

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

October 30, 2022

Reflections

Earth has no sorrow that Heaven cannot heal. ~Thomas Moore

What can this incessant craving, and this impotence of attainment mean, unless there was once a happiness belonging to man, of which only the faintest traces remain, in that void which he attempts to fill with everything within his grasp?"
~ Blaise Pascal

Though the life of heaven is for us future, its certain occurrence imparts a confidence and joy during the present.
~ Paul Helm

Approach to God

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship — Isaiah 52:1-3, 7-10 (responsive)

Awake, awake, put on your strength, O Zion;
put on your beautiful garments, O Jerusalem, the holy city;
for there shall no more come into you
the uncircumcised and the unclean.

**² Shake yourself from the dust and arise;
be seated, O Jerusalem; loose the bonds from your neck,
O captive daughter of Zion.**

³ For thus says the LORD: "You were sold for nothing, and you shall be redeemed without money."

**⁷ How beautiful upon the mountains
are the feet of him who brings good news,
who publishes peace, who brings good news of happiness,
who publishes salvation,
who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."**

**⁸ The voice of your watchmen—they lift up their voice;
together they sing for joy;
for eye to eye they see the return of the LORD to Zion.**

**⁹ Break forth together into singing,
you waste places of Jerusalem,
for the LORD has comforted his people;
he has redeemed Jerusalem.**

**¹⁰ The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations,
and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.**

Songs of Praise

Come Praise & Glorify

Come praise and glorify our God
The Father of our Lord
In Christ He has in heav'nly realms
His blessings on us poured
For pure and blameless
in His sight
He destined us to be
And now we've been adopted
through His Son eternally

*To the praise of Your glory
To the praise of Your mercy
and grace
To the praise of Your glory
You are the God who saves*

Come praise and glorify our God
Who gives His grace in Christ
In Him our sins are washed away
Redeemed through sacrifice
In Him God has made known to us
The myst'ry of His will
That Christ should be
the head of all
His purpose to fulfill (chorus)

Come praise and glorify our God
For we've believed the Word
And through our faith
we have a seal
The Spirit of the Lord
The Spirit guarantees our hope
Until redemption's done
Until we join in endless praise
To God, the Three in One (chorus)

Come as You Are

Come out of sadness
from wherever you've been
Come broken hearted
let rescue begin
Come find your mercy
oh sinner come kneel
Earth has no sorrow
that heaven can't heal
Earth has no sorrow
that heaven can't heal

*So lay down your burdens,
lay down your shame
All who are broken,
lift up your face
Oh wanderer come home
you're not too far
So lay down your hurt,
lay down your heart,
Come as you are (2nd time, bridge)*

There's hope for the hopeless
and all those who've strayed
Come sit at the table
come taste the grace
There's rest for the weary,
rest that endures
Earth has no sorrow
that heaven can't cure (chorus)

Bridge:

Come as you are, fall in his arms
Come as you are,
There's joy for the morning
Oh sinner be still
Earth has no sorrow,
that heaven can't heal
Earth has no sorrow
that heaven can't heal (chorus)

Confession of Sin — Philippians 3:17-21

¹⁷ Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us. ¹⁸ For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. ¹⁹ Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things. ²⁰ But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹ who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself.

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon — Isaiah 51:9-11, 1 Timothy 2:5-6

⁹ Awake, awake, put on strength,
O arm of the LORD;
awake, as in days of old,
the generations of long ago.
Was it not you who cut Rahab in pieces,
who pierced the dragon?
¹⁰ Was it not you who dried up the sea,
the waters of the great deep,
who made the depths of the sea a way
for the redeemed to pass over?
¹¹ And the ransomed of the LORD shall return
and come to Zion with singing;
everlasting joy shall be upon their heads;
they shall obtain gladness and joy,
and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

⁵ For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, ⁶ who gave himself as a ransom for all, which is the testimony given at the proper time. ⁷ For this I was appointed a preacher and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

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.*

Response in Song

Ancient of Days

Though the nations rage, kingdoms rise and fall
There is still one King, reigning over all
So I will not fear for this truth remains:
That my God is the Ancient of Days

Chorus

*None above Him, none before Him
All of time in His hands
For His throne it shall remain
and ever stand
All the power, all the glory
I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of Days*

