

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, let us celebrate the forgiving, reconciling love of God.

People: For once we were lost and felt so far away; now we have been found and welcomed home.

Leader: Know that God's love is lavished upon you forever.

People: We rejoice at the news of forgiveness and hope!

Leader: Come, let us celebrate and praise the God of Love.

People: PRAISE THE LORD! AMEN!

HYMN: Come Christians Join to Sing UMH #158

OPENING PRAYER: (in unison)

How incredible is your love, O God! We have been made new in your love and reconciled to you and to each other in peace and joy. Be with us this day as we hear your words of comfort and hope. Guide our lives that we may serve you more fully all of our days. AMEN.

CHOIR: Hennepin

A MOMENT WITH THE CHILDREN ...sing

Jesus Loves the Little Children as they head to Sunday School

PRESENTING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO GOD

- Hymn: Spirit Song UMH #347
sing it through twice

- Doxology #95

- Prayer Of Dedication

SHARING OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

- Prayers Of The People

Please raise your hand if you would like a member of the prayer team to pray with you.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (IN UNISON) Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

HYMN: Breathe on Me, Breath of God UMH #420

SCRIPTURE: Deuteronomy 11:18-20

SERMON: God Centered Life

HYMN: I am Thine, O Lord UMH #419

**COMMISSIONING AND BENEDICTION
POSTLUDE**

This Week in the New Hope Parish

Sunday

- ✠ New Hope Parish Youth Fellowship
—Sundays 5-7:30 at the Meeting House in Hennepin
Dinner will be provided
All are invited 6th grade and Up

Tuesday

- ✠ Fellowship At 8am At Moreno's in McNabb
- ✠ Bible Study At 9am At McNabb Church

Wednesday

- ✠ Prayer and Communion service at 12pm in Hennepin
- ✠ Ecumenical service at 7pm

Thursday

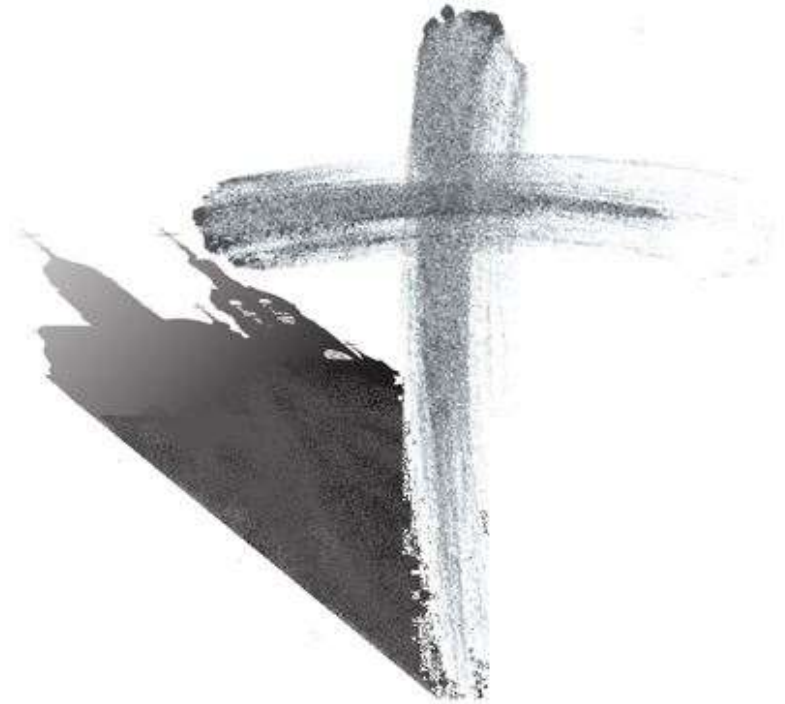
- ✠ Bible Study at 10am at Hennepin UMC
- ✠ Bible Study at 1pm at Magnolia UMC
- ✠ Choir Practice at 6pm - In Hennepin
- ✠ Bell Practice at 7pm – In Hennepin

Upcoming Events

- ✠ April 19 – Good Friday Tenebrae service at Magnolia UMC 6pm

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Out of the Ashes



The New Hope Parish
The United Methodist Churches of
Hennepin Magnolia McNabb
March 24, 2019

