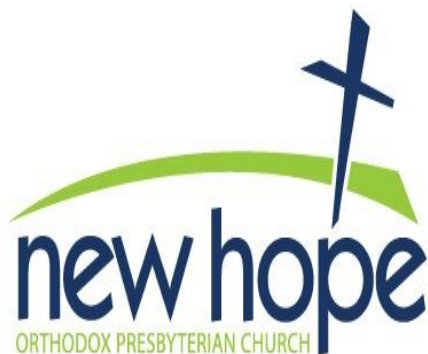


WELCOME!



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***

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## ***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

November 5, 2023

## Reflections

*Let us rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory” in the grace of God that has been given to us in Jesus Christ! (1 Pet. 1:8). What we find in Christ will make our hearts leap within us, and all of our affections will overflow with delight and joy. Holy admiration of God consists in our affections and emotions being touched experientially by His grace. We are not to have barren, fruitless, mere intellectual knowledge of biblical truths, but we are rather to stir up our hearts in all our meditations on the grace of God, and not rest until we find them affected, moved, satisfied, and filled with a holy joy and contented resting in Jesus. This is the most eminent evidence of our union with Christ and His benefits.*

~John Owen

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## Approach to God

**Welcome** — Pastor Francis VanDelden

## Prelude

### **Call to Worship** — Philippians 4:4-9 (responsive)

<sup>4</sup>Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. <sup>5</sup>Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; <sup>6</sup>do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. <sup>7</sup> And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

<sup>8</sup>**Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. <sup>9</sup>What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you.**

# Praise

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## Song of Praise

### Rejoice

Rejoice in the Lord now and always,  
sing it again, we rejoice  
Delight in the love He has shown us,  
gratefully lift up your voice  
His gentleness among us,  
will join our hearts with praise  
We gather in His goodness, a family of grace

Chorus:

*With each breath He has given, praise the Lord  
In these times we live in, we will praise the Lord  
Throughout every season I am sure  
We have every reason, to praise the Lord*

Rejoice and be anxious for nothing  
prayin' for all that you need  
Come with a song of thanksgiving,  
lay your requests at His feet  
His peace will fall upon us  
to guard our hearts and minds  
In Christ who reigns eternal  
the Shepherd of our lives (Chorus)

Rejoice in the Lord now and always  
tell of the good He has done  
Worship the Lord to remember  
all of the joy yet to come  
The hope that burns within us  
the dark cannot destroy  
With praise that's never-ending  
we say again, rejoice (Chorus)

Tag: We have every reason to praise the Lord

## Prayer of Adoration

# Songs of Praise — O Worship the King

1. O wor - ship the King all - glo - rious a - bove, O grate - ful - ly  
2. O tell of his might, O sing of his grace, whose robe is the  
3. The earth with its store of won - ders un - told, Al - might - y, your  
4. Your boun - ti - ful care what tongue can re - cite? It breathes in the

sing his pow'r and his love; our shield and De - fend - er, the  
light, whose can - o - py space. His char - iots of wrath the deep  
pow'r has found - ed of old; has 'stab - lished it fast by a  
air; it shines in the light; it streams from the hills; it de -

An - cient of - Days, pa - vil - ioned in splen - dor and gird - ed with praise.  
thun - der - clouds form, and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.  
change - less de - cree, and round it has cast, like a man - tle, the sea.  
scends to the plain; and sweet - ly dis - tils in the dew and the rain.

5. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,  
in you do we trust, nor find you to fail;  
your mercies how tender, how firm to the end,  
our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!
6. O measureless Might! Ineffable Love!  
While angels delight to hymn you above,  
the humbler creation, though feeble their lays,  
with true adoration shall lisp to your praise.

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## **Lord Most High**

From the ends of the earth (*echo*)  
From the depths of the sea (*echo*)  
From the heights of the heavens (*echo*)  
Your name be praised.

From the hearts of the weak (*echo*)  
From the shouts of the strong (*echo*)  
From the lips of all people (*echo*)  
This song we raise Lord...

