

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.

# Morning Worship

October 23, 2022

## Reflections

*As Christ would have us to be certainly persuaded that there shall be a day of judgment, both to deter all men from sin; and for the greater consolation of the godly in their adversity; so will He have that day unknown to men, that they may shake off all carnal security, and be always watchful, because they know not at what hour the Lord will come; and may be ever prepared to say, Come Lord Jesus, come quickly. Amen.*

~ Westminster Confession of Faith 33

*Because God is personal, sin against God is a personal affront; because God is just, sin incurs the penalty of his judgment.” ~ D.A. Carson*

*Then I learned that the only way to be set free from sin was for its just penalty to be borne, and that God had done this himself in and through Jesus Christ who died for our sins on the cross. Next I learned that if we become personally united to Jesus Christ by faith, we die with him, his death becomes our death, so that the penalty is paid, the debt is settled, and we are set free from the bondage of the old life.*

~ John Stott

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## Approach to God

### Prelude

### Welcome

### Call to Worship — Revelation 1:12-18 (responsive)

<sup>12</sup>Then I turned to see the voice that was speaking to me, and on turning I saw seven golden lampstands, <sup>13</sup>and in the midst of the lampstands one like a son of man, clothed with a long robe and with a golden sash around his chest. <sup>14</sup>**The hairs of his head were white, like white wool, like snow. His eyes were like a flame of fire, <sup>15</sup>his feet were like burnished bronze, refined in a furnace, and his voice was like the roar of many waters.** <sup>16</sup>In his right hand he held seven stars, from his mouth came a sharp two-edged sword, and his face was like the sun shining in full strength.

<sup>17</sup>When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. But he laid his right hand on me, saying, **“Fear not, I am the first and the last, <sup>18</sup>and the living one. I died, and behold I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of Death and Hades.”**

### Prayer of Invocation

Hymn 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.

Based on Psalm 104  
 Robert Grant, 1833  
 Mod.

LYONS 10.10.11.11.  
 Johann Michael Haydn, 1737-1806.  
 Arr. in William Gardiner's *Sacred Melodies*, 1815.

## **Song of Praise — Immortal, Invisible**

Immortal, You are not like a man  
That you change Your mind or change Your plan  
Invisible, our human eyes can't see the depths of Your majesty

Chorus:

*You're the God of forever and ever amen  
The alpha, omega, beginning and end  
We sing Hallelujah we worship in awe, immortal, invisible God*

Immortal, You are not bound by death  
You're the living God, my very breath  
Invisible You are not bound by space  
But Your glory is filling this place, Yes Your glory is filling this place  
(Chorus)

Immortal yet You once died for me, to pay my debt to set me free  
Invisible You will not always be  
'Cause You're coming to reign as our king  
And the saints will fall down at Your feet (Chorus)

We sing Hallelujah, We worship in awe  
Immortal, invisible God, Immortal, invisible God

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## **Renewal**

### **Confession of Sin — Romans 1:28-32**

<sup>28</sup> And since they did not see fit to acknowledge God, God gave them up to a debased mind to do what ought not to be done. <sup>29</sup> They were filled with all manner of unrighteousness, evil, covetousness, malice. They are full of envy, murder, strife, deceit, maliciousness. They are gossips, <sup>30</sup> slanderers, haters of God, insolent, haughty, boastful, inventors of evil, disobedient to parents, <sup>31</sup> foolish, faithless, heartless, ruthless. <sup>32</sup> Though they know God's righteous decree that those who practice such things deserve to die, they not only do them but give approval to those who practice them.

### **Silent Prayer of Confession**

## **Assurance of Pardon — Colossians 2:13-14**

<sup>13</sup>And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, <sup>14</sup>by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.

## **Response in Song — The Power of the Cross**

O, to see the dawn of the darkest day; Christ on the road to Calvary.  
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten, then nailed to a cross of wood.

