

# Welcome to New Hope Church

A Christ-centered community for all peoples, moving toward Jesus and taking others with us.

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## BE BAPTIZED!

*Sunday, March 26*

[NEWHOPECHURCHMN.ORG/BAPTISM](http://newhopechurchmn.org/baptism)

## BAPTISM CLASS

SUNDAY  
MARCH 12  
10:30AM  
FAMILY CENTER C2

*Register online!*

## MILITARY *Appreciation* LUNCH

MAR 12 | 12PM | FAMILY CENTER

[newhopechurchmn.org/care](http://newhopechurchmn.org/care)



## BIBLE STUDIES

**1 & 2 KINGS**

**MARCH 15**  
WEDS AM & PM

[NEWHOPECHURCHMN.ORG/WOMEN](http://newhopechurchmn.org/women)

WOMEN

## GIVE ONLINE

## NEED PRAYER?

## NEWS & GIVING REPORT

### Be Baptized

Baptism Class: March 12, 10:30am, Family Center. Learn more about the next steps toward baptism and participate in baptism celebration on Sunday, March 26. Register at [newhopechurchmn.org/baptism](http://newhopechurchmn.org/baptism).

### Military Lunch

Sunday, March 12, 12pm, Family Center B. Veteran and active military families are invited to a military appreciation lunch in honor of their service. Connect with other military members and families and be encouraged! No cost. Register by March 5 at [newhopechurchmn.org/events](http://newhopechurchmn.org/events).

### One Thing 27:4 Prayer Gathering

2nd Mondays (March 13), 6:30–8pm, Worship Center. Join Pastor Matthew as we enter a time of scripture-fed, Spirit-led, worship-based corporate prayer.

### Upcoming Bible Studies

*1 & 2 Kings* by Lysa TerKeurst for women begins March 15. *Ruth* precepts study by Kay Arthur for men and women begins in April. Register at [newhopechurchmn.org/women](http://newhopechurchmn.org/women) or [newhopechurchmn.org/men](http://newhopechurchmn.org/men).

### NHC en Español

Sundays, 10:30am, Ministry Center. Worship with our Spanish-speaking community. Volunteer with the tech or hospitality team. Email [latino@newhopechurchmn.org](mailto:latino@newhopechurchmn.org) for more information.

### Connect on Social Media

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# Questions God Asks

**Is it Time to Be Living in Paneled Houses?**

Haggai 1:4

## CONNECT

1. Even as Christians it is too easy to put God second place in our lives. Why?

## GOING DEEPER

2. God's people have returned to their homeland and need to rebuild God's temple, yet they keep delaying, saying, "the time has not yet come to rebuild the house of the LORD" (Haggai 1:2). What are some reasons we put off tending to the Lord's agenda?
3. Read Haggai 1:2. The Lord commonly refers to the Jews as "His people," but here He seems to distance Himself from them by calling them "these people." Why?
4. Haggai 1:4 finds God asking a probing question. What is the question and how might you relate to it today?
5. What is at stake before a watching world if the Lord's temple in Jerusalem is left in disarray? What messages does it send?
6. Consider Haggai 1:5–11. What is the story these verses tell?

## ACTION

7. Read again Haggai 1:4. Imagine the Lord asking you this. What is your reaction?
8. How might you use God's question in Haggai 1:4 to share the gospel of Jesus with another?