

WELCOME!



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

July 21, 2019

**Reflection** — *“It is staggering that God should love sinners; yet it is true. God loves creatures who have become unlovely and (one would have thought) unlovable. There was nothing whatever in the objects of his love to call it forth; nothing in us could attract or prompt it. Love among persons is awakened by something in the beloved, but the love of God is free, spontaneous, unevoked, uncaused. God loves people because he has chosen to love them -as Charles Wesley put it, ‘He hath loved us, He hath loved us, because He would love’ (an echo of Deut 7:7-8) -and no reason for his love can be given except His own sovereign good pleasure.”* —J.I. Packer

*“Moreover, when God accomplishes this, his good pleasure, in the elect, or works in them true conversion, he not only provides that the gospel should be outwardly preached to them, and powerfully illuminates their minds by the Holy Spirit, that they may rightly understand and discern what are the things of the Spirit of God, but he also, by the efficacy of the same regenerating Spirit, pervades the innermost recess of man, opens the closed, softens the hardened, and circumcises the uncircumcised heart, infuses new qualities into the will, and makes that will which had been dead alive, which was evil good, which had been unwilling willing, which had been refractory pliable, and actuates and strengthens it, that, as a good tree, it may be able to bring forth the fruit of good works...”* —The Canons of Dort

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## Approach to God

**Welcome** — Pastor Francis VanDelden

### Prelude

**Call to Worship** — Deuteronomy 7:6-10 (responsive)

<sup>6</sup>“For you are a people holy to the Lord your God. The Lord your God has chosen you to be a people for his treasured possession, out of all the peoples who are on the face of the earth. <sup>7</sup>It was not because you were more in number than any other people that the Lord set his love on you and chose you, for you were the fewest of all peoples, <sup>8</sup>but it is because the Lord loves you and is keeping the oath that he swore to your fathers, that the Lord has brought you out with a mighty hand and redeemed you from the house of slavery, from the hand of Pharaoh king of Egypt. <sup>9</sup>**Know therefore that the Lord your God is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand generations,** <sup>10</sup>and repays to their face those who hate him, by destroying them.

## Hymn of Praise — How Firm a Foundation

G C G D G C

1. How firm a foun - da - tion, you saints of the Lord, is laid for your  
 2. "Fear not, I am with you, O be not dis-mayed; for I am your  
 3. "When through the deep wa - ters I call you to go, the riv - ers of  
 4. "When through fi - ery tri - als your path - way shall lie, my grace, all - suf -

G D<sup>7</sup> G F D/F# Em Am<sup>7</sup> C

faith in his ex - cel - lent Word! What more can he say than to  
 God, and will still give you aid; I'll strength - en you, help you, and  
 sor - row shall not o - ver - flow; for I will be with you, your  
 fi - cient, shall be your sup - ply; the flame shall not hurt you; I

G D G C G D<sup>7</sup> G 7

you he has said, to you who for ref - uge to Je - sus have fled?  
 cause you to stand, up - held by my righ - teous, om - nip - o - tent hand.  
 trou - bles to bless, and sanc - ti - fy to you your deep - est dis - tress.  
 on - ly de - sign your dross to con - sume and your gold to re - fine.

5. "E'en down to old age all my people shall prove  
 my sovereign, eternal, unchangeable love;  
 and when hoary hairs shall their temples adorn,  
 like lambs they shall still in my bosom be borne.
6. "The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose,  
 I will not, I will not desert to his foes;  
 that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,  
 I'll never, no never, no never forsake."

## Prayer of Adoration

## Songs of Praise

### Jesus, Thank You

The mystry of the cross  
I cannot comprehend  
The agonies of Calvary  
You the perfect holy One  
crushed Your Son  
Drank the bitter cup  
reserved for me

*Your blood  
has washed away my sin  
Jesus thank You  
The Father's wrath  
completely satisfied  
Jesus thank You  
Once Your enemy  
now seated at Your table  
Jesus thank You*

By Your perfect sacrifice  
I've been brought near  
Your enemy  
You've made Your friend  
Pouring out the riches  
of Your glorious grace  
Your mercy and kindness  
know no end.