Though the dread of night overwhelms my soul
He is here with me, I am not alone
O His love is sure and He knows my name
For my God is the Ancient of Days (chorus)

Though I may not see what the future brings
I will watch and wait for the Savior King
Then my joy complete standing face to face
In the presence of the Ancient of Days (chorus)

Congregational Prayer

Children's Church Dismissal — Children ages 4-5 may be dismissed to children's church at parents' discretion

Sermon Text — Isaiah 35

The wilderness and the dry land shall be glad;
the desert shall rejoice and blossom like the crocus;

² it shall blossom abundantly
and rejoice with joy and singing.

The glory of Lebanon shall be given to it,
the majesty of Carmel and Sharon.

They shall see the glory of the LORD,
the majesty of our God.

³ Strengthen the weak hands,
and make firm the feeble knees.

⁴ Say to those who have an anxious heart,
“Be strong; fear not! Behold, your God will come with vengeance,
with the recompense of God. He will come and save you.”

⁵ Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened,
and the ears of the deaf unstopped;

⁶ then shall the lame man leap like a deer,
and the tongue of the mute sing for joy.

For waters break forth in the wilderness,
and streams in the desert;

⁷ the burning sand shall become a pool,
and the thirsty ground springs of water;
in the haunt of jackals, where they lie down,
the grass shall become reeds and rushes.

⁸ And a highway shall be there,
and it shall be called the Way of Holiness;
the unclean shall not pass over it.

It shall belong to those who walk on the way;
even if they are fools, they shall not go astray.

⁹ No lion shall be there, nor shall any ravenous beast come up on it;
they shall not be found there,
but the redeemed shall walk there.

¹⁰ And the ransomed of the LORD shall return
and come to Zion with singing;
everlasting joy shall be upon their heads;
they shall obtain gladness and joy,
and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

Sermon — Heaven’s Strengthening Hope
~ Pastor Francis VanDelden

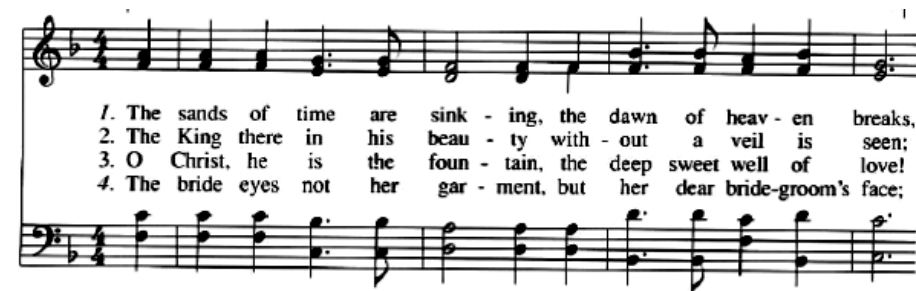
Closing Songs (page 9 & 10)

Heaven's Strengthening Hope

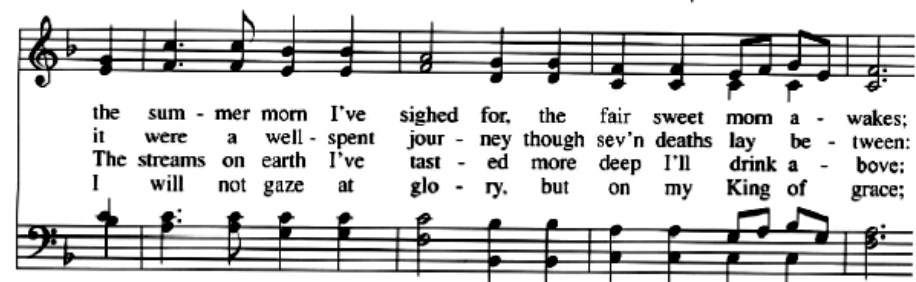
Isaiah 35

1. The Curse Lifter (vs 1-2)
2. The Arm Strengtheners (vs 3-4)
3. The Life Transformer (vs 5-7)
4. The Joy-Giver (vs 8-10)

