



# NEW HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

## November The Envoy

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### From the Pastor

#### **New Highland – Celebrating Fall & Giving!**

A heartfelt **thank you** to **Lori** and everyone who made our **Fall Festival** such a joy! From Trunk or Treat to the pumpkin patch, cake walks, live music, vendors, and hot dogs — your time and servant hearts made this event a true blessing and a fun time!



We're also celebrating progress on our **20+25 Giving Campaign** — many of you are making commitments and we are nearing 50% pledged to **our \$70,000 goal!** Your generosity is making a real difference, and there's still time to give your pledge or to make a pledge and help us reach our finish line as we "Go for Christ to the Next Generation."



Mark your calendars for the **New Highland Gala, December 6, 6–8 PM**, at the Milestone Clubhouse. Enjoy live music, delicious food, a silent auction, and door prizes — a wonderful way to kick off the holiday season with your church family.

And don't miss the **New Highland Apparel Sale, November 2–18**. Grab your NHBC gear while supporting our mission! Thank you, New Highland.  
**Shop here:** <https://shop-nhbc.itemorder.com/>

As always...  
New Highland, You are loved.  
Now Go and Make a Difference,  
Pastor Derek Nicksich

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|--------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>SEASON 20+25 Gifts YTD:</b> | <b>35,815.00</b> |
| <b>SEASON 20+25 Needed:</b>    | <b>34,185.00</b> |

### November Worship Services

**9:15 am Sunday School ~ 10:30 am Worship**



**Sunday, November 2**

**Lord's Supper**

**Sunday, November 9**

**Sunday, November 16**

**Sunday, November 23**

**Sunday, November 30**

#### **Church Office:**

804.550.9601 and [office@newhighland.org](mailto:office@newhighland.org)

Hours: M-F 8:30am—12:30pm

*The Office will be closed November 25 & 26 for the Thanksgiving holiday.*

### Deacons on Call — November

Monte Evans 804.690.0396

Roy Peay 804.929.4402

### **Season 20|25: SAVE THESE DATES & PLAN TO ATTEND!**

- **November 2:**  
Apparel Fundraiser  
Launch Date
- **Sundays in November:**  
"Why We Give" teaching series
- **December 6:**  
Anniversary Gala & Silent Auction



### Submit Your Prayer Requests



- 1) Main & CLC Foyer Prayer Boxes
- 2) Contact Prayer Team (804-550-1562)
- 3) Contact Church Office (804-550-9601)
- 4) Online at [newhighland.org/prayer/](https://newhighland.org/prayer/)

## THANK YOU!

We want to extend a huge **THANK YOU** to everyone who helped make our **Fall Festival** such a success! Whether you hosted a trunk for Trunk-or-Treat, baked a cake, cooked food, helped in the pumpkin patch, or served in any other way — your time and efforts truly made a difference.

### And to our **Pumpkin Patch Volunteers!**

A heartfelt THANK YOU to everyone who helped make our Pumpkin Patch a success! Your smiling faces welcomed our guests and helped create lasting memories for so many families.

We had **867 pumpkins delivered** this year — and while we are still finalizing the totals, we know for sure that it was an amazing outreach.



These events were not only fun but also an incredible blessing to our community. New Highland, you always show up when needed, and we are so grateful. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Christ.



## New Highland Apparel Sale November 2 - 18

As part of our 20+25 Giving Campaign, we're excited to launch our New Highland Apparel Sale

**Sale Opens: November 2**

**Sale Closes: November 18**

Orders Delivered: 2–3 weeks after the sale ends  
This is a great time to grab some NHBC themed gear — perfect for wearing to church events, out in the community, or gifting to family and friends.

*If you do not have access to the link, please reach out to Lori Rozecki for assistance.*

### MoHope CANNED GOOD Donation Requests for November:

- Apples
- Beefaroni
- Beans
- Beets
- Chicken
- Chili
- Fruit Cocktail
- Lasagna
- Peaches
- Spaghetti
- Stew
- Tuna
- Vienna Sausages
- Soups



Please drop all items collected to the Missions Table in the Welcome Center.

### MUSIC MINISTRY NEWS

The music ministry is excited to announce we will present *A Child is Born....All Is Well* for this year's Christmas Cantata during the morning worship service on December 14!