Lover of my soul  
I want to live for you. (3X)

### Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Wonderful, merciful Savior,  
Precious Redeemer and friend.  
Who would have thought  
that a Lamb could  
Rescue the souls of men?  
Oh, you rescue the souls of men.

Counselor, comforter, keeper.  
Spirit, we long to embrace.  
You offer hope when our hearts  
Have hopelessly lost the way.  
Oh, we hopelessly lost the way.

*You are the one that we praise,  
You are the one we adore.  
You give the healing and grace  
Our hearts always hunger for.  
Oh, our hearts always hunger for.*

Almighty infinite father,  
Faithfully loving your own.  
Here in our weakness you find us  
wanting you more and more  
Oh, wanting you more and more.

## **Assurance of Pardon — 1 Peter 2:9-10**

<sup>9</sup>But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. <sup>10</sup>Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

## **Silent Prayer**

## **Confession of Sin and Consecration to God — Colossians 3:12-17**

<sup>12</sup>Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, <sup>13</sup>bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. <sup>14</sup>And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. <sup>15</sup>And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. <sup>16</sup>Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. <sup>17</sup>And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

## **Response in Song — In Christ Alone**

In Christ alone my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song;  
This Cornerstone, this solid ground,  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
When fears are stilled, what strivings cease!  
My Comforter, my All in All,  
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone!—who took on flesh,  
Fullness of God in helpless babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness,  
Scorned by the ones he came to save:  
Till on that cross as Jesus died,  
The wrath of God was satisfied—  
For every sin on him was laid;  
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground his body lay,  
Light of the world by darkness slain;  
Then bursting forth in glorious Day,  
Up from the grave he rose again!  
And as he stands in victory,  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,  
For I am his and he is mine—  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,  
This is the power of Christ in me;  
From life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man,  
Can ever pluck me from his hand;  
Till he returns or calls me home,  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

# 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 9:6-13

<sup>6</sup> But it is not as though the word of God has failed. For not all who are descended from Israel belong to Israel, <sup>7</sup> and not all are children of Abraham because they are his offspring, but "Through Isaac shall your offspring be named." <sup>8</sup> This means that it is not the children of the flesh who are the children of God, but the children of the promise are counted as offspring. <sup>9</sup> For this is what the promise said: "About this time next year I will return, and Sarah shall have a son." <sup>10</sup> And not only so, but also when Rebekah had conceived children by one man, our forefather Isaac, <sup>11</sup> though they were not yet born and had done nothing either good or bad—in order that God's purpose of election might continue, not because of works but because of him who calls— <sup>12</sup> she was told, "The older will serve the younger." <sup>13</sup> As it is written, "Jacob I loved, but Esau I hated."

## Sermon — Election: God's Faithfulness

~ Pastor Francis VanDelden

**Closing Hymn — O, The Deep, Deep Love of Jesus**  
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## Benediction

## Postlude



# **Election: God's Faithfulness**

Romans 9:6-13

1. God's Word has Failed (vs 6)

2. God's Word has NOT Failed

A. Abraham's Seed (vs 7-9)

B. Isaac's Seed (vs 10-13)

# Closing Hymn — O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

1. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Vast, un - mea - sured,  
 2. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Spread his praise from  
 3. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Love of ev - 'ry

bound - less, free; roll - ing as a might - y o - cean  
 shore to shore; how he lov - eth, ev - er lov - eth,  
 love the best: 'tis an o - cean vast of bless - ing,

in its full - ness o - ver me. Un - der - neath me, all a - round me,  
 chang - eth nev - er, nev - er - more; how he watch - es o'er his loved ones,  
 'tis a ha - ven sweet of rest. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus!

is the cur - rent of thy love; lead - ing on - ward,  
 died to call them all his own; how for them he  
 'Tis a heav'n of heav'ns to me; and it lifts me

lead - ing home - ward, to thy glo - rious rest a - bove.  
 in - ter - ced - eth, watch - eth o'er them from the throne.  
 up to glo - ry, for it lifts me up to thee.

## THANK YOU FOR SERVING

### Serving This Week

#### 10:30 a.m.

Usher:	Alex Mason, Rex King, Jacob Mendez
Greeter:	Jackie Plowman, Nancy Seiler
3-year old Nursery:	Joel Poortenga, Katrina Howard
Toddler Nursery:	Dan, JoAnn, & Austin Keister, Elsie Wright
Infant Nursery:	Cath Howard, Paige Rundell
Chld Chrch (6-7):	Kelly McConville, Ella Mason
Chld Chrch (4-5):	Hannah, Pete & Paul Vidal
Sound:	Kim Hanlin
Live Stream:	Jesse Wright

### Serving Next Week

#### 10:30 a.m.

Usher:	Dave Myers, Pete Vidal, Dustin Mixon
Greeter:	Dawn Myers, Valory Snyder, Paul Vidal
3-year old Nursery:	Lauren & Jacob Mendez
Toddler Nursery:	Claudia Rigg, David Chism, Talia Poortenga, Elijah Mason
Infant Nursery:	Heather Wiley, Traci Poppert
Chld Chrch (6-7):	Gingy & Claire Socash
Chld Chrch (4-5):	Annie, Man & Cora Kim
Sound:	Dan Poppert
Live Stream:	Joel Chism

## THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

### **Tuesday**

*Session Meeting, 7:00 pm at the church*

### **Wednesday**

*Dinner & Bible Study, 6-7:30 pm at the church.*

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Moving Help,** We need help from folks as we plan the move of the office to the upper building (C8). If you are able to help in any way — either during the day, in the evening or on the weekend, please let Gingy know.

**Help around the church,** in addition to help with moving, there are odd jobs that need to be done here at the church. If you have any free time that you are able to give, please contact Gingy in the church office.

## COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

### **Our Church Family**

- Give thanks for the birth of Everly Hope O'Shea as she was born to Josie and John O'Shea this past week. Praise God for a healthy birth and pray that the Lord would work in her little heart, even now, to bring her to Himself.
- Give thanks for the healthy birth of Havaa Mary Arowyn Beaty who was born to Kendra and Jesse on July 10th. Praise God that both mom and baby are doing well and pray that this precious girl will love and serve Jesus as she grows.
- Pray for the Beeman family as they prepare for Russell being away for a year as he is being deployed to Korea at the end of July. Pray for his safety and for the family as they are away from him.
- Pray for session as they meet this week.
- Pray that those who are struggling with anxiety and depression will find rest and comfort in God's Word, through prayer and in the encouragement of God's people.
- Pray for those who are expecting new little ones: Amy Wright and Jyl Mixon. 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 under-employed. 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: the Mason family, Steve Hake, Scott Innes, Melissa & Nolan Kinna, the Wright family, the Hake family, Steve Doe, Ron Oakes, John Bishoff, Tim Flora, Ed Rodatus and those who are grieving from the loss of loved ones. Pray for strength to bear their difficult trials.

### **Frederick Area**

- Pray for the local missions that we support financially and with volunteers — the Frederick Rescue Mission, CareNet Pregnancy Center and Child Evangelism Fellowship. Pray that the Lord would use these ministries and our donated resources to further His Kingdom for His glory.

### **Missionaries & Others**

- Pray for our mission of the month: Boardwalk Chapel in Wildwood, NJ. Pray for the leaders of the chapel that they will have humility and patience as they strive to work for the glory of the Lord in full unity. Pray, too, that they will love others above self and resist the temptation toward grumbling or complaining as they all live in close proximity for several weeks together.
- Pray for Joel & Talia Poortenga who will be in Honduras for the next 2 weeks on a mission trip.

