ladies, join us for dinner at 6:30pm at Pistarro's (N. East St.) and/or dessert around 8:30pm at Tara Grove's home (212 Norva Ave, Frederick). RSVP for dinner by Wednesday, May 15 to Elease Layman at [elease.layman@gmail.com](mailto:elease.layman@gmail.com) or 301.767.6848.

**New Growth Group starting**, John Wise will be starting a new growth group beginning June 9th. They will be meeting at the home of the Mike & Courtney Keebaugh (in the Jefferson area). If you are interested in joining this growth group, please contact John Wise.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**Girl's Creative Writers Group**, This summer, girls ages 12-18 are invited to explore creative writing through a group that will involve bible devotionals and fellowship, creative writing prompts and activities, and art and crafts. The group will meet at Alanna Duvall's home (located in Frederick) once a week from 9am-12pm through the month of July. Contact Alanna Duvall to sign up or for more details at [ms.cohen10@gmail.com](mailto:ms.cohen10@gmail.com).

**CareNet Spirit Night**, CareNet Pregnancy Center is our Mission of the Month and they are having a fundraiser at Chick-fil-A (on Monocacy Blvd) on Tues., May 21st from 5-8 pm. Mention CareNet when ordering (eat in, carry out, drive thru but not via mobile app).

# COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

## **Our Church Family**

- Pray for MaryAnn Jones who is at home recovering from a hairline fracture to her pelvis after a fall. Pray for healing and complete recovery for Mary Ann and that she will be able to return to worship with us soon.
- Give thanks and praise for our mothers and for God's goodness to us through them. Give thanks for the older women in the church who often serve as spiritual mothers to the younger ones.
- Pray for those who find mothers' day difficult — those who have lost their moms, those who have hard relationships with their children or their mothers, and those who yearn to be mothers. Pray for grace and comfort in the difficulty and a reliance on God's goodness and His promises.
- Pray that the Lord would raise up more men for leadership at New Hope as elders and deacons. Pray for those who are currently serving.
- Pray for those who are expecting new little ones: Josie O'Shea, Jyl Mixon and Kendra Beaty. Pray for the health and well-being of both moms and babies and give thanks for these new little lives that God has brought into being. Pray that these little ones will grow to love and serve the Lord all their days.
- 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.
- Continue to pray for those who are struggling: Steve Hake, Scott Innes, Melissa & Nolan Kinna, the Wright family, the Hake family, Steve Doe, Scott Innes, Ron Oakes, John Bishoff, Tim Flora, Ed Rodatus, 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 our upcoming VBS that many who are unchurched will come, that the gospel will go forth and that we will have plenty of staff to bring it to fruition.
- Pray for the ministries that we support financially and with volunteers: CareNet Pregnancy Center, the Frederick Rescue Mission and Child Evangelism Fellowship.
- Pray for the ESL class that meets at New Hope on Wednesday evenings. Pray for fruitfulness and growth as the volunteers share the gospel with those who attend.

## **Missionaries & Others**

- Pray for the mission of the month: CareNet Pregnancy Center. Pray for an increase in clients that are open to the gospel and accepting the abundant life God offers. Give thanks for the work this mission is doing as they seek to help save the lives of unborn children.
- Pray for Brad Myers as he serves with RUF at UNC in Wilmington and for Kristen Lalley who is serving in Ireland with Serge International. Pray that the Lord would guide and direct their work and give them strength to carry out their calling.

## DAILY DEVOTION

**Memory Verse:** Romans 8:16-17— <sup>16</sup>The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, <sup>17</sup>and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

**Westminster Confession 21.3** Prayer, with thanksgiving, being one special part of religious worship, is by God required of all men: and, that it may be accepted, it is to be made in the name of the Son, by the help of His Spirit, according to His will, with understanding, reverence, humility, fervency, faith, love and perseverance; and, if vocal, in a known tongue.

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**Monday:** Romans 8 assures us of our salvation and that God will sanctify us. Review the 5 main things the Spirit does in 8:5, 13, 15, 23, 26. How do these together strengthen your assurance that God loves you, give you confidence you can begin to please/live for God, and assure you that God will bring you to himself?