Throughout the endless ages,  
You will be crowned with praises, Lord most high...  
Exalted in every nation, sovereign of all creation,  
Lord most high, we magnify.

## **Renewal**

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### **Confession of Sin — Isaiah 55:1-3, 6**

<sup>1</sup>“Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters;  
and you who have no money, come, buy and eat!  
Come, buy wine and milk without money and without cost.

<sup>2</sup>Why spend money on what is not bread,  
and your labor on what does not satisfy?  
Listen, listen to me, and eat what is good,  
and you will delight in the richest of fare.

<sup>3</sup>Give ear and come to me; listen, that you may live.  
I will make an everlasting covenant with you,  
my faithful love promised to David.

<sup>6</sup> Seek the Lord while he may be found; call on him while he is near.

### **Assurance of Pardon — Isaiah 55:7-9, 12**

<sup>7</sup> Let the wicked forsake their ways and the unrighteous their thoughts.  
Let them turn to the Lord, and he will have mercy on them,  
and to our God, for he will freely pardon.

<sup>8</sup> “For my thoughts are not your thoughts,  
neither are your ways my ways,” declares the Lord.

<sup>9</sup> “As the heavens are higher than the earth,  
so are my ways higher than your ways  
and my thoughts than your thoughts.

<sup>12</sup> You will go out in joy and be led forth in peace;  
the mountains and hills will burst into song before you,  
and all the trees of the field will clap their hands.

**Offering\*** — 1 Timothy 6:6-7 <sup>6</sup>But godliness with contentment is great gain,  
<sup>7</sup>for we brought nothing into the world, and we cannot take anything out of the world.

*\*You can give on-line at the New Hope website: [www.newhopeopc.org](http://www.newhopeopc.org)  
and click on the green "give" button in the corner.*

## **Response in Song — Psalm 24 (The King of Glory)**

The earth and its riches abundantly stored  
The earth and its dwelling belong to the Lord  
For He on the seas its foundation has laid  
And from on the waters its pillars has stayed

O who shall the mount of the Lord God ascend  
And who in the place of his holiness stand  
The man of pure heart and of lips without stain  
Who swears not to idols nor serves what is vain

Yes he from the Lord shall a blessing receive  
The God of salvation shall righteousness bring  
Thus looking to him is a whole blessed race  
All those who like Jacob are seeking his face

O gates lift your heads, Ancient doors lift them high  
The great King of glory to enter draws nigh  
O who is the king that in glory draws near  
The Lord mighty Lord of the battle is here

O gates lift your heads ancient doors lift them high  
The great King of glory to enter draws nigh  
This great King of glory O who can he be  
The Lord God of hosts, King of Glory is He  
This great King of glory O who can he be  
The Lord God of hosts, King of Glory is He

## Congregational Prayer

*Children ages 4-5 may be dismissed for Children's Church*

### Sermon Text — John 17:6-13

<sup>6</sup> “I have manifested your name to the people whom you gave me out of the world. Yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. <sup>7</sup> Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you. <sup>8</sup> For I have given them the words that you gave me, and they have received them and have come to know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. <sup>9</sup> I am praying for them. I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are yours. <sup>10</sup> All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. <sup>11</sup> And I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. <sup>12</sup> While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me. I have guarded them, and not one of them has been lost except the son of destruction, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. <sup>13</sup> But now I am coming to you, and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves.

### Sermon — Receiving the Name of the Father

~ Pastor John Clifford

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## Celebration of the Lord's Supper

*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.*

### Closing Hymn — He Will Hold Me Fast (page 10)

### Benediction

### Postlude



# —— Receiving the Name of the Father ——

John 17:6-13

*Theme: The Joy of Jesus*

## **Closing Hymn — He Will Hold Me Fast**

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast  
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast  
I could never keep my hold, through life's fearful path  
For my love is often cold, He must hold me fast

Chorus:

*He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast  
For my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast*

Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast  
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast  
He'll not let my soul be lost, His promises shall last  
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast (chorus)

