

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

June 26, 2022

Reflections

If men sought not chiefly their own private and selfish interests, but the glory of God and the common good, then their spirit would be a great deal more stirred up in God's cause than in their own...but they would in a great measure forget themselves for God's sake, and from their zeal for the honour of Christ. The end they would aim at, would be, not making themselves great, or getting their own will, but the glory of God and the good of their fellow-beings.

~ Jonathan Edwards, *Charity and Its Fruits*

The path of service is the road to freedom.

~ Ed Welch

Approach to God

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship — Psalm 89:5-16 (responsive)

⁵ Let the heavens praise your wonders, O LORD,
your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones!

⁶ **For who in the skies can be compared to the LORD?**

Who among the heavenly beings is like the LORD,

⁷ **a God greatly to be feared in the council of the holy ones,
and awesome above all who are around him?**

⁸ O LORD God of hosts, who is mighty as you are, O LORD,
with your faithfulness all around you?

⁹ **You rule the raging of the sea; when its waves rise, you still them.**

¹⁰ **You crushed Rahab like a carcass;
you scattered your enemies with your mighty arm.**

¹¹ The heavens are yours; the earth also is yours;
the world and all that is in it, you have founded them.

¹² The north and the south, you have created them;
Tabor and Hermon joyously praise your name.

¹³ **You have a mighty arm; strong is your hand, high your right hand.**

¹⁴ Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne;
steadfast love and faithfulness go before you.

¹⁵ **Blessed are the people who know the festal shout,
who walk, O LORD, in the light of your face,**

¹⁶ **who exult in your name all the day and in your righteousness are exalted.**

Praise

Hymn of Praise — Rejoice the Lord is King

1. Re - joice, the Lord is King: your Lord and King a - dore! Re -
2. Je - sus the Sav - ior reigns, the God of truth and love; when
3. His king - dom can - not fail, he rules o'er earth and heav'n; the
4. He sits at God's right hand till all his foes sub - mit, and
5. Re - joice in glo - rious hope! Our Lord, the Judge, shall come, and

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joyce, give thanks, and sing, and tri - umph ev - er - more.
he had purged our stains, he took his seat a - bove.
• keys of death and hell are to our Je - sus giv'n. Lift up your
bow to his com - mand, and fall be - neath his feet.
take his ser - vants up to their e - ter - nal home.

heart, lift up your voice! Re - joice, a - gain I say, re - joice!

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and piano accompaniment. It is in the key of B-flat major (two flats) and 4/4 time. The hymn consists of a main body of five verses and a refrain. The main body is marked with a '1' above the first measure and a '7' above the last measure. The refrain is marked with a 'REFRAIN' above the first measure. The piano accompaniment is written in the bass clef and provides a harmonic foundation for the vocal parts.

Prayer of Adoration

Songs of Praise

Behold Our God

Who has held
the oceans in His hands?
Who has numbered
every grain of sand?
Kings and nations
tremble at His voice
All creation rises to rejoice

*Behold our God
seated on His throne
Come, let us adore Him
Behold our King—
nothing can compare
Come, let us adore Him*

Who has given
counsel to the Lord?
Who can question
any of His words?
Who can teach the One
who knows all things?
Who can fathom
all His wondrous deeds?
(Chorus)

Who has felt
the nails upon His hands?
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man
God eternal, humbled to the grave
Jesus, Savior, risen now to reign
(Chorus)

Tag
You will reign forever
Let Your glory fill the earth

Grace Unmeasured

Grace unmeasured, vast and free
That knew me from eternity
That called me out before my birth
To bring You glory on this earth
Grace amazing, pure and deep
That saw me in my misery
That took my curse
and owned my blame
So I could bear
Your righteous name

*Grace paid for my sins
and brought me to life
Grace clothes me with power
To do what is right
Grace will lead me to heaven
Where I'll see Your face
And never cease
to thank You for Your grace*

Grace abounding, strong and true
That makes me long to be like You
That turns me from my selfish pride
To love the cross
on which You died
Grace unending all my days
You'll give me strength
to run this race
And when my years
on earth are through
The praise will all belong to You.
(chorus)

Confession of Sin — Exodus 20:1-17

And God spoke all these words, saying,

²“I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

³“You shall have no other gods before me.

⁴“You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. ⁵You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, ⁶but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

⁷“You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

⁸“Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. ⁹Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, ¹⁰but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. ¹¹For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

¹²“Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

¹³“You shall not murder.

¹⁴“You shall not commit adultery.

¹⁵“You shall not steal.

¹⁶“You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

¹⁷“You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's.”

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon — Isaiah 59:15-20

The LORD saw it, and it displeased him
that there was no justice.

¹⁶ He saw that there was no man,
and wondered that there was no one to intercede;
then his own arm brought him salvation,
and his righteousness upheld him.

- ¹⁷ He put on righteousness as a breastplate,
and a helmet of salvation on his head;
he put on garments of vengeance for clothing,
and wrapped himself in zeal as a cloak.
- ¹⁸ According to their deeds, so will he repay,
wrath to his adversaries, repayment to his enemies;
to the coastlands he will render repayment.
- ¹⁹ So they shall fear the name of the LORD from the west,
and his glory from the rising of the sun;
for he will come like a rushing stream,
which the wind of the LORD drives.
- ²⁰ "And a Redeemer will come to Zion,
to those in Jacob who turn from transgression," declares the LORD.

Response in Song — I Will Glory in My Redeemer

I will glory in my Redeemer
Whose priceless blood has ransomed me
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails
And hung him on that judgment tree
I will glory in my Redeemer
Who crushed the power of sin and death
My only Savior before the holy Judge
The Lamb who is my righteousness
The Lamb who is my righteousness.

I will glory in my Redeemer
My life he bought, my love he owns.
I have no longings for another
I'm satisfied in him alone
I will glory in my Redeemer
His faithfulness my standing place
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me
My feet are firm held by his grace
My feet are firm held by his grace.

I will glory in my Redeemer
Who carries me on eagle's wings
He crowns my life with loving kindness
His triumph song I'll ever sing
I will glory in my Redeemer
Who waits for me at gates of gold
And when he calls me it will be paradise
His face forever to behold
His face forever to behold.

Congregational Prayer

Offering* — Hebrews 5:13 ⁵ Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, “I will never leave you nor forsake you.”

**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 8:9-9:7

⁹ Be broken, you peoples, and be shattered;
give ear, all you far countries;
strap on your armor and be shattered;
strap on your armor and be shattered.

¹⁰ Take counsel together, but it will come to nothing;
speak a word, but it will not stand,
for God is with us.

¹¹ For the LORD spoke thus to me with his strong hand upon me, and warned me not to walk in the way of this people, saying: ¹² “Do not call conspiracy all that this people calls conspiracy, and do not fear what they fear, nor be in dread. ¹³ But the LORD of hosts, him you shall honor as holy. Let him be your fear, and let him be your dread. ¹⁴ And he will become a sanctuary and a stone of offense and a rock of stumbling to both houses of Israel, a trap and a snare to the inhabitants of Jerusalem. ¹⁵ And many shall stumble on it. They shall fall and be broken; they shall be snared and taken.”

¹⁶ Bind up the testimony; seal the teaching among my disciples. ¹⁷ I will wait for the LORD, who is hiding his face from the house of Jacob, and I will hope in him. ¹⁸ Behold, I and the children whom the LORD has given me are signs and portents in Israel from the LORD of hosts, who dwells on Mount Zion. ¹⁹ And when they say to you, “Inquire of the mediums and the necromancers who chirp and mutter,” should not a people inquire of their God? Should they inquire of the dead on behalf of the living? ²⁰ To the teaching and to the testimony! If they will not speak according to this word, it is because they have no dawn. ²¹ They will pass through the land, greatly distressed and hungry. And when they are hungry, they will be enraged and will speak contemptuously against their king and their God, and turn their faces upward. ²² And they will look to the earth, but behold, distress and darkness, the gloom of anguish. And they will be thrust into thick darkness.

9 But there will be no gloom for her who was in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he has made glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jor-

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God Anchors His Remnant

Isaiah 8:9-9:7

1. Unmoored by Gloomy Shades

2. Secured by our Zealous God

dan, Galilee of the nations.

² The people who walked in darkness
have seen a great light;
those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness,
on them has light shone.

³ You have multiplied the nation;
you have increased its joy;
they rejoice before you
as with joy at the harvest,
as they are glad when they divide the spoil.

⁴ For the yoke of his burden,
and the staff for his shoulder,
the rod of his oppressor,
you have broken as on the day of Midian.

⁵ For every boot of the tramping warrior in battle tumult
and every garment rolled in blood
will be burned as fuel for the fire.

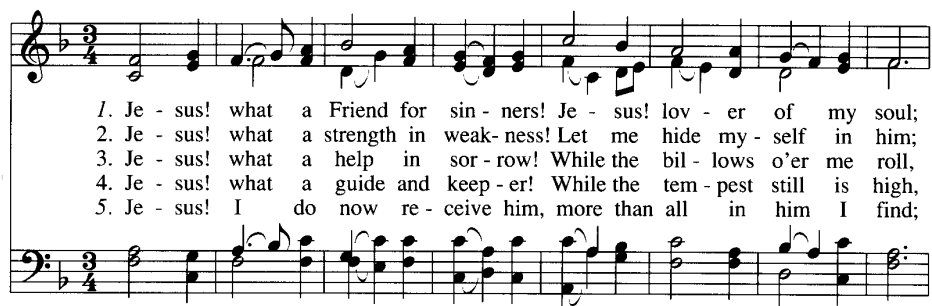
⁶ For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given;
and the government shall be upon his shoulder,
and his name shall be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

⁷ Of the increase of his government and of peace
there will be no end,
on the throne of David and over his kingdom,
to establish it and to uphold it
with justice and with righteousness
from this time forth and forevermore.
The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.

