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# New Hope News

*Learning, Living, and Sharing Christ's Love with All*

**August 2020**

## Pastor's Note

Dear Friends,

Time flies when you are having fun! That is absolutely been the truth over the last month as I have gotten to know you all. My family and I have been loved and welcomed so well and I thank you for that. Over this last month even though we have continued to deal with the Covid-19 pandemic we have done great ministry together. I am excited that we are safely back to two worship hours on Sunday mornings. We are now worshipping with identical services at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. both of which offer all of our safety protocols. I am excited that we now also have protocols in place to begin receiving the sacrament of Holy Communion together again.

As we wrap up our first month together and look towards the future I am excited to share with you about our next two sermon series. More details about both of these series are below.

## BE A BRINGER

You just ate the greatest meal of your life at the new restaurant in town. For the next two weeks, everyone you talk to is going to hear about how much you love that restaurant. It's natural. We want to share the good things in our lives. Are you sharing the greatest thing in your life with others? If we love Jesus more than anything and have seen the things He's done, we won't stop telling people about Him. Join us August 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> as we look at how we can share that amazing love with everyone around us!

## HOME

Jesus said in Luke 15 He will give up everything to go after the one that is lost! As a church, we have to be consumed with the same passion that Jesus has for the lost. The church will always be a place where prodigals can come home. Join us August 23<sup>rd</sup> through September 6<sup>th</sup> as we look at how we can passionately create a place for the lost to come home!

I hope that you will join me in worship in person or online and that you will invite your friends and family to join us as well! Together I pray that we will **BOLDLY** lean into the new things God is doing here even in this unusual time. I can't wait to see you!

It is an honor to be your pastor!

**Pastor Andrew**

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# UMYF August 2020

Zoom meetings will start back every



Wednesday at 6 p.m. beginning August 5th. Sunday, August 16th we will have a Youth outing and go hiking at The Sawnee Mountain Preserve. Weather Permitting. The time will be 3-5 p.m. Please meet in the parking lot with a light snack, a water bottle and any type of all terrain hiking shoes. Water facilities will not be available. Please let me know if you will be attending. And as always, you can bring a friend.



**Crista Heagerty**  
*Youth Director*  
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## New Hope Kids



Are you ready for school to start back? It is coming regardless. One thing is for sure, this school year will look like nothing we are used to in the past! Please join me in praying for the safety & wellness of all the kids and school staff as they go back to school.  
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I hope you have been watching the "Children's Moment" on the church's FaceBook page. This is a special message I have enjoyed preparing just for our little ones!  
**Linda Caudill**  
*Director of Children's Ministries*  
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**PRESCHOOL**  
**OPEN HOUSE**  
**THURSDAY**  
**AUGUST 13TH**  
**9:30 AM - 1:00 PM**

## ADULT Involvement Opportunities

~ **Men's Breakfast** ~  
Tuesdays @ 7am  
Country Café in Dawsonville

~ **Golf Club** ~  
Thursdays @ 3:45pm  
Country Land Golf Course

~ **UMW E. Smith Circle One** ~  
No meetings until further notice.

~ **Nightingals** ~  
No meetings until further notice.

~ **Church Yard Sale** ~  
We will have a church yard sale on October 3rd. Please be choosing items you would like to donate. If you have any clothes hangers you can donate. Please start dropping them off at the church now. Thank you for your consideration.



**Flower Ministry**  
Robin, in the church office, will be heading up the flower ministry and be responsible to make sure there are flowers in the sanctuary each Sunday. If you would like to donate flowers in honor of or in memory of someone dear, please email info@newhopeumc.org or call the office, 770-889-7440.

Make sure to LIKE and SUBSCRIBE to both our **Youtube Channel** and **Facebook Page** for up to date information, Live Streamed Worship, and other videos!



**YOUTUBE** - <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCWmH6slYP4MPfHTNpYnouNQ>



**FACEBOOK** - [www.facebook.com/newhopeumcgainesville/](http://www.facebook.com/newhopeumcgainesville/)

Also, we have made some updates to our website. Go check out our fresh new look.  
[www.newhopeumc.org](http://www.newhopeumc.org)

## VOLUNTEER MONITORS

DUE TO CORONAVIRUS WE NEED MORE MONITORS/CLEANER VOLUNTEERS FOR BOTH OUR SERVICES. IF YOU CAN HELP KEEP OUR CHURCH A SAFE PLACE TO CONTINUE HAVING WORSHIP PLEASE ALDA TOWNSEND KNOW IF YOU CAN HELP. HER NUMBER IS: 404-558-4337

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**PASTOR ANDREW'S NEW HOPE EMAIL**

Pastor Andrew's New Hope email is set up and active If you would like to connect with him via email please feel free to.

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Also, if you are on Facebook please feel free to send him a friend request.