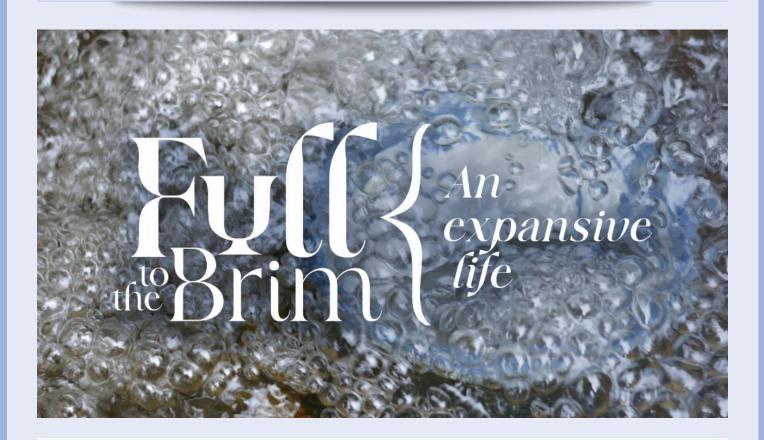


April 18, 2025

News and Opportunities



April 20, 2025

Resurrection of the Lord Acts 10:34-43 ~ 1 Corinthians 15:19-26 ~ Luke 24:1-12 Attend in-person or livestream Order of Service - Triduum Order of Service - Easter

This Week at New Hope Sunday, April 20th Easter Sunday Sunday School classes are cancelled this week 10:15am Worship Service (Worship Center) Monday, April 21st Easter Monday Church Office Closed

Tuesday, April 22nd10:00am To The Moon (Room 101, Room 102, Room 104, Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, April 23rd

9:00am

- To The Moon (Room 101, Room 102, Room 104, Fellowship Hall)
- Newman Wedding Setup (Worship Center)

Thursday, April 24th

10:00am To The Moon (Room 101, Room 102, Room 104, Fellowship Hall)
5:00pm Newman Wedding Rehearsal (Worship Center)
6:00pm Girl Scouts (Room 104)
6:30pm Boy Scout Troop 30 (Fellowship Hall)

Friday, April 25th 9:00am To The Moon (Room 101, Room 102, Room 104, Fellowship Hall) 2:00pm Newman Wedding (Worship Center, Youth Room, Nursery)

Saturday, April 26th 2:00pm *Rhonda Dyer* Memorial Service (Worship Center)

> April 2025 calendar May 2025 calendar (hard copy of the calendar can be found in the Narthex)

HOLY WEEK AT NEW HOPE

April 13

 10:15 a.m. Liturgy of Word & Sacrament
 11:30 a.m. Palm Sunday Brunch & Easter Egg Hunt

April 17

7:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Word, Footwashing, & the Eucharist

April 18

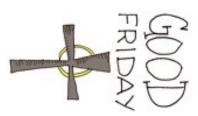
7:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Word, Intercessory Prayer, & Solemn Reproaches of the Cross

April 19

8:00 p.m. Great Vigil of Easter Liturgies of Light, Readings, Affirmation of Baptism & Eucharist

PALM



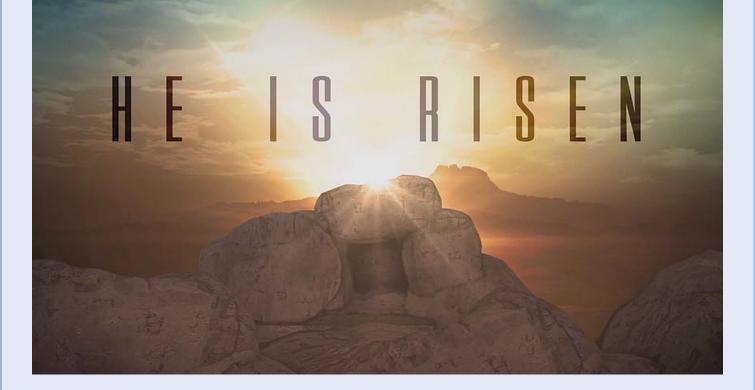




April 20

10:15 a.m. Liturgy of Word & Sacrament





NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

ALL Sunday School classes cancelled for Easter Sunday



For healing and comfort ~ Kathy Kuehnle, Steve Crain (son-in-law of Nancy Seals) *For the grieving* ~ for the family of Debbie Sanders (aunt of Marion Hamilton - April 9); for the family of *Rhonda Dyer* (March 29)

For joy ~ The birth of Benjamin Wright Hurrell (March 23) to Jake and Rachel Hurrell. Benjamin's grandparents are Clark and Kelley Hurrell.

For the nation and the world ~ for peace, unity, and hope for all this Easter, as we remember the transformative power of Christ and His resurrection.

Continuing Prayer Requests ~ Please continue to pray for those listed *here*.

