



## News and Opportunities

August 1, 2025



August 3, 2025

*Eighth Sunday after Pentecost*

*Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23 ~ Colossians 3:1-11 ~ Luke 12:13-21*

*Attend in-person or [livestream](#)*

*[Order of Service](#)*

### This Week at New Hope

Sunday, August 3rd

9:00am

- Adult Sunday School - Contemporary Issues (Conference Room)
- Adult Sunday School - Exodus (Fellowship Hall)

10:15am Worship Service (Worship Center)

11:30am Harmony Faith Family (Conference Room)

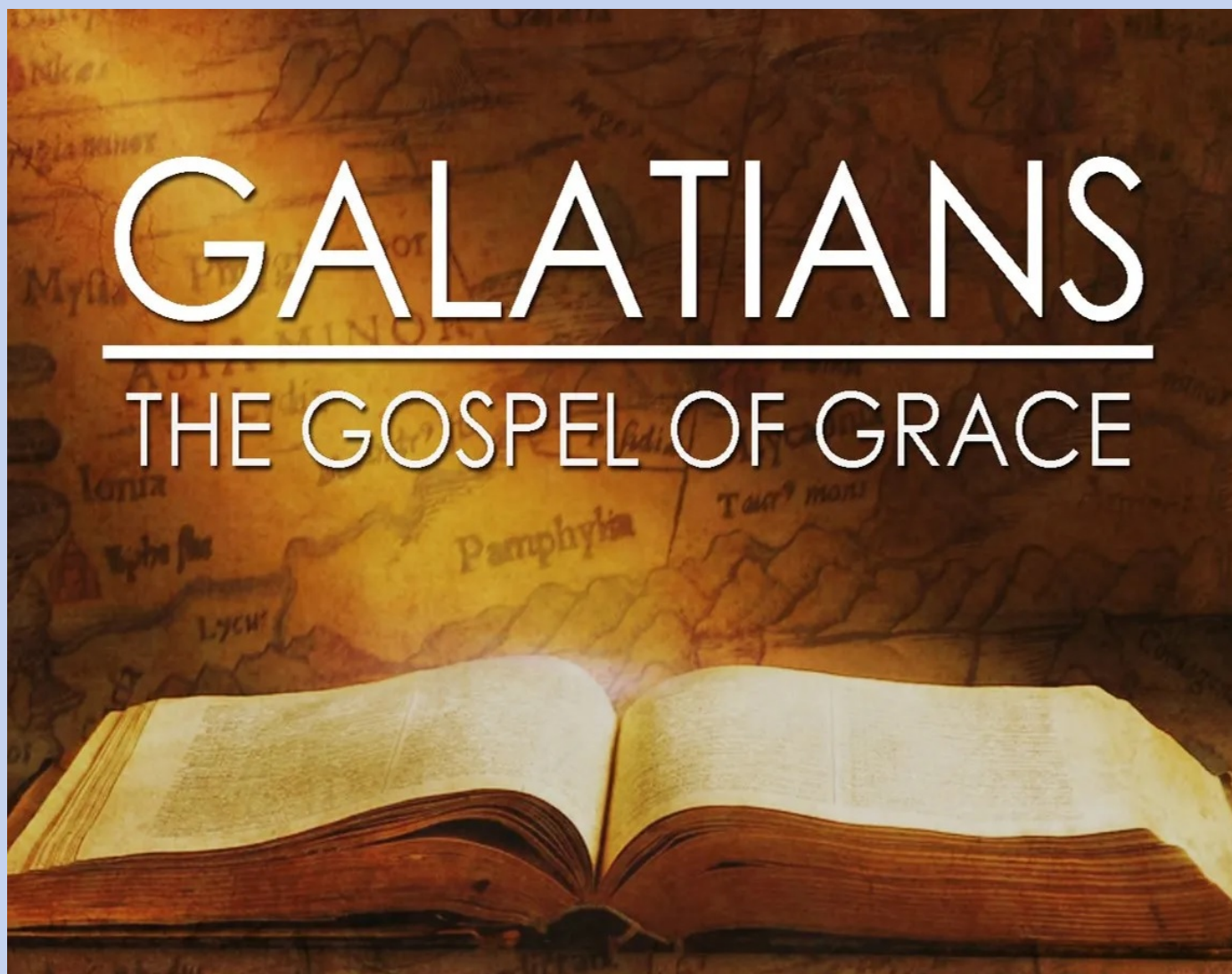
Monday, August 4th  
7:00pm Deacons Meeting (Room 104)

Thursday, August 7th  
12:00pm Agape Circle (Room 104)  
6:00pm Girl Scouts (Room 104)  
6:30pm Boy Scouts (Fellowship Hall)

Saturday, August 9th  
9:45am OASIS Food Pantry

*August 2025 calendar*

*(hard copy of the calendar can be found in the Narthex)*



Beginning August 10, we invite you to join us as we explore the bold and urgent message of Paul's letter to the Galatians. Together, we'll study the epistle verse by verse, tracing Paul's passionate defense of the gospel of grace and its enduring relevance for the Church today. Join us at 9:00am in the Fellowship Hall for thoughtful discussion and fresh insight into this foundational New Testament text.





