



March 2014

Welcome to New Hope Ministries!

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

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.

SPRING FORWARD

Set your clock ahead an hour on
Sunday, March 9

Very Important!

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



Seniors & Friends Luncheon

Friday, March 7, 12:00pm,
Ministry Center Dining Room
Complete lunch \$8/person. Sign up
by Wednesday, March 5. Bring a
friend; stay for fellowship & games.

The Excellent Wife Journey

Orientation is Monday, March 10, at 6:30pm, Ministry Center, Rm 207. This 11-wk mentorship program is based on Titus 2:3-5 and is for any woman seeking to grow in the knowledge and understanding of her role as a godly woman, wife and keeper of the home. Contact Gale Devlin, 239.353.3253, for more info.



**Sign-up for
all classes
in the
north foyer.**

Good News Club

Do you have a desire to evangelize children? The "Good News Club" is an after-school time of fun and bible study for K to 5th graders. We meet every Monday at Calusa Elementary from 2:45 to 4:15pm and welcome volunteers. If you are able to help, please contact Pastor Steve McGraw at the Church office, or stevemcgraw@newhopeministries.org.

Ongoing Classes & Events:

Art of Competitive Job Search: Second Saturday of the month. 10:00am, Rm 207, Ministry Center. Sign up or call Claudia, 239.919.2224, for details. **Russel Hadick, author of *Competitive Job Search*, will speak on March 8.**

Impact Singles: Friday evenings. Go 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, 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 207, 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, upstairs in the 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.

Heart2Heart Women's Bible Study March 20-April 24

Six week DVD series, *Anointed, Transformed, Redeemed*; an exploration into the life of David by Priscilla Shirer, Kay Arthur and Beth Moore. Morning or Evening Sessions: 10:00am, HopeZone; 7:00pm, Ministry Center, Rm 207. (Childcare avail. for either session, you must pre-register.) \$14 workbook. For more info, contact Marie, mariegonzper@gmail.com, or call/text 239.404.0191.



Gather in the Garden

Growing in God's Word and sowing seeds of friendship.

Heart2Heart invites all ladies to join us on **Saturday, March 22, at 9:00am** in the Ministry Center, as we dig into God's Word and cultivate new friendships. Registration fee is \$15, and includes lunch and project supplies. **Pre-registration is required** - online or in the north foyer. Free childcare (11 & under) is available, but you MUST pre-register for it as well.

What's Happening...

The Book of Jonah begins TODAY, at 9:00am, Ministry Center, Rm 207. Why study the book of Jonah? Jonah, although a reluctant prophet, is one of only four prophets whose ministry was referred to by Christ! A four week study.

March Craft Night: Thursday, March 13, 6:30pm, Ministry Center Media Rm. Sherry McKinley will show us a t-shirt craft. Bring 2 men's t-shirts and a pair of fabric scissors.



Classic Movie Night: *Darby O'Gill & the Little People*.

Friday, March 21, Ministry Center Dining Rm. Doors open at 6:30pm, movie starts at 7:00pm. Free admission; snack items and drinks available for purchase between 6:30 and 7:00pm only.

All-day Membership Class: For those interested in becoming a member of New Hope Ministries, we are offering an all day class on Saturday, April 12, from 9:00am to 4:00pm, Ministry Center Lecture Hall. Go online for details, contact the Church office.

NHM Volunteers COME ON DOWN



Join us **Saturday, March 15, 2014**
at 6:00pm, for great food,
fellowship and the chance
to win awesome prizes.

For all volunteers, age 18 & above.
Registration deadline is Sun., Mar. 9th.
Contact the Church office, for details.

Volunteers under 18 are invited to an appreciation dinner on Friday, March 21, at 6:00pm in HopeZone.

BREAKTHROUGH STUDENT MINISTRIES

Canvas Conference - March 26-29

Need the 411?

Visit facebook.com/canvasconf, or
register at canvasconference.com

New Hope Ministries Second Annual Motorcycle Rally:
Saturday, April 5, 9:00am - 2:00pm. \$20/per person
includes the ride, food and fun with lots of giveaways &
prizes. Grand prize is a custom
Harley! Tickets available at
newhopeministries.org, the Church
office, Books of Hope, or at the door.



Detour: Finding Purpose When Life Doesn't Make Sense

Beginning Sunday, April 6, 9:00am, Ministry Center, Rm 206.
6-wk DVD and workbook series from Walk Thru the Bible.
\$13.00 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.

- 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
- Communion:** 3rd Sunday during 6:00pm service
2nd & 4th Sunday, 8:30am in Rm 105
- Child Dedications:** 2nd Sunday in March, May & September, 2014,
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
- Office Hours:** 8:30am - 4:30pm, Monday - Thursday
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*
Jason Justice, *Student Ministries Pastor*

**CDs & DVDs of Pastor Grant's
messages may be ordered in the north foyer.**

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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