For my life He bled and died Christ will hold me fast  
Justice has been satisfied, He will hold me fast  
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast  
Till our faith is turned to sight, when he comes at last (chorus)

# THANK YOU FOR SERVING

## 9:30 am

Welcome Team: Brian Burden, Matthew Festog (early team)  
Hannah Foster, Laura Caruso (late team)  
SS nursery: Dennis Caruso, Amy Wright

## 10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: Cath Howard, Man Kim, Jack Socash, Caelyn Poortenga  
Infant Nursery: Joy Nichols  
Children's Church: Steve Ochs, Gail Summers-Millison  
Sound: Kim Hanlin  
Live Stream: John Godoy  
Nursery On-call: Laura VanDelden  
Prayer Team: Monte & Rosemarie Festog

## Serving Next Week

## 9:30 am

Welcome Team: Monte Festog, Chris Boyles (early team)  
Laura VanDelden, Daniel Jones (late team)  
SS nursery: Kim Hanlin, Betsy Lalley

## 10:30 am

Toddler Nursery: Elisa & Lily Godoy, Mary Troxel, Levi VanDelden  
Infant Nursery: Rachael Clifford  
Children's Church: Dennis Caruso, Samantha VanDelden  
Sound: Mark Nichols  
Live Stream: Craig Lalley  
Nursery On-call: Betsy Lalley  
Prayer Team: David & Kathleen Porter

# THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

## Today

**Planted Deep Growth Group**, meeting today after the worship service

## Tuesday

**Session Meeting**, 7:00 pm in C8

## Wednesday

### **Wednesday Bible Studies**

#### • 10:00 am ladies' studies

- ◇ Genesis study, Amy Wright's home, includes childcare
- ◇ 2 Cor. study meeting in C8 at the church

#### **Wednesday Night Studies**, pizza dinner included

- ◇ **Adult Bible Study**, 6-7:30 pm including nursery
- ◇ **Youth Group**, 6-8 pm in C6
- ◇ **GEMS & CSB**, 6-7:30 pm in sanctuary building
- ◇ **Discipleship Explored**, 6-8 pm in sanctuary building

## Saturday

**Men's Discussion Group**, 8-10 am, Discussing R.C. Sproul's video series, "Defending Your Faith."

# COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

## **Our Church Family**

- Pray for joy; joy that comes from Jesus and having a relationship with him. Give thanks for the prayers that He prays on our behalf to our Father and that we can rest secure in knowing we are His.
- Pray that New Hope would be a reflection of Christ and His character. Pray that we would live sacrificially, being steadfast, loving, quick to forgive, slow to anger, of one mind and body, and a light to the world.
- Pray for peace in the Middle East. Pray that God would thwart the plans of the evil doers and bring about justice and an end to the violence. Pray for the Lord's protection upon the Christians that are living there, for the many hostages who have been taken and for those who are living under dire circumstances.
- Pray for the upcoming Thank Offering of the Orthodox Presbyterian Church. Pray that people will be generous in their giving so that the ministries of the denomination will be well and fully funded.
- Pray for our military personnel during these troubling times. Pray for protection as they serve our country.
- Pray for Mavis Bauer, Barbara Ruch, Jeff & Patti Deschamps, Cindy Potala, and John & Muriel Hadidian who are all dealing with significant health struggles.
- Pray for Michelle Williams and Rachael Kobe who are expecting new little ones. Pray for the health and well-being of both moms and babies throughout the pregnancies.
- 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 opportunities to unabashedly share the gospel to our relatives, friends, neighbors, co-workers who are so very needy and thirsty for Good News.

## **Missionaries & Others**

- Pray for our missions of the month, the local missions we support financially. Pray particularly for Child Evangelism Fellowship as they share the good news of the hope and life that is only found in Jesus Christ in the area public schools with the Good News Clubs. Pray that God would bless this ministry, bring many workers for this harvest, and change the hearts of many for His glory.
- Continue to pray for Luke Hake in east Asia as he serves the Lord and shares the gospel. Pray that God would give him diligence and perseverance in language study as well as a soft heart that hungers for and is satisfied in Him alone.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Christmas Giving Opportunities**, this year as we head into the holiday season, you will have the opportunity to participate in two different ministries. New Hope will be participating in **Operation Christmas Child** through Samaritan's Purse and buying gifts for residents and families at the **Frederick Rescue Mission**.

