

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

#### 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 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.

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#### **Morning Worship**

July 2, 2023

#### Reflections

"For I do not want you to be unaware, brothers, that our fathers were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, and all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual Rock that followed them, and the Rock was Christ." 1 Corinthians 10:1–4

#### Approach to God

#### **Prelude**

**Welcome** — Pastor John Clifford

Call to Worship — Isaiah 55:1-3, 7 (responsive)

"Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters:

and he who has no money,

come, buy and eat!

Come, buy wine and milk

without money and without price.

<sup>2</sup>Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy?

Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.

<sup>3</sup> Incline your ear, and come to me;

hear, that your soul may live;

and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

7 let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts;

let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

#### **Praise**

#### Song of Praise — By Faith

By faith we see the hand of God In the light of creation's grand design In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness Who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith our fathers roamed the earth With the power of His promise in their hearts Of a holy city built by God's own hand A place where peace and justice reign (chorus)

We will stand as children of the promise We will fix our eyes on Him our soul's reward Till the race is finished and the work is done We'll walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith the prophets saw a day When the longed-for Messiah would appear With the power to break the chains Of sin and death And rise triumphant from the grave

By faith the church was called to go In the power of the Spirit to the lost To deliver captives and to preach good news In every corner of the earth (chorus)

By faith this mountain shall be moved And the power of the gospel shall prevail For we know in Christ all things are possible For all who call upon His name (chorus)

#### **Prayer of Adoration**

#### **Songs of Praise**

#### Afflicted Saint to Christ Draw Near

Afflicted saint, to Christ draw near, Your Savior's gracious promise hear; His faithful Word you can believe: That as your days your strength shall be.

Your faith is weak, your foes are strong, And if the conflict should be long, The Lord will make the tempter flee That as your days your strength shall be.

#### **CHORUS**

So, sing with joy, afflicted one; The battle's fierce, but the victory's won! God shall supply all that you need; Yes, as your days your strength shall be.

Should persecution rage and flame, Still trust in your Redeemer's name. In fiery trials you shall see That as your days your strength shall be.

When called to bear your weighty cross Or sore affliction, pain, or loss, Or deep distress or poverty, Still as your days your strength shall be.

#### **Living Waters**

Are you thirsty, Are you empty Come and drink these living waters Tired and broken, Peace unspoken Rest beside these living waters

Christ is calling, Find refreshing At the cross of living waters Lay your life down, All the old gone Rise up in these living waters

#### Chorus:

There's a river that flows, With mercy and love Bringing joy to the city of our God There our hope is secure, Do not fear anymore Praise the Lord of living waters

Spirit moving, Mercy washing Healing in these living waters Lead your children, To the shore line Life is in these living waters (CHORUS)

Are you thirsty, Are you empty Come and drink these living waters Love, forgiveness, Vast and boundless Christ, He is our living waters (CHORUS)

#### Confession of Sin — 1 Corinthians 10:6-14

<sup>6</sup> Now these things took place as examples for us, that we might not desire evil as they did. <sup>7</sup> Do not be idolaters as some of them were; as it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink and rose up to play." <sup>8</sup> We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. <sup>9</sup> We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did and were destroyed by serpents, <sup>10</sup> nor grumble, as some of them did and were destroyed by the Destroyer. <sup>11</sup> Now these things happened to them as an example, but they were written down for our instruction, on whom the end of the ages has come. <sup>12</sup> Therefore let anyone who thinks that he stands take heed lest he fall. <sup>13</sup> No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it. <sup>14</sup> Therefore, my beloved, flee from idolatry.

#### **Silent Prayer of Confession**

## **Assurance of Pardon** — 1 Corinthians 10:15-16, John 6:35

<sup>15</sup>I speak as to sensible people; judge for yourselves what I say. <sup>16</sup>The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not a participation in the blood of Christ? The bread that we break, is it not a participation in the body of Christ?

<sup>35</sup> Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.

**Offering**\*\* — Hebrews 13:5 <sup>5</sup> 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.

#### **Song of Response** — 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)

———— Commitment

**Sending Prayer** — Boardwalk Chapel Mission Trip: John Godoy, Jack Socash, Emma & Samantha VanDelden, Elijah Mason, Joel & Chalice Chism, Emilia Offutt, Ann Burden, Hannah Foster, Ron Socash & Alex Mason

#### **Congregational Prayer**

Children ages 4-5 are welcome to be dismissed to Children's Church at this time.

