

Welcome to New Hope!

August 16, 2026

Pine Creek Site 8:30a

12th Sunday of Pentecost

Sand Creek Site 10a



Welcome, Higher Vision!

*Green & Blue Hymnals are in pews.

Cranberry Hymnals at our Sand Creek site are in shelf near office door.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Higher Vision

WELCOME

Pr. Michael Sparby

HYMN

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Green Hymnal #543

SONGS

Keep on the Sunny Side

Higher Vision

This Ole House

I'd Rather Have Jesus

APOSTOLIC GREETING

PRAYER OF THE DAY

WORD

OLD TESTAMENT + Isaiah 56:1, 6-8

PSALM 67

NOISY OFFERING/MISSION *August is designated for our Missionary, Rev. Dr. Carolyn Schneider, serving in Guyana, South America*

MESSAGE IN SONG *Down to the River to Pray* *Higher Vision*
It's Too Late
Dig a Little Deeper
Singing in the Midnight Hour
He Made a Change

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION
LORD'S PRAYER

MEAL

SHARING CHRIST'S PEACE

***OFFERINGS** *Received in boxes at the doors. Thank you!*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

GREAT THANKSGIVING

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

HOLY COMMUNION

SONGS *A Believer's Prayer* *Higher Vision*
The Lighthouse
May the Road Rise to Meet You

SENDING

COMMUNION BLESSING/PRAYER

MINISTRY NEWS

BENEDICTION

HYMN *Sent Forth By God's Blessing* *Cranberry Hymnal #547*

SENDING
POSTLUDE

New Hope Announcements August 16, 2026

Thank you for worshipping with us! You are welcome here if searching for a spiritual home!

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY 8/16
“*Higher Vision*” Service of Music
8:30a/PC Worship
9:20a Fellowship at both sites SC: Men’s Group
10a/SC Worship
MONDAY 8/17
8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
TUESDAY 8/18
7p/SC AA
FRIDAY Office closed 8/21
SUNDAY 8/23
Speaker: Carol Anderson
8:30a/PC Worship
9:20a Fellowship at both sites SC: Eve Circle
10a/SC Worship

Offerings received at

- *Pine Creek site offering plate (8:30a worship)
 - *Sand Creek site offering boxes (10a worship)
 - *Website: www.newhopescpc.org
 - *Post mail: Po Bx 85, Sand Creek, WI 54765
- Your support is greatly appreciated!*

BIBLES for 3rd Graders & 1st Year Confirmands

*Please notify the office by Aug. 19 for orders.
Bible Presentation is Sept. 13th*

Confirmation kick-off retreat

*Sat., Sept. 12th at Luther Park 9a-4p
New Hope pays \$15 reg. fee.*

Sunday school resumes Sept. 13th

IN OUR PRAYERS

Please update church office after 2 weeks

Anita Glaser, Payton Pingel, Mike Brasher, Wayne Christopherson

Barron Care/Rehab: Bev Miller, Richard Misselt

Monroe Manor/Barron: Astrid/Boydean Sannes,
Gary Hanson

Military: Capt. David E. Dahl, Jacob Messinger, Jarita Roux

Community Care

*For pastoral visit/call, or to join our Visitation Team,
contact church office, Joyce Gilberts, Team Leader, or
Pastor:*

***Pastor Sparby is away Aug. 18th—Sept. 5th.**
Please contact the church office for pastoral concerns.*

August Stewardship: Fabric Kits

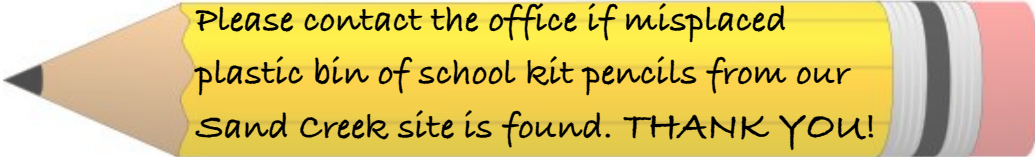
Teach a trade for income

- 2 pieces cotton/cotton-blend fabric; need not match
(NO knits, 100% polyester, stains/holes)
Cut pieces to 2 1/4 yds 60”, 3 yds 44”, or 4 yds 36”
- 2 spools matching/neutral color general purpose thread
(250-300 yds. ea.)
- \$1 Shipping/kit