**Tuesday:** Rom 8:26. What kinds of weakness do you think Paul has in mind here (6:19, 7:23, 8:23)? “Helper” means “coming to the aid of, shouldering the burden.” How is the Spirit a perfectly fit helper for these weaknesses? Do you feel weak? Pray that the Spirit helps you! (see also Paul’s weakness in 2 Cor 12:9).

**Wednesday:** Rom 8:26. Have you ever been unsure of how to pray (e.g. 2 Cor 12:7, Phil 1:22-24)? How and why is this heightened in times of suffering (8:18) and trial? How does the fact that the Spirit prays for you when you don’t know how comfort you? For what do you think the Spirit prays (8:26c, 18, 29b)? Murray: “Christ is their intercessor in the court of heaven [8:34, Heb 7:25]... while the Holy Spirit is their intercessor in the theatre of their own heart.”

**Thursday:** Rom 8:27. How well does God know the Spirit’s mind (way of thinking)? Where is the Spirit working this way of thinking (8:5-7)? According to what does the Spirit intercede (27)? How perfect then is the Spirit’s intercession? How certainly are his prayers heard? Even if you are in physical, mental, spiritual chaos, how does this verse encourage you and give you hope? Are you praying God’s Word?

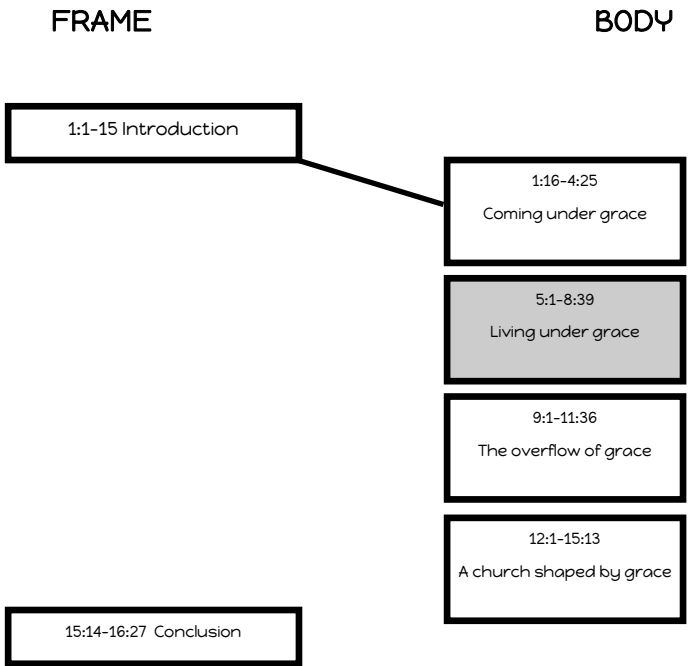
**Friday:** Rom 8:26-27. How does the Spirit’s help (Tuesday), the Spirit’s intercession (Wednesday), and God’s sure answer (Thursday) provide hope, encouragement, and assurance, especially in times of suffering and trial? Take courage, and rest in this.

**Saturday:** How does Rom 8:28-30 underline the certainty of salvation that God works?

**Growth Groups Meeting this week:**

- VanDelden Growth Group, meeting at 5:30 at the VanDelden home. Bring something to grill!
  - Caruso Growth Group, unconfirmed, check with Dennis
  - Burden Growth Group, unconfirmed, check with Brian
  - Chism Growth Group, not meeting
  - Myers Growth Group, not meeting
  - Rundell Growth Group, not meeting
  - Mason Growth Group, not meeting
  - Keister Growth Group, not meeting
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An Overview of Romans\*



*\*By Christopher Ash*

# NEW HOPE INFORMATION

## NEW HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OFFICERS

2019

### ELDERS

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

### DEACON

- Ed Wright

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

- Lance Duvall, President
- Billy Rundell, Vice President
- Matthew Rodatus, Secretary
- Karyn Lynerd, Treasurer
- Rex King
- Eleese Layman
- All elders
- All deacons

## 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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