



Nursery available during all scheduled services

Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	Worship & Graded Children's Churches Sunday School Evening Worship Service
Wednesday 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Wednesday Family Supper (during school year) Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Adult Bible Classes Infusion (9th - 12th grades) Ignite (6th - 8th grades) Foundations & Transition (5th grade) New Hope Kids (Kindergarten - 4th grades) Square Roots (Preschool program)
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	The Avenue www.theavenue.com Casual & Contemporary Worship Service
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“Surprise, Surprise, Surprise!”
Pastor Donald Hawkins

Sunday, June 9, 2013



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.

There is a **Nursing Mothers Room** available in Room 140 next to the first floor women's restroom.

Communion will be served today. All believers are invited to participate. Please hold the bread and cup until all have been served. We will pray and receive communion together.

If you are **new to the church** and haven't had an opportunity to get acquainted with Pastor Weaver, you are invited to join him in the Lounge, located at the top of the back staircase during Sunday School for an informal time of refreshments and sharing.

Today we will receive a special offering for the **Michael Clark Camp Scholarship Fund** which provides scholarships for our kids who need them.

New Hope Cruise meeting today at 5:00 p.m. upstairs in the Children's Church area.

Emmaus Road Quartet - tonight at 6:00. Join us for a great night of gospel music.

NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

Congratulations to Michelle Van Roekel for competing in the State Tennis Tournament and winning first place in Doubles!

The church family is **invited to the marriage ceremony** of Lindsey Duckett & Mahlon Kurtz on Saturday, June 15 at 2:00 p.m. here at New Hope.

Church Pictorial Directories & Updates are available at the Welcome Center.

Thanks to everyone who donated to the blood drive. 20 units were collected. Thanks to Jason Randolph for the Outback coupons and to Papa John's for the pizzas. Our next blood drive will be Wednesday, August 28.

Volunteer Opportunity - During the months of June and July we need a few volunteers to serve as helpers in our elementary-aged small groups (K-4th grade). Please contact Pastor Cortney if you can help.

Opportunity to Serve the Lord: We have an opening in the cleaning ministry that needs to be filled. Contact Julie Spencer if you'd be willing to serve the Lord in this ministry.

Help feed the homeless in Des Moines by making a breakfast casserole for the Salvation Army. Pick up a pan & instructions at the Events Center, then return frozen casseroles to the foyer next Sunday, June 16 by 9:15 a.m.

Save the date for our annual **Speed The Light Garage Sale** - June 27-29. Adults and students please **sign up** to volunteer for specific time slots at the Events Center or go to newhopeassembly.org/events-signup. We will begin accepting donations on Sunday evening, June 23 from 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.

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Sign up at the Events Center to bring baked goods for the Speed The Light Garage Sale. Please bring them to the church by noon on Thursday, June 27. Questions? Contact Cassidy Phillips.

Camp New Hope - Basketball Camp for boys and girls - Fall 2013 4th, 5th & 6th graders: July 22 - 27. Girls Camp will be 8:00-10:00 a.m. and Boys Camp will be 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. There is a limit of 20 participants for each camp. Cost is \$60 if you want to order a personalized **Camp New Hope** jersey. If you don't want a jersey, or if you purchased one last year, registration is \$20. If you attended Camp New Hope last year and you bring a friend who registers this year, your registration is free. Deadline to register and pay is Sunday, July 7. Registration forms are available at the Events Center. Completed forms and payment (make checks to New Hope) may be turned in at the Events Center.

We need **candy** donations for the **4th of July parade**. Please bring bags of individually wrapped candy (no chocolate please) to the church office.

THIS WEEK

Men's Softball - Monday, June 10, 6:15 and 7:15 p.m. at Campbell Park.

Book Buddies - Monday, June 10, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in New Hope Java.

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., Student Campus 04.

Play Time - for parents and young children (birth-preschool) on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. We will meet at **Murphy Park**, 67th & Urbandale Avenue, this Tuesday, June 11 from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. (In case of rain we will meet in the Student Campus Gym.)