School Kits: Goal/100 to LWR (Lutheran World Relief)

Each kit needs:

- 4 spiral notebooks (70 sheets wide/college rule; no loose paper)
- 1 wood ruler with cm. & in.
- 1 2-Hole pencil sharpener with attached container
- 1 blunt scissors 1 2 1/2 in. eraser
- 1 box 16 or 24 **Crayola** brand crayons
- 5 unsharpened #2 pencils w/erasers secured in rubber band
- 5 ballpoint pens (no gel) secured in rubber band
- 1 sturdy drawstring backpack-style bag 14” x 17” with
shoulder straps (heavy cotton, canvas, denim, twill)
- \$1.40 Shipping



Please contact the office if misplaced
plastic bin of school kit pencils from our
Sand Creek site is found. THANK YOU!

LOOKING AHEAD

AUGUST

Mon. Aug. 24 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
7p/SC Church Council
Sat. Aug. 29 SC site RSVD for M. Timm Wedding; weather
Sun. Aug. 30 reg. sch/*Backpack Blessing/bring your pack!*
Speaker: John Loy Assisting Minister: Joyce Gilberts

SEPTEMBER

Sun. Sept. 6 **1** Worship service at 10a/SC
Labor Day
Mon. Sept. 7 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
Tues. Sept. 8 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
Sat. Sept. 12 *Confirmation Kick-off Retreat/Luther Park*
Sun. Sept. 13 reg. sch *Sunday School begins/Bible Sunday*
Mon. Sept. 14 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
Wed. Sept. 16 6:30p/SC Confirmation
Sat. Sept. 19 11a/Our Savior's Graveside/Sharon Hegna
Sun. Sept. 20 reg. sch
Mon. Sept. 21 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
Wed. Sept. 23 6:30p/SC Confirmation
Sun. Sept. 27 reg. sch
Mon. Sept. 28 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
Wed. Sept. 30 6:30p/SC Confirmation

OCTOBER

Sun. Oct. 4 reg. sch/*Guest: Rev. David Natzke*
Assisting Minister: John Loy
Mon. Oct. 5 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
Wed. Oct. 7 6:30p/SC Confirmation
Sat. Oct. 10 *Heart of the North Day of Renewal-Luther Park*
Sun. Oct. 11 reg. sch/*Guest: Rev. David Natzke*
Assisting Minister: Lana Anderson
Mon. Oct. 12 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
Wed. Oct. 14 6:30p/SC Confirmation
Sun. Oct. 18 reg. sch
Mon. Oct. 19 8:30a/SC Comforters Quilting
Wed. Oct. 21 6:30p/SC Confirmation
Sun. Oct. 25 reg. sch *Reformation Sunday*

Pastor Michael D Sparby

Office Hours 9am-1pm (M-Th)

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COMMEMORATIONS

Florence Nightingale, died 1910

Clara Maass, died 1901

Renewers of society

Nightingale, born in England, horrified her wealthy family by deciding to be a nurse. She led a group of nurses in ministering in the midst of the Crimean War, and worked for hospital reform.

Maass, New Jersey native and also a war nurse volunteered as a subject for yellow fever research. She died of the disease.



Planning Ahead

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Wed., November 25th/SC

Will you share a life story of Thanksgiving? Please contact Pr. Michael or Becky in the church office. We're seeking 3-4 people and celebrating with a new schedule.

- **5p Community Thanksgiving Meal**
- **6p Thanksgiving Worship**

WORSHIP

8:30 am/Pine Creek 9:20a Coffee Fellowship + Sunday school

10 am/Sand Creek 9:20a Coffee Fellowship + Sunday school during worship (Sept.—May)

Telephone Ministry 1-534-444-4300

FREE Live stream <http://newhope.listentochurch.com>

YouTube Link to View Streamed Services: *New Hope on the Creeks*

New Hope Lutheran Church of Sand Creek & Pine Creek

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCgsG8Jl-RdcdnKSnF148DyO>