O, to see the pain, written on Your face,  
Bearing the awesome weight of sin.  
Ev'ry bitter thought, ev'ry evil deed.  
Crowning Your bloodstained brow... (chorus#1)

### Chorus #1

*This the pow'r of the cross; Christ became sin for us,  
Took the blame, bore the wrath; We stand forgiven at the cross.*

Now the daylight flees; now the ground beneath,  
Quakes as its Maker bows His head.  
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life—  
"Finished!" the victory cry. (chorus #1)

O, to see my name, written in the wounds,  
For through Your suff'ring I am free.  
Death is crushed to death! Life is mine to live,  
Won through your selfless love! (chorus #2)

### Chorus #2

*This is the pow'r of the cross;  
Son of God, slain for us  
What a love, what a cost!  
We stand forgiven at the cross (repeat)*

## **Reception of New Members — Chris Boyles, Dan Bull**

**Offering\*** — *Psalm 116:12* <sup>12</sup>What shall I render to the LORD for all his benefits to me?

*\*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 — 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

## Commitment

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### Congregational Prayer

*Children's Church Dismissal — Children ages 4-5 may be dismissed to children's church at parents' discretion*

### Sermon Text — Isaiah 34

Draw near, O nations, to hear, and give attention, O peoples!

Let the earth hear, and all that fills it;  
the world, and all that comes from it.

<sup>2</sup>For the LORD is enraged against all the nations,  
and furious against all their host;

he has devoted them to destruction, has given them over for slaughter.

<sup>3</sup>Their slain shall be cast out, and the stench of their corpses shall rise;  
the mountains shall flow with their blood.

<sup>4</sup>All the host of heaven shall rot away,  
and the skies roll up like a scroll.

All their host shall fall, as leaves fall from the vine,  
like leaves falling from the fig tree.

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- <sup>5</sup> For my sword has drunk its fill in the heavens;  
    behold, it descends for judgment upon Edom,  
    upon the people I have devoted to destruction.
- <sup>6</sup> The LORD has a sword; it is sated with blood; it is gorged with fat,  
    with the blood of lambs and goats,  
    with the fat of the kidneys of rams.  
For the LORD has a sacrifice in Bozrah,  
    a great slaughter in the land of Edom.
- <sup>7</sup> Wild oxen shall fall with them, and young steers with the mighty bulls.  
Their land shall drink its fill of blood,  
    and their soil shall be gorged with fat.
- <sup>8</sup> For the LORD has a day of vengeance,  
    a year of recompense for the cause of Zion.
- <sup>9</sup> And the streams of Edom shall be turned into pitch,  
    and her soil into sulfur; her land shall become burning pitch.
- <sup>10</sup> Night and day it shall not be quenched;  
    its smoke shall go up forever.  
From generation to generation it shall lie waste;  
    none shall pass through it forever and ever.
- <sup>11</sup> But the hawk and the porcupine shall possess it,  
    the owl and the raven shall dwell in it.  
He shall stretch the line of confusion over it,  
    and the plumb line of emptiness.
- <sup>12</sup> Its nobles—there is no one there to call it a kingdom,  
    and all its princes shall be nothing.
- <sup>13</sup> Thorns shall grow over its strongholds,  
    nettles and thistles in its fortresses.  
It shall be the haunt of jackals, an abode for ostriches.
- <sup>14</sup> And wild animals shall meet with hyenas;  
    the wild goat shall cry to his fellow;  
indeed, there the night bird settles  
    and finds for herself a resting place.
- <sup>15</sup> There the owl nests and lays  
    and hatches and gathers her young in her shadow;  
indeed, there the hawks are gathered, each one with her mate.
- <sup>16</sup> Seek and read from the book of the LORD:  
    Not one of these shall be missing;  
    none shall be without her mate.  
For the mouth of the LORD has commanded,  
    and his Spirit has gathered them.
- <sup>17</sup> He has cast the lot for them;  
    his hand has portioned it out to them with the line;  
they shall possess it forever;  
    from generation to generation they shall dwell in it.

## **Sermon — Consider Judgement Day** ~ Pastor Francis VanDelden



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# Consider Judgement Day

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Isaiah 34

Consider: God's sovereign justice; whether or not you are ready for Judgement Day; your lost neighbors, how much Jesus bore in taking your judgement.

