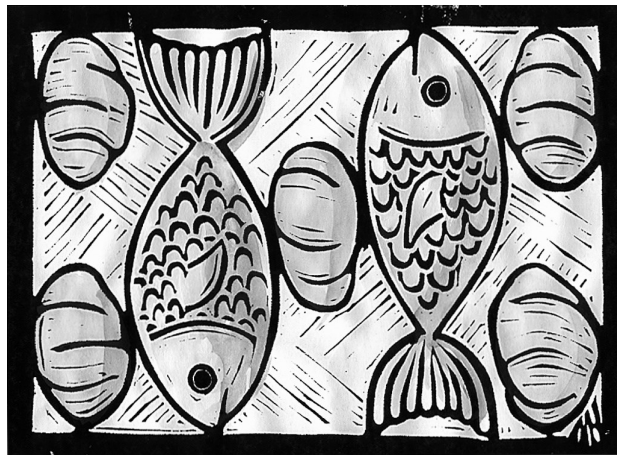


New Hope Presbyterian Church



August 3, 2014

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT NEW HOPE

We are grateful you have joined us today and invite you to participate fully in the worship, education, and mission life of our church.

During Today's Worship

Large-print bulletins and hearing enhancement equipment are available for ease of worship. An usher will be happy to assist you. At the close of worship, please return the unit to the sound booth at the rear of the sanctuary.

Children are especially welcome in our worship services, because faith is formed by the practices that shape it. Red worship bags for young children (non-readers) and blue bags for older children (readers) may be found on the wall outside the sanctuary. An usher will help you locate one. If you would like a worship bag with your child's name on it, you may fill out a request form on the Welcome Table or call the church office (936.2200). Parents who prefer child care will find the infant nursery on the first floor and the Pre-K nursery on the lower-level.

Worship Feast, an experience to help elementary-age children develop awareness of God's presence and openness to mystery through a variety of prayer practices, will not meet today, the first Sunday of the month, so that children may be with the congregation for the celebration of the Lord's Supper.

Preparing for worship...Please silence cell phones upon entering the sanctuary. The need may arise for you to exit the service early. If so, please refrain from exiting during prayers, reading of scripture and choral anthems. Natural and appropriate exit points are during congregational hymns or sung responses. Your courtesy is appreciated. Also, as a kindness to fellow worshipers, please do not take flash photos during the worship service.

Ushering for today's worship: Craig & Kyle Graber, Patrick Murphy, Sharon Barnes, Bryan & Laura Eikmann, Bill & Martha Lamey, Randy & Sylvia Malta, Kay McCarthy.

Flowers: To the glory of God and in memory of my parents, Genevieve "Regina" Mallonee and Melvin Leroy Mallonee, given by Sharon Barnes.

Sound Booth: Bill Irvine

Last Sunday's Attendance: 138

If You Are New to New Hope

Information about our church can be found at the Welcome Table in the foyer.

New Hope Cares

For pastoral care and to notify the church of illness, hospitalization, or death, please contact the church office at 636/936.2200 (office@newhopepc.org). To arrange for home bound Communion, contact Pastor James at cqjames@newhopepc.org or 936.2200 x.11.

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

August 3, 2014

10:30 a.m.

THE GATHERING

*As the people gather, worshipers greet one another, welcoming newcomers.
Please silence cell phones and pagers.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

+ GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Prayer of Preparation

*The start of the Prelude signals the time to cease talking and enter a period of quiet reflection.
This prayer is offered as an aid to help worshipers center the heart and mind for worship.*

Generous God,
the whole creation looks to you,
and you give them their food in due season.
Open your hand to us,
and satisfy us with what we most deeply desire. Amen.

Ps. 145:15-16

+ *DOXOLOGY (*Glory to God 607*)

OLD HUNDREDTH LM

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

*OPENING SENTENCES

Come to the waters; come, eat and drink.

Is. 55:1; Ps. 145:15; Matt. 14:20

The Lord gives us food in due season.

Come to Christ; come, eat and be filled.

By the grace of God, there is plenty for all.

+ *HYMN 645

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above

MIT FREUDEN ZART

*THE CONFESSION

"You give them something to eat,"

Jesus told his disciples

as evening crept over the countryside.