INTERCESSORS - Tuesdays at 12:00 p.m. in the Student Campus North.

Co-Ed Softball - Tuesday, June 11, 6:00 p.m. at Grace Church.

Wednesday family meals will resume in September.

Ladies' Friday Morning Discipleship Class - Beth Moore's *Esther* DVD series at 10:00 a.m. in Room 212. Questions? Contact Jo Northway.

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Women's Outing - Friday, June 28 we will go to the Wallace House of Iowa for High Tea and History of the lives of rural women from 100 years ago. We will then stop at the Better Homes Test Gardens. Please arrive at the Student Campus at 10:00 a.m. We will return at 3:00 p.m. Cost is \$20 for tea and a three course meal. Deadline to **sign up** is Wednesday, June 19. Questions? Contact Peggy Ostrander.

Men's Event - Iowa Barnstormers Game at Wells Fargo Arena on Saturday, June 29, 7:05 p.m., lower level midfield. Cost is \$28. Deadline to **sign up and pay** at the Events Center is Sunday, June 16. Questions? Contact Bill Dane.

Bring your entire family to Athens and become part of Paul's dangerous journey to share the truth! You'll travel back into Bible times and become part

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of history as you experience what it was like to live in ancient Athens! Join the fun at **Vacation Bible School**, July 15 - 18 from 9:15 - 11:00 a.m. OR 6:15 - 8:00 p.m. Register your children ages 3 - fifth grade online, and sign yourself up to volunteer! We need teachers, helpers, small group leaders, and decorators. WE NEED YOU! Signing up is easy - just go to our website: newhopeassembly.org and click on Vacation Bible School under the Events tab or go to the Events Center.

Promise Keepers event at the UNI Dome in Cedar Falls on July 19-20. Speakers are Coach Bill McCartney, Mark Gungor, Larry Acosta, Mike Silva, Raleigh Washington, Larry Jackson, Ed Barron, Brad Stine, OneBody Band, and Nic Gonzales (of Salvador), plus music by Lincoln Brewster. Tickets are \$69 (make checks to New Hope). **Sign up and pay** at the Events Center by Sunday, June 16. Motel rooms in Waterloo have been reserved for Friday night, July 19. Details will be given later for those who sign up.

We have one opening for the **Men's Fishing Trip**, Sept. 7-14 outside Grand Rapids, MN. Cost is \$310, not including transportation, MN fishing license, and food. Contact Bill Dane if interested.

2013 Seasoned Saints (50+) Branson Trip November 5 - 8. Cost: \$375 per person double occupancy. We will attend five shows - The Dutton Show, Cat's Pajamas, Osmond/Lennon Christmas Show, and the Barbara Fairchild Show. Also included in the price: a three-night stay at the beautiful Grand Plaza Hotel, coach transportation, three suppers, and three breakfast meals. **Register** by paying \$175 per person to Pastor Weaver (make checks to New Hope.) Trip is open to New Hope regular attenders only until June 24, at which time guests may register.

Parents of elementary-aged kiddos - We are now using the check-in system on Wednesday nights. There are two check-in kiosks on second floor and three on first floor. In addition, your children must be dropped off and picked up by an adult. In July we will use the check-in system on Sundays as well. Thank you so much for helping keep our New Hope kids safe and sound!

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The remaining balance for camp is due TODAY. Please turn in your payment at the Events Center.

Join us at **Adventureland** on Tuesday, June 18. This is for all **Ignite students** (Fall grades 7-9). Cost of \$25 includes admission into both the theme park and water park. Meet at the church at 9:30 a.m. and we'll return at 5:30 p.m. Please bring money for lunch and a modest swimsuit. **Sign up and pay** at the Events Center by Sunday, June 16. We need at least 15 people, so bring a friend!

Studio 3:16 - For middle school and high school students: Starting June 16 we will be making items for VBS and a mission in Haiti.