

WELCOME!



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

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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 4-6)***
- ***Large Print bulletins available upon request***
- ***Children's bulletins available at the Welcome Table***
- ***Please fill out a gray visitor card if you are visiting and place it in the offering box***

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.

Morning Worship

May 15, 2022

Reflections

To fear God without delighting in his word will lead to the imbalance of mysticism, hyper-emotionalism, or liberalism. We can't fear God apart from his Word. To delight in God's Word without fearing God leads to dead orthodoxy, a cold conservatism, or a life-less intellectualism. It is powerful when someone fears God and delights in his Word -that is a truly God-centered life. ~ Steven Lawson

"Do you love the thought that you exist to make God look glorious? Do you love the thought that all creation exists to display the glory of God. Do you love the truth that all of history is designed by God to one day be a completed canvas that displays in the best way possible the greatness and beauty of God? . . . Do you love the truth that you personally exist to make God look like what he really is – glorious? Paul also declares that this "glory" or "beauty" or "manifest splendor" of all that Jesus Christ is will one day be made inescapably visible. That is typically taken for granted among Christians. We refer to it as the Second Coming. But we fail to consider that "when" he appears "then" we "also will appear with him in glory."

~ John Piper, sermon on Rom 11:36

Approach to God

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship — Psalm 111 (responsive)

Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart,
in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

**² Great are the works of the LORD,
studied by all who delight in them.**

**³ Full of splendor and majesty is his work,
and his righteousness endures forever.**

**⁴ He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered;
the LORD is gracious and merciful.**

**⁵ He provides food for those who fear him;
he remembers his covenant forever.**

**⁶ He has shown his people the power of his works,
in giving them the inheritance of the nations.**

**⁷ The works of his hands are faithful and just;
all his precepts are trustworthy;**

**⁸ they are established forever and ever,
to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.**

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⁹ He sent redemption to his people;
he has commanded his covenant forever.

Holy and awesome is his name!

¹⁰ The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom;
all those who practice it have a good understanding.
His praise endures forever!

Praise

Hymn of Praise — Holy, Holy, Holy

1. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!
2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,
3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark - ness hide thee,
4. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
though the eye of sin - ful man thy glo - ry may not see,
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y!
cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.
per - fect in pow'r, in love, and pur - i - ty.
God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

Song of Praise

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Let us love and sing and wonder,
Let us praise the Savior's name.
He has hushed the law's loud thunder
He has quenched
Mount Sinai's flame:
He has washed us with his blood,
He has brought us nigh to God.

Let us love the Lord who bought us,
Pitied us when enemies,
Called us by his grace,
and taught us,
Gave us ears and gave us eyes:
He has washed us with his blood,
He presents our souls to God.

Let us sing, though fierce temptation
Threaten hard to bear us down!
For the Lord, our strong salvation
Holds in view the conqueror's crown:
He who washed us with his blood,
Soon will bring us home to God.

Let us wonder, grace and justice
Join and point to mercy's store;
When through grace in Christ
our trust is
Justice smiles and asks no more:
He who washed us with his blood,
Has secured our way to God.

Let us praise, and join the chorus
Of the saints enthroned on high;
Here they trusted him before us,
Now their praises fill the sky:
*You have washed us with your blood;
You are worthy, Lamb of God.*

Christ is All in All

Sons and daughters of the King,
rise up and sing
That Christ is all in all
Sing the glories of His name,
together proclaim
That Christ is all in all
Brothers, sisters built upon
this cornerstone
For Christ is all in all
Worship Him with lives renewed
in Spirit and truth
For Christ is all in all

CHORUS

*See how He loves us,
Children of God
Now let us love each other,
if He has called us Children of God
That's who we are,
His chosen and beloved*

Bound together by His blood,
rooted in love
Where Christ is all in all
Standing in one Faith, one Lord,
one holy accord
Where Christ is all in all

CHORUS

Look at what the Lord has done,
made us one by the blood of Jesus
Look at what the Lord has done, now
we love with the love of Jesus
(repeat 3x)

CHORUS

Sons and daughters of the King
Rise up and sing that Christ is all in all

Confession of Sin — Ephesians 5:14-21

“Awake, O sleeper,
and arise from the dead,
and Christ will shine on you.”

¹⁵Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, ¹⁶making the best use of the time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. ¹⁸And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, ²⁰giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.

Assurance of Pardon — Philippians 3:8-11

⁸Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ ⁹and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith— ¹⁰that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, ¹¹that by any means possible I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

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.

Congregational Prayer

Offering* — Proverbs 28:22 ²² A stingy man hastens after wealth and does not know that poverty will come upon him.

**You can give on-line at the New Hope website: www.newhopeopc.org and click on the green “give” button in the corner.*

Children ages 4-5 are invited to be dismissed to go to
Children’s church at parents’ discretion.

Sermon Text — Isaiah 2

The word that Isaiah the son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

² It shall come to pass in the latter days
that the mountain of the house of the LORD
shall be established as the highest of the mountains,
and shall be lifted up above the hills;
and all the nations shall flow to it,
³ and many peoples shall come, and say:
“Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,
to the house of the God of Jacob,
that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths.”

For out of Zion shall go forth the law,
and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.

⁴ He shall judge between the nations,
and shall decide disputes for many peoples;
and they shall beat their swords into plowshares,
and their spears into pruning hooks;
nation shall not lift up sword against nation,
neither shall they learn war anymore.

⁵ O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the LORD.

⁶ For you have rejected your people, the house of Jacob,
because they are full of things from the east
and of fortune-tellers like the Philistines,
and they strike hands with the children of foreigners.

⁷ Their land is filled with silver and gold,
and there is no end to their treasures;
their land is filled with horses, and there is no end to their chariots.

⁸ Their land is filled with idols; they bow down to the work of their hands,
to what their own fingers have made.

⁹ So man is humbled, and each one is brought low—

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do not forgive them!

¹⁰ Enter into the rock and hide in the dust
 from before the terror of the LORD,
 and from the splendor of his majesty.

¹¹ The haughty looks of man shall be brought low,
 and the lofty pride of men shall be humbled,
 and the LORD alone will be exalted in that day.

¹² For the LORD of hosts has a day
 against all that is proud and lofty,
 against all that is lifted up—and it shall be brought low;

¹³ against all the cedars of Lebanon, lofty and lifted up;
 and against all the oaks of Bashan;

¹⁴ against all the lofty mountains,
 and against all the uplifted hills;

¹⁵ against every high tower,
 and against every fortified wall;

¹⁶ against all the ships of Tarshish,
 and against all the beautiful craft.

¹⁷ And the haughtiness of man shall be humbled,
 and the lofty pride of men shall be brought low,
 and the LORD alone will be exalted in that day.

¹⁸ And the idols shall utterly pass away.

¹⁹ And people shall enter the caves of the rocks
 and the holes of the ground,
 from before the terror of the LORD,
 and from the splendor of his majesty,
 when he rises to terrify the earth.

²⁰ In that day mankind will cast away
 their idols of silver and their idols of gold,
 which they made for themselves to worship,
 to the moles and to the bats,

²¹ to enter the caverns of the rocks and the clefts of the cliffs,
 from before the terror of the LORD,
 and from the splendor of his majesty,
 when he rises to terrify the earth.

²² Stop regarding man in whose nostrils is breath,
 for of what account is he?

Sermon — God’s Splendor and Your Life

~ Pastor Francis VanDelden

Closing Song — In Christ Alone (page 10)

Closing 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

Benediction

Postlude

THANK YOU FOR SERVING

Serving This Week

9:30 am

Welcome Team: Wayne Greenfield, Dustin Mixon (early team);
Laura Caruso, Dan Bull (late team)
Nursery: Dennis Caruso, Gingy Socash

10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: Jim & Kaylee Auldridge, Joy Nichols
Infant Nursery: Rachael Kobe
Children's Church: Michelle & Daniel Williams
Sound: Kim Hanlin
Live Stream: Craig Lalley

