

Order for the Public Worship of God

"I was glad when they said unto me, 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.'" – Psalm 122:1

Aug. 26, 2007 **13th Sunday after Pentecost** 10:00 A.M.

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES Acolytes
THE INVOCATION Elder of the Week, **Kay Shepard**

A TIME OF SINGING
THE OFFERATORY PRAYER
THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS
THE MORNING PRAYER
THE LORD'S PRAYER (we say "debts" and "debtors")

#623

THE *GLORIA PATRI*
THE TIME WITH THE CHILDREN
PASSING THE PEACE (stand a moment to greet each other)
THE ANNOUNCEMENTS (please sign the folder at your pew)
THE SCRIPTURE READING
THE SERMON Rev. Denny Shepard
THE CALL TO CONSECRATION OF LIFE

The Invitation: If you feel led to accept Jesus Christ as your personal Savior, would like to rededicate your life, if you need special prayer, or if you would like to unite with this church, you are invited to join the pastor at the altar during the Hymn of Invitation.

❖ THE HYMN OF INVITATION **#332**
Without Him

❖ THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION
❖ THE BENEDICTION

❖ THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE **#610**
Go Now and Live for the Savior

❖ EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES Acolytes
❖ POSTLUDE

Enter to Worship

Leave to Serve

❖ *All who are able please stand to honor God. (Feel free to stand or keep seated according to your own comfort needs.)*



We're glad you're here! Surely, the Spirit of the Lord is in this place. As you join us in worship today, here is some helpful information:

- All who worship here are equal in the sight of God, regardless of race, age, gender, physical disability or religious affiliation.
- Communion, when celebrated, is open to all who profess Christ as Lord and Savior, whether affiliated with this church or not. Children take Communion as well, if parents approve.
- A nursery is available during the service; please see a greeter for directions. (This is for ages crib to 3 years)
- Handicap-accessible restrooms are located off the Great Hall (foyer) and up the stairs in the Family Life Center/Gym.
- Please remember to sign the attendance folder at your pew so we will have a record of your visit with us today.
- Thank you for remembering to silence your cell phone during the service.
- If you arrived as a visitor we hope that you leave as a friend and worship with us often!



If you would like a **DVD** of a service or other special event the price is \$10, which covers the cost of the DVD and mailing (any "profit" will go to the General Fund). DVDs are made available to our shut-in members free of charge. To request a DVD, please contact Elder **Richard Dulaney** at 202-6330.

Members in Ministry Today:

Acolytes: Kolby Greer and Allana Funderburk
Offering: Jimmy Reynolds, Bobby Thompson, Ray Jones and Richard Dulaney
Lock-Up: Bob & Evelyn Price

Members in Ministry Next Week:

Acolytes: Christina Greer and Ashtyn Dancy
Offering: Don O'Neal, Bob Price, Carl Scott and DJ Jones
Lock-Up: Carl and Karen Scott

Lectionary

August 26, 2007 [Green] Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Isa. 58:9b-14 or Jer. 1:4-10; Psalm 71:1-6 or 103:1-8;
Heb. 12:18-29; Luke 13:10-17.

Our Prayer Requests

"The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous person availeth much." - James 5:16

(For additions to or deletions from this list, or to place information in this bulletin, please call 449-7020 and leave a message.)

- The Lost
- Harold Morris
- Mary Dickson
- Shannon Womack (Mary Jo's cousin in Iraq)
- Bro. Denny's mother
- Kay Shepard's father
- Lori Agee
- Margaret Palmer (Mary Thompson's sister, cancer)
- Dora Crawford
- Carolyn Jackson
- Coreen Preston (homebound)
- Those in the military
- Wayne Horton
- Dewayne Horton
- Kathie Utley
- Venelee Smith
- Sue Ross
- Donald Cordell Smith (pastor's friend)
- Donnie Bentley
- Rhonda Bush's mother
- Sandy Gentile (Sue Allen's friend)
- Lexy Overstreet
- Harry Anderson
- Vivian Smrtic