Please help us keep the prayer list up to date by notifying Trudi Johnson in the church office of any additions or deletions



Birthday Bag Donations

We had a Girl Scout troop reach out and ask if we wanted to be recipients of birthday bags (cake mix, icing, candles, etc.) for the OASIS Food Pantry. They made and delivered 73 bags!



Thank You!

A HUGE thank you to everyone who contributed and volunteered for our Palm Sunday Brunch and Easter Egg Hunt! From donating candy for the eggs, stuffing the eggs, setting up on Saturday, those who brought in food or beverages, and those who cleaned up, it was a wonderful New Hope family event all around. Thank you especially to the Formation for Discipleship Committee and the Deacons working together to organize everything!

A Heartfelt Message of Gratitude from the Dyer Family

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for the cards, kind words, wishes, and prayers over the last few months. The emotional uplift these gestures provided was immeasurable, not only for me but for Rhonda's entire family. Each card was displayed on the table, and all visitors were encouraged to read through them.

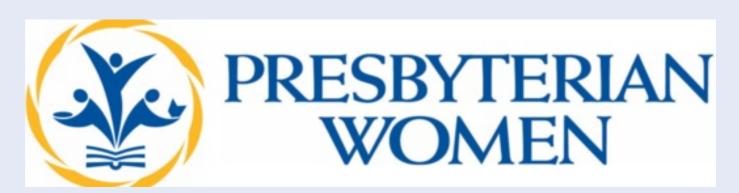


Rhonda was often moved to tears by the heartfelt thoughts and wishes conveyed in the cards.

New Hope has been a significant part of her life, and the grace, warmth, and acceptance you showed her were what kept her going.

Thank you for your unwavering support.

Sincerely, Jerry



Five women from New Hope participated in the Presbyterian Women's Spring Gathering held Saturday, April 5th at the Pacific Presbyterian Church! Fifty attendees from churches throughout the Presbytery enjoyed joyful music, spiritual insights, fellowship and delicious food. Please see the "Gallery Wall", outside the Conference Room, for a photo collage. More information about the Gathering will appear in the upcoming PW Linkletter soon to be available in the Narthex. See *Ann Schmid* with any questions!



Vacation Bible School Registration Is Now Open!

Come join us for this year's Vacation Bible School, Wonder Junction! VBS will be held June 16-20, from 9:00am-12:00pm each day. It is open to ages 4 through 5th grade. The cost is \$25 per child, and includes snacks and a t-shirt. The deadline to register is May 19th. Use the link *here* to register your child(ren) online, or *here* to download a form to print and turn in to the church office.

Please invite your friends and neighbors! We welcome all outside of our church family to attend this super fun week!

If you have any questions, please contact Trudi Johnson or Tara Larrew.



You can find the list for birthdays and anniversaries below. Hard copies can also be found in the Narthex. *April Birthdays & Anniversaries May Birthdays & Anniversaries*

Mission & Ministry

Food Pantry Needs

Beef stew Canned beef & pork Coffee Individual juice pouches & boxes Ketchup & mustard

New Hope Food Pantry

Thank you to all who stock the food pantry! We also want to thank those who support the food pantry with your monetary gifts and food donations. Our church could not offer this important ministry without all of you!

Below is a list of most-needed items this week. Please consider picking up one or two of these items as you do your weekly shopping or making a directed monthly monetary donation to the food pantry so that we can buy more in our monthly shopping.

- Beef stew
- Canned beef & pork
- Coffee
- Individual juice pouches & boxes
- Ketchup & mustard

A few years ago a generous donor donated a bulk purchase of toothpaste and toothbrushes to the pantry. We are almost out of these now. We have found that dentists are happy to donate excess supplies that they receive from their suppliers to local pantries if asked by their patients. So next time you go to the dentist, please ask if they would like to donate any items to our food pantry. Thank you!

For your shopping convenience, orders can be placed through our wish list at *Amazon*. Thank you!

Please click the link below to see more items needed. *Additional Items Needed*

And we can always use more volunteers! Don't worry if you're not sure what to do, we'll work with you until you're comfortable. Just let the office know that you'd like some help getting started. *Sign up link for volunteering*

OASIS Birthday Bags

Thank you to all who donate to OASIS Birthday Bags. This mission could not continue without people like you. God bless! OASIS Birthday Bags for boys and girls ages 1-12 years.

We are most in need of:

- icing
- small gifts for ages 7-12
- cake mixes
- crayons
- paper plates
- napkins

If you have any questions please call Barb MacShane at (636) 426-0461 or Donna Drackert at (636) 778-8254.

Giving Opportunities

Give to New Hope

NHPC Food Pantry Amazon Wish List Food Pantry List Sign up to Volunteer

Other Give to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance for: Disaster Relief - US Wildfires



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