New Hope Parish Website: www.umcinhennepin.org
Worship services will now be live streamed on Facebook:
New Hope Parish, Putnam County, IL
Please text or email any announcements to Pastor Joshua

Prayer List		
Chuck Berry	Cody Blunier	Dave Miles
Diane Tonozzi	Sandy Backes	Rev. Jim Barnett
Beverly Smothers Wiggs	Wes Dienst	Jim Fenwick
Christian Jones	Xavier Warren	Margot MacCracken
Louise Flowers	Art Flowers	Gladys King
Joe Ely	Marcie Poingant	Molly Piaskowy
Gretchen Currie	Scott Currie	
Surgery		
Cancer		
Sharon Davis	John Miller	Jim Hutton
Larry Doyle	Laura Poncucci	Jean Carlson
Lee Carlson	Christine Douglas	Wayne Stone
Joe Ely	Greg Carr	
Military		
John Hrasch (US Navy)	Rev. Kristy Hopp (US Air Force)	Autumn Bachman (US Air Force)
Daniel Trainor (US Army)	Albert Brady III (US Navy)	James Wheelis (US Navy)

ECUMENICAL LENTEN SERVICES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Service Location</u>	<u>Pastor to Preach</u>
✠ April 3	– Emmaus Lutheran	– Pastor Joshua Wiggs
✠ April 10	– St. Patrick's Catholic	Hennepin – Stations of the Cross

To add people to the list, please put their names on the prayer request slip in your bulletin.

For anyone who is in the Military who you would like added to this list, please put their name and branch of military on the prayer request slip.

Happening in our Conference

✠ 2019 Bishop's Open – April 26

The 2019 Bishop's Open will be on Friday, April 26, at the Piper Glen Golf Course Club near Chatham. Festivities begin at 11 a.m. with lunch followed by a shotgun start at noon. Dinner will follow the completion of the golf outing. Single registrations as well as foursomes can be registered below. All proceeds of the outing will be for the Our Conference, Our Kids campaign to endow spiritual life programs at each of the five conference agencies dealing with children and youth -- The Baby Fold, Chaddock, Cunningham Home, Lessie Bates Davis Neighborhood House and Spero (formerly the United Methodist Children's Home). For registration as well as fee information go to:

<https://igrc-reg.brtaapp.com/bishopsopen2019>

✠ Special Needs Workshop - April 1

A special needs workshop designed to making your church irresistible to all, disability etiquette and how to meet the spiritual needs of this growing population of the church will be hosted by Eureka UMC on Monday, April 1, from 8:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. Presenters will be staff members of Joni and Friends, a 40-year-old international ministry to people affected by disabilities.

There is a \$15 person cost in advance or \$20 at the door that includes all materials, refreshments, and lunch.

Registrations should be made by March 26. Checks should be made payable to Eureka UMC with Joni and Friends noted in the memo line. Mail payment to Richard N. Small, Eureka UMC, 208 N. Calendar St., Eureka, IL 61530.

✠ Festival of Quilts - April 5-6

Cunningham Children's Home will host the 15th Annual Festival of Quilts, April 5-6, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., at Cunningham's Spiritual Life Center in Urbana. Cunningham's signature fundraiser, the Festival honors the tradition of the United Methodist Women, and the quilts they have created and donated for more than 124 years for our kids. Each child at Cunningham receives a quilt of their own to wrap them in warmth, safety, and love. Last year, the Festival attracted more than 1,400 visitors and raised more than \$73,000 to help bring hope to hundreds of youth and families.

Admission to the Festival is a suggested donation of \$5 per person and all proceeds will benefit children and youth served by Cunningham. Contact Taylor Tureskis (217.337.9058) to learn more.

✠ Beautiful Mess Women's Retreat – April 27

Godfrey First UMC is hosting its first Women's Retreat on Saturday, April 27, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Keynote speaker is Shelly Harvey. Cost is \$10 per person. Six breakout sessions are a part of the day's festivities with topics including Natural Options for Wellness, Christian Woman Balancing Act, Positive New Beginnings, Maintaining Faith in a Buy Life, Prayer Journaling and a session with Judy McGill, author of Then God Said to Me.

For more information on any of these events:

Please go to www.igrc.org or contact Pastor Joshua