Thank you so much for joining us as we honor The Man of God for 6 years of Kingdom Service.

New Hope Baptist Church

Celebrating
6th Pastoral Appreciation

Lifting up the Man of God
Rev. David M. Nelson
for 6 years of Pastoral Service

Rev. David Nelson, Lady Carla & First Family

Sunday, October 13, 2013 @ 10:45 a.m.

“Let It Shine” Matthew 6:10

Rev. David Nelson, Senior Pastor
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NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH  
October 13, 2013

SUNDAY SERVICES
Sunday School & New Members Training Class 9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship                      10:45 a.m.
Teen Church                           Every 3rd Sunday
Children's Church                     Kingdom Kids age 5-12 Every 2nd & 4th Sunday
                                        Little Lambs age 3-4        Every 4th & 5th Sunday
Baby Dedication                       Every 5th Sunday

WEDNESDAY SERVICES
Noonday Prayer & Bible Study          12:00 noon
Family Bible Hour                     6:30 p.m.

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REV. DAVID M. NELSON, SENIOR PASTOR

...and the Family of New Hope Baptist Church welcomes you today to our church. We consider it a privilege to have you worship with us, and we sincerely hope that you receive a blessing from the services.

We are so happy that you have chosen our church as your place of worship today. You will find us to be a caring assembly of believers, committed to reaching people through the Word of God, embracing and demonstrating the love and life of Jesus Christ.

Serving Christ, Serving the Congregation, and Serving the Community.

We hope that you feel at home with us during your visit. If the church staff can serve you in any way, we welcome the opportunity. If you are making your home in this community we extend to you a hearty invitation to make this your church home.

ALL VISITORS  PLEASE COME AGAIN

Please complete the Visitor’s Card and put it in the offering tray, or give it to an Usher.

Sermon Application

Sermon Scripture:______________________________________________________________
Sermon Topic:_________________________________________________________________

Main Points
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What was God saying to me specifically during the sermon?

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What must I do to be closer to Christ?

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Today’s message is available on CD after service, or you may call the church office Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. the cost is $6.00 per C.D.
“I have given my ministry to the glory and honor of God; therefore, I am not the owner of my ministry, but simply the manager of it. If I am faithful to lead and feed the flock, God will see that my ministry succeeds.”

My passion is to be a blessing to the body of Christ through the wholistic ministry of pastoring, evangelism and edification.

- **Ordained** by Bethany Baptist Association of South Jersey, Bridgeton, NJ 1983
- **Licensed** by Friendship Baptist Church, Brotmanville, NJ 1976

**Ministry Experience**

- Pastor/ Teacher Union Baptist Temple, Bridgeton, NJ since 1986. Continues to build a Christ-centered and innovative ministry. Building on a biblically sound foundation, has organized, lead and facilitated the operation of a fruitful church with over 95 ministries.
  - New edifice, 1991
  - Koinonia Bible Institute, 1994
  - Burned mortgage, 1995
  - Healing Word Biblical Counseling Center, 2004
  - Alms Education and Recreation Center, 2006

**Education**

- Philadelphia College of Bible, Biblical Studies, Philadelphia, PA 1983
- William Paterson College, Wayne, NJ, furthered coursework
- Glassboro State College (Rowan University), Glassboro, NJ 1972

**Other Experience**

- High School Teacher, Vineland Public Schools, retired after thirty-three years
- First Moderator, Bethany Baptist Association of South Jersey
- Chairman, Temple Vision Corporation
- Producer, The Awakening Hour, Sacrifice of Praise and S.T.A.N.D. Media Ministries
- Member, Governor’s Commission Adults in Correctional Facilities
- Revivalist
- Conference Facilitator
- Advisory Board, Empowerment Zