

**The aroma of oven-roasted turkey** tends to remind us of Thanksgiving. Times of gathering with family and friends to celebrate who and what we are thankful for, and to enjoy a satisfying meal.



Turkey dinners with all the fixins' like stuffing and gravy, cranberry sauce, green beans, corn, and pumpkin pie will be given to thousands of families through our Thanksgiving program.

## Would you partner with New Hope to help us provide families with a Thanksgiving turkey?

Your donation will bless a family, and help spread the sweet-smelling aroma of a nourishing Thanksgiving meal into grateful hearts and souls.

Please drop-off your turkey donation by November 16th

Thank you for sharing your blessings!

## Calendar Notes

## November 5 - 12, 2017

November 5 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>		Family Promise Hosting
Monday $6^{ m th}$	7:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study (B1)
Wednesday 8th		Doulos Deadline
	9:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study (FHE/201)
	6:30 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer and Praise (B4)
	6:30 p.m.	Thrive
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 a.m.	Classes
	10:15 a.m.	Worship

Statistical Notes as of October 29, 2017

Attendance: Worship 203

Giving:

Worship \$ 11,817.00 Capital Campaign \$ 20.00

Year to Date:

General Fund Budget \$349,262.87 General Fund Giving \$340,150.92

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November 5, 2017 9:00 a.m. Classes 10:15 am Worship

a river of hope and healing...

Opening and Welcome

Scripture: Psalm 9:1-11

Come Thou Fount #14

Prayers of the Community

Invitation to Give \*

Songs of Worship

Message: Thanksliving (Part 1)

Phil. 1:1-11

And Can It Be #115

Prayer and Closing

Postlude

\* (Children Pre-K - grade 5 to Cherub & Jr. Church)

After the service, the front of the room is open for prayer and prayer leaders are available to pray with you.

**Welcome Guests** To better connect with you we encourage you to complete a guest registration card located in the pew pockets. You may drop it in the offering plate OR bring it to welcome center in the lobby so that we can greet you and give you a welcome packet.

This year Pre-Kindergarten through 5th grade will be joining us for the first part of the service and then will be released to their classes mid-service. Cherub Church (Pre-Kindergarten - Ist Grade) meets in the class across from the men's restroom and Junior Church (2nd - 5th Grade) meets downstairs in BI. Please pick your child up from their classroom in a timely manner after the service. If you're visiting, please fill out a Cherub/Junior Church Attendance Card, located in the pew rack, and bring your child to meet their teacher near the coffee bar/welcome center when the children are dismissed from the service.

**The Annual Community Thanksgiving service** sponsored by the Dillsburg Ministerium will be held at New Creation Church on Tuesday, November 21 at 7:00 p.m.

**Singers, Rejoice!** Please join us for a Christmas celebration in song at the Sunday morning service, December 17th. Rehearsals will be held in the sanctuary from 4:00-5:30 p.m. on the following Sundays: November 12th, November 19th, December 3rd, and December 10th. There will also be a dress rehearsal on a weekday during the week of December 10th (day and time TBD). Since there are only four regular rehearsals scheduled this year, please plan to join us only if you think you will be able to make at least three of those practices. Contact Randy Fish with questions.

The Church Mailboxes have been rearranged. We are making room for new faces in our midst! Please be careful to check the name rather than just pulling mail out of the box you are used to!

Mark Your Calendars! Congregational Council will meet on December 2, 2017 to approve 2018 budget and to discuss the use of the facilities such as renovations to the basement and uses for the new property. More information to come.

The Museum of the Bible opens in Washington DC this month. A brochure describing the museum is posted on the narthex bulletin board. Contact Bob and Rose Harlacher for information about a bus trip to this museum on Wed. November 29th.

Notes to myself . . .