

WELCOME TO NEW HOPE!

We are so glad you found your way here today. To our members and returning visitors, welcome back! To those of you who are new, welcome! There are a couple of things you might like to know.

First, New Hope Presbyterian is a Bible-believing congregation seeking to worship and serve God in response to the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, through the power of the Holy Spirit. Second, we believe gathered worship is the central event in the church's life together: it restores and shapes our whole lives in the pattern of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

We also recognize that for some of you this is the first time (or the first time in a long time) in a more structured service of worship that calls for you to participate so actively. Relax! Everything you need is both printed in the Worship Guide you are holding and up on the screen. We encourage you to turn off the auto-pilot and join us in vibrantly and enthusiastically praising God, confessing, singing, and hearing the Scriptures. Worship is for all of God's people. Enjoy the service!

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WELCOME

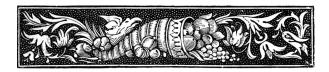
PRELUDE: Blest Be the Tie that Binds/Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us

John Fawcett, DENNIS, Hans G. Nageli, arr. Lee Holdridge

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

Savior, like a Shepherd lead us, much we need Thy tender care. In Thy pleasant pastures feed us, for our use Thy folds prepare. Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus, Thou has bought us, Thine we are.

We are Thine, do Thou befriend us, be the guardian of our way. Keep Thy flock from sin, defend us, seek us when we go astray. Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus, Thou has bought us, Thine we are.



CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 95:1-6

¹ Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! ² Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! ³ For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. ⁴ In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also. ⁵ The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.

⁶ Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!

INVOCATION

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN: You Holy Angels Bright (TH 18)

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN: Now Thank We All Our God (TH 98)

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

OFFERING & OFFERTORY: Grant Us Your Peace

Felix Mendelssohn

Grant us your peace, O loving Lord, Our rock and firm foundation. Our faith is in your excellent Word, Speaking to every nation. Your promise of sure salvation.



CONGREGATIONAL SONG: My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON: "The Point of No Return"

2 Kings 21

Rev. Richard L. Burguet

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN: All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (TH 296)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



You Holy Angels Bright

Praise him, all his angels, praise him, all his heavenly hosts. Ps. 148:2



Away, distrustful care!
 I have your promise, Lord;
 to banish all despair,
 I have your oath and word;
 and therefore I shall see your face
 and there your grace shall magnify.

Based on Psalm 148 Richard Baxter, 1672; alt.; alt. 1990, mod. DARWALL 6.6.6.6.8.8. John Darwall, 1770

Now Thank We All Our God

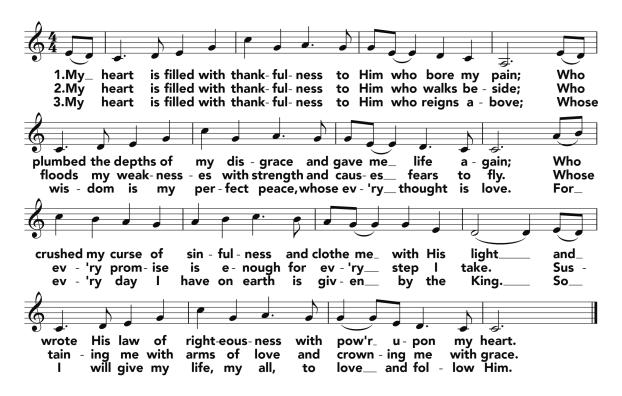
Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious name. 1 Chron. 29:13



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Johann Crüger, 1647

My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness



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God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name. Phil. 2:9



- Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe, on this terrestrial ball, to him all majesty ascribe. and crown him Lord of all; to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all.
- 6. O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall; we'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all; we'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all.

SERMON NOTES:

SERMON REVIEW

"A Sovereign God Who Calls His People To Pray" (2 Kings 20)

Prior to last week's sermon, Senior Pastor Richard Burguet asked what life would be like if we belonged to a family that never communicated, when we spend so much time on our cell phones texting and responding to many persons we don't even know? Yet how often do we communicate with God, offering up admonition, confession, thanksgiving, supplication, lament and praise as Jesus did in Mark 1:35, Luke 5:16, and Luke 6:12? A sovereign God provoked his people to pray (James 1:2-4) by having the prophet Isaiah tell Hezekiah he would not live and to put his house in order. When Hezekiah prayed as his father David did (Psalms 7:3-5; 17:1-5: 18:20-26: 26:1-7: 44:17-22) and asked God for help. God listened to all the good Hezekiah had done and promised to heal him and prolong his life by 15 years. God is always present in every aspect of our lives. Our prayers matter to him who hears when his people cry out, and responds as he sees fit, knowing what's best for us. Sometimes his compassion comes packaged in hard times, which he does for the sake of redeeming us. We need to trust whatever he brings into our lives. Yet Hezekiah's heart is divided (vv. 12-19; Isaiah 38, 39). He walked by faith and trusted God, but also walked by sight, allowing his pride and prosperity to cloud his thinking without giving praise to God his provider. After Hezekiah showed off all his wealth to the ambassadors from Babylon, God told him Babylon will eventually take it all away from him. This teaches us all that humility is our best friend and pride our greatest enemy. Hezekiah's reign ended with a thud because he forgot his ultimate restoration comes only from God. Let's remember the ultimate restoration is coming. Be steadfast. We all need to place our trust in Jesus, our one and only king, Lord, and Savior.

PRAY THIS WEEK:

MISSIONS PARTNERS: From Hardy Reynolds of RUF: "Pray for the Lord's continued kindness and provision for myself and our interns as we seek to lead students to Jesus week-in and week-out and equip them to serve him for a lifetime."

CFL PRESBYTERY: For Immanuel in DeLand and pastors Deren Harper and Tyler Kenney.

NEW HOPE: As we prepare for the Nativity and Advent, that we will have a new awareness for the reason of the season and be thankful for all that God has given us!

LAKESIDE COVENANT: For Lakeside as they prepare for particularization.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH OF KHERSON, UKRAINE: For God's continued protection and provision for Vova, Max and his family, and the Holy Trinity Church family, and preservation of the church building. That as the war drags on, seemingly endlessly, you'll give those who have remained there strength and courage to continue to endure and serve those around them.

YEAR-TO-DATE GIVING

General Fund

(Budget)	(\$418,727)
Contributions	\$426,778

IMAGES

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NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

2 Franz Frank, Randall Van Meggelen

4 Donna Isaacson

13 Bruce May

18 Anne Burguet

27 Rachel Graves

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

5 Donna & Merrill Isaacson

18 Josh and Hannah Overfield



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