



BAPTISM CELEBRATIONS SEPTEMBER 29TH/30TH

This weekend we'll celebrate baptism in all of our services. Why is baptism so important? Because it signifies our inclusion in God's family. Baptism declares our faith, shares in Christ's burial and Resurrection, symbolizes our death to our old life and announces our new life in Christ. It publicly announces to the world, "I am not ashamed to be a part of God's family." Jesus commanded this beautiful act for all of us. Please join us to hear the powerful stories of those who decided that now is the perfect time to take this next important step in their faith journey.

FIRST TIME GUESTS

We promise we're not going to make you stand up in front of everyone or track you down, but we'd love to know you were here today! Simply fill out your communication card in the seat back in front of you and check the "First Time Guest" box. On your way out, stop by Guest Services at the front doors and get your FREE welcome gift. **We're glad you are here!**

**WE'RE
SO GLAD
YOU JOINED
US TODAY!**

newhope
church

We are honored when people choose to do church with us. New Hope is for anyone who wants to seek God - from those exploring whether or not God even exists, to devoted Christ-followers. Wherever you are, you'll find we are committed to showing everyone the love of Jesus and help them establish a relationship with Him. We are casual, laid-back, and far from perfect. **ALL are welcome!**

A NIGHT OF HOPE FOR THE LEAST OF THESE

Please join us for the first Hope for Help Gala on Saturday, November 17th at 6 pm at the Sheraton Reston. Dinner, dancing, a silent auction and inspiring words from Feed My Starving Children CEO Mark Crea, are sure to make for an unforgettable night! All proceeds go to our work with Feed My Starving Children.

SAT
NOV
17
6 PM

Butler Passed Hors d'Oeuvres

Field Fresh Young Greens

European Cucumber, Cherry Tomatoes,
Red Onion with Balsamic Vinaigrette

Artisan Rolls and Sweet Cream Butter

Duet of Sirloin Beef and Chicken Breast
With Caramelized Onion, Wine Reduction
Herb Roasted Potatoes with a Medley of Seasonal Vegetables

Chocolate Decadence Cake

Freshly Brewed Starbucks®
Regular and Decaffeinated Coffee
Selection of Hot Tazo® Tea

Dress: Festive cocktail attire – feel free to glam it up!

Cost: \$100/person

Sponsor a table for 10 of your friends or business associates for \$1200 and get your group or business name listed as an event sponsor.

To register, please go online to bit.ly/2018nightofhope

***Registration will be promoted and open to the public beginning on Monday, October 1, 2018. There are only 300 spots available.*

bingo night

family

fun

OCTOBER 27TH
6:45 PM

REGISTER TODAY AT
BIT.LY/OCT27BINGO

PROCEEDS BENEFIT FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN (FMSC.ORG)



Saturday, Sept 22

Lorton, VA

Walk4Water

BECAUSE EVERY DROP COUNTS

Thank you to everyone who participated and/or donated to the 2018 Walk for Water. A total of \$13,018.65 was collected. That means that one well is fully funded and the balance of the money will go towards financing a second well. Well done and thanks!

COLOR RUN!

BEFORE

AFTER



JOIN US FOR THE 6TH ANNUAL HOPE FOR HELP 5K & COLOR RUN.
The crazy color fun for kids 12 and under is on Saturday, October 20th.
Visit hopeforhelp5k.com to register today!



6TH ANNUAL **HOPE** FOR HELP **5K RUN/WALK**

The flat and fast course through Crosspointe is great for race enthusiasts as well as walkers of all ages. With Chronotrack timing this race has drawn a large field of participants and promises awesome and accurate chip times.

**OCTOBER 20TH • SIGN-UP AT
HOPEFORHELP5K.COM
REGISTRATION INCLUDES T-SHIRT,
MEDAL, AND FUN FOR EVERYONE**

8:00 am - Pre-Race Warm Up by Orangetheory Fitness
Lorton-Fairfax Station

8:30 am - Hope for Help 5K Run

9:30 am - Kid's Color Run

The 5K Run

Registration Costs

\$30 - Register by September 30

\$35 - Register October 1-19

\$40 - Register October 20 (race day)

\$35 - Virtual Race

\$25 - Team rate (minimum 4 team members)

Kid's Color Run

Who can participate? Children ages 12 and under.

Registration

\$20 per child. Register by October 12th to guarantee a free kids race t-shirt (while supplies last, after October 12th).

All proceeds go towards funding our Feed My Starving Children events.

**PRICE
INCREASE
SEPT 30TH**



**TAKE
OVER**

CHIP IN FOR CHIP

Takeover, our Student Ministry for youth from 6th grade through 12th grade, recently kicked off an initiative to collect change to fund meals for Feed My Starving Children. The students were challenged on how much money they spend eating out each week. The average meal at Chipotle, a student favorite, costs \$12. The challenge to them is to forgo that meal money so others can eat. The next four weeks, we're challenging them to skip a meal or two that they eat out and put that money towards something life changing. They will be filling up a cannister with change, dollars, even checks and bringing it back any Sunday night between September 30th - October 21st. If they chip in to reach their goal of \$1,000 to feed 12 children for a year, then they will have Chipotle at their fall party on October 28th!

If you're a student between 6th grade and 12th grade, please join us for Takeover this Sunday night at 6 pm. For more information, check out nhctakeover.com

New Women's Small Group starting in Dumfries on Tuesday, October 16th from 7-9 pm. Contact the leaders below for more information or to sign up. Bernadette Granger (berna8990@yahoo.com) or Barbie Sandy (barbieasandy@gmail.com).

We have a new women's small group beginning Thursday, October 4th at 7 pm at New Hope. This group is designed for young professional women (late 20's - late 30's) who are interested in growing in their faith and getting to know other women in the same age group. Led by Caity Butler, the group will meet every other week. To register go to bit.ly/butlersmallgroup. Questions? Please contact Dan Dever at dan.dever@newhope.org



What Is The Back Pack

What do kids carry with them almost 24/7 throughout the school year? You're right, a back pack! Well, we have our own meaning for a "back pack". We say Back stands for Before & After Care Kids...and we have a Pack of 'em at our program!

The Back Pack, New Hope's before and after care school program is accepting applications for fun, energetic, and reliable people who love working with kids. They are looking for people who are ready to engage the students in kindergarten through 6th grade, in fun activities and games, while providing a safe environment for them. If this sounds like you, please contact info@thebackpackonline.com.

This week, we'd like to recognize Richard Lynch. Richard serves on our Parking Team. We want to ensure that everyone arrives and leaves church safely and are properly greeted before they even enter the church building. Thanks to Richard and the rest of our Parking Team, we are able to do this. Thank you, Richard! We appreciate you! If you'd like to be a part of this team, email Carol Ann at carolann.gregoire@newhope.org and give it a try!

A FUN DATE NIGHT — A RELATIONSHIP GAME-CHANGER
 YOU'LL LAUGH, LEARN, GROW CLOSER & NEVER LOOK AT FIGHTING IN THE SAME WAY

Registration coming soon!

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