

# September 11, 2022

## Announcements

**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.

**Sponsors are needed.** Suggested donation for the bulletin is \$20 and flowers is \$35. Or, sponsor the *Word in Season* for \$35 a month. Contact Church Office Manager Susan Gutshall at (610) 326-1335 for available dates and to sign up.

**Help avoid conflicts.** Since activities at the church are back to normal, check in with staff before scheduling an event to be held at the church.

### Today

**The flowers** are presented to the glory of God and in memory of Bill and Lila Steltz by Bill and Sharon Tracey.

**Serving Today** Head Usher: Marty Hauser; Ushers: George Trowbridge and Rick Hausch; Children's Sermon: Ariel Hansley

**Next Sunday** Head Usher: Steve Weidner; Ushers: Todd and Stacey Rothermel; Children's Sermon: Donna Kehs

**Altar Guild Serving this Month** Lynn Fegley, Vicki Dotterer and Sharon Wise

### Calendar

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

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

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

**J.A.M. (Jesus and Me)** – Today, 10:15 AM, room 1 (fellowship hall)

**Congregational Picnic** – Today, 11:30 AM, picnic grove

**Prayer Ministry** – Monday, 1:15 PM, sanctuary

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

**Christian Education** – Monday, 7:00 PM, room 33

**Property** – Monday, 7:00 PM, room 4  
**Altar Guild** – Monday, 7:00 PM, sanctuary  
**AARP Board** – Tuesday, 10:00 – 11:30 AM, room 30  
**Chosen 300 Ministries** – Tuesday, 5:30 PM, offsite  
**Boy Scouts** – Tuesday, 6:30 – 8:00 PM, picnic grove  
**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  
**Chancel Choir Rehearsal** – Wednesday, 7:00 – 8:15 PM, room 15  
**Thursdays at Ten** – Thursday, 10:00 – 11:30 AM, room 33  
**Bell Choir Rehearsal** – Thursday, 6:15 – 7:30 PM, room 15  
**Council** – Thursday, 7:00 PM, room 33  
**Worship Service** – Next Sunday, 9:00 AM 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  
**J.A.M. (Jesus and Me)** – Next Sunday, 10:15 – 11:15 AM, room 1  
**Genealogy 101** – Next Sunday, 10:15 AM, room 33  
**Rejoicing Spirits** – Next Sunday, 2:30 – 4:00 PM, room 1 and sanctuary  
**Scout Court of Honor** – Next Sunday, 3:00 – 8:00 PM, room 1

## Upcoming Events

**Constant Contact** is a weekly email giving you events and worship news. Were you contacted on Monday with a Constant Contact email? If not, you can get on the list by calling the church at (610) 326 1335 or emailing your request to [cc-admin@newhanoverlutheran.org](mailto:cc-admin@newhanoverlutheran.org). Don’t miss out on all the latest news for NHELCL.

**NHELCL Loaves & Fishes is working with the Chosen 300 Ministries** to feed the homeless this Tuesday. 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. Meals will be

served at 5:30 PM at Emmanuel Lutheran Church located at 150 North Hanover Street in Pottstown. All are welcome. If you can help, just show up at Emmanuel Lutheran Church.

**Women's Breakfast is this Wednesday, 8:30** 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.

**The Altar Guild** will meet on Monday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 PM in the sanctuary.

**Choir rehearsals resume. Chancel Choir** rehearsals begin this **Wednesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>**, 7:00 – 8:15 PM in the choir room (room 15). **Children's Choir** for ages 3 – 12 begins next **Wednesday, September 21<sup>st</sup>**, 6:30 – 7:00 PM in the choir room. Interested in joining the Chancel Choir or Children's Choir, contact Director of Music Ministry Patricia Nyce. **Bell Choir** is rehearsing on Thursdays, 6:15 – 7:30 PM in the choir room. For more information about the bell choir program, contact Bell Choir Director Barb Eisenhart.