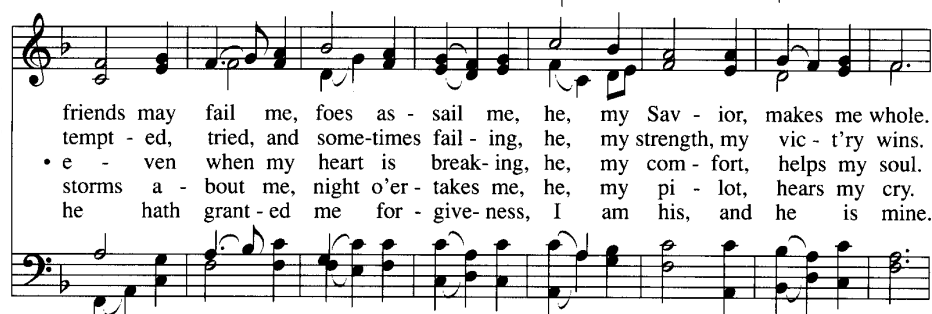
Sermon — God Anchors His Remnant

~ Pastor Francis VanDelden

Closing Hymn — Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners



1. Je - sus! what a Friend for sin - ners! Je - sus! lov - er of my soul;
 2. Je - sus! what a strength in weak - ness! Let me hide my - self in him;
 3. Je - sus! what a help in sor - row! While the bil - lows o'er me roll,
 4. Je - sus! what a guide and keep - er! While the tem - pest still is high,
 5. Je - sus! I do now re - ceive him, more than all in him I find;



friends may fail me, foes as - sail me, he, my Sav - ior, makes me whole.
 tempt - ed, tried, and some-times fail - ing, he, my strength, my vic - t'ry wins.
 • e - ven when my heart is break - ing, he, my com - fort, helps my soul.
 storms a - bout me, night o'er - takes me, he, my pi - lot, hears my cry.
 he hath grant - ed me for - give - ness, I am his, and he is mine.

REFRAIN



Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior! Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Friend!
 Sav - ing, help - ing, keep - ing, lov - ing, he is with me to the end.

Benediction

Postlude

THANK YOU FOR SERVING

9:30 am

Welcome Team: Monte Festog, Sue Bridenbaugh (early team);
Mark & Joy Nichols (late team)
Nursery: Mary Troxel, Lauren Mendez

10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: Megan Quist, Steve Hake, Chalice Chism
Infant Nursery: Johanna Homon
Children's Church: Steve Ochs, Lauren Mendez, Jessie VanDelden
Sound: Craig Lalley
Live Stream: Joel Chism

Serving Next Week

9:30 am

Welcome Team: Jim & Laura Washburne (early team);
Gingy Socash, Dan Bull (late team)
Nursery: Ron Socash, Laura VanDelden

10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: John O'Shea, Mary Troxel, Jessie VanDelden
Infant Nursery: Rachel Kobe
Children's Church: Steve Hake, Daniel Williams, Paul Johnson
Sound: Ed Wright
Live Stream: Isaac Wright

THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

Today Congregational Meeting & Lunch, following the worship service

Tuesday Trustee Meeting, 7:30 pm in C8

Wednesday Youth Group, meeting in C6 from 6-8 pm

Saturday Men's Breakfast, 8-10 am in the main building

COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Our Church Family

- Praise God for the birth of Lucas Duvall and that he and his mom are doing well. Pray for Lance and Alanna as they welcome this little one into their family and teach him the ways of the Lord.
- Pray that Christ's Church would be salt and light during pride month. Pray that believers would stand firm in the truth of God's Word concerning sexual purity and identity in Christ. Pray for resolve and faith for those who feel tempted to embrace a sinful lifestyle. Pray that believers would be strong witnesses to the power of the Gospel to redeem the broken, renew hard hearts, and restore sinners unto God.
- Praise God for His power to redeem and protect His people. Give thanks for His perfectness and holiness.
- Pray for Pastor Francis and his family That they will get to know their neighbors and invest in them.
- Pray for John Clifford and his family (Rachel, Jackson, Rosie, Teddy, and Tommy) and for continued love, forgiveness, humility, and honesty in their family. Pray that John would learn and grow as he attends Seminary. Pray that their future calling into the mission field would be clear. Pray for faithfulness to Christ and His Church as they seek to be faithful to the callings and opportunities for which they are currently responsible.
- Pray for Charles Ruch who has entered hospice care. Pray for his wife, Barbara, too, during this difficult time.
- Pray for Liesl Boyed, Ellen Kennedy, and Hannah Beck 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 particularly for the CareNet Pregnancy Center as they deal with vandalism and other threats. Pray for protection and peace for both the center and the women that go there looking for assistance.

