# **WELCOME TO NEW HOPE CHURCH**

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









**GIVE ONLINE** 

**NEED PRAYER?** 

**NEWS & GIVING REPORT** 

#### **Sunday Summer Hangouts**

Select Sundays (August 13 & 27), 6pm–sundown, front lawn. Watch the video series *For the Life of the World* and discuss, play lawn games and hang out as an intergenerational church. Visit newhopechurchmn.org/events.

#### **One Thing 27:4 Prayer Gathering**

2nd Mondays (August 14), 6:30–8pm, Worship Center. Join Pastor Matthew as we enter a time of scripture-fed, Spiritled, worship-based corporate prayer.

### **Loss of a Spouse Seminar**

Saturday, August 19, 9am–12pm, Kids Center. Grieving the death of a spouse or know someone who is? Learn what to expect in the grief process and how to cope without your spouse. Cost: \$5. Register at newhopechurchmn.org/care.

#### **Be Baptized**

Baptism Class: August 27, 10:30am, Conference Room. Learn more about the next steps toward baptism and be baptized on Sunday, September 10. Register at newhopechurchmn.org/baptism.

#### Fall Kickoff Sunday: Celebrate New Hope

Sunday, September 10, 10:30am only, Worship Center. An all-church event to celebrate community, baptisms and the start of fall ministry season. Food and games on the front lawn. Visit newhopechurchmn.org/events.

#### **Worship Team Auditions**

If you have musical talent and a heart for the Lord, we'd love to meet you. To get started, fill out the audition form at newhopechurchmn.org/worshiparts.

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# **GIVE GOD GLORY** Romans 12:1

#### CONNECT

1. Share about a time when you felt you had made a great sacrifice and why.

#### **GOING DEEPER**

2.	What does the Bible	describe as glory?	What is the glory of	the Lord? Where d	o we see it in the Bible?

3.	What does worship	mean to you?	Does it mean	attending Sunday	service, praising	or something mo	re?
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4. Read Romans 12:1–2. How does being a living sacrifice in verse 1 help us to not conform to this world by the renewing of our mind in verse 2?

## **ACTION**

5. Are there areas in your life you are holding back glory from God by not worshiping Him with every part of your life?

6. Read Romans 12:9–18. Choose one of the exhortations from Paul in this passage as an area for growth for yourself. Ask the group to pray for God's help to become a living sacrifice in that area of your life.