Serving Next Week

9:30 am

Welcome Team: Monte Festog, Sue Bridenbaugh (early team);
Jackie Plowman, Marc Quist (late team)
Nursery: Mary Troxel, Betsy Lalley

10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: John O'Shea, Jacob Mendez, Hailey Chism
Infant Nursery: Dawn Myers
Children's Church: Annie Kim, Natalie Bohannan, Cora Kim
Sound: Craig Lalley
Live Stream: Joel Chism

THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

Wednesday

Women's Morning Bible Study, 10:00 am in C8,
studying "The Prodigal God" by Tim Keller.
Newcomers always welcome

Youth Group, meeting in C6 from 6-8 pm

Thursday

Ladies Night Out, 6:30 pm at Madrones. See the
announcement page for more details.

Saturday

Men's Ministry, 8-10 am, viewing & discussing
"Dust to Glory" by RC Sproul

COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Our Church Family

- Praise God for who He is, for what He has done, and for what He will do. Give thanks that He loves, cares for, and sustains us even in our brokenness.
- Pray that we will be a people who walk in light of God's glory and the eternal hope that He gives us. Pray that we will not be enticed and enamored with the things of this earth but will keep our eyes fixed upon what lies ahead.
- Pray for Pastor Francis will delight in God's word, be shaped by it, so that he can disciple others well.
- Pray for those who serve in the military to protect our freedoms. Pray particularly for the reformed chaplains who care for our servicemen and women and share Christ's love with them.
- Pray for John Clifford as he prepares to be the summer intern at New Hope. Pray that the Lord would provide housing for him and his family during their time here.
- Continue to pray for peace in Ukraine and for Heero Haquebord, OPC missionary in Ukraine, in particular. Pray for an end to this war and the atrocities that have been happening.
- Pray for Alanna Duvall, Liesl Boyed, and Ellen Kennedy who are expecting new little ones. Pray for the continued health and safety of both moms and babies.
- Continue to pray for those who are struggling: those who are suffering from the effects of abuse, are grieving the loss of loved ones, are suffering with dementia or other chronic illnesses, are fighting cancer, or any other difficult trial.

Frederick Area

- Pray for the missions that we support financially: CareNet Pregnancy Center, Child Evangelism Fellowship, and the Frederick Rescue Mission. Pray that God will continue to provide for all their needs.
- Pray peace and care for one another in our community as we look for ways and opportunities to share the gospel with our neighbors and friends.

Missionaries & Others

- Pray for our mission of the month, the Frederick Rescue Mission, as they serve the Frederick area by caring for the needy as well as those in recovery from addiction. Pray particularly for the men who are there in their addiction recovery program.
- Pray for Luke Hake, as he serves the Lord in East Asia. Pray for him as he is in full language learning mode and pray for the family that he is now living with. Pray that the Lord will provide for all of his needs and keep him healthy and protected.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annual Report for the Mini-budget, if you lead a ministry that has new information that should be included in the mini-budget year's report, please let Gingy know. New information would include new budget line items, significant increases or decreases in any budget line item, or a significant change to your ministry. These report submissions will be due June 3rd.

Ladies' Night Out is Thursday, May 19! Ladies, join us for dinner at 6:30pm at Madrones (Wormans Mill Rd, Frederick). RSVP for dinner to Elease Layman at elease.layman@gmail.com or 301.767.6848 by Wednesday, May 18. There is no dessert scheduled this month.

Updated Background Checks: Do you currently work with the youth (infant-18 yrs) at New Hope or would you like to do so in the future? We have recently migrated our background checks to a new system and want to get updated background checks on **ALL children's/youth ministry volunteers**. Please plan to stay after church on **May 29th** for a few minutes to input your information into our system so we can run a background check on you. If you are unable to participate on May 29th, please call Gingy in the church office to give her your information over the phone by June 3rd.

Intern Housing, if anyone will be away during the summer, June 18-Aug 30, and can let the intern and his family (they have 4 small children) stay in their house (preferably 2+ weeks), please let Pastor Francis VanDelden.

