Welcome to New Hope Church

A Christ-centered community for all peoples, moving toward Jesus and taking others with us.



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December Tithe Results

Thank you for your generous giving! We have a tradition of donating 10% of any giving above budget from December to local ministry organizations. This year we are blessed to donate \$25,089. You can give through the NHC App, by check or online at newhopechurchmn.org/give.

Loss of a Spouse Seminar

Saturday, January 22, 9–11:30am, Sandberg Chapel. Grieving the death of a spouse or know someone who is? Learn what to expect in the grief process and how to cope without your spouse. Cost: \$5. Register at newhopechurchmn.org/care.

Care Seminar: Seniors & Scams

Thursday, January 27, 6:30–8pm, Sandberg Chapel. Learn how to protect yourself or the seniors you care for from scams such as Medicare fraud, contests, mail fraud. Register at newhopechurchmn.org/care or 763-536-3215.

Campus Improvement Workday

Saturday, January 29, 9am–3pm. Lunch included. For all skill levels. Come for the day or a few hours as your schedule permits. Sign up at newhopechurchmn.org.

Parent/Child Dedication Class

Sunday, January 30, 5pm, Zoom. Dedication Sunday: Feb 13, 9 & 10:30 worship gatherings. This class is required for parents to participate in dedication. Learn more about dedication from a biblical perspective. Register at newhopechurchmn.org/families.

One Blood Book Study

Sundays, February 6–27, 10:30am, Sandberg Chapel. *One Blood* by John Perkins is an opportunity for us to walk the path to oneness. Join the discussion! Cost: \$10/book (available at the lobby table). Visit newhopechurchmn.org.

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LIFE Hebrews 13:1–3

CONNECT

1. What unique experiences have you walked through that give you special compassion and empathy for others in similar situations? (Examples: Job loss, infertility, health challenges, recovery from addiction, etc.) When have you had the opportunity to utilize that to walk alongside someone?

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- 2. Read Hebrews 13:3. Pray together that the Holy Spirit would give you open hearts to hear and respond to the Word of God.
- 3. The way we are called to remember those on the margins is through identification—"as though in prison with them." What's the difference between identifying with someone (stepping into their story) and merely taking pity on them or viewing them vindictively?
- 4. The basis of our calling to remember is that we are fellow image-bearers ("since you also are in the body"). What does it mean to be made in the image of God? How can that impact the way we see those on the margins?
- 5. What are some examples of Jesus moving toward those on the margins and extending His love?
- 6. Look at James 1:27 and Psalm 82:3-4. What is God's heart toward children?

ACTION

- 7. Consider these three groups of people who are marginalized: the prisoner, the unborn and the orphan. Consider your posture toward each group through these questions:
 - How often do you think of them? When you do, what's your posture and response? Be honest.
 - What might it you like for you to remember them and extend Christ's love to them?
- 8. Pray together that God would give our church a heart of compassion and obedience toward those on the margins.