**Operation Christmas Child**, National Collection Week is 13-20 November 2023. OCC collects shoeboxes nationwide during this time. You can drop off shoeboxes at Mountain View Community Church or bring them on Sunday 19th November for Colin to pick up. If you want to turn in your box earlier he can still take them on the preceding Sundays.

**Youth Retreat**, save the dates of December 1-3! Stay tuned for details!

**Help Needed**, The Wednesday morning Bible study needs help with child-care on November 8, 10-11:30. Please contact Amy Wright (240-586-1976) if you're available and interested.

**Pre-Sermon Discussion for NH Men and Women**, Every week you're welcome to join me to study, talk through, and apply the upcoming Sunday's text. I'll explain the main theme and points. Then we'll study the text further together. Right now I'm thinking Tuesdays from 4-5pm at church, although 7-8am could work too. Let me know if you're interested, and what time works best for you.

**Thank Offering**, every year the Orthodox Presbyterian Church (OPC), in which New Hope is a member, conducts a Thank Offering which helps to find the major ministries in the denomination. There will be a flyer about the Thank Offering near where the bulletins are being distributed as well as an attachment in the Friday News. Each week there will be a different ministry of focus. This week's ministry is Christian Education. Please take a minute to look at the flyer and what this ministry does.

This year the Thank Offering will be taken on November 19th but you can give donations up through November 26th. All checks should be made out to New Hope Church with "thank offering" in the memo line. Please consider giving to the denomination in this way and also be mindful of the deadlines.

**Ladies' Night Out** is Thursday, November 16! Ladies, join us for dinner at 6:00pm at Cava (Spectrum Dr, Frederick) and/or dessert around 8:00pm at Rachel Clifford's home (5666 Singletree Dr, Frederick). RSVP to Elease Layman - 301.767.6848 or [elease.layman@gmail.com](mailto:elease.layman@gmail.com).

**Thanksgiving Eve Service**, the year New Hope is hosting the annual joint Thanksgiving Eve service. The service begins at 7:00 pm at New Hope on November 22nd. If you plan to come to the service, please bring some cookies to share.



## **Invitation to the Lord's Supper**

Since it is our privilege today to celebrate the blessed sacrament of the Lord's Supper, we are called to prepare our hearts by rightly examining ourselves.

**"Do This in Remembrance of Me,"** says Jesus as He invites us to His Holy Supper. It is not only a privilege, but also a personal responsibility to respond to this gracious invitation. The apostle Paul alerts us to this responsibility in 1 Corinthians 11:27, "Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord." Furthermore, the Lord, through the Apostle Paul also instructs us that those who eat and drink "without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgement on himself."

In light of the scriptural teaching, the elders invite you to join in the communion celebration on the basis of the following personal affirmations:

- 1. I confess that I am a sinner and repent of my sins.**
- 2. I have been baptized into the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.**
- 3. I believe in Jesus as my Savior and Lord who forgives all my sins because of His sacrifice.**
- 4. I desire to show my thankfulness to God by resolving to live in faith and obedience before my Lord, and in love and peace with my neighbors.**
- 5. I have made a public profession of faith in a church that recognizes the sovereign authority of God's Word and that we are saved only by grace through faith in Jesus Christ.**
- 6. I am a member in good standing in my home church.**

If, for some reason, you do not believe you should partake of communion with God's people at this time, the elders would then urge you to refrain from participating today and they would also urge you to actively seek out either one of the elders or the pastor for further instruction. They are eager and willing to discuss these matters in light of God's Word, as they are called to tend to these matters for the purity of Christ's Church, His Glory, and the good of His people.

We are confident that the Savior accepts us at His table when we come in faith, with sorrow for our sins, and with a will to follow Him as He commands.

# DAILY DEVOTION

**No Daily Devotions this week**

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