



We are so grateful to everyone who helped us host the Ladies from CARITAS. Thank you, thank you, thank you...for helping to show them that our Church Community cares!



Would you like to help out as an usher at some Worship Services? If so, we are looking for people to be substitutes on the usher list. Sometimes ushers need their slot covered, so they reach out to the sub list to find a replacement. If you are interested in adding your name to the list or have any questions, please email Marlene Joliffe at marlenejoliffe@frontier.com.

Our Prayer List

- Our condolences, hearts and prayers go out to the Parcell Family; *Stan, Tim and Allison*.
- *Donna Headley*, as she gains strength for her next phase of her cancer therapy.
- Continued prayers for Ann Saunders' daughter *Kathy Chism*, for her long healing process.
- *Christy and Jeff Presseau*, as Christy is in need of a kidney transplant.
- Summer Foley's father *Bruce*, as he recovers from surgery.
- *Liz King's* grandson, *Shawn Campbell*, and his Special Forces company. Shawn is on his third tour.
- All those in our congregation who are unable to attend church regularly due to illness or limited mobility.
- Our nation, its leaders, and our troops serving around the globe.

New Hanover

NEWS



Sunday, January 6, 2019

IF YOU ARE A GUEST TODAY – WELCOME!

We are so glad you're here with us. Please sign the guest register with your contact information so we can thank you for being with us today.

We are a community of faith seeking to follow Christ. If you are looking to follow Jesus in your daily life with the support and fellowship of a company of believers, you have found the right place. If you seek to commit to active involvement in worship, service and study, we invite you to join us in membership!

Thank You to Today's Volunteers!

Ushers/Greeters: *Jeannie & David Tostenson*

Lay Reader: *Robin Edwards*

Communion Servers: *Faith Harmon, Pam O'Brien, Thom O'Brien, Marlene Joliffe & Marianne Vermeer*

Flowers: *Carolyn Hall*

Children's Sunday School: *Kim Chau & Elena Romero*

Refreshments: *Kim & Steve Chau*

Adult Sunday School Facilitator: *Jeff Presseau*

Sound Board: *Jeff Sigmon*

Our Calendar...

Sunday, January 6

* Adult Sunday School Series *"Doubt"* – 10:50 a.m., Trice Classroom

Monday, January 7

* Communications Team Meeting - 6:45 p.m., Pastor's Office

Tuesday, January 8

* Women's Study Group - 6:15 p.m., Rowe Room

Wednesday, January 9:

* Choir Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary

Sunday, January 13

* Choir Warm-Up - 8:50 a.m., Choir Room

* Worship Service - 9:30 a.m., Sanctuary

* Education & Listening Session - Future Plans & Needs for the New Hanover Church Facility
(After the service)

Monday, January 14

* Missions Team Meeting - 6:00 p.m., TBA

* New Hanover Ringers Practice – 7:00 p.m., Bell Tower

Tuesday, January 15

* Holy Hops! Men's Group - 6:15 p.m., Steve Chau's home

Wednesday, January 16

* Choir Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary

Sunday, January 20

* Choir Warm-Up - 8:50 a.m., Choir Room

* Worship Service - 9:30 a.m., Sanctuary

* Adult Sunday School Series *"Doubt"* – 10:50 a.m., Trice Classroom

TODAY...

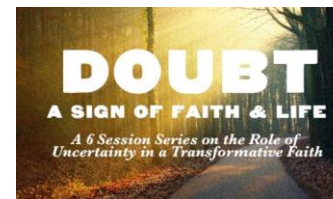
... the children, from ages 4 to 10, will continue with the series on Gratitude in the Children's Sunday School.

... join us after today's service for refreshments in Laburnum Commons.

... the "Doubt: A Sign of Faith & Life" Sunday School series starts at 10:50 a.m.

This Week's NEWS...

The weekly contribution amount needed to meet budget is \$4,783, which enables us to continue to do God's work in the community. Last week we received \$3,302.77.



Join us after this Worship Service for our winter Sunday School session. Today, we begin this video and discussion Sunday School series; Doubt - a sign of faith and life.

We will journey together with six different video presenters who aren't afraid to doubt and are convinced that questions and uncertainty are a central element of a vibrant and transforming faith. They believe that mystery is one of the most central ingredients of faith and respect that questions don't lead us down a slippery slope where we lose our faith completely but rather to a deeper and more meaningful relationship with God that is built not on certainty and blind obedience - but on honesty, vulnerability, and trust.



With the end of year fast approaching, the Stewardship Team wants to, first and foremost, thank all members and friends who have supported the church financially during 2018. Every dollar given toward our mission supports the core strengths and values that makes New Hanover a very special place with a deep sense of community and worship experiences that touch the heart, mind and soul.

The Team reminds us, too, that there is still time to make a new or additional gift to New Hanover AND get a charitable deduction on your 2018 tax return. In addition to gifts in today's offering plate or checks mailed in to the church with postmark December 31, there is now the easy option of an online gift through the "Giving" section of our website (newhanoverpres.org).

Again: We thank you!