

# Announcements

## January 9, 2022

**Sound and video assistants needed** for worship broadcast and live stream video. Training will be provided. For more information or to sign up, contact Pastor Scott at [pastor@newhanoverlutheran.org](mailto:pastor@newhanoverlutheran.org) or (610) 326-1335 ext. 1.

### Today

**We welcome** Pr. Wayne Moritz, organist Karen Fallows and guitarist and vocalist Ryan Houck to our worship this morning. Thank you for enriching our worship experience with your ministry today.

**Serving Today** Head Usher: Barbara Repa; Ushers: Brian Flack and Rick Solazzo; Children's Sermon: Nevada Grant

**Next week** Head Usher: Ed Becker; Ushers: Scott and Georgann Geiser; Children's Sermon: Nikki Young

**The communion** is sponsored to the glory of God and in memory of loved ones by Tim and Vicki Mutter.

**Sunday School classes** for children and youth will resume this morning following worship. Gather in fellowship hall for the opening before heading to your classroom.

**Chosen 300** There will be a brief meeting this morning following the worship service in fellowship hall about NHELIC's Chosen 300. This meeting is for anyone who is interested in helping with worship, food prep, and/or serving food. If you are interested in helping and cannot attend this meeting, call Sally Sugita at (610) 505-9682.

### Calendar

**Worship Service** – Today, 9:00 AM in the sanctuary and online

**Food Drop Off** – Today, 9:00 – 10:00 AM, kitchen

**Food Delivery Pickup** – Today, 10:00 AM, Sunday School Wing door

**Loaves & Fishes 300 Volunteer Meeting** – Today, 10:00 AM, room 1 (fellowship hall)

**Sunday School** – Today, 10:15 AM – 11:15 AM, room 1  
(fellowship hall)

**Catechism** – Today, 10:15 AM - noon, room 33

**Paint Day** – Today, 2:00 – 4:00 PM, room 1

**AARP Board** – Monday, 10:00 – 11:30 AM, room 30

**Peer Support** – Monday, 6:30 – 8:00 PM, room 32

**Cub Scouts** – Monday, 6:30 – 8:00 PM, rooms 1, 21-31, 33, 37

**Feeding Homeless** Tuesday, 5:30 PM, offsite

**Boy Scouts** – Tuesday, 6:30 – 8:00 PM, room 1

**Finance** – Tuesday, 7:00 PM, offsite

**Women's Breakfast** – Wednesday, 8:30 AM, offsite

**Food Drop Off** – Wednesday, 1:00 – 2:00 PM, kitchen

**Food Delivery Pickup** – Wednesday, 2:00 PM, Sunday School  
Wing door

**12 Step** – Wednesday, 6:00 – 7:00 PM, room 32

**Thursdays at Ten** – Thursday, 10:00 – 11:30 AM, room 33

**Bell Choir** – Thursday, 6:30 – 8:00 PM, room 15

**Scout Roundtable** – Thursday, 6:45 – 8:30 PM, rooms 30, 33

**Worship and Music** – Thursday, 7:00 PM, room 34

**Worship Service** – Next Sunday, 9:00 AM in the sanctuary and  
online

**Food Drop Off** – Next Sunday, 9:00 – 10:00 AM, kitchen

**Food Delivery Pickup** – Next Sunday, 10:00 AM, Sunday School  
Wing door

**Sunday School** – Next Sunday, 10:15 AM, room 1 (fellowship  
hall)

**Rejoicing Spirits** – Next Sunday, 2:30 PM, fellowship hall and  
sanctuary

**Pastor Scott is on vacation** through January 12<sup>th</sup>. Please call  
(610) 326-1335 ext. 2 (Church Office Manager) or Council  
President Steve Eisenhart (215) 804-8733 with any emergency  
requests.

## Upcoming Events

**The Women's Breakfast** is this Wednesday, 8:30 AM at Shorty's  
Sunflower Café on North Charlotte Street in Pottstown.

Reservations are needed. To reserve your seat, contact Sandy

Wesner at (215) 679-9021 or email [slwesner@comcast.net](mailto:slwesner@comcast.net) by Tuesday noon. And don't forget, husbands are invited too.

**Soup Sale** The Swamp Picnic Committee is holding the annual soup sale on Sunday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, beginning at 10:00 AM (right after the 9:00 service) and continuing until all the soup is sold.

