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January

No Evening Service

- Sharing Your Faith Class 7:00 p.m. 3
- 4 Wednesday Night Fellowship, JAM Club, JAM Club 2, Middle and High School Youth Group 7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study 8:15 a.m. 7 Women's Ministry Meeting 10 a.m. 7
- Prayer Gathering 6:30 p.m. 8
- 9 Women's Book Club 7:00 p.m.
- Elders 6:30 p.m., Council 7:45 p.m. 9
- 10 Sharing Your Faith Class 7:00 p.m.
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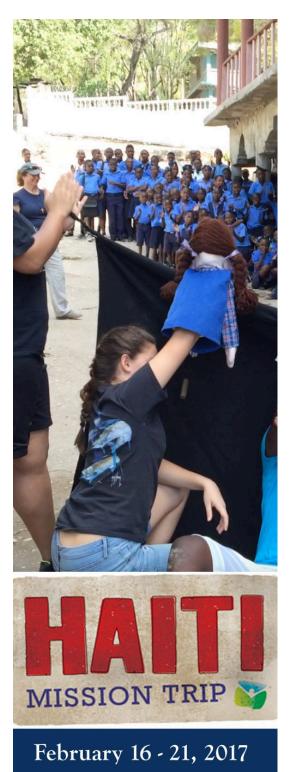
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- Sharing Your Faith Class 7:00 p.m. 31



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| PRELUDE 8:45 a | | Notes |
| ANNOUNCEMENTS | | |
| CALL TO WORSHIP (Congregation St "When We All Get to Heaven" | tands) | |
| WELCOME AND INVOCATION TO W | ORSHIP | |
| MOMENT IN THE WORD: Jer. 31:33-3 | 4 Deacon Michael Barrett | |
| SINGING TOGETHER (Congregation S "O Jesus, I Have Promised" "At the Name of Jesus" "Jesus is Lord of All" | itands) | |
| RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 94:8-1 | 5 | |
| THE LORD'S PRAYER | | |
| GOD'S GREETING AND GREETING EA | ACH OTHER | |
| PRAYER FOR THE GATHERING | | |
| OFFERTORY | | |
| SCRIPTURE READING: John 6:41-47 | | |
| PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION | | |
| MESSAGE: "Pondering the Gift of Belie | ef" John 6:41–47 | |
| PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING | | |
| RESPONSE SONG (Congregation stan "Make Me a Servant" | ds) | |
| BENEDICTION | | |
| CHORAL BENEDICTION "Bless the Lord, O My Soul" | | |
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Rev. Kirby Williams Worship Leader – Stacy Cox



Pondering the Gift of Belief John 6:41–47

I. Introduction II. Exposition of the text, John 6:41-47. A. Context, John 6:33,35 B. Analyzing true belief. 1. The absence of belief. vs. 41-43. a. The Jews grumble, vs. 41. i. Identifying the audience, John 6:36. ii. A predictable reaction, Num. 14:2, 11:6. iii. The specific reason for grumbling. b. The "knowledge" of unbelief, vs. 42. i. The danger of "knowledge", John 8:44, 5:37-38. ii. The heart of unbelief. iii. The tragedy of "knowledge". c. The admonition vs. 43. 2. Analyzing the essence of belief, vs. 44. a. In-between the positive and the negative, John 6:37a. b. Clarifying the doctrine. i. A little math. ii. Examining the sets. • The positive set. • The negative set. c. Analyzing the verse. i. The all-inclusive exclusive set. ii. A futile resistance. Acts 16:19. iii. The work of the Apostler. d. The essence of belief. 3. The method and continuation of belief. vs. 45. a. The message of the prophets, Isa. 54:13, Jer. 31:34. b. Learning from the Father, Eze. 11:19, John 3:3, Rom. 8:30. c. Maintaining the context. 4. The source of illumination, vs. 46, John 1:18, Heb. 1:1-2, Matt. 5:17. 5. The glorious result of belief, vs. 47, Eph. 2:8-9. III. Application A. Faith and the black hole. B. Faith, illumination and you.

