

In Our Prayers & Thoughts

*“Blessed be God, who bears our burdens
day after day.” Psalm 68:19*

Primrose Battle	Stephanie Patterson
Jan Bozeman	the Reid family
William Cooney	Pastor Sally
Betty June Curtis	Debbie Secara &
Brad & Michelle	family
Foster & family	Linda Thomas
Doris Hall	Anita Van Cleave
Eldon Harlow	Hillary
Roger Kucera	Angie
Sue Moran	Sue
Kathy Nelsen	Gayle

Please notify us if you or a family member wishes to be placed on the prayer list. Let us know if the prayer concern needs to be a continued one, otherwise names will be removed the first of the month.

*These are the Birthdays and
Anniversaries for October.
If we don't already have your
celebrations, please let us know.*

October Birthdays

5 Brenda Stocks
10 Louise Sebre
12 Hollis Patterson
14 Lynda Vorisek
19 Sue Cromer
20 Sue Torpin
23 Brice Reetz
26 Faith Maingi

No October Anniversaries we know of

TODAY'S EVENTS

Sunday October 19

- Gospel Choir practice 10:15 am Magee Parlor
- Fellowship Coffee Time 10:30 am Everyone is Welcome!
- Worship Service 11 am (Sanctuary) (Streaming live on Facebook, YouTube and our website)
- Christ Central Worship Service 2 pm (Magee Parlor)
- Lincoln Taekwondo 5 pm – 7:45 pm (Shepherd Hall)

THIS WEEK

Monday October 20

- Executive Board 6:30 pm Conference Room executive session to approve Charge Conference reports. If you're interested in joining us you may.
- Girl Scouts 6:30 pm Shepherd Hall

Tuesday October 21

- Lincoln Taekwondo 6:30 pm Shepherd Hall

Wednesday October 22

- Bible Study 6:30 pm Shepherd Hall studying the lectionary texts for the coming Sunday. Everyone is welcome to attend

Thursday October 23

- Lincoln Taekwondo 6:30 pm Shepherd Hall

Friday October 24

Saturday October 25

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday October 26 Warren Foundation meeting noon Conference Room

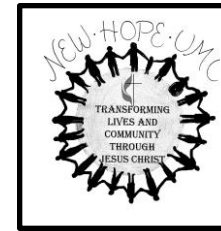
Sunday October 26 Costume Carnival 2:30 pm – 4 pm Shepherd Hall
Bring the children in your life for games, crafts, snacks, cocoa, cider and the Unhaunted Hallway.

Sunday November 2 Daylight Savings Time ends – remember to set your clocks back one hour.

Sunday November 2 All Saints Sunday

Saturday November 15 Charge Conference 2 – 4 pm Christ UMC, 4530 A St. in the sanctuary. All are welcome to attend this annual meeting.

Sunday November 23 United Methodist Student Day – special offering for scholarships



New Hope United Methodist Church

1205 North 45th Lincoln, NE 68503

**Worship 11 am
In-person & On-line**

“Transforming Lives and Community Through Jesus Christ”

October 19, 2025

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

God of the Universe, Guide Our Steps

Prelude

Ruthie Andrews

***Welcome the Light of Christ** “What a Friend We Have in Jesus” AAHH 431 / UMH 526

Welcome and Announcements

Congregational Breath Prayer (see inside page)

Call to Worship (see inside page) / **Opening Prayer**

***Passing of the Peace** *Let us welcome one another in the Spirit of Christ*

***Songs of Praise** “Kum Ba Yah” AAHH 437 / UMH 494

“Sweet Hour of Prayer” AAHH 442

WE LIFT OUR PRAYERS AND OFFERINGS TO GOD

Apostles Creed (see inside page)

Morning Prayer Song “Alleluia” AAHH 644 / UMH 186 v. 1-2

Silent Prayer / Pastoral Prayer / The Lord's Prayer (see inside page) UMH 895

Giving Back to God (offering)

Offertory

Gospel Choir

***Doxology** “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH 95

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

New Testament Scripture Reading 2 Timothy 3:14 – 4:5 NRSV 201 (NT)

Response: *One:* The Word of God for the people of God. **All: Thanks be to God.**

The Word in Song “We Shall Overcome” AAHH 542 / UMH 533 v. 3

Psalms Reading Psalm 119:97-104 NRSV 537 (OT)

Response: *One:* The Word of Life! **All: Thanks be to God!**

Gospel Reading Luke 18:1-8 NRSV 76 (NT)

Response: *One:* The Gospel of Jesus Christ. **All: Praise the Living Word.**

The Word in Song “We Shall Overcome” AAHH 542 / UMH 533 v. 4

Special Music Gospel Choir

Children's Message

Message

“Justice Takes Patience”

Pastor Helen Paus

Closing Prayer

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

***Sending Song** “Till We Gather Again” AAHH 638

***Benediction**

Ruthie Andrews

Postlude

**Please stand in body or in spirit*

The Call to Worship, Songs and Prayers are also on the screen

NRSV = new Bible, UMH = U M Hymnal, TFWs = The Faith We Sing, WS = Worship & Song

AAHH = African American Heritage Hymnal

Congregational Breath Prayer:

Leader: God of justice and peace,

People: help us patiently seek your way.

Call to Worship:

Leader: As the rains pour from heaven, soaking the earth that it may produce good things . . .

People: God pours love upon us.

Leader: We have been blessed with many gifts and talents.

People: Let us use these gifts for healing, peace and hope.

Leader: Come, let us worship and celebrate the mighty love and power of God.

People: Praise be to God. AMEN.

Lord's Prayer:

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.

Sermon Notes:

***We wish to welcome you!
We are very happy to have you worshipping
with us today!***

***If you are looking for a church home, we hope that you
have found it among us. Please let us know if you would
like to become a member.***

- ❖ If you know someone in the hospital or recuperating at home, who needs a **pastoral visit or phone call**, please let the church office know at 402-466-5238.
- ❖ There are **children's activity bags** hanging in the back of the sanctuary if your child would like to use one during worship. We also have a play area in Magee Parlor (at the back of the sanctuary).
- ❖ There are **large print hymnals and Bibles** for your use on the table at the back of the sanctuary.
- ❖ If you would like to **give to New Hope electronically**, you may use the QR code sheets in the pews. You may also sign up for an automatic withdrawal for your donation using the paperwork on the table at the back of the sanctuary or sign up by going to our website or to app.myvanco.com/login
- ❖ If you have an **announcement for the bulletin**, call 402-466-5238 or e-mail newhopeumclincoln@gmail.com by Thursday morning please.

Outreach Ministries of New Hope UMC

The Closet at New Hope and Diaper Depot

*Both ministries will be closed until further notice for
reorganization. We are hoping to reopen early next year.*

Next Week's Scriptures
*Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
October 26*

Joel 2:23-32

Psalms 65

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Luke 18:9-14

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Tuesday/Thursday office and

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Please call before you come as her
schedule is subject to change

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service on our YouTube channel**

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