This year's selections are:

- Chicken Pot Pie
- Vegetable Beef Soup
- Chili

The suggested donation for a quart of soup is \$9. All three soups can be frozen in their container for future enjoyment.

**The Scouts' next Hoagie Sale is February 5<sup>th</sup>!** Choose from Italian or Turkey hoagies. The Italian hoagies consist of ham, salami, provolone cheese, lettuce, and tomatoes. The turkey hoagies include turkey, provolone cheese, lettuce, and tomatoes. Onions may be requested and pepper spread is also available on the side by request. The cost is \$7 each for either Italian or turkey hoagies. Proceeds will help the Scouts defray their cost of attending summer camp and other scouting activities, after a 10% goodwill donation to NHELCC. Orders can be picked up at the church between 10:00 AM and 11:00 AM on Saturday, February 5<sup>th</sup>. **The deadline to order is Sunday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>.** An order form is on the desk in the welcome center. Also, orders may be placed online by going to [www.367hoagies.com](http://www.367hoagies.com). The online order form will be available until Thursday, January 27<sup>th</sup>, at midnight. Please pay when the hoagies are picked up.

**Congregational Dinner** Save the date for this year's Congregational Dinner - Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup>. More information, as well as a reservation form, will be coming soon!

**Attention committee chair and liaisons:** Time to submit your 2021 annual report. Please send them to Church Office Manager Susan Gutshall.

**This year's MLK Day of Service Event** is cancelled. For various reasons we have decided to hold off on this event for now. We plan to hold an event like this at another time. If you would be interested in helping to plan an event such as this, contact Nikki

Young! We always are looking for service projects for various things year round!

## Food Ministry

**More than 70,000 meals have been delivered!** NHELCL's Loaves & Fishes Food Ministry is changing lives. And, you can be a part of the team. 1) You can donate food. Drop off your donation on Wednesdays between 1 – 2 PM and Sundays between 9 – 10 AM. Items most needed include: hamburger, chicken (thighs and breast meat), pasta (ziti, elbows, bowties), cheese (mozzarella, cheddar, parmesan), potatoes, fresh fruit (apples, oranges, bananas) and eggs. 2) Donate money through Thrivent Gift Cards, place monetary donation in the offering plate or mail to the church. 3) Deliver meals. Sign up at <https://www.newhanoverlutheran.org/loaves-fishes-food-ministry/>.

**We need help! NHELCL Loaves & Fishes is feeding the homeless and those in need.** Every month on the second Tuesday we are feeding the homeless and those in need in our area. If you can put a piece of food onto a plate, or serve a plate, or greet someone, or help sing a hymn or two, we could use your help. Each month on the second Tuesday at 5:30 PM at Emmanuel Lutheran Church located in Pottstown, NHELCL Loaves & Fishes is serving meals to the homeless and those in need. You can sign up now and help us for the first meal serving on January 11<sup>th</sup>, at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0f48adaf28a5f58-nhelc>.

## Can You Help

**Sign up to sponsor the bulletin and altar flowers for 2022.** Suggested donation for the bulletin is \$20 and flowers is \$35. Contact Church Office Manager Susan Gutshall at (610) 326-1335 for available dates and to sign up.

**The 2022 offering envelopes** are available for pickup in the welcome center.

**Seniors – a question for you....**What words of hope and wisdom can you offer to our younger generations at NHELCL as we come into 2022? Please email Deacon Carol your thoughts at [carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org](mailto:carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org), call and leave a message

for her at the church office or mail your response to the church. Your wise words would be very much appreciated!

## **Spiritual Renewal**

**Copies of the *Word in Season* daily devotion books** January - March are available in the welcome center. Be sure to pick up a copy of this daily scripture and brief message. By designating just a few minutes a day to read and ponder this devotional, you can enrich and inspire your life. *Word in Season* is sponsored to the glory of God and in honor of her church family by Lucille A. Powell.

## **Faith Formation**

**Starting January 16<sup>th</sup>, the Adult Sunday School** class will resume meeting at 10:15 AM in room 33. The topic of discussion will be “SOAP.”

