## **WELCOME TO NEW HOPE CHURCH**

A Christ-centered community for all peoples, moving toward Jesus and taking others with us.









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#### **Flourish Message Series**

August 10–25. Learn three simple truths for a thriving marriage—revere Jesus, keep short accounts and believe in one another. Watch at newhopechurchmn.org/messages.

#### **Sunday Summer Hangouts**

Sunday, August 18, 5pm–sundown, front lawn. Our final hangout is an end-of-summer party! Bring your lawn chairs, some money for the food truck and just hang out. Visit newhopechurchmn.org/events.

#### **School Supplies Drive**

July 28–August 18. Help kids in our community get a good start to the school year. Drop off donations at the Reception Lobby. For donation list, visit newhopechurchmn.org/events.

#### **Tech Volunteer Training**

Thursday, August 22, 6–8pm, Worship Center. Be equipped to serve as Sunday morning producers, camera operators or screen operators. No experience necessary. Join the team!

#### **Bible Studies & Discipleship Groups**

Bible studies and discipleship groups for women and men are starting up. Visit newhopechurchmn.org/women and newhopechurchmn.org/men.

#### **Community Open House**

Saturday, August 24, 10am–2pm, NHC. We're hosting a funfilled Open House for our community. There'll be games, activities for kids and treats to enjoy. Welcome others and invite your neighbors to come and experience new hope.

#### **Be Baptized**

Baptism Class: August 25, 10:30am, Sandberg Chapel. Learn more about the next steps toward baptism and participate in baptism celebration on Sunday, September 8. Register at newhopechurchmn.org/baptism.

#### **Men's Hog Roast**

Sunday, August 25, 11:30am–1:30pm, Family Center. A good ol' fashioned hog roast with yard games and the guys. Hear from Pastor Matthew about upcoming opportunities. Cost: \$20. Register by August 18 at newhopechurchmn.org/men.



# DISCUSSION QUESTIONS August 11, 2024

### FLOURISH: REVERE JESUS

<ul><li>1. Connect with each other by answering these three simple questions. Answer as you feel comfortable.</li><li>• What are you thankful for this week?</li></ul>
What difficulties have you faced this week?
How can we support you with the difficulties you faced this week?
<ol> <li>Have two people read <b>Ephesians 5:15–21</b> out loud. Ask if anyone would like to recall the passage from memory Help each other to remember any parts missing from the telling.</li> </ol>
3. Answer these questions about this passage for yourself. Find the answers only in this passage—do not refer to other passages you know. Share briefly one thing each.
What does this teach us about Jesus?
What does this teach us about humanity/yourself?
If I believe this is from God, what am I doing to put this into practice?
How must I change? How will I put this into practice this week?
How can I share what I have learned with someone who needs to hear this?

4. Pray for each other and the things we want to obey in the coming week. Pray for those who need to hear God

speak and opportunities to share Jesus with them.