Gracious God,

we confess that we are those disciples,

expecting people to fend for themselves

and afraid to take responsibility for others.
We forget the blessings we have received at others' hands
and resist the common life to which you call us.
O God, forgive us
for hearing only what we want to hear,
for underestimating your claim upon us
and your power to change us,
for pursuing goals that serve no greater good.
Teach us to follow and obey you,
that we may receive your gifts and share them gladly,
and so be satisfied with the life you intend for us.

THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Greet those around you with: "The peace of Christ be with you," responding, "And also with you."

RESPONSE OF PRAISE

Glory Be to the Father (Glory to God 581)

GLORIA PATRI

***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.***

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 32: 22-31

PSALTER (*Glory to God 211*)

Hear, O Lord, My Plea for Justice
based on Psalm 17

EPISTLE READING

Romans 9: 1-5

*THE GOSPEL

ACCLAMATION *Seek Ye First* (v.3) (*Glory to God 175*)

LAFFERTY

***You shall not live by bread alone, but by every word
that proceeds from the mouth of God. Allelu, alleluia!***

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 14: 13-21

THE ALLELUIA (*Glory to God 586*)

ALLELUIA 7

***Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.***

SERMON

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

☞ In silent prayer and reflection you may renew the covenant into which you are baptized. If you would like to learn more about this sacrament, Pastor James would welcome the opportunity to speak with you about it.

THE RITE OF ORDINATION & INSTALLATION OF DEACONS & RULING ELDERS

SENTENCES OF SCRIPTURE

There are a variety of gifts,

1 Corinthians 12:4-7, 27

but it is the same Spirit who gives them.

**There are different ways of serving God,
but is the same Lord who is served.**

God works through each person in a unique way,
but it is God's purpose that is accomplished.

To each is given a gift of the Spirit to be used for the common good.

**Together we are the body of Christ,
and individually members of it.**

STATEMENT ON ORDINATION & INSTALLATION

REAFFIRMATION OF THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS

PRAYER OF ORDINATION

...revealing your saving love in all he said and did.

Gracious God,

**pour out your Holy Spirit upon your servants
whom you called through baptism as your own
and marked as your own.**

Grant them the same mind that was in Christ Jesus.

Give them a spirit of truthfulness

**that they may show the compassion of Christ
in the actions of daily living**

and rightly govern your people.

Give them the gifts of your Holy Spirit

**to build up the church,
to strengthen the common life of your people,
and to lead with compassion and vision.
In the walk of faith and for the work of ministry,
give to your servants gladness and strength,
discipline and hope,
humility, humor, and courage,
and an abiding sense of your presence.**

The prayer continues...

...to the good news of Christ Jesus our Lord.

Amen.

DECLARATION OF ORDINATION & INSTALLATION
CHARGE

THE EUCHARIST

OFFERING OF OURSELVES & OUR GIFTS

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The prayer continues. After the words, "... who forever sing to the glory of your name:" the congregation sings,

...Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The prayer continues. After the words, "Great is the mystery of faith," the congregation proclaims,

...Christ has died;

Christ is risen;

Christ will come again.

The prayer continues and ends with the Lord's Prayer...

...Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

☞ All the baptized may come to the Table at the center and return by the outside aisles. You may take the bread, dip it into the chalice and partake of both together (intinction), or you may partake of the bread and then proceed to partake of the juice from the tray of individual cups. Gluten-free bread is available at the station to the left as you approach the Table (with Pastor James).

HYMN 507

Come to the Table of Grace

TABLE OF GRACE

PRAYER AFTER THE MEAL

THE SENDING

*HYMN 837

What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine

SHOWALTER

*BLESSING & CHARGE

*Please rise in body or spirit.

+ Those arriving may be seated.