IV. Conclusion

Contemporary Worship Service January 1, 2017 11:15 a.m. ANNOUNCEMENTS CALL TO WORSHIP (Congregation Stands) "Glorious Day" WELCOME AND INVOCATION TO WORSHIP MOMENT IN THE WORD: Jer. 31:33-34 Deacons Michael Barrett SINGING TOGETHER (Congregation Stands) "You're a Good Good Father" "Seas of Crimson" "Worthy the Lamb that Was Slain" **RESPONSIVE READING:** Psalm 94:8-15 THE LORD'S PRAYER GOD'S GREETING AND GREETING EACH OTHER PRAYER FOR THE GATHERING OFFERTORY SCRIPTURE READING: John 6:41-47 PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION MESSAGE: "Pondering the Gift of Belief" John 6:41-47 PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING RESPONSE SONG (Congregation stands) "Pass Me Not"

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION "Sea of Crimson" (Refrain)

> Rev. Kirby Williams Worship Leaders – Byron Cox

Announcements

Welcome to worship in this new year of our Lord 2017! Make a Joyful Noise to the LORD! Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things! His right hand and His holy arm have worked salvation for him. Psalm 98:1

Offerings – Our tithes this morning will be received for the ministry of New Hope Community Church. Our special offering will be for **New Hope Farm**. Next, Sunday our special offering will be for **Sanctuary Protection Fund*** Please note special offerings are to be designated and placed in a separate offering envelope as the offering plate is only passed once.

Tithes and Offerings -

2016 Budget \$429,402 VS Actual \$438,353! PTL! General Offering: \$12,459. Special Offerings: Benevolence \$120, SPF \$160, Haiti Missions \$135, Hope Women's Center \$80, FRIDLA \$20, Wings of Hope \$100.

Evening Service – On Sunday, January 1, our evening service has been cancelled due to the holiday weekend. Services will resume on January 15 at 6:30 p.m.

Help Needed Boxing Clothing For Haiti – If you are available on Monday, January 2 at 10:00 a.m., we could use your help!

Wings of Hope Boxes - We collected 120 boxes for our ARKids in Haiti! The team is gearing up for the trip coming up in February. Please pray for the team as they prepare and pray for those they will be visiting.

Women's Bible Study – We will begin our new Bible study this coming Saturday at 8:15 a.m. It's not too late to sign up. We will be studying Pilgrims Progress and following along with Derek W. H. Thomas guided tour. Please let us know you are interested by signing up in the lobby.

Men's Breakfast and Bible Study – Overseen by, Pastor Kirby, the Men's Breakfast Bible Study meets the second and fourth Saturday of the month from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. They have a hearty breakfast once a month, home cooked in the church kitchen by our men, and a continental breakfast on the other, followed by a study in the book of Galatians. Everyone is welcome to attend. **Sunday School Classes** Classes Begins at: 10:30 a.m.

Interim Adult Sunday School "Leadership Training" Rev. Kirby Williams Location: Fellowship Hall

High School Sunday School Vivian Wheeler "Your Word Is Truth" A Study for Youth on Seeing All of Life Through the Truth of Scripture Location: Youth Room

Children's Sunday School

Michael Barrett will be in Portable 3A with **Middle School** Continue studying the **"I AM's" of Christ**

Mrs. Sherry Shoemaker will be in the Choir Room with grades 3rd–5th Honoring God's Name

Mrs. Simone Barrett will be in Room C with **1st & 2nd grades God Chose Jacob to be in His Family**

Mrs. Charlene Walters/Ms. Phyllis Gunther will be in Room E K3 – Kindergarten God Sent the Savior Children's Church Sunday 11:15 a.m. Children's Ministry Director Janet Sessa Children are dismissed at friendship time during the second service – Ages 3 –11

Saturday Bible Studies Men's Breakfast and Bible Study When: 7:30 am on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month. Location: Fellowship Hall Current Study: Galatians Led by: Pastor Kirby



Book Club

Next Date: January 9 at 7:00 p.m. Book: It is Not Death to Die: A New Biography of Hudson Taylor Location: Jeannie Tanis House, 6530 NW 34th Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309 Contact Number: 954–974–6798

Hudson Taylor Missionary and founder of the China Inland Mission in 1865.

Stay Connected



Sign up for our Women's Ministry bi-weekly emails. or the church prayerchain Register: vwheeler@nhccftl.org www.nhccftl.org · @nhccftl



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Missionaries

Pastor Eddy -- Cap Haitien Jenna Cox, Lois Wilson Jephthe and Mitou Lucien Rev. Eric Miller Winabelle Gritter Brian and Betty Vander Kodde Alberto and Judy Nunez John and Grace Van Huizen

Prayer In-Between Service

If you are in need of prayer or you would like to join others in prayer, we gather in the library in-between services. Join when you can, leave when you must.

Prayer Leader: Lois Wilson Sunday 10:30 a.m. Location: Library