**Thursdays at Ten** will start up again this Thursday, **September 15<sup>th</sup>**, from 10:00 to 11:30 AM in room 33. This informal Adult Faith Formation gathering will explore "**Fierce Women of the Bible.**" There were some "sassy" women back then! Both women and men are invited to journey back to biblical times to learn more about these "lasses" and how some things haven't changed. Look for more details in the September newsletter. Contact Deacon Carol with any questions! And feel free to bring a friend!

**September Sundays** – sponsored by Seniors Ministry, but for all interested persons. The events will be held at 10:15 AM in room 33.

**Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>: "Genealogy 101"** – learn some helpful tips on how to research your family's roots from professional genealogist Amanda Schlick.

**September 25<sup>th</sup>: "Centered on Seniors"** – a combination "Kick-off to the 2022-23 year/Sharing and insights about being a senior (think Golden Girls humor). Bring your concerns, your wisdom, your joys. And of course there will be some snacks!

Contact Deacon Carol with questions about either of these sessions.

**Harvesting Hope Fair** The second annual Harvesting Hope Fair will be on **Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup>**, 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM in the church parking lot. Come for a fun-filled day and help change lives! Activities include: Touch-a-Truck, Tractors, Hayrides, Christmas Flea Market, Non-profit Ministries, Organic Garden U-pick; Drag Racing Cars, Family Fun and Games, Bounce Houses, Bee Demo, Family Photo Booth and Food & Beverages. All event proceeds will support the Loaves & Fishes Food Ministry and Garden of Hope. Also, you can help by being a sponsor. Call the church office (610-326-1335) if you'd like to help or know of an organization that would like to become a sponsor.

**Save this date!** October 15<sup>th</sup> (rain date October 22<sup>nd</sup>) for the **Living History Cemetery Tour**. Tours are conducted every 20 minutes between 2 – 4 PM. **Please note** this year, folks who are unable to navigate walking the cemetery are invited to the 12 noon dress rehearsal which will be held indoors, so no walking outside is required! A free-will donation for this event will be received to help fund the cemetery restoration. Refreshments will be available. Come discover the long and fascinating history of New Hanover Lutheran Church and its members.

**The Boyertown Area Marching Unit** will present “No Day Shall Erase You – A Time to Remember 9-11.” This tribute concert will be held **today at 2:00 PM at the Boyertown Middle School West Auditorium**. The Alumni Marching Unit is dedicating the concert to the men, women, and children who lost their lives, to the brave people who gave their lives and to the heroes who responded to the emergency. The concert will honor the area's local first responders. A free will offering will be taken at the door. All proceeds will go to our local first responders.

## You Can Help

**A Capital Funds Campaign** is underway. Help NHELCC raise \$200,000 for the HVAC and AVEL systems. A letter describing this campaign and an envelope for your contribution were mailed in August. Additional envelopes are available on the desk in the

welcome center. For more information, contact the church office at (610) 326-1335.

**Help is needed for the Living History Cemetery Tour.** Folks are needed to serve as tour guides, greeters and refreshment table servers. Contact Deacon Carol at carol.detweiler@newhanoverlutheran.org or leave her a message at the church office if you are interested or have any questions. This event is sponsored by the Seniors Ministry of NHELC.

**NHELC is collecting non-perishable food items** throughout September. Donations will be distributed through the Pottstown Cluster. Drop off your donation in the collection box in the welcome center. Thank you in advance for helping those in need.

**Frederick Living is looking for books and jigsaw puzzle donations** for residents in the Personal Care unit. Donations of new or gently used books and puzzles may be dropped off at the church in the designated box in the welcome center. The residents enjoy Christian authors such as: Jeanette Oke, Karen Kingsbury, Lynette Eason, Karen Witemeyer, Beverly Lewis, Irene Hannon and Becky Wade along with authors Danielle Steel and Nicholas Sparks. For puzzles, 300-500 pieces are ideal, no 1,000 pieces.

## **Food Ministry**

**More than 90,000 meals have been delivered!** NHELC'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 donations in the offering plate or mail to the church. 3) Deliver meals. Sign up at <https://www.newhanoverlutheran.org/loaves-fishes-food-ministry/>.

## Spiritual Renewal

**The *Word in Season* daily devotion books** July - September are available in the welcome center and information box located outside by the Sunday school doors. The books are sponsored to the glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, John, by Joan Price.

Do you know someone who could use a **prayer shawl** to help bring comfort, healing and good thoughts? If so, contact Deacon Carol or Pastor Scott and they'll see that one is made available. We need additional knitters for this important ministry. Supplies and instructions are available now in the library located off of fellowship hall. Materials are on a bookcase close to the door. Contact Deacon Carol with any questions about this.

Need a prayer lifted up? The **NHELC Prayer Chain Ministry** is here for you. All information remains confidential. To request a prayer, contact Deacon Carol at [cdetweiler01@comcast.net](mailto:cdetweiler01@comcast.net) or call the church office (610-326-1335) to leave her a voice mail. Your prayers will be delivered! Also, you can contact Deacon Carol to update circumstances or have a name removed from the Prayer Chain.

**Prayer Warriors Wanted** You are invited to join the warriors on Monday at 1:15 PM in the sanctuary. Participants join in a brief devotion and then pray together. They give thanks and then lift up in prayers neighbors both near and far. See Donna Kehs or Marsha Staub if you have any questions.

## Remember in your prayers

### Requests

Toni Rath, Katy Mahon-Miller, Matt Hall, Luann Hanley, Scot Smale, Carol Estes, William Trotter, Kathy Kane, Phil Underkoffler, Maxwell Girard, Pat Fryer, Jean Renninger, Kathy Campos, Richard Norris, Pr. Kork Moyer, Betty Lou Shadle, Julia Hauck, Tony Mancini, Raul Castro, Amy LeVan, Jeffrey Kunsch, Mary Ellen Jonczyk, Braydon Kline, Edwin Sugita, Wilma Lahr, Robert Tadley, Jim Price, Melissa, Bernadette Phillips, Mary Lou, Doug Weaver, Joan Wagner, Jaden Mahlbauer, Robert Ganovsky,

Dorothy Bingaman, Emily Ocelus, Gates family, Eric and Wendy Hess, Sue Care, Herman Richard, Deb Matthews, Marceline, Anne Eshleman, Daniel Johnson, Gwen Grant, Chris Fatzinger, Hank Droneberg, Pena family, Kim Frain, Ken Jacob, Jen Perez, Frank D., Pam Helfrich, Barb and Tom Faust, Andy Van Dyke, Janet, Jerry Dotterer, Feryl Stein, Laurie Scoggins, Pam Abbott, Holli Muffler, Louise Karns, Mary Van Dyke, Elizabeth Lawson, Pr. Jennifer Phelps

Peace for the violence in our area and nationally

### Long-term

Heather James, Sarah Bowman, Keeley Staples, Logan Conley, Sally Kohl, Tina Farrell, Carol Buchholtz Yost

### Shut-in

Penny Frymoyer

### 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**  
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## Financial Record

The table below shows NHELCC's income for the year as of July 31, 2022. The budgeted amounts are 7/12 of the approved 2022 budget to coincide with the months reported.

	July Contributions	YTD Contributions	Approved Budget	Percent Budget
<b>Offering</b>				
Envelope	\$8,820	\$94,297	\$100,333	94%
Simply Giving	\$9,632	\$70,959	\$77,875	91%
Loose Offering	\$357	\$2,283	\$2,917	78%
<b>Designated Contributions</b>				
Fuel Oil	\$180	\$2,902	\$5,250	55%
Bulletin	\$40	\$180	\$700	26%
Flowers	\$165	\$1,833	\$1,750	105%
HVAC Project	\$2,135	\$2,435	\$19,833	12%
Audio/Visual/Electric Project	\$3,850	\$3,850	\$0	-
Food Ministry/Garden of Hope	\$2,398	\$31,910	\$32,083	99%
Peer Support Ministry	\$760	\$6,882	\$2,333	295%
<b>Grants</b>				
Peer Support Ministry	\$0	\$0	\$4,375	0%
Food Ministry/Garden of Hope	\$0	\$43,930	\$8,750	502%