~ Paul Rozecki

SEASON  
20+25

## Christmas Gala

**December 6  
6-8 PM**

**Milestone Clubhouse**  
Live Music, Festive Games  
Food, Silent Auction  
Door Prizes  
More details coming soon!

Contact Lori Rozecki to help plan this event!

Collection Dates:  
**November 16-23**  
Stop by the table in the  
Welcome Center and  
grab a box!



**IT'S  
SHOEBOX  
TIME!**

### Note of Thanks

Dear NHBC Family—  
Another big "thank you" for all the prayers, visits, cards and most of all: **the prayers** after my surgery in September.

God bless & love, Kay Fields



## The Day School

AT NEW HIGHLAND



We are counting our blessings in the Day School this month and we are so grateful for our partnership with NHBC.

We invite you all to join us for Family Chapel on Monday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:30am for our Thanksgiving Chapel Service.

The Day School admits students of any race, color, gender, creed, and national or ethnic origin.



### Staff Ministry Team

#### **Derek Nicksich, Senior Pastor**

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### PUBLICATION DEADLINES

December Envoy — November 15  
Bulletin — 12 pm Tuesdays

### MAKE A DIFFERENCE THROUGH GIVING

Because of your faithful giving, our church was able to cover essential utilities and maintenance costs.

- Number/Impact: Lights, heating, and safe facilities sustained all month.
- Result/Outcome: Our building remains a warm, welcoming place for worship and ministry.

**"My God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus."**

— Philippians 4:19

Thank You!

Your faithfulness makes ministry possible.  
Every dollar you give helps advance God's kingdom through our church.



### Red Cross Blood Drive

NHBC is currently hosting monthly blood drives for the Red Cross. There is an extreme need for blood at this time.



**American  
Red Cross**

**Blood  
Services**

The next drive is on **November 12**  
from 1 pm to 6 pm in the CLC.

All blood types are needed and are being tested for COVID-19 antibodies.

Appointments are required.  
Go to [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) to register or call  
1.800.RED.CROSS (1.800.733.2767).

**Future dates 12/17/25 & 01/15/26**

### November Birthdays

|    |                    |    |                 |
|----|--------------------|----|-----------------|
| 4  | Rose Harper        | 21 | Holly Hutto     |
| 4  | Lydia Shearin      | 21 | Bruce McAleese  |
| 4  | Temperance Fleming | 21 | Jeff Fitzgerald |
| 7  | Tara Childs        | 22 | Matthew Fleming |
| 10 | Brian Flood        | 23 | Susan Sandridge |
| 10 | Michelle Bonner    | 23 | Dot Martin      |
| 11 | Tessa Chenault     | 25 | Gordon Martin   |
| 12 | Eric Spitzer       | 26 | Elaine Cliborne |
| 14 | William Finnegan   | 26 | Tina Howell     |
| 19 | Jon Cliborne       | 27 | Mark Brown      |
| 21 | Rick Purdy         |    |                 |



### November Anniversaries



Charles & Rose Harper  
William & Janice Finnegan



Lamar & Gale Kulp  
DL & Leslie Wells



### October Benevolence

470.00

### November Mission Project

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

### Church Council Meeting

November 10 at 6:30 pm

### **ACTS 2:43-47**

### October 5

### October 12

### October 19

### October 26

#### Attendance

|                        |     |    |     |     |
|------------------------|-----|----|-----|-----|
| SUNDAY SCHOOL          | 28  | 45 | 48  | 39  |
| <u>WORSHIP</u>         |     |    |     |     |
| Online # of Households | 2   | 4  | 4   | 4   |
| In-Person (10:30 am)   | 109 | 95 | 117 | 154 |

#### Budget

|                 |            |            |            |            |
|-----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Weekly Need     | 5,584.89   | 5,584.89   | 5,584.89   | 5,584.89   |
| Weekly Receipts | 8,335.79   | 5,244.00   | 2,871.67   | 17,118.00  |
| YTD Goal        | 223,395.60 | 228,980.49 | 234,565.38 | 240,150.27 |
| YTD Receipts    | 214,107.23 | 219,351.23 | 222,222.90 | 239,340.90 |

#### Designated Gifts

|          |          |        |          |
|----------|----------|--------|----------|
| 5,499.90 | 2,302.50 | 932.71 | 3,728.00 |
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