#### Sermon Text — John 14:8-11

<sup>8</sup> Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us." <sup>9</sup> Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you so long, and you still do not know me, Philip? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? <sup>10</sup> Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own authority, but the Father who dwells in me does his works. <sup>11</sup> Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me, or else believe on account of the works themselves.

**Sermon** — Why You Still Don't Know God ~ Pastor John Clifford

#### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

**Preparation** 1 Corinthians 11:23-29: <sup>23</sup> For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, <sup>24</sup> and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." <sup>25</sup> In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." <sup>26</sup> For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

<sup>27</sup>Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. <sup>28</sup>Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. <sup>29</sup> For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself.

#### **Words of Institution**

**Receiving the Elements** — New Hope Presbyterian Church welcomes all baptized Christians who are forsaking their sins and trusting in Jesus Christ for salvation, and who are members of congregations that proclaim the gospel, to receive communion with us. The bread served today is gluten free.

# Why You Still Don't Know God

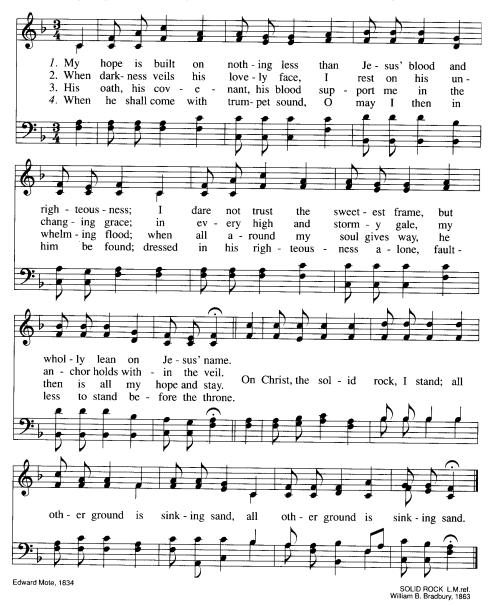
John 14:8-11

Homiletical theme: Jesus confronts the way we perceive God and His works so that we can experience the Father through Christ.

1. Ignorant of the Father's Revelation in Christ (vv.8-9).

2.	Ignorant of Christ's Identity (v.10).
3.	Ignorance Confronted and Cured by Christ (v.11).

#### Closing Hymn — My Hope is Built on Nothing Less



#### **Benediction**

#### **Postlude**

#### THANK YOU FOR SERVING

9:30 am

Welcome Team: Laura Caruso, Calvin Wright (early team)

Mark Rice, Valory Snyder (late team)

SS nursery: Valory Snyder, Betsy Lalley

10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: Monica Laird, Katie & Lorena Poortenga

Infant Nursery: Kelsey Roberts

Children's Church: Michelle & Daniel Williams

Sound: Kim Hanlin
Live Stream: Lance Duvall
Nursery On-call: Valory Snyder

**Serving Next Week** 

9:30 am

Welcome Team: Wayne Greenfield, Chris Lear (early team)

Jackie Plowman, Hannah Foster (late team)

SS nursery: Mary Troxel, Valory Snyder

10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: Karl Koops, Caelyn Poortenga, Cora Kim,

Kate Martin

Infant Nursery: Joy Nichols

Children's Church: Ann Burden, Rayann McGlamary

Sound: Ed Wright
Live Stream: Isaac Wright
Nursery On-call: Gingy Socash

THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

**Today** Senior Growth Group, meeting in the overflow room after the

worship service

Wednesday Wednesday Morning Ladies' Bible Studies

9:30 group, not meeting this week

• 10:00 group, not meeting this week

**Saturday** Men's Discussion Group, 8-10 am, Discussing video series,

"Reformed Theology." Coffee is provided.

#### COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

#### **Our Church Family**

- Pray for our session as they shepherd the flock and lead the church.
   Pray for wisdom, unity, and hearts of service.
- Give thanks for John Clifford and the work he is doing for New Hope.
   Pray that as he preaches through several chapters of John we will draw closer to Jesus and be strengthened in our faith.
- Give thanks that we live in a nation were we can worship, serve, and pray to God freely. Pray that men will turn their hearts back to Him.
- Continue to pray for rest and refreshment for Pastor Francis and his family as they are on sabbatical.
- Pray for Jeff & Patti Deschamps, Cindy Pottala, and John & Muriel Hadidian who are all dealing with significant health struggles.
- Pray for Rachel Neahusan who is expecting a new little one. Pray for the heath and well-being of both mom and baby during these last weeks of pregnancy.
- Pray for an end to war and unrest in our world. Pray that the Prince of Peace will turn evil away and will turn hearts toward himself.
- 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 they will be places where the gospel is proclaimed and Christ is honored.
- Pray for the churches in the Frederick area. Pray that they will be committed to preaching the truths of the scripture while giving people the hope that can only be found in the gospel.

#### **Missionaries & Others**

- Pray for our missionaries of the month, Heero and Anya Hacquebord in Ukraine. Praise God for their 15 new church members, for the church's health and growth during difficult times, and for their continued safety and ability to serve in L'viv.
- Continue to pray for Luke Hake, who is serving the Lord in east Asia.
   Pray that his language learning would continue to go well and that he will be able to cultivate relationships with unbelievers around him. Pray that he will have joy in his calling and strength to weather difficult times.
- Continue to pray for John & Rachel Clifford as they serve here at New Hope while fundraising to go out on the mission field. Pray that they will be able to meet their funding requirements quickly!
- Pray for the persecuted Christians are serving the Lord in China. Pray
  that the Christian church there will continue to flourish and preach God's
  word. Pray that the believers there will be strong in their faith and be
  protected from persecution.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women's 9:30 Bible study, will not be meeting this week.

**Wednesday Morning 10:00 am Women's Bible study,** will not be meeting for their regular study time this week.

"Take me out to the ballgame...." Did you know that in addition to the Keys, Frederick has a new, second baseball team? Come and join us as we support this new team at New Hope night at Nymeo Field/Harry Grove Stadium on July 22nd.

The Frederick Atlantic League Professional Baseball Team play the Charleston Dirty Birds at 6pm. There will be fireworks after the game. The team's name will be announced later this month.

Tickets are \$12 for Adults and \$9 for Youth/Military. Tickets must be purchased ahead of time thru New Hope to be included in the group rate and seating. The deadline to purchase tickets is Mon., July 3rd. To purchase tickets, one, send a text or email to Monica with how many and what type of tickets, and two, pay for them. Pay using cash or check (payable to New Hope with Keys tickets written on memo line) placed in an offering basket or given to Monica Laird, or online via church's Paypal with memo for the Keys tickets. Contact Monica Laird with any questions, <a href="mailto:monicable">monlaird@gmail.com</a> or (410) 963-6522.

#### **Shepherding List**

The elders of New Hope Church hope to shepherd the flock well and have divided the congregation in to shepherding groups to do so. If you have a pastoral need, please contact your particular elder. If you are not on this list and would like to be, please contact Gingy (admin@newhopeopc.org) and she will have an elder get in contact with you.

Dennis Caruso	Steve Hake	Karl Koops	Dave Myers	Joel Poortenga	Francis VanDelden
Burden	Beaty	Bishoff	Bauer	Freeman	Caruso
Graf	Innes	Hamilton	Burke	Mendez	Hake
Hanlin	Kim	Ohlwiler	Deschamps	Ochs	Koops
Howard	Mills	Plowman	Duvall	Troxel	Myers
Jernigan	Quist	Pottala	Laird	Boyed	Poortenga
Kinna	VanDelden	Seiler	Lowry	Neaheusen	Bodmer
Lalley	Wright, C.	Hails	Millison	Gillette	Wright, E
Porter	Martin	Lear	Wesolek	Kobe	Beck
Salter	Washburne	Bridenbaugh	Wright, B	Brooks	Snyder
Socash	Homan, T	Hadidian	Greenfield	Colby	Hartman
Jastrzembski	Bull	Williams	Mixon	Howell	Jones, M
Godoy	Festog	Johnson	Nichols	Clifford	Layman
Koops, H	Boyles	Roberts	Thorhauer	Alvir	Stakem, J
Estep	McGlamery	Viner	Lynerd	Sack	Ruchs
Rice	Foster	Haasbroek	Jones, D	Garcia	
Wright, T	Whitmore	Zera	Stakem, T		

### DAILY DEVOTION

No Daily Devotions this week.