

Announcements

We would like to honor our **high school and college graduates** in worship in June. If you know someone who is graduating this year who has a connection to our churches, please reach out to Pastor Scott.

Slocum's next hoagie sale is June 3.

All three New Hope churches will be **worshipping together** on June 11 at 11:00 am at Stairville. A covered dish luncheon will follow. Please join us and invite someone new!

Spiritual Yoga continues today at 5:30 pm at Stairville.

New Hope Thrift Store is open Saturdays 10:00 am to 1:00 pm.

New Hope Community Library is open Thursdays 1:00-3:00 pm and Saturdays 10:00 am to Noon.

Please Hold in Prayer the Following:

Brad Smith, Tammy Winterhalt, Mary Ann Razvillas, John & Getha Ogin, Gary Lewis, Debbie Jenkins, Shane Barry, Betty Johnson, Frank Baker, Beth & Bill Faerber, Antoinette Myers, Elmer Byrd, John Skirchak, Dorothy and Dennis Wendol, Glen Arnold, Joyce Kishbauth, Joshua Haydt, Ida Rossi, Pete Webby, Ryan Pawlowski, Chuck Herring, Audrey Dymond, Robert Razvillas, Brenda Schrader, Kevin Gallagher, Neil Fierro, Tammy Zamboni, Mary Dunne, Art Gregory, Vicki Michaels, Crestwood School District, veterans and military, first responders & healthcare workers, world leaders, UMC pastors and leaders, our New Hope churches and leaders. *(See Pastor Scott for additions and updates.)*

Worship Bulletin

May 28, 2023



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome to worship, we're so glad you're here! If you're looking for a new church home, we hope that you will consider letting us become your new church family!

* please stand as you are able **BOLD** readings in unison

GREETING, WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHOIR INTROIT (*Stairville*)

* CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Coming from different places,

P: we gather as one church, one community of faith.

L: Bringing different gifts,

P: we come to offer ourselves as we are.

L: Blessed by one Spirit,

P: we bring our unity of gratitude and praise.

* HYMN "I Am Thine, O Lord" UMH 419

* OPENING PRAYER (*in unison*)

Holy Spirit, blow through our gathering as you blew through that Pentecost gathering so many centuries ago. Breathe in us your new creation, that we may be renewed and revived to be your people once more. Speak through our differences and our diversity, and bind us together in unity and love.

* PSALTER Psalm 105 UMH 828

* GLORIA PATRI UMH 70
"Glory be to the Father..."

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*Nicene Creed*) UMH 880
"We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty..."

CHOIR ANTHEM (*Stairville*)

READING FROM HOLY SCRIPTURE Acts 2:1-21

THE MESSAGE

* HYMN "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" UMH 334

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*in unison*) UMH 895
"Our Father, who art in Heaven..."

OUR OFFERING

* DOXOLOGY

OFFERTORY PRAYER UMH 95
"Praise God from whom all blessings flow..."

* HYMN

"They Will Know We Are Christians by Our Love" TFWS 2223

"The Church's One Foundation" (*Slocum*) UMH 191

Please use this time to place prayer rocks in the answered jar.)

* BENEDICTION

L: As you have blessed this gathering,

P: bless us as we go our separate ways.

L: Bless us as we share your gifts.

P: Bless us as we live in your presence.

L: Bless us to be one body,

P: even in our different places this week.

L: Bless us to be one holy Church,

P: a church that shares your love with all.

For any needs or concerns, please contact:

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