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Audrey Chipley, *Child Care Provider*
Marion Hamilton, *Child Care Provider*
Vickie Moore, *Sexton*
Cecilia Poomaa, *Sexton*

Session

Fellowship
Jim Pettit (2014)
Katie Harmon (2015)
Craig Graber (2016)

Formation for Discipleship
Susan Phillips (2014)
Lauren Martinez (2014)
Shelley Geiger (2016)

Ministry, Mission & Evangelism
Ruth Irvine, Clerk (2014)
Neal Powers (2015)
Jim Salter (2016)

Worship, Music & the Arts
Michael Ray (2015)
Linda Dencker (2016)

Administration & Support
Allen Sebaugh (2014)
Bill Pires (2016)

Diaconate

2014
Kimm Besgrove
Jennifer Everly
Don Higgason
Pat Murphy

2015
Jerry Dyer
Jackie Etling
Bill Judd
Kristen Moore
Jim Phillips

2016
Earl Bostic
Ruth Connor
Marion Hamilton
Stan Whiteley

News & Opportunities

Sunday, August 3rd		
9:45 a.m.	Christian Formation	Various Locations
10:30 a.m.	Word & Sacrament	Worship Space
11:30 a.m.	Hospitality Hour	Narthex
11:30 a.m.	Session Coordinating Council	Conference Room
Monday, August 4th		
7:00 p.m.	Deacon Meeting	Conference Room
7:00 p.m.	Adult Mission Trip Meeting	Senior High Room
Tuesday, August 5th		
5:00 a.m.	Election Board	Worship Space
7:00 p.m.	A.A.	Worship Space
Wednesday, August 6th		
10:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting	Conference Room
Thursday, August 7th		
5:50 p.m.	Employment Ministry Committee	Worship Space
7:00 p.m.	Employment Ministry	Worship Space
Saturday, August 9th		
9:45 a.m.	OASIS Food Pantry	
Sunday, August 10th		
9:45 a.m.	Christian Formation	Various Locations
10:30 a.m.	Word & Sacrament	Worship Space

NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

New Hope's Summer Worship Schedule
 May 25th through August 31st
 Christian Formation ~ 9:45 am
 Word & Sacrament ~ 10:30 am

You may have noticed the new signage around the church, which is meant to help us welcome and direct newcomers to where they need to go. Thanks go to the Fellowship Committee for ushering this project to completion.

2nd quarter giving statements are available in the Narthex. The statements are sorted alphabetically. Please make sure to pick up your statement. In an effort to be cost effective, statements will not be mailed unless requested.

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Save the date on August 24th, during the 10:30 am Worship Service. We invite all students and teachers to bring their school backpacks to worship that day for the "Blessing of the Backpacks." We will be asking for God's Blessings during the new school year and the on the students and teachers going back to school.

VBS THANK YOU!

A HUGE thank you to the many volunteers who helped to make this year's Vacation Bible School so successful! There are too many to list, but you know who you are! Without your time and dedication, we would never be able to have made VBS as fun and exciting as it was. This year we were able to spread God's word to 96 children in the morning session and 66 children in the evening session! Thanks again for all of your hard work!

FESTIVAL OF SHARING

The annual Festival of Sharing will occur in Sedalia, MO on Saturday October 18, 2014. This year New Hope is donating Readin' and Writin' Packs (\$12), Personal Hygiene Packs (\$20), and Family Food Packs (\$25). If you elect to make a financial gift simply mark it for "Festival of Sharing." Collection of donated items will begin the first Sunday in September. We will place flyers on the information table listing the contents for each kit. Sunday October 5, 2014 will be the last day for contributions. Thank you for faithfully supporting this statewide effort.

News & Opportunities, which is distributed during Sunday worship, is also available on the Welcome Table in the narthex and at www.newhopepc.org.

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CHILDREN

Today, August 3rd <i>Infant Nursery</i> Alyssa Murray <i>Pre-K Nursery</i> Elaine Barbee	August 10th Kristine Bruce Barbi Smith
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The infant nursery is for babies & toddlers up to age two and is located in the Turtle Room upstairs. The Pre-K nursery is for ages 3-5 and is located in the Butterfly Room downstairs.

Worship Feast, for elementary aged children, is a special program that is designed to help children develop their innate connection to God and their natural openness to mystery through a variety of prayer practices.

Worship Feast Volunteers
August 3rd - No Worship Feast
August 10th - Jane Cox & Jennifer Taylor

To sign up to volunteer in the infant nursery, pre-k nursery, or Worship Feast, go to <http://www.signupgenius.com/index.cfm?go=s.SignupLogin&urlid=10C0F4FA9A829A7FA7-child>
Use access code 1580 to log in.