## DAILY DEVOTION

**Memory Verse — John 6:37** <sup>37</sup> All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out.

**Westminster Confession of Faith 3.5** Those of mankind that are predestinated unto life, God, before the foundation of the world was laid, according to His eternal and immutable purpose, and the secret counsel and good pleasure of His will, has chosen, in Christ, unto everlasting glory, out of His mere free grace and love, without any foresight of faith, or good works, or perseverance in either of them, or any other thing in the creature, as conditions, or causes moving Him thereunto; and all to the praise of His glorious grace.

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**Monday:** Rom 9:6. What “word” or “promise” does Rom 9:6 refer to (Rom 9:4, 4:13, 16)? If the Israelites had all these promises and yet many did not believe, how might God be charged with faithfulness to his promise? Can God be faithless to his promises? How would a deeper trusting of God’s faithfulness to a specific promise change how you live (e.g. Heb 13:5-6, 2 Cor 12:9)?

**Tuesday:** How does Paul answer in Rom 9:6 the charge that God’s promise to save the Jews failed? Who is the broader group here (9:4-5)? Describe the narrower group (Rom 2:28f, 4:12f, Gal 4:29)? Give a couple examples of how people today believe they are saved because they’re in the broader group. Pray for a recognition and reality of the need for faith and heart-transformation for them.

**Wednesday:** Rom 9:7-9. Paul goes to the father of the Israelites to show that physical descent was never God’s intention with his salvation-promise. Read Gen 21, especially v 12. How does Ishmael make Paul’s point (Rom 9:8)? What was the only way Isaac could be born (Gen 17:17-19, 21:5)? What is the only way spiritual children of Abraham (Gal 3:7) can be made? Praise God he sees to it!

**Thursday:** Rom 9:10-12. What is different between Isaac and Ishmael, and Jacob and Esau in terms of their mothers (Gal 4:30), motive for birth (Gen 16:2), conception (Rom 9:10), and actions (Gen 21:9, Rom 9:11)? According to v 11, what is the sole reason for Jacob’s becoming a believer? According to Rom 8:28-30, John 6:37, 44, and Eph 2:4, has this ever been different?

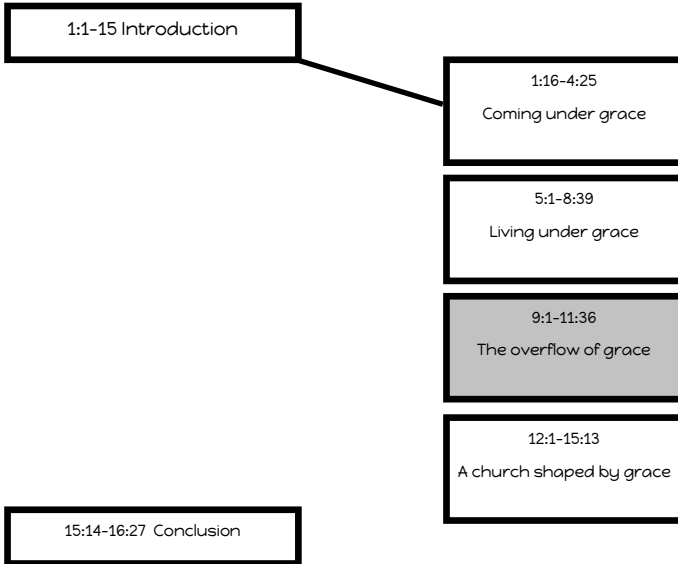
**Friday:** Rom 9:6-13. How does this passage exalt God’s faithfulness to his promises? Praise him! How does God’s electing encourage evangelism (Paul’s zealous response)? How does it demonstrate the solidity of our salvation’s foundation? How does it take the ‘weight’ off of converting friends and children? If we want to be saved, does election (God didn’t chose me) prevent it (Jn 6:37, Mt 11:28-30)?

**Saturday:** Romans 9:14-29. How does Paul answer the question “election makes God seem unjust”?

## An Overview of Romans\*

### FRAME

### BODY



*\*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
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- 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  
Frederick, MD 21703

#### OFFICE INFORMATION

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