May Newsletter

[Happenings at New Hope]

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**Important Church News**

**All Junior and Senior High Youth May Event**

We will be going to the 7:30 showing of Breakthrough at

the Siren Timber Theater on Tuesday, May 7.  Please plan to meet at the church at 6:30 pm Tuesday May 7 to drive to the Theater in Siren for the movie. *Please feel free to invite your friends.* If you are planning to be dropped off at the theater, please contact Debi at the number below to let us know.

**BREAKTHROUGH**is based on the inspirational true story of one mother’s unfaltering love in the face of impossible odds. When Joyce Smith’s adopted son John falls through an icy Missouri lake, all hope seems lost. But as John lies lifeless, Joyce refuses to give up. Her steadfast belief inspires those around her to continue to pray for John’s recovery, even in the face of every case history and scientific prediction**.**Please contact Debi Smith at 612-232-4905 to reserve a ticket for this event.

**Our Special Easter Offering-**

Will go towards our Heaven Is For Real Community Ministry Event in August

**Progressive Supper~**

New Hope will be the Dessert stop at the Annual Progressive Dinner that will take place on May 11. Tickets are on sale now please see Casey to purchase yours. Cost for Adults is $15 Children 6-12 yrs is $7 and under 5 is free.

In Order to make this a success we are also in need of volunteers. We are in need of 4 more Bundt Cakes. We also need people to serve these cakes at the dinner. If you can fill any of these needs please see the sign up sheets on the back table of the sanctuary.

**Upcoming Church Events**

**May 7**

Youth Group Movie trip “Breakthrough”

**May 11**

Progressive Dinner

**May 15**

Grief Support Group

**June 8**

Women’s Event

(more information on page 4)

**Aug. 3-4**

Heaven is For Real Event



**Important Church Announcements**

**Bible Camp Scholarship~**

New Hope is offering scholarships to those youth who wish to attend a Bible Camp this summer. Just call the Church Office and let Casey know where and when you wish to go to camp.

On **Sunday May 5**, Allen McKinley, from The Gideons International will be

speaking during our worship service.

**More Important Church News**

**Graduation Party~**

The congregation is invited to a Graduation Party for **Caleb Johnson** on May 18from 3 pm -6 pm. The party will be held at 14539 State Rd 70, in Grantsburg. Please RSVP to (612) 308-3010.

**Noah’s Park Bars~**

The last day of Noah’s Park will be May 8 followed by a dinner held after at Calvary Covenant. New Hope still needs to supply 4 more pans of bars. If you can help fill this need please see the signup sheet on the back table of the sanctuary.

**VBS 2019 ~**

 Where: Calvary Covenant Church 11530 State Road 70. Grantsburg

When: June 24-28 from 1:30 to 5 PM

Who: Entering Little Pirates through 6th Grade

Sponsored by Calvary Covenant and New Hope Lutheran Church

To Register, fill out a registration form on the back table of the sanctuary and turn into the church office or Call: 715-689-2541 or 715-463-5700

We are in need of volunteers to help VBS run smoothly if you can help lead groups, help with crafts, leading games, etc. Please let the church office know what areas you are interested in helping with during the week of VBS.

**Please Remember to Save These Dates:** August 3 and 4

The Burpo family Colton (Boy who went to Heaven) Todd (Dad), and Sonja (Mom) are coming to Grantsburg High School on August 3 for two presentations and to New Hope

Lutheran church August 4 for morning Worship Service!

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**Grief Support Group~**Pastor Emory will be holding a 6 session Grief Support Group on Wednesdays May 15, 22, 29 and June 5,12,19 from 4-5 pm. If you are interested in attending the sessions please contact the church office at 715-463-5700..

**Men’s Bible Study-**

These studies meet at “The Country Store" at 6:30 am on Wednesday mornings to study “Nehemiah” and Friday mornings to study “Ecclesiastes”. Ted Knutson is facilitating the studies.

**Get Connected…**

**SUNDAYS**

**Church Nursery ~**

Do you have young children? We love the pleasure to minister to them while you’re in the service. They will have a lot of fun! Children may go to the nursery located in the Sunday School room.

**Worship Service~**

9:30 am followed by coffee and fellowship

 **Confirmation Instruction ~**

Will be held

May 5, 19, 26

10:45 a.m. in Pastor’s Office

The Confirmation Service for our Confirmand will be June 2.

**Sunday School ~**

11:00 -12:00 in the Sunday School rooms

**Adult Bible Study~**

11:15-11:45 in the Sanctuary

**Congregational prayer~**

2-3 pm on Wednesdays in the Sunday School Room.

**Youth Group~**

Grades 7-12 meets monthy.

May 2019

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** This is Livin’!**

**This is a FREE lady’s event**

**Open to all ladies**

**Saturday, June 8, 2019**

**10:00 am – 2:00 pm**

**New Hope Lutheran Church**

**Grantsburg, WI 54840**

**Please R.S.V.P. by calling**

**Debi Smith @ 715-463-3972**

**(as lunch is provided)**

**This is Livin’!**

Good things happen to everybody. God is faithful, and grace and mercy are ours for the asking. *And* … messy moments happen, and life doesn’t always feel good! You will giggle and whisper, “*Me too*,” as Gaye shares stories and lessons learned from her own messiness and happy places. We’ll laugh and learn to celebrate great moments, which turn into great days, which turn into a great life. Let’s not wait until life is perfect to start enjoying it!

**About Gaye Lindfors**

Gaye loves to laugh and isn't afraid to poke fun at her own mishaps. From growing up in a small farming community to living in the big city, she loves the stories that came from observing life in the real world. She high-fives you when you do your happy dance, and whispers, "You are not alone" when the messiness comes. Gaye is the author of *God, Girlfriends, & Chocolate*, and *This is Livin’!* She served as the Midwest Regional Director for Christian Women in Media and is past-president of the National Speakers Association–MN Chapter.

**All ladies are welcome!**