## **Closing Song — 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. (chorus)

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. (chorus)

## **Benediction**

## **Postlude**

# THANK YOU FOR SERVING

## **9:30 am**

Welcome Team: Lora Washburne, Monte Festog (early team)  
Jeff & Kim Jernigan (late team)  
SS Nursery: Joy Nichols, Cath Howard

## **10:30 am**

Toddler Nursery: Diana Neeriemer, Rachel Neahusan,  
Jessie VanDelden  
Infant Nursery: Valory Snyder  
Children's Church: Karen Ochs, Johanna Homon, David Ochs  
Sound: Jim Washburne  
Live Stream: Craig Lalley  
Nursery On-call: Monica Laird

## **Serving Next Week**

## **9:30 am**

Welcome Team: Wayne Greenfield, Chris Lear (early team)  
Jackie Plowman, Marc Quist (late team)  
SS Nursery: Betsy Lalley, Amy Wright

## **10:30 am**

Toddler Nursery: Laura VanDelden, Rachel Clifford, Lillian Williams  
Infant Nursery: Sue Bridenbaugh  
Children's Church: Steve Ochs, Lauren Mendez, Jack Socash  
Sound: Craig & Betsy Lalley  
Live Stream: Craig & Betsy Lalley  
Nursery On-call: Valory Snyder

# THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE

## **Tuesday**

**Trustee Meeting**, 7:30 pm in room C8

## **Wednesday**

### **Ladies' Bible Studies**

- 9:30-11:00 in sanctuary building, childcare provided, studying the book of Mark
- 10-11:30 in C8, studying 1-3 John

**Whole Church Dinner & Bible Study**, 6-7:30 pm  
**Youth Group Meeting**, 6-8 pm in C6

## **Saturday**

**Men's Ministry**, 8-10 am at the church, viewing "Christian Worldview" and discussing.

# COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

## **Our Church Family**

- Give thanks for Chris Boyles and Dan Bull who are joining the church today. Pray that they would be quickly engrafted into the church family and that their gifts would be well-used for God's glory.
- Pray for the growth groups that are meeting today that they will be places of spiritual growth, encouragement, and care for one another. Pray, too, for the leaders of the groups that they will be devoted to the Word, humbly serving those in their little flocks.
- Pray for sober mindedness as we consider the world we live in and our place in it. Help us to live as people who know that this world is not our home, always mindful of our true citizenship in heaven.
- Pray for those who struggle with anxiety and/or depression. Pray for peace, comfort, and trust in the Lord and His promises.
- Pray that our elders will serve the church with love, wisdom, and humbleness. Pray that the Lord would give them the strength the need to carry out their calling.
- Pray for Jeff & Patti Deschamps, Joan Johansen, Scott Innes, and John & Muriel Hadidian who are all struggling with health related difficulties either with themselves or with family members. Pray that God will give strength bear up under the strain.
- Pray for an end to the war in Ukraine. Pray for peace and for the aggression to stop. Pray that the Lord would turn hearts toward Him so that true peace will reign.
- Pray for Hannah Beck and Jamie Lindsey who are expecting new little ones. Pray for the continued health and safety of both moms and babies.
- 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 God will continue to provide for all their needs.
- Pray that the Lord would give us hearts that yearn to share the gospel with others. Pray that He will give opportunities for us to give the good news to co-workers, friends, neighbors, and other people in our sphere.

## **Missionaries & Others**

- Pray for our missionaries of the month, James & Esther Folkerts, who are serving the Lord in Uganda. Pray for faithfulness and much wisdom for God's calling them to be the salt and light of Christ in Karamoja.
- Continue to pray for Luke Hake as he serves in East Asia. Pray that the Lord would give Luke wisdom as he serves, would provide refreshment and rest daily, and give opportunity to share the gospel with those around him.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Baby Shower**, mark your calendars for November 5th at 10:00 am. New Hope will be giving Hannah Beck a shower in expectation of her new little baby girl. **See the invite in your mailbox for details!**

**Women's Christmas Party**, the women's committee is looking for someone to host this year's Christmas party. Are you interested or want more info? Contact Ann Burden ([annburd6656@gmail.com](mailto:annburd6656@gmail.com)), Rosemarie Festog ([festogr@hotmail.com](mailto:festogr@hotmail.com)) or Joy Nichols ([joy.lynn.nichols@gmail.com](mailto:joy.lynn.nichols@gmail.com)).

**Wood Splitting**, we are in need of 6 people to come help split wood on the 29th of October. If you are available to help, please contact Mark Ohl-wiler at

**New Hope Youth**, if you are aged 11-18, mark your calendars for Nov. 5th 11am-9pm for a day full of adventure. The youth will meet at New Hope for Brunch, head out for a hike at Sugarloaf Mountain, head back to the church for chili, a bonfire, worship and games. Please RSVP with Karen Ochs at [kiernonsjoy21@yahoo.com](mailto:kiernonsjoy21@yahoo.com) or 301-693-9248. Also, if you are interested in volunteering to help with food, transportation, chaperoning (or generally blessing our youth), please don't hesitate to reach out!