**“Thursdays at Ten”** is an informal, discussion-type fellowship time which meets Thursdays in room 33 from 10 – 11:30 AM. Newcomers are always welcome! Now is a great time to join in the discussion as we start a new topic, **“I Will Give You Rest.”** We’ll look at ways to spiritually reduce everyday stress and rest our minds and bodies, giving us a chance to be more aware of God’s presence around us. We hope you’ll come rest with us!

### **Didn’t get a chance to fill out a Seniors Ministry Survey Form?**

There are extra copies in the welcome center. They can be returned to the marked black tray in the welcome center. Or, contact Deacon Carol at [carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org](mailto:carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org) or call the church office and we’ll send you one!

Need a prayer lifted up? The **NHELC Prayer Chain Ministry** is here for you. If you need a prayer, know someone else who could use one, or just want someone to pray about peace and healing for our communities, nation and world, we will lift those prayers up! All information will be kept confidential. To request a prayer, contact Deacon Carol at [carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org](mailto:carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org) or call the church office (610-326-1335), leave her a voice mail and she will pass it on to the prayer group. Also, you can contact

Deacon Carol to update circumstances or have a name removed from the Prayer Chain. Your prayers will be “delivered”!

**A new Seniors ministry:** We’re looking to start up a “**Seniors Serving Others**” ministry where from time to time our Seniors will be invited to help with projects that will benefit others. These projects will be varied. And some may be able to be done from home if getting together with a group is not something you want to do right now due to Covid concerns. First up will be making heart decorations to be given to Manatawny Manor. If interested in helping with this or upcoming projects, either email Deacon Carol at [carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org](mailto:carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org), call the church office to leave her a phone message or sign up on a sheet that will be placed on the Seniors Ministry Table in the Welcome Center. Please give contact information along with your name and we’ll be in touch!

## **Remember in your prayers**

### **Requests**

Toni Rath, Katy Mahon-Miller, Matt Hall, Luann Hanley, Larry Gallagher, Scot Smale, Carol Estes, William Trotter, Kathy Kane, Phil Underkoffler, Maxwell Girard, Pat Fryer, Stephanie Holtz, Carol Buchholtz Yost, Enoc Zapien, Jean Renninger, Barbara Morris, Kathy Campos, Pr. Susan Lynch, Richard Norris, Pr. Kork Moyer, Betty Lou Shadle, Julia Hauck, Tony Mancini, Raul Castro, Amy LeVan, Linda Harpel, Jeffrey Kunsch, Mary Ellen Jonczyk, Hannah Phillips, Braydon Kline, Edwin Sugita, Wilma Lahr, Robert Tadley, Jim Price, Melissa, Bernadette Phillips, Mary Lou, Doug Weaver, Joan Wagner, Jaden Mahlbauer, Robert Ganovsky, MaryAlice Mack, Dorothy Bingaman, Emily Ocelus, Gates family, Eric and Wendy Hess, Sue Care, Josh Young, Herman Richard, Deb Matthews, Marceline, Brendan Avvento, Anne Eshleman, Daniel Johnson, Gwen Grant, Chris Fatzinger, Hank Droneberg, Pena family, Kim Frain, Catherine Underwood, Ken Jacob, Jen Perez, June Urbassik, Frank D., Pam Helfrich, Barb and Tom Faust, Andy Van Dyke, Janet, Tom Swanson, Tricia Hoak family, Carly, Marilyn Varnum, Jerry Dotterer, Feryl Stein, Laurie Scoggins, Pam Abbott, Holli Muffler, Andrea Reish

Peace for the violence in our area and nationally

## Long-term

Garrett Coyne, Heather James, Rachel Walter, Sarah Bowman, Keeley Staples, Logan Conley, Shannon, John, Dominic Strock, Sally Kohl, Tina Farrell

## Shut-in

Penny Frymoyer

## Grieving

Family and friends of Larry Peto, Yvonne Peto's husband and Candis' father; Charles Rhoads, Mary Alice Mack's father; Lawrence Moser, Donna Kehs' father; and Roy Fleming, Carolyn Fleming's husband

## Military

Shawn Dietz, Michael McHugh, Kevin Dugan, Jason Bernhard, Craig Geiser, Patrick Mathias, Steven Kane, William Zearfoss, Will Wilson V, Milton Jack Repa, Megan Fricker, Kyle Woods

## **New Hanover Evangelical Lutheran Church**

Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 9 AM – 3 PM

Call for an appointment.

### **Contact Information**

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