Closing Songs — The Sands of Time are Sinking



1. The sands of time are sink - ing, the dawn of heav - en breaks,
 2. The King there in his beau - ty with - out a veil is seen;
 3. O Christ, he is the foun - tain, the deep sweet well of love!
 4. The bride eyes not her gar - ment, but her dear bride-groom's face;



the sum - mer morn I've sighed for, the fair sweet morn a - wakes;
 it were a well - spent jour - ney though sev'n deaths lay be - tween;
 The streams on earth I've tast - ed more deep I'll drink a - bove;
 I will not gaze at glo - ry, but on my King of grace;



dark, dark hath been the mid - night, but day - spring is at hand,
 the Lamb with his fair ar - my doth on Mount Zi - on stand,
 there to an o - cean ful - ness his mer - cy doth ex - pand,
 not at the crown he gift - eth, but on his pierc - ed hand;



and glo - ry, glo - ry dwell - eth in Em - man - uel's land.
 and glo - ry, glo - ry dwell - eth in Em - man - uel's land.
 and glo - ry, glo - ry dwell - eth in Em - man - uel's land.
 the Lamb is all the glo - ry of Em - man - uel's land.

We Will Feast in the House of Zion

Chorus:

*We will feast in the house of Zion
We will sing with our hearts restored
He has done great things, we will say together
We will feast and weep no more*

We will not be burned by the fire
He is the LORD our God
We are not consumed, by the flood
Upheld, protected, gathered up (chorus)

In the dark of night, before the dawn
My soul, be not afraid
For the promised morning, oh how long?
Oh God of Jacob, be my strength (chorus)

Every vow we've broken and betrayed
You are the Faithful one
And from the garden to the grave
Bind us together, bring shalom. (chorus)

Benediction

Postlude

THANK YOU FOR SERVING

9:30 am

Welcome Team: Wayne Greenfield, Chris Lear (early team)
Jackie Plowman, Marc Quist (late team)
SS Nursery: Betsy Lalley, Amy Wright

10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: Laura VanDelden, Rachel Clifford, Lillian Williams
Infant Nursery: Sue Bridenbaugh
Children's Church: Steve Ochs, Lauren Mendez, Jack Socash
Sound: Craig & Betsy Lalley
Live Stream: Craig & Betsy Lalley
Nursery On-call: Valory Snyder

Serving Next Week

9:30 am

Welcome Team: Katrina Howard, Laura VanDelden (early team)
Brian Burden, Ron Socash (late team)
SS Nursery: Ronnie Socash, Steve Hake

10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: Karl Koops, Mary Troxel, Talia Poortenga
Infant Nursery: Dawn Myers
Children's Church: Amy Wright, Jacob Mendez, Jessie VanDelden
Sound: Ed Wright
Live Stream: Isaac Wright
Nursery On-call: Gingy Socash

THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

Tuesday

Session Meeting, 7:00 pm in room C8

Wednesday

Ladies' Bible Studies

- 9:30-11:00 in sanctuary building, childcare provided, studying the book of Mark
- 10-11:30 in C8, studying 1-3 John

Youth Group Meeting, 6-8 pm in C6

Saturday

Men's Ministry, 8-10 am at the church, viewing "Christian Worldview" and discussing.

Baby Shower for Hannah Beck, see announcement page for details

COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Our Church Family

- Pray for Pastor Francis that he will be vigorous in battling sin and find deep joy in Jesus.
- Pray for wisdom and unity for the New Hope session as they meet this week. Pray that the Lord would give them all that they need to carry out the calling that He has given them.
- Give thanks for those who serve on Sundays and give of their time and talents to allow us to worship well.
- Pray that the Lord would raise up men for service as elder and deacon at New Hope.
- Pray for Jeff & Patti Deschamps, Joan Johansen, Scott Innes, and John & Muriel Hadidian who are all struggling with health related difficulties either with themselves or with family members. Pray that God will give strength bear up under the strain.
- Pray for those who struggle with chronic illness and/or pain. Pray for relief, for patience, and for endurance.
- Pray for an end to the war in Ukraine. Pray for peace and for the aggression to stop. Pray that the Lord would turn hearts toward Him so that true peace will reign.
- Pray for Hannah Beck and Jamie Lindsey 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 that the Lord would give us hearts that yearn to share the gospel with others. Pray that He will give opportunities for us to give the good news to co-workers, friends, neighbors, and other people in our sphere.

