

~ *Upcoming Events* ~

UMW E Smith meeting scheduled for tomorrow, the 21st, will be **cancelled** due to the solar eclipse.

Solar Eclipse by kayak will meet for lunch at Longstreet Cafe in Gainesville at 11:30 on Monday August 21. Then we will go to Holly Park for a self-guided kayak ride. No registration fees are required - all you need is a kayak/ canoe and eclipse glasses. Call Karen Wilson for more info: 770-653-3861.

ESL (English as a 2nd Language) Classes will continue to meet Tuesdays at 7pm, in the Lorene Glover Classroom. Contact Ben Payton (770.337.0164) with any questions.

Homework Help classes for our elementary students will continue Tuesdays & Thursdays (excluding the last Thursday of the month) at 7pm in the Celebration Center. Contact Dee Payton (770.355.4831) with any questions.

Matthew Bible Study continues to meet Tuesday mornings at 10am, & Wednesday evenings at 7pm. It's not too late to join in-see you there!

Our pre-school begins on August 21. There are still openings in the 4 and 2 year-old classes. **We have the Elizabeth Smith scholarship fund for our pre-school.** If you would like to contribute to it please mark your donation the Elizabeth Smith Pre-School Scholarship Fund.

Birthdays

8/20 Skip Franklin
8/22 Tracey Edwards
8/22 Joseph Kephart
8/22 Alexa Navarrete
8/23 Morris Mayo
8/26 Emily Harp

Anniversaries

8/25 Randy & Martha
Greene



~ *This Week's Events* ~

Sunday	CC CC/EA	8:45AM Contemporary Service 10:00 AM Sunday School Nursery (Room 102 CC) Preschool (Room 109 CC) Elementary (Room 110 CC) Youth 6th-12th (Education Annex) Cross Training (Education Annex left) Lorene Glover (Room 111 CC) 10:00am Hispanic Sunday School
	CC HB EA HB	11:00am Traditional Service 11:00am Hispanic Service 4:00pm Disciple I 5:45-8:00pm UMYF
Monday	EA	9:00am 1st Day of Preschool! 12:00pm NO UMW (cancelled due to eclipse) 6:30pm Crochet/Knit Group 7:00pm Nightingals
Tuesday	EA CC CC	7:00am Men's Bible Study @ Country Café 10:00am Adult Bible Study 7:00pm Homework Help 7:00pm ESL
Wednesday	EA CC CC	7:00pm Adult Bible Study 7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal 8:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal
Thursday	HB CC	7:00pm Hispanic Worship Service 7:00pm Homework Help
Saturday	HB	6:30am Hispanic Prayer Service

~ **Our Ministry Staff** ~

Frank Brock, Pastor
Ivan Velasco, Leader of the Hispanic Congregation
Gretchen Granados, Church Administrator
Raymond Thomas, Worship Leader
Cory Speakman, Choir Director
Crista Heagerty, Youth Director
Tricia Brown, Preschool Director
Wendy Franklin, Children's Director
Vickie Idoux-Walz, Media Tech
Karen McElwain, Custodian
Flora Reid, Nursery Attendant
Keli Xu, Accompanist



New Hope United Methodist Church

"Learning, living, and sharing Christ's love with all"



**11th Sunday after Pentecost
August 20, 2017**

newhopeumc.org (770) 889-7440
4815 Dawsonville Hwy, Gainesville, GA 30506

Service of Contemporary Worship, 8:45am

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***OPENING SONGS** "Hold us Together"
"How Great Thou Art"

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

GREETING

***SONG OF PRAISE** "Your Love O Lord"

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

OFFERING OF GIFTS, SERVICE, & WITNESS

ANTHEM "How He Loves"

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 11:1-2a; 29-32
(p.150-151)

SERMON Pastor Frank Brock
Roman Holiday Series
"God's Irrevocable Love"

SONG OF INVITATION "Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

***SENDING FORTH**

**Please stand as you are able*

Service of Traditional Worship, 11:00am

PRELUDE

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"

INVOCATION

***OPENING HYMN** "Great is Thy Faithfulness"
#140

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

***GREETING**

***HYMN OF PRAISE** "My Hope is Built"
#368

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

OFFERING OF GIFTS, SERVICE, & WITNESS
OFERTORY ANTHEM "Devotion"

***DOXOLOGY**

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 11:1-2a;29-32 (p.150-151)

SERMON Pastor Frank Brock
Roman Holiday Series
"God's Irrevocable Love"

HYMN OF INVITATION "Depth of Mercy"
#355

***SENDING FORTH**

***CHORAL BENEDICTION** "Lord, Dismiss us with Thy Blessing"

**Please stand as you are able*

~ **Prayer Concerns** ~

Our Country & Military, Doile Adams
Blanchfield Family, Beth Bradley, Sue Bradley,
Baby Meredith Brown, Marlene Burt, Ava Buice,
Rick Campbell & Family, Cherie Corley, Coach Lacey,
Family of Karen McElwain, Marion Gardner, Sonny Garrett,
Dr. Ken Handley, Crista Heagerty & Family, Courtney Hertel,
Sandy Hutchins, Pat Ivey, Joy, Joy McCrory, John Mullinax,
Wendy Franklin-Parks, Thelma Quigley, Van Robertson,
Tony Sewell, Mary Sulcer, Family of Larry Ware,
Bobby Welch, Hanna Wilson, Teachers & Busdrivers

~**Weekly Prayer Focus**~

Continue to pray for those who lost loved ones,
and others injured in the Charlottesville, VA
demonstrations, as well as civil unrest in
other parts of our country and the world.
"If my people who are called by my name humble
themselves, and pray and seek my face and turn from
their wicked ways, then I will hear from Heaven and will
forgive their sin and HEAL their land."
II Chronicles 7:14 (ESV)

~**Donations this Week were Given**~

In Memory of *Janet Burand* (mother of Crista Heagerty),
by Tim & Isabelle Smock

~ **Assisting in Worship Today** ~

845am Ushers:
Michael & Karen Phillips

11:00am Ushers:
JC Hustis, Ray Lambert, Mike Seely, Karen Wilson
Nursery Volunteer: Isabelle Smock

Worship Attendance for last week: 133