NEW HOPE PRESENTS JR KINDERGARTEN

New Hope is now offering an extended week program for 4's and 5's on Tuesday and Thursday. Jr kindergarten will give kids the opportunity to have more exposure to the concepts that are pertinent to kindergarten entry as well as unique science, math and language experiences. The cost is only \$35/ full day and \$20/ morning. (Before and after school care will also be available.) Register right away. Space is limited. Please contact Stacy at 636-922-9900 or go to www.newhopepreschool.org for more information.

WORSHIP

New Hope worships each Sunday during the summer at 10:30 am with The Lord's Supper being celebrated.

Lectionary for Sunday, August 10th, 2014
Genesis 37: 1-4, 12-28
Psalm 105: 1-6
Romans 10: 5-15
Matthew 14: 22-33

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Nursery Class (for infants to age 3) meets in the Nursery/Turtle Room. The Preschool Class for ages 3, 4 and 5 continues to meet in the Butterfly Room. Elementary Age Class includes children in Kindergarten through Fifth Grades in the Caterpillar Room, and the Youth Class for mid and senior highs convenes in the Senior High Room. The Contemporary Issues Class for adults will continue to meet during the summer months as well. If you have any questions, please contact Barbi Smith at 636 936-2200.

SANCTUARY SHAWLS

The Prayer Shawl Ministry has provided a basket of sanctuary shawls which is located on the table in the Narthex. These shawls may be used if anyone feels chilly when he/she comes into the church. Please feel free to take one if you'd like, use it during church, and then return it to the basket following service.

SCRIP CARDS

SCRIP cards work great if you are planning your summer vacation. There are hotels and car rental agencies available for purchase. We also have your everyday needs such as Walmart. Order on Sunday and pick them up the following Sunday. A portion of each purchase comes back to the church as "free" money. Last year we collected over \$1000 to use for the youth. We are trying to get new furniture for the senior high youth room. If you have any questions, contact Jennifer Everly at 314/369-4398.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Teachers and leaders are needed for the 2014-2015 Christian Formation year which is scheduled to begin September 7th. Teachers work in teams, making it possible to be absent when necessary. Sunday School classes meet from 9:45-10:45 am each Sunday and KFC, Middle School and Senior High Youth Groups meet weekly. Teaching a Sunday School Class or leading a fellowship group are wonderful ways to live out the commitment that we make when we baptize an infant, youth or adult. Please take an information form from the Information Table if you would like to learn more!

PER CAPITA UPDATE

Thank you to everyone who has paid their per capita apportionment. To date, we have received \$5290.20 in per capita offerings. Our obligation to support the Presbytery for 2014 totals \$11,430.72. We have received 47% of the total amount of per capita. Per capita envelopes were recently mailed to all members. If you did not receive an envelope, please contact the church office. Per capita apportionment is \$30.20 per church member.

MISSION, MINISTRY & EVANGELISM

COINS FOR CONCERN

Each year the Ministry, Mission and Evangelism committee designates any loose coins placed in the offering plates to a specific mission project. All coins are designated for the Youth Mission Trip. As of the end of July, you have all contributed \$577.15. Thank you for your generosity. Let's continue to support them with our "Coins for Concern."

SCHNUCKS COMMUNITY CARD

It's Easy!! Stop by the table in the Narthex and pick up your Schnucks Community Card. This is something we have done at New Hope for several years. It is free, it really is easy and all you have to do is sign up, either (www.schnucks.com) or by phone (800-931-6258), link your card to New Hope Presbyterian Church, and show the card when you do your grocery shopping at Schnucks. We will get up to 3% of the purchase. This is just a simple way to help us earn a little extra money!

SHOEMAN COLLECTION

We are always collecting new and used shoes for the Shoeman Water Project! Once collected, the shoes get a second life through sale to exporters. Money from the sale of the shoes purchases well drilling rigs, water purification systems, and other supplies to bring clean, fresh water to those in need. To participate, give your shoes the boot by donating your used and new shoes, tied or rubber-banned into pairs into our drop off bin, located by the Mission Table in the Narthex.

JULY MEAL-A-MONTH

1 can chicken & dumplings, 1 can vegetables, 1 can fruit, 1 box/bag cookies, 1 plastic jar peanut butter