Church Calendar at a Glance

Tonight	5:00 PM	Pot Luck Dinner
	6:00 PM	Fred VanHook Concert
Wed., Aug. 29	6:00 PM	AWANA Planning Meeting
	6:30 PM	Choir Practice
Sun., Sept. 2	9:00 AM	Christian Education Classes
	10:00 AM	Worship Service (Labor Day emphasis)/ Communion
Wed., Sept. 5	6:30 PM	Session Meeting
	9:00 AM	Christian Education Classes
Sun., Sept. 9 Back to Church Sunday	10:00 AM	Worship Service
	5:00 PM	"Annie" Presentation
	5:30 PM	AWANA Registration
	6:00 PM	Lasagna Dinner
Sun., Sept. 16	9:00 AM	Christian Education Classes
	10:00 AM	Worship Service
	5:00 PM	AWANA Clubs
Sun., Sept. 23	9:00 AM	Christian Education Classes
	10:00 AM	Worship Service
	5:00 PM	AWANA Clubs



Fall Kickoff will be **Sunday, September 9!**

Thought for the Week

“The Wonder of Salvation”

The world is full of wonders. Take water, for example. This common substance is made up of hydrogen and oxygen, both of which are flammable by themselves. But unite hydrogen and oxygen into water, and you can put out a fire with it. What a wonder!

Salvation is also a wonder. How God can transform a hopeless sinner into a respectable person is perhaps the greatest wonder of all. Just think: by witnessing to others we can have an important part in one of the wonders of the universe. God will honor our efforts if we will serve as His faithful witnesses.

Next Sunday

There will be a Pot Luck Family Night Fellowship Dinner and Concert next Sunday evening, **August 26**. We will have our meal at **5:00** and Fred VanHook and his group will be here to sing for us at 6:00. We haven't had a Pot Luck Supper in quite a while, so plan to attend this dinner and concert with your family. This is a great way to get to know some of our folks who are new to the church family.



Family Night Fellowship



The new Sunday School year will start here at New Hope on Sunday, Sept. 2. We hope that if you have children or grandchildren that attend worship that you will get them into a class. Sunday School is an essential part of a child's spiritual development.

We are forming classes for all age groups, and will find a place for your child.

Dinner and a Show September 9

We have a young lady in the church, **Ms. Christina Greer**, who has a role in a version of the play **Annie**. On Sunday, **September 9** at **5:00**, she and her fellow performers will bring their presentation to the church for all of us to enjoy. It will last 30-35 minutes. Following the play, we will be signing-up any



child interested in the **AWANA** program. Then, at **6:00** or a little after, everyone is invited to a **Lasagna dinner**. This will be a wonderful time for us to support the youth program here at New Hope while enjoying a time of fellowship.

“Get Excited...and Get Involved!”

“Get excited and get involved” is the theme for this year's Youth Program, which is divided between Sunday School Sunday mornings and AWANA on Sunday nights. We recognize that the youth in the church is the future of the church. A successful program requires the participation of all the youth and children in the church and, just as importantly, participation by adult volunteers. We want you to “Get excited and get involved” with the Youth Program at New Hope. Pray about what you can do to help us provide our children with the best possible Christian nurturing experience.



Ask yourself, “What can I do to help?” Then PRAY about it. There are numerous ways to help, and you can do ANY or as many of the following as you are able...WILL YOU:

- ✓ Bring your children/grandchildren to Sunday School?
- ✓ Volunteer to teach a Sunday School Class?
- ✓ Volunteer to help in a Sunday School Class?
- ✓ Bring you children/grandchildren to AWANA?
- ✓ Volunteer to be an AWANA club leader?
- ✓ Volunteer to help in an AWANA club?
- ✓ Pray for the Youth Program?
- ✓ Provide monetary support?

None of the tasks listed above will take much of your time, but the rewards are eternal if you help lead a child to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. See Robbie or Scott to find your place to **Get Excited... and Get Involved!!**

A Loving Family of God – for Your Family...

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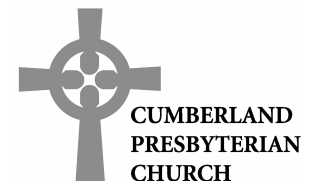
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*“For God So Loved The World,
That He Gave His Only Begotten Son
That Whosoever Believeth In Him
Should Not Perish,
But Have Everlasting Life.”*

-John 3:16

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