*For healing and comfort* ~ Angela (friend of Jerry Dyer), Angela Clark (daughter of Jim & Anne Finks)

*For the grieving* ~ the family of Bill Reilly, the family of Paul Hale

*For the nation and the world* ~ for unity and compassion among all people, and for our leaders to promote peace and justice.

*Continuing Prayer Requests* ~ Please continue to pray for those listed [here](#).

*Please help us keep the prayer list up to date by notifying [Trudi Johnson](#) in the church office of any additions or deletions*



This Sunday, August 3, is the first Sunday of the month. The women of New Hope are invited every first Sunday of the month to continue a long standing tradition of women wearing hats while attending church. Please contact [Donna Huffman](#) with any questions.

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## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We would love to have the congregation get involved with our children's programs! We have two programs that run during the Worship Service. The nursery is for children ages Birth-Five and is open from 9-11:30. Worship Feast is designed for kids grades Kindergarten-Fifth Grade and is available during the sermon. If you are able to volunteer for either one of these programs, please use the links below. We always have two adults in the room and you will need to be safe sanctuary trained. If you have any questions or would like more information please contact Tara Larrew. ([taramc14@yahoo.com](mailto:taramc14@yahoo.com) or 314-374-6310)



Please click the links below to sign up to volunteer. Thank you!

[\*Nursery volunteer\*](#)  
[\*Worship Feast volunteer\*](#)

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Boy Scout Troop 30 is holding an Impact Life Blood Drive on Thursday, August 14, from 2:00-7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Several openings are available. To schedule your donation time click [here](#) or contact [Nancy Holzer](#) to schedule your life saving contribution. Thank you for your support!

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# Food Pantry Needs

Beef Stew

Breakfast bars

Canned beef & pork

Fruit cups

Oatmeal packets

Saltines

Size 5-6 diapers

## New Hope Food Pantry

Thank you to all who stock the food pantry! We also want to thank those who support the food pantry with your monetary gifts and food donations. Our church could not offer this important ministry without all of you!

Thanks for everyone who has stepped up to contribute peanut butter and jelly over the last two weeks. This week we would like to highlight our need for oatmeal packets. This is a staple of our pantry. We put out 5 of these a day. Your generous donations of this one item is really needed.

Below is a list of other most-needed items this week:

- Beef stew
- Breakfast bars
- Canned beef & pork
- Fruit cups
- Saltines
- Size 5-6 diapers

Please consider picking up one or two of these items as you do your weekly shopping or making a directed monthly monetary donation to the food pantry so that we can buy more in our monthly shopping.

For your shopping convenience, orders can be placed through our wish list at [Amazon](#). Thank you!

Please click the link below to see more items needed.

[\*Additional Items Needed\*](#)

And we can always use more volunteers! Don't worry if you're not sure what to do, we'll work with you until you're comfortable. Just let the office know that you'd like some help getting started.

[\*Sign up link for volunteering\*](#) If you are unable to navigate the sign up link to volunteer, let [\*Trudi Johnson\*](#) in the church office know and she will put you on the schedule.

## OASIS Birthday Bags

Thank you to all who donate to OASIS Birthday Bags. This mission could not continue without people like you. God bless! OASIS Birthday Bags for boys and girls ages 1-12 years.

We are most in need of:

- icing
- small gifts for ages 7-12
- cake mixes
- crayons
- paper plates
- napkins

If you have any questions please call Barb MacShane at (636) 426-0461 or Donna Drackert at (636) 778-8254.



You can find the list for birthdays and anniversaries below.  
Hard copies can also be found in the Narthex.

*[August Birthdays & Anniversaries](#)*

## Giving Opportunities

*[Give to New Hope](#)*  
*[Give to Texas Hill Country Flood Relief](#)*

**NHPC Food Pantry**  
*[Amazon Wish List](#)*  
*[Food Pantry List](#)*  
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