New Hope Ladies Group Me, A new opportunity to join a text chain through the GroupMe app is now available for the women of New Hope. The purpose of this group is to give women in the church opportunity to share resources, encouragement and opportunities to live life along side one another. In this group message you can invite others to join you for a trip to the playground, ask for fellowship while folding laundry, and even share prayer requests and encouraging resources. If you'd like to join please click on the link that was included in the Friday News or ask Michelle Williams or Rachel Neahusan to add you. Once you join feel free to invite other women from New Hope to join as well.

Email List and Mailboxes, if you would like to be included in the church's email list please contact Gingy at admin@newhopeopc.org and she will add you to the list. A weekly church email (the Friday News) comes out every Friday and contains pertinent information, a digital copy of the bulletin, and a list of the songs that will be sung in the worship service. Also, if you don't have a church mailbox and would like one, please let Gingy know this, as well, and we'll get you one!

Mark your calendars! Our new fiscal year is right around the corner (July 1-June 30) and we will need to have a congregational meeting to approve the budget for that fiscal year. Please mark your calendars for June 26th for the annual congregational meeting. It will take place right after church and will likely include a meal. Stay tuned!

Growth Groups Meeting this week and next,

- **Jastrzembski Growth Group**, today, right after church, at the home of John & Patrice Jastrzembski's. Contact Patrice for directions (240.321.4562).
- **Ochs/Poortenga Growth Group**, meeting today at the church following the worship service.
- **VanDelden/Johnson Growth Groups**, Join us at church as we split into two groups at 6pm, in C-6 with Bruce, and the large SS classroom by the bathrooms in the lower building with Francis .
- **Myers Growth Group**, will be meeting NEXT Sunday, May 22nd at church after the worship service.

DAILY DEVOTION

Memory Text Isaiah 6:3 — In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. ² Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. ³ **And one called to another and said: “Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!”**

Westminster Confession 33.2 Of the Last Judgment The end of God’s appointing this day is for the manifestation of the glory of His mercy, in the eternal salvation of the elect; and of His justice, in the damnation of the reprobate, who are wicked and disobedient. For then shall the righteous go into everlasting life, and receive that fulness of joy and refreshing, which shall come from the presence of the Lord;

Monday: Read Isaiah 2:1-4. In the latter days (v 2) what will happen to the mountain of the Lord, the nations, the Word, disputes and swords? What will be central on that day (v 11)? To what do you think the “latter days” is referring (Lk 23:28-30, Acts 2:8-12/1:8, Rev 21:3-8)? How can these verses provide hope, comfort in the midst of hum-drum lives (Phil 3:7-8)?

Tuesday: Isaiah 2:1-5. How is v 5 a fitting exhortation following upon vv 1-4? Consider “walking in the light” as walking by faith in God’s promises and Word (vv 1-4), and walking in the light of Jesus (Jn 8:12, Eph 5:8). Does heaven and the glory of God function at all in your thinking (e.g. Phil 3:13, 1 Pet 1:13, Heb 11:8-10)?

Wednesday: Isaiah 2:5-10. What *should* the church be doing (v 5), and what *is* the church doing (vv 6-9)? With what are they filled? Why do people turn to each of these to be filled? How do you struggle with those temptations? How does earthly, worldly filling make no sense in light of vv 1-4?

Thursday: Is 2:11-21. How is God portrayed in these verses? Why might he be offended that his church in this context (Rom 1:25, Rev 3:15-16)? What will God do to his rebellious church? What do all the “against alls” add? What happens to the haughty, the stuff-exaltation, the self-exaltation (Mt 6:19f, Lk 14:11)? Where does God need to prune you? Where do you need to be more satisfied (enthralled) with God?

Friday: Is 2:22. In light of this chapter, why is it foolish to regard/trust man? In what ways do you regard/fear man, put your hope in earthly things, put yourself at the center of life? How does the “breath” comment in v 22 prove that as silly, short-sighted, and shallow? How do vv 1-4 offer a much more sure, eternal, and rich reason to live and hope? Put your hope in God’s word and promises, live for his glory and in light of eternity!

Saturday: Read Isaiah 4:2-6. What hope is laid out in these verses?