Missionaries & Others

- Pray for our missionaries of the month, James & Esther Folkerts, who are serving the Lord in Uganda. Pray for fellowship in Christ with team members and the Karimojong people. Pray, too, for fruitfulness in their labors of parenting, homeschooling, and the larger mission work.
- Continue to pray for Luke Hake as he serves in East Asia. Pray that he would have a heart that is stayed upon the Lord and that he would speak words of truth as he is able. Pray for his friend, Ahmad, an English speaking Muslim who is stuck in the country. Pray that Luke would have wisdom to serve and help Ahmad well and opportunity to share the gospel with him.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Baby Shower, mark your calendars for November 5th at 10:00 am. New Hope will be giving Hannah Beck a shower in expectation of her new little baby girl. **See the invite in your mailbox for details!**

Women's Christmas Party, the women's committee is looking for someone to host this year's Christmas party. Are you interested or want more info? Contact Ann Burden (annburd6656@gmail.com), Rosemarie Festog (festogr@hotmail.com) or Joy Nichols (joy.lynn.nichols@gmail.com).

New Hope Youth, if you are aged 11-18, mark your calendars for Nov. 5th 1:00-9pm for a day full of adventure. The youth will meet at New Hope, head out for a hike at Sugarloaf Mountain, head back to the church for chili, a bonfire, worship and games. Please RSVP with Karen Ochs at kiernonsjoy21@yahoo.com or 301-693-9248. Also, if you are interested in volunteering to help with food, transportation, chaperoning (or generally blessing our youth), please don't hesitate to reach out!

Information Deadlines, in the event that you would like something included in the bulletin, the Friday News, or the Wednesday Reminders, please send to Gingy (admin@newhopeopc.org) and keep these deadlines in mind:

- Bulletin: Thursday at 9:00 am
- Friday News: Thursday at 2:00 pm
- Wednesday Reminders: Wednesday at 10:00 am

Help needed, we are looking for volunteers to serve in the nursery, children's church, and Sunday school. You need to be a member to teach children's church and Sunday school but you can be an assistant if you are not. All ministries that involve children will require a background check and interview.

Set your Clocks BACK!, don't forget to set your clocks back next Saturday, November 5th, before you go to bed! We'd hate to have you miss out on your extra hour of sleep!

Help with Christmas Eve Service! This year we'd like to combine our Christmas Eve service with an outreach/blessing to our neighbors. We'd love help with planning, a quartet, children's choir, songs, Bible skit?, and decorations. If you're interested in helping, or have ideas, please talk to Francis of Gingy before Nov 2nd.

Reformation Day Service, you are invited to come join in worship with other area OPC churches on Sunday, October 30th at Bethel OPC in Leesburg at 7:00 pm. Pastor Francis will be doing some of the preaching at this service. If you'd like more information, talk to Pastor Francis.

Ministry Information, if you would like information on any of the ministries of New Hope Church, please see the list below and the contact info:

- Nursery: Valory Snyder: nursery@newhopeopc.org
- Children's Church: Michelle Williams: michelleadshade@gmail.com
- Men's Ministry: Francis VanDelden: pastor@newhopeopc.org
- Women's Ministry: Ann Burden: annburd6656@gmail.com
- Youth Ministry: Bruce Johnson: bruce.johnson@NIST.gov
- Welcome Team: Lora Washburne: Washburne@aol.com
- Music Ministry: Ron Socash: ronsocash66@gmail.com
- Sound/Livestream: Lance Duvall (duvallatpw@msn.com)
- Church Life: Monica Laird (monlaird@gmail.com)
- Sunday School: Gingy Socash (admin@newhopeopc.org)
- Board of Trustees: Connor Freeman (confree98@gmail.com)
- Session: Dennis Caruso, clerk of session (clerk@newhopeopc.org)
- Outreach/Missions: Steve Hake (srhake@phc.edu)

DAILY DEVOTION

Memory Verse: Isaiah 35:4 —⁴ Say to those who have an anxious heart, “Be strong; fear not! Behold, your God will come with vengeance, with the recompense of God. He will come and save you.”

There are no Daily Devotions available this week.