**Interviewed for Membership**, the New Hope session is pleased to let you know that Tyler & Johanna Homon were interviewed for membership and will be joining soon.

**Charles Ruch's Memorial Service**, this coming Saturday, October 29th, at New Hope Church at 3:00 pm. All are invited.

**Reformation Day Service**, come join in worship with four other OPC churches as we celebrate Reformation Day on October 30th at 7:00 pm at Bethel OPC in Leesburg.

## **Growth Groups meeting this week:**

- Bruce Johnson Growth Group will be meeting tonight from 4-6 pm in room C6 at the church campus.
- Francis VanDelden Growth Group will be meeting for dinner and Sunday tonight from 5:30-7:30 pm at the VanDelden home, 6917 Palace Court.



## New Member Bios

**Dan Bull** grew up in Alexandria, VA the youngest son and middle of 3 children. Dan came to know the Lord in elementary school and attended a Calvary Chapel nondenominational church growing up. He was very active in FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) through high school and college. Over the years Dan has served in various capacities at Nazarene churches among others he's been associated with and has truly enjoyed this particular body of believers at New Hope the better part of 2 years.

Dan is a father of three children, a daughter Maddy who's in college, Katelyn, a senior at Oakdale and son Jack, a sophomore also at Oakdale.

# DAILY DEVOTION

**Memory Verse:** Isaiah 35:3 —<sup>3</sup>Strengthen the weak hands, and make firm the feeble knees.

**Westminster LC 89** What shall be done to the wicked at the day of judgment? *At the day of judgment, the wicked shall be set on Christ's left hand, and, upon clear evidence, and full conviction of their own consciences, shall have the fearful but just sentence of condemnation pronounced against them; and thereupon shall be cast out from the favorable presence of God, and the glorious fellowship with Christ, his saints, and all his holy angels, into hell, to be punished with unspeakable torments, both of body and soul, with the devil and his angels forever.*

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**Monday:** Isaiah 34. In what situation is Judah (Is 8:7-8)? Imagine how that would make them feel about God's power and control. How does Is 34 demonstrate God's sovereignty over the nations? How is that a comfort and strengthener to you/God's church (v 8, Mt 16:18, Gen 50:20)? If you have time, look up Num 20:14-21, Obadiah 8-14) to see why Edom is used as the symbol for all nations.

**Tuesday:** Glance over Isaiah 34 and 35 to see how God is sovereign both in judgment and salvation. What is the just reward for rejecting heavenly salvation and embracing earthly salvation? Reflect on the horror of this by looking at God's anger (2), sword (5), sacrifice (6), and day of vengeance (8-10). Compare Mt 25:41-46, Rev 18:1-3. Read 2 Cor 5:18-20. Pray for specific unbelievers, missionaries, preachers. Seek to grow closer to people in your circles and ask them curious questions. Disciple your children.

**Wednesday:** Read Is 34:1-9. If you are a believer, consider how Jesus bore all this so you don't have to (Col 2:13-14, Is 53:4-6)! If you are not a believer, consider what God is offering you freely by putting your faith in Jesus (Rom 6:23, Is 53:4-6). Praise God for this great salvation, and his kindness, goodness and grace! How can you express the wonder of such a great salvation in how you live/love others?

**Thursday:** Is 34. How does Isaiah 34 picture God's judgment using Old Testament concepts (v 2 devotion to destruction in Josh 6:17; v 6 the sacrifice in Lev 1:3-9; v 9 Sodom's destruction in Gen 19:24, v 11 the barren land in Lev 26:20-22; v 17 the casting of lots in Num 36:53)? How certain does v 16 say this day of judgment will be (Mt 24:29-35)? How will you live in light of this (Eph 5:15-16, Jude 17-23)?

**Friday:** Isaiah 34 should sober each of us. Read Mark 4:14-20 and look for yourself in the 4 seeds. Where are you? The key to being good soil is in knowing Jesus. Look at Is 34:5. Sin demands blood payment for our sin is against an eternal, holy God. Is 34:5 shows us our just judgment. But there's another way. Look at Is 53:6-8, Eph 5:2. Look at how the consummation of his salvation is depicted in Is 35:1, 9-10.

**Saturday:** Read Isaiah 35. Pray that God would meet us in the opening of his Word.