Missionaries & Others

- Pray for our missionary of the month, Luke Hake, as he serves the Lord in East Asia. Pray that he will be a blessing and source of encouragement to his teammates. Pray for the friends he has made at the barber shop and pray for his teammates who are struggling.
- Pray for Kristen who serves the Lord in Europe and Claire Hall who serves in Scotland. Pray for God's continued provision, care, and protection for these women as they share the gospel with unbelievers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study, this Bible study will not be meeting for the rest of the summer. However, other activities are being considered (including visiting with church members). If you would like to participate in any activities or would like to be visited by some of these ladies, please contact Jackie Plowman at 301.834.6489.

Men's Ministry, every Saturday morning there is a men's ministry event when they view and discuss "Dust to Glory." All men of the church are invited to attend! It goes from 8:00-10:00 am.

Sunday School Teachers for the Fall, are you interested in teaching Sunday school for Preschooler through middle school? Would you be interested in being a helper? We are currently beginning our search for teachers and helpers for the fall trimester (beginning in September). If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Gingy in the office admin@newhopeopc.org. You need to be a member to be a teacher but can be a regular attender to be a helper.

Mulching Help needed, if anyone is able to do some mulching around the church, it would be greatly appreciated! If you are able to help, contact Gingy at admin@newhopeopc.org

Interviewed for Membership, We are pleased to let you know that the following folks have been interviewed by session and approved for church membership: Hannah Foster, Monte & Rose Marie Festog, Matt Festog, John & Colleen Homon, Matt & Rachel Kobe.

Growth Group Information, growth groups are the backbone of our fellowship at New Hope. Growth groups meet throughout the area. They include worship, Bible study, fellowship, prayer, and mission. They offer fellowship, encouragement, support, and accountability. If you would like to try one of our growth groups that are meeting this week, you can just show up or contact the person who is leading.

- **Lead by Bruce Johnson** (574.780.6482): meeting today from 4-6 pm in C6 in the upper building.

DAILY DEVOTION

Memory Text: Isaiah 9:2 The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone.

Heidelberg Catechism 18: Who then is that Mediator, who is in one person both very God, and a real righteous man? *Our Lord Jesus Christ: 'who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption.'*

Monday: Isaiah 8:9-15. What were Ahaz and Judah fearing at this time (7:1-5, 20)? What sorts of threats and fears to you face? How does v 10's "God is with us" and v 13 help anchor the remnant, and you in such fears and threats? See Ps 46:5, Ps 2, Heb 13:6.

Tuesday: How do you see in Isaiah 8:16-22 the depths to which God's people had abandoned his word? What was the result of this (21-22)? What is the connection between "to the teaching" in v 20 and "I will wait and hope in the Lord" in v 18? How should God's word anchor us (2 Pet 1:19, 2 Tim 3:15-17)? How are you anchoring yourself by reading, listening to, and obeying God's word?

Wednesday: Isaiah 8:21-9:3. How do you see the grace of God in these verses? Who is doing the action here? What do you think the light represents (Mt 4:13-17, Mal 4:1-2, John 8:12)? How do you think this promise of light and its resultant joy anchor God's people while they trudge through darkness, trials, and worldly threats and pressure? Pray the Spirit grants this anchoring to you.

Thursday: Is 9:7 "Wonderful Counselor." How is Jesus our Wonderful Counselor, the one who gives supernatural counsel/wisdom/knowledge (Is 11:2-3, Jn 1:18, 2 Cor 4:6)? How does he bring those (and you) walking in darkness into true light? How do you think this promise infused radiant hope into the original audience (Is 9:1-3)? Draw specifics of how you are to pattern your life after the Wonderful Counselor from Is 11:1-5 and Mt 6:21, 33, 5:3-16.

Friday: Is 9:4 compares the coming "Mighty God" with another champion against Midian. How and why were the people desperate for deliverance (Judges 6:1-6)? How great was Gideon (Jud 6:15)? What was his strength (6:16)? How much did he and the people contribute to the victory (Jud 7:2-3, 8, 14, 21-22)? Compare this to Jesus in Gethsemane, and on the cross fighting sin, curse, devil, taking God's wrath for you (Mt 26:42-46, 56, 27:45-50). What a Warrior!!

Saturday: Is 9:6 (Prince of Peace): Why is mankind at war with God, and God at enmity with man (Gen 3:15)? What is the primary peace the Prince of Peace makes (Is 53:4-5, Rom 5:1)? How are Christians to reflect this peace in how they relate to Christians and non-Christians? How does this challenge you not to dismiss or cancel someone you disagree with? What is the alternative?