Welcome to New Hope Ministries!



Enabling the family of God to fulfill its mission to God, family, church, community, and the world.

"Fear not ye: for I know that ye seek Jesus, which was crucified. He is not here: for he is risen, as he said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay. And go quickly, and tell his disciples that he is risen from the dead;"

Mait 28: 6-7

APRIL 2014

Detour: Finding Purpose When Life Doesn't Make Sense

Beginning **TODAY at 9:00am**, Ministry Center, Rm 206.

6-wk DVD and workbook series from Walk Thru the Bible. \$8.00 for workbook. What happens when your life goes in a direction, opposite from the one you thought was God's will? Life detours cause some to walk away from God, and others, like Joseph, to draw near to God. That choice makes the difference between disappointment and destiny. Join us as we explore the epic story of Joseph and how God's purpose can transform your life, and the lives of others—forever! For details, contact the Church office.



If you would like to receive our weekly e-blasts, please be sure we have your email address.

Into Action & Give Blood!

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New Hope Ministries

Sun. April 13 10am - 1 pm



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Welcome First-Time Guests!

Pastor Grant and Susan extend a special welcome to all of our first time guests. They would love to meet you and answer any questions you might have about New Hope Ministries. Immediately following the service, please join them in the Hospitality Room 101 for refreshments and a small gift.

Ongoing Classes & Events:

Impact Singles: Friday evenings. Send an email to impactsingles@aol.com to be added to the mailing list.

Knitting & Crocheting Group: Tuesdays, 6:00pm, Rm 105. Call Barb Ashman, 239.455.4641, for details.

Men's Ministry: All the King's Men, dinner, fellowship and teaching on Thursdays, 6:30pm, Ministry Center Dining Rm. Contact the Church office, 239.348.0122, for details.

Harvest Recovery: Fridays, 6:00pm, Ministry Center. Contact Pam, 239.595.4954, or pam@theharvestrecoveryministry.com, for details.

One Flesh: For married couples with teens and/or "empty-nesters." Meets the first Friday of the month at 6:30pm, Rm 208, Ministry Center. For more information and to RSVP, contact Steve & Debbie Gunden, sgunden@comcast.net, or at 239.262.0142.

2 to 1: For couples who are engaged or couples married 20 yrs or less. Meets on the second Friday of the month, from 7:00 to 9:30pm, Rm 210, Ministry Center, for bible study, fellowship, worship and fun. You must RSVP for free childcare, available for ages 1 to 13. Call or text Kathleen, 239.280.6827, or email eddieandkathleen@gmail.com. Bring your bibles and invite friends!

Wednesday Night Family Dinner: Served from 4:30 to 6:15pm in the Ministry Center Dining Rm. Tickets may be purchased at the door for \$7/per person. Children 10 yrs and under eat free. Maximum cost for a family of 5 or more (parent & children under 18, living in the same household) is \$25. Call Ext. 270 to hear what's on the menu each week.

Family Movie Night

Friday, April 25, Ministry Center Dining Rm. Free admission!



Doors open at 6:30pm, movie begins at 7:00pm. Snack items and drinks available for purchase between 6:30 and 7:00pm only.

Very Important!

Spanish translators are needed during services – especially Wednesday nights. Contact the Church office for more information.



Faith Lift, authored and taught by Christina Sannicandro. Learn about the faith God has already deposited in your spirit and how to make it operative in your life, to overcome any and all circumstances which oppose your purpose/calling. Morning or Evening Sessions: 10:00am, HopeZone; 7:00pm, Ministry Center, Rm 207. (Childcare avail. for either session, you <u>must pre-register.</u>) Cost: Cheerful donation. For more info, contact Marie, mariegonzper@gmail.com, or call/text 239.404.0191.

What's Happening...

April Craft Night: Thursday, April 10, 6:30pm, Ministry Center Media Rm. Peyote Zebra Beaded Bracelet with Marcy Scire. Cost for kit: \$25.00

Membership Classes: For those interested in becoming a member of New Hope Ministries.

All day class: Saturday, April 12, from 9:00am to 3:00pm, Ministry Center Lecture Hall.

Four week class: Sundays, May 4-24, 9:00am, Ministry Center, Rm 207. Go online for details or contact the Church office.

New Believer's Class: Sunday mornings, 10:30am, May 4-25, Ministry Center, Rm 208.

Overview of the Book of Revelation: Sunday mornings, 10:30am, May 4, May 11, & May 18, Ministry Center Lecture Hall. Taught by Mike Sedgwick.

DO YOU LOVE TO WORSHIP? Regardless of your skill level, there's room for you in the Worship Arts Department! Practice takes place in the Sanctuary on TUESDAY EVENINGS AT 7:00PM. If you want to know more, come check it out! Along with choir and band, this department also includes, sound, camera and light technicians, as well running "slides"



during services.

Seniors & Friends Luncheon



Friday, May 2, 12:00pm,

Ministry Center Dining Room Complete lunch \$8/person. Sign up by Wednesday, April 30. Bring a friend; stay for fellowship & games.

Books of Hope Bookstore to Offer Consignment Items.

Members of New Hope Ministries are invited to submit homemade consignment items, such as jewelry and crafts, to be sold in our bookstore. Items will be submitted to a 3-member committee for approval. Items must be of high quality and should fit into a Christian bookstore environment. Items should be priced so that both consignor and consignee make a profit. Questions? Contact the Church office.

Golden Gate Community Center Band Shell.

Thursday, May 1 7:00pm



In the event of rain, the event will be held in the New Hope Ministries Sanctuary.

Service Times: Sunday, 9:00 & 11:00am & 6:00pm

Wednesday, 7:00pm

Corporate Prayer: Sunday, 7:30am

Wednesday, 10:00am & 6:30pm

Thursday, 6:00am

3rd Sunday during 6:00pm service Communion:

2nd & 4th Sunday, 8:30am in Rm 105

2nd Sunday in March, May & September, 2014, Child Dedications:

> during 11:00am service. Contact Pastor Michael Smith at least 30 days prior to the

Sunday you want your child dedicated.

Water Baptism: April 27; August 31; December 21

8:30am - 4:30pm, Monday - Thursday Office Hours:

8:30am - 12:00pm on Friday

Pastoral Staff:

Grant Thigpen, Senior Pastor Steve McGraw, Children's Ministries Pastor Michael Smith, Pastoral Care Pastor Heath Jarvis, Worship Pastor lason Justice, Student Ministries Pastor

CDs & DVDs of Pastor Grant's messages may be ordered in the Books of Hope bookstore.

HOSPITALIZATION:

Hospitals no longer notify the Church office when members are hospitalized. If you, or a family member from New Hope, are hospitalized, please let us know.

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