



fully devoted

sermon series beginning October 14

PRAY FOR OUR NATION

CALLING ALL MEN TO PRAY FOR 30 MINUTES ON TUESDAYS
IN THE SANCTUARY FROM 6:30 - 8:00am *

*PLEASE TAKE TIME DURING THE DAY TO PRAY IF YOU
CAN'T MAKE IT TO THE CHURCH DURING THIS TIME

Nursery available during all scheduled services

Sunday
8:00 & 10:15 a.m. Worship & Graded Children's Churches
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Service

Wednesday
5:30 p.m. Wednesday Family Supper (during school year)
6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
Adult Bible Classes
Infusion (9th - 12th grades)
Ignite (6th - 8th grades)
Foundations & Transition (5th grade)
Journey Kids (Kindergarten - 4th grade)
Square Roots (Preschool program)

Saturday
5:00 p.m. The Avenue www.theavenue.com
Casual & Contemporary Worship Service

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Brian Smith	Jesse Johannesen
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“Unless the Lord Builds the House”
Pastor James Weaver

Sunday, October 7, 2012

Pastor Weaver, Pastor Jeff

Pastor Appreciation

We Love You All!

Pastor Brett, Pastor Brian, Pastor Jesse,
Pastor Cortney, Pastor Elizabeth, Pastor Austin,
Pastor Hawkins, Pastor Ullestad

TODAY

To Our Visitors - WELCOME! We are very happy you have come to worship with us today. We invite you to stop by the Welcome Center in the foyer to pick up a Visitor Brochure that will help acquaint you with New Hope. Visitor cards are available in the pew rack if you would like to leave a record of your visit. If ever we can serve you, please let us know. Thank you & may God bless you.

Today is **New Hope's 22nd anniversary** and **Pastor Appreciation Day**. Please take an opportunity to express your appreciation to your pastors. There will be a special presentation in the service tonight.

Ezekiel - New Sunday School class taught by Gary Walter beginning today in the Youth Chapel.

Orchestra rehearsal today at 4:30 p.m.

Heartsong Singers (grades K-2) and **M&M Choir** (grades 3-5) rehearsal today at 5:00 p.m. in the Youth Center.

Rainbows, the Noah's Ark Club for preschoolers, will meet tonight at 6:00 p.m.

NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

Life Chain's 25th Year - Today, First Assembly of God Church, 2725 Merle Hay Rd. from 2:00-3:30 p.m. LIFE CHAIN is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing for 90 minutes praying for our nation and for an end to abortion. It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Christian community that abortion kills children and that the Church supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception until natural death.

T-shirt orders may be picked up in the church office today.

Help feed the homeless in Des Moines by making a breakfast casserole for the Salvation Army. Pick up a pan & instructions in the office after Sunday School today. Return frozen casseroles on Sunday, October 21 to the Youth Chapel by 9:30 a.m.

Ladies of New Hope are invited to a Bridal Shower Open House for Kaitlyn Miller on Sunday, October 14 from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, 3510 72nd St., Urbandale.

Ministry Needs - Please **sign up** at the Welcome Center if you would be willing to serve the Lord as an **usher**.

Donate your old jewelry to be recycled into Christmas ornaments as a fundraiser for **Studio 3:16** projects. There is a box in the Youth Chapel where you may drop it off. Questions? See Becky McIntosh.

Voter Registration Forms and **Absentee Ballot Request Forms** are available at the Welcome Center.

To RSVP (by November 1) for **Pastor Cortney & Mark's wedding** go to ostranderekilund.ourwedding.com

Parents - Please escort your children to your car. There is so much traffic in the church parking lots that it is difficult for drivers to see children.

All drivers - Please be extra careful when pulling in or out of the parking lots. It is difficult to see all of the people and particularly the children who are walking to/from their cars.

THIS WEEK

Book Buddies are reading *Hello Hollywood* by Janice Thompson. We will meet on Monday, October 8 from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. to talk & laugh about it here in the church nursery. Questions? Contact LindaLee Lovelace.

Men's Prayer For Our Nation - Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

Ladies' Prayer & Share - Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Library.

Play Time for parents and young children (birth-preschool) on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. We will meet in the gym this Tuesday, October 9 from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

INTERCESSORS - Wednesdays at 12:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Wednesday Family Supper at 5:30 p.m. in the Youth Center:

This Week's Menu: Chicken Alfredo, Salad & Corn. Our cost is approximately \$2.50 per person for the meal. A basket will be provided for free-will donation. Pop is available for \$1, with drink profits going to Speed The Light.

New Wednesday night classes:

- **Hebrews** - Drama Room - Gary Walter, teacher. This is a study on the journey of faith as we consider Him that endured the cross.
- **Women of the Bible** - Room 103 - Terry Knisley, teacher. This class is for men and women!

For a complete list of **Wednesday night adult classes**, please pick up an Education Brochure at the Welcome Center.

Men's Cookout - Friday, October 12, 5:00 p.m. at Pat Spain's home. Cost \$4. Bring a side dish or dessert to share as well as your own beverages. **Sign up, pay, and get details** at the Welcome Center.

Potluck Dinner for Gary Walter's Sunday School and Wednesday night classes will be held on Friday, October 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the Youth Center.

Men's Breakfast - Saturday, October 13, 8:00-9:15 a.m. in the Youth Chapel. Our speaker will be Gary Walter. Please **sign up** at the Welcome Center.

Mug and Muffin - For women of all ages, Saturday, October 13 at 10:00 a.m. in the Youth Chapel. Please **sign up** at the Welcome Center.

Young Adult Ministry - Pumpkin Patch/Corn Maze outing, Saturday, October 13. Meet at the Corn Maze in Winterset at 3:00 p.m. Questions? Contact Tiffany Van Gorp.

COMING SOON

ALL Children's Ministry Team Members join us Thursday, October 18 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. OR Saturday, October 20 from 8:30-10:30 a.m. for **Game-Changer**. We will build team spirit and learn new game plays as we prepare to move into our new stadium. Game-Changer will include a tour of the new building and training on the new check-in system to prepare the teachers, helpers, and substitutes who serve the children of New Hope.

Petra in concert - The Christian rock band, *Petra*, is back together again and they are on tour - now known as **Classic Petra**. They will be in concert at New

COMING SOON (continued)

Hope on Tuesday, October 23 at 7:00 p.m. Opening for Petra is our very own **On This Rock**. Get your tickets at the Welcome Center - cost is \$10.

Light the Night Outreach - Tuesday, October 30, 5:30 - 8:00 p.m. We need youth, adults, & families to help with our 2nd annual Light the Night outreach during Urbandale's beggar's night. **Sign up** at the Welcome Center to bring candy, participate in our "Trunk or Treat" (distribute candy from the trunk of your car), or hold signs around the neighborhood to direct people to the event. **Sign up** at the Welcome Center. Questions? See Pastor Cortney.

Operation Christmas Child

Valery Bianco, a Russian orphan who received a shoebox gift at age 10 and is now helping with the OCC ministry, will be giving his testimony in both morning services today. Don't miss it!

Many hands are needed to sort shoeboxes and load trucks during collection week. Please **sign up** at the Welcome Center. New hours this year: November 12 - 17 (2-7 pm), November 18 (12-7 pm), November 19 (9-7 pm). Questions? Contact Stacey Miller.

We are considering extending Sunday School until 10:10 a.m. and starting the second morning service at 10:30 a.m. This would allow for better traffic flow and also allow more time for transition between Sunday School and second service since both buildings are used during the Sunday School hour. If you have any thoughts on this see Pastor Weaver.

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elevate Discipleship Class for Infusion students, Sundays in October starting tonight at 6:00 p.m. in the Youth Center. Bring a 3-ring binder with you to this class. **Sign up today!**

Guys Paintball for Grades 6-8 - Saturday, October 20 at ICU Paintball (indoor). Fathers or "big brothers" are invited. Cost of \$33 due Sunday, October 14, includes 500 rounds of paint, gun rental, and mask. Meet at the church at 9:00 a.m. and we'll return at 1:00 p.m. **Sign up** at the Welcome Center.

Infusion Fall Retreat is fast approaching! Join us November 2-4 for a great weekend with friends and encounters with God you won't forget! Cost is \$55 which covers food, transportation, and lodging. Deadline to pay and turn in your registration form is Sunday, October 21. Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center.