



***"I AM the HEALER of BODY, SOUL and SPIRIT"***

- † Joyce Willis ~ she's in rehab, doing better and she did not need surgery. Praise the Lord... keep praying.
- † Jerry Stumbaugh ~ keep praying for him, as he adjusts to life without Loretta.
- † Lisa Vigil ~ she's had a lot of stuff happen to her lately; we need to pray her health, well-being and deliverance.
- † Marlene Jensen ~ pray her recovery from fall and deliverance from .....she'd appreciate a call 520-221-1295.
- † Linda (Lanny's sister) ~ serious heart procedures this past week.
- † Ron Vinnedge ~ he had a procedure on his back for pain; pray his healing and victory over the pain .
- † Victor Flores (Sam and Ellie's son) ~ having a court hearing; pray that he'll do what he's instructed.
- † Neal Brown (Janet Gallup's brother-in-law) ~ he's improving; keep praying for his kidney and liver functions and his heart, and thank God for his complete healing.
- † Cathy Parry ~ pray for healing for MD in finding a doctor who can treat her; pray her wisdom and emotional strength as our new prayer warrior.
- † Denis Trail (Lanny's friend) ~ he is a younger man with a family; he's fighting liver cancer; he had serious surgery, and we need to pray for his healing.

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

For Whom: \_\_\_\_\_

Need: \_\_\_\_\_

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**WHAT WE BELIEVE**

- ★ We believe in the bible as God's inspired and authoritative Word, our only rule for faith and practice.
- ★ We believe that Jesus is virgin born.
- ★ We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the God-man, fully God and fully man.
- ★ We believe in the Cross of Christ and His blood atonement for the sins of the world, that whosoever believes in Him by faith shall be saved through God's grace.
- ★ We believe in the bodily resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ from the grave, the first fruits of those to come.
- ★ We believe in the Second Coming of Jesus Christ.
- ★ We believe in the presence and the power of the Holy Spirit.
- ★ We believe in the Church, Christ's living body.
- ★ We believe in "believer's Baptism" as an act of obedience to Christ and the initiation into the body of Christ.

**MISSION STATEMENT**

"To do things Jesus' way, by Jesus' teaching, and for Jesus' glory."

**LIFE VERSE:**

"Bear one another's burdens and thus fulfill the law of Christ."  
(Galatians 6:2)

**PHILOSOPHY OF MINISTRY:**

New Hope Christian Fellowship is an independent body of believers who have found comfort in biblical love, fellowship & spiritual unity. We practice New Testament Christianity in adherence to the Word of God, in faith, in obedience, and servanthood. We are dedicated to that which blesses the Lord Jesus Christ and lifts up His commandments especially to love one another.

**CHURCH PASTORS AND ELDERS**

**Pastor Tom Brown**

Pastor Jim Powell, Assoc. Pastor/Worship leader

Terry Lowry, Elder

**DEACONS & STAFF**

Bill Bujnowski, Lee Copeland, Lanny Dameron, Chris Lewis,

Roger Brown and Lee Larson

Lora Slater – Secretary

John Greer – Media,

Tami Powell – Nursery, and Kitchen

Cathy Parry– Prayer

**Welcome**  
**New Hope Christian Fellowship**



**HAPPY VALENTINES**

**FEBRUARY 13, 2022**

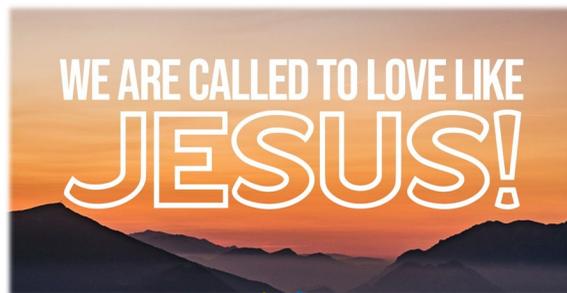
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*This is New Hope Christian Fellowship.  
We're a non-denominational body of believers  
Who revere Jesus, and His Word.  
Our desire is to bless Him  
and provide a loving Church where  
His Spirit can transform us into disciples.*



*February 13, 2022*

*Pulpit Greeter : Diana Vance*

### ***“Old School Testament”***

*"I have set before you life and death, the blessing and the curse. So choose life in order that you might live, you and your descendants"*

*(Deut. 30:19).*

*Pastor Tom Brown*



### **Love**

I suppose that we've heard all there is to say about "love." Our hearing covers everything from romance to caring and back again. Most believers know that "God is love" (1 John 4.8). We know that the "greatest" of all good things is "love", and we know that without love "(we) become noisy gongs or clanging symbols" (1 Cor.13.1,13).

The question is: "Can you really love others without the infilling of the Holy Spirit?" Probably not.

I had a chance to review this year's offerings of Valentine cards. It was pretty much the same old stuff, scripted by a new crop of card writers. I'm not

being critical; I'm just wondering about our cultural understanding of love.

We know that the mark of a Christian in the early church was given by the unsaved, who noted: "See how they love one another." That is, the world at large saw Christians caring for each other. Such caring is found in our church's life verse: Gal.6.2..."Bear one another's burdens and thus fulfill the law of Christ."

Love is a great motivating force, and a constraining force. We read in the Word: "For the love of Christ constrains us..." (2 Cor.5.14a). In Christ, we are "constrained" from doing harm or evil to others. It's Christ's love in us that matters, not our own efforts to be loving. We do what's right and love others because of Jesus.

"Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift" (2 Cor.9/15)!

Pastor Tom

Secretary's Corner Lora Slater 406-868-2144



### **Schedule of Church Events**

Sunday School: 9:30 AM  
Worship Service: 10:30 AM  
Women's Bible Study: Thursday 10:00 AM  
Men's Breakfast: Saturday 7:00 AM  
Staff Meeting, Tomorrow at Pastor Tom's, 4:30 pm



### **Valentine's Banquet**

We will have an after church Valentine's Banquet on Sunday, February 13th. (NEXT SUNDAY) It will be a planned potluck. Please sign up on the clipboard in the Commons. Besides the dinner we'll have some party favors and entertainment. Reserve the date and be

### **\* Needed Happy Helping Hands \***

Saturday, February 19th @ 10 to package and organize food pantry.

### **Behind the Walls**

We had the announced meeting with Ken Tutwiler and his partners this past Thursday, February 3rd, in our church. They explained the "Behind the Walls" ministry and outlined the plan forward for Arizona. Their ministry is essentially a gospel evangelism effort to prison inmates. We're part of the Arizona team, and we will receive training as events develop. There were 16 pastors and lay people present.

You might have missed it. Friday was our once a month "movie night," and we viewed "Marriage Retreat." All the films shown are "Christian faith-based," and offer life lessons based on God's Word. It's a good time of inspiration and fellowship. Join us next time: Friday, March 11th.



### **Watch Your Step**

Winter conditions prevail right now. Our church parking lot and entryways into our building may be icy. Take care. Watch where you step and don't get in a hurry. We add ice melt where necessary, but please report any places needing attention.