

This area in our bulletin is devoted to specific prayer requests for our congregation members and others whose needs are shared with us.

Due to privacy concerns, we choose not to publish these on our website.

For those of you wanting to be added to our weekly prayer list, please contact the church office at (804) 730-9700 or email Robert Johnson at robert.johnson@newhanoverpres.org.

Children from ages five to ten are welcome to attend Children's Sunday School which is held during the service. Nursery care is provided for infants and children up to five years of age.

Please join us in the Laburnum Commons for refreshments after today's service and informational meeting.

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New Hanover

NEWS



Sunday, February 16, 2020

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!

Assisting Liturgist: *Jonathan Moelker*

Ushers/Greeters: *Cheryl & Gary Cage*

Lay Reader: *Thomas Raper*

Refreshments: *Terry & Larry Diebold*

Sound Board: *Steve Harmon*

Children's Sunday School: *Kim Chau*

Adult Sunday School: *Jonathan Moelker*

Sunday, February 16th

- *8:50 a.m. – Choir Warmup
- *9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
- *10:30 a.m. – Fellowship & Refreshments – Laburnum Commons
- *10:50 a.m. – Adult Sunday School – Trice Room

Monday, February 17th

- *7:00 p.m. – Session Meeting

Tuesday, February 18th

- *6:00 p.m. Holy Hops – Men's Group

Wednesday, February 19th


- *7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 20th

- *6:00 p.m. (*on-the-dot*) – Body & Soul – Ladies' Group



Carolyn will be out of the office on Monday, February 17th. She will be returning on Tuesday, February 18th. Thanks to Liz King for filling in last Thursday, and tomorrow, and to Cass Douglas for filling in last Friday.



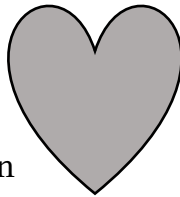
This Thursday, February 20
6:00 p.m.

Body & Soul is coming for the ladies of New Hanover. It will be an evening of floor yoga, or chair yoga (you choose), followed by meditation and light refreshments.

Please let Carolyn Shute or Terry Diebold know if you are planning on coming!

We Love Our Deacons

Many thanks to our hard-working Deacons for organizing last Sunday's Valentine Card Gathering. Laburnum Commons was abuzz with pink and red hearts and lots of chocolate. Cards with messages of love and thanks were made and then delivered to members and friends of our congregation who were especially in our hearts and minds this year.



Adult Sunday School Series – Genesis

Today starts a new series for our Adult Sunday School. For the next four weeks, we will be examining the central stories from the book of Genesis. Jonathan Moelker, our seminary intern, will start out the series with the creation story. Rev. Dr. Felecia Douglass will lead the group discussion the following week, focusing on art in the creation, to deepen and broaden our understanding of the core issues.

Glory to God: THE PRESBYTERIAN HYMNAL

If you are interested in purchasing copies of the *Glory To God: THE PRESBYTERIAN HYMNAL* for the church, stop by the round table in the Narthex after today's worship service. There will be someone there to walk you through the simple process.

NHPC Church Sale/Fundraiser on February 23rd

As a fundraiser for our new hymnals, *Glory to God: THE PRESBYTERIAN HYMNAL*, we will be offering NHPC t-shirts, NHPC mugs, popcorn and food for sale during our fellowship time.

We won't be providing our typical refreshments that day (except for Liz's coffee). The food will be prepared by Chef Tracey, so you know it will be amazing.

Come prepared and bring your cash, check or your credit card.

– We Have New & Improved Internet at New Hanover –

It's faster and more consistent. NHPC Guest WIFI password is **8047309700**.

New Hanover Men's Group

Our next Holy Hops gathering will be this Tuesday, at 6:00 pm, at Steve and Kim Chau's house.

(7225 Rotherham Drive in Mechanicsville) All men are invited and welcome to join us as we gather informally for a delicious home-cooked meal, fellowship, and an open discussion of our current book, *Mere Christianity* by C.S. Lewis. We are now on section 3, chapter 11.

This week Stan Parcell will be preparing Barbeque Pork for the group. Guests are encouraged to bring drinks and snacks to share.



New Hanover Programs To Fight Hunger

Cents-Ability = 5 Cents-A-Meal (monthly offering)

MCEF – Mechanicsville Churches Emergency Functions (supply items for food pantry)



We will be serving breakfast to the neighbors-in-need at Shepherd's Way Relief Center on Monday, March 23rd. After our worship service on Sunday, March 22nd, we will need many helping hands to prepare the breakfast meal. Volunteers are needed both for food prep and to serve the meal at Shepherd's Way.

On June 4th we will be serving Grace Fellowship at First Baptist Church, 2709 Monument Avenue. Grace Fellowship provides Bible study, a hot meal, fellowship and worship time each Thursday at First Baptist. We are invited a couple of times each year to welcome their guests, serve them their meals, and join them at the table.



For more details about any of these ministries, see Margaret Elliott or email her at margs.elliott@gmail.com.