

TAKE HOME SHEET



Series: Fully Devoted
Message: Devoted For a Purpose
Speaker: Rusty Coram
Date: November 16/17, 2019

If I were to give God my full devotion (love, respect and loyalty), what would it look like in my daily life?

- At home?
- At work?
- In my neighborhood?
- In my private thought life?
- In my choice of entertainment?
- Other...?

If I were to take seriously the fact that the church is Christ's body and we are all connected to Him and each other, how would it impact my choices regarding my relationship with my local church?

- What would my involvement look like?
- How would my prayer life be impacted?
- What about my financial support?

If I were to be fully devoted to God's purpose of helping persuade others to understand about and accept Jesus as their savior and leader, what might that require of me?

- What would I need to change in order to be a better example?
- What would I need to learn so I can better engage in conversations about faith?

As I think about the implications of being fully devoted, what is one thing that is standing out as a good next step for me this week?

BIBLE TRANSLATIONS:

NIV – New International Version

NLT – New Living Translation

MESSAGE NOTES



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God deserves my full devotion.

⁸ God saved you by his grace when you believed. And you can't take credit for this; it is a gift from God. ⁹ Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it. ¹⁰ For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.

Ephesians 2:8-10 (NLT)

His church deserves our full devotion.

⁴ Just as our bodies have many parts and each part has a special function, ⁵ so it is with Christ's body. We are many parts of one body, and we all belong to each other.

Romans 12:4-5 (NLT)

His work requires our full devotion.

Jesus said, "As long as it is day, we must do the work of him who sent me. Night is coming, when no one can work."

John 9:4 (NIV)

An essential part of His work is leading people to Jesus.

²⁸ So we tell others about Christ, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all the wisdom God has given us. We want to present them to God, perfect in their relationship to Christ. ²⁹ That's why I work and struggle so hard, depending on Christ's mighty power that works within me.

Colossians 1:28-29 (NLT)



FULLY DEVOTED

Jesus isn't looking for the next Christian superstar or famous personality. What He is looking for is simply...devotion. Jesus turns ordinary people like you and me into history makers by inviting them into a personal relationship with Him. From there, He deploys us into the world as His partners. The greatest thing you and I can ever do to make a positive and lasting impact in the world is to follow Jesus with full devotion.

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're honored when people choose to do church with us. New Hope is for anyone who wants to seek God - from those exploring if He even exists, to devoted Christ-followers. Wherever you are, you'll find we are committed to showing the love of Jesus and helping people establish a relationship with Him. We are casual, laid-back and far from perfect. **ALL are welcome!**

IT'S TIME...VITAMINS, VEGGIES, SOY, RICE!

All of the slots for the MobilePack are officially full. Thank you to everyone who signed up.

Please remember there will be **no church services** next weekend, **November 23/24**, while these meals are being packed.



HOPE
FOR HELP



Coat Drive

NOVEMBER 23 - DECEMBER 15

You can help us spread warmth, because no one should be left out in the cold!

DONATE YOUR UNWANTED COATS & HELP OTHERS TO STAY WARM



SCHOOL BUS DRIVER NEEDED!

The Back Pack (TBP), New Hope's before and after care school program, is in need of an afternoon bus driver. A CDL is not required, but preferred. Drive one of our small 14 passenger buses, picking up TBP students from 3-4:30 pm, M-F. Additional work hours are available working with our kids after the bus runs. Applicant must be 21 with a good driving record. If this sounds like you, please contact info@thebackpackonline.com

Celebrating God's Goodness



Thanksgiving Eve Service *Wednesday, November 27, 2019* *7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary*

Antioch Baptist Church 6531 Little Ox Road, Fairfax Station, VA 22039

Rev. Dr. Marshal L. Ausberry, Sr. Pastor



Antioch
Fairfax Station, VA

Sunday Worship Times
8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

TURKEY BOWL SEVENTH ANNUAL

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28TH FROM 9-11 AM
SOUTH COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL
SEPARATE ADULT AND KID FLAG FOOTBALL GAMES
RSVP TODAY AT [BIT.LY/2019TURKEYBOWL](https://bit.ly/2019turkeybowl)





Help a struggling family provide joy for their children this Christmas. Each \$25 voucher you purchase will provide a wish list item for a family. Please stop by the front lobby today to purchase a voucher or pick up a gift tag for a specific item (to be collected beginning Nov 23rd). You can also purchase vouchers online at bit.ly/2019hofh.

Family Photos at the New Hope Christmas Market



Have your pictures professionally taken at the New Hope Christmas Market! Photo packages range from \$25 to \$200, and all proceeds are being generously donated to New Hope's work with Feed My Starving Children. Please sign up for a time slot for your photo shoot with Kimberly Stowell Photography at bit.ly/2019famphoto.



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7TH

9 AM TO 2 PM · FREE PARKING · OPEN TO PUBLIC



Volunteer: bit.ly/2019cmvol

Donate: bit.ly/2019cmparticipant (Proceeds go to FMSC)

Sell: bit.ly/2019cmvndor. (Register for a table to sell your product.)

Questions? Contact Kim Feld at kim.feld@newhope.org



*Do Good
Do Fun
Go Home Merry*

**Women's Christmas Party
December 18th @ 7 pm
Save the Date - Details Coming Soon!**



OPEN MIC

A SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

NOVEMBER 30/DECEMBER 1 • RUSTY CORAM

Please join us for a New Hope tradition! Every year on the weekend after Thanksgiving, we take some time to share our stories of gratitude from the past 12 months. It's really amazing to hear how God is working in the lives of our church family. We'll finish by sharing the Lord's Supper together, as we prepare to head into the Christmas season. Please feel free to bring your visiting friends and family to join us Nov 30/Dec 1.

FINANCE UPDATE - OCTOBER OFFERING

OCTOBER BUDGET \$197,263

OCTOBER ACTUAL \$193,296

OCTOBER OVER/(UNDER) (\$3,967)

YTD BUDGET \$1,914,897

YTD ACTUAL \$1,847,425

YTD OVER/(UNDER) (\$67,472)

mark your calendar

nov

11.22-24
FMSC
Mobilepack
(No Services)

11.23
Coat & Holiday
of Hope
Collection
Begins

11.27
Thanksgiving
Service-Antioch

11.28
New Hope
Turkey Bowl

dec

12.07
Christmas
Market

12.14
Family
Breakfast

12.18
Women's
Christmas
Party

12.22
Mission Muffins

12.24
Christmas Eve
Svcs (2,4,6 pm)

jan

1.25
Men's One Day
Retreat

1.26
Mission Muffins

feb

2.23
Mission Muffins



New Hope Holiday Service Schedule

Nov 23/24	No Services (FMSC MobilePack)
Nov 30/Dec 1	Open Mic Service/Lord's Supper
Dec 21/22	Normal Service Times
Dec 24	Christmas Eve Services 2, 4 and 6 pm (Children's programs at 2 & 4 only)
Dec 28/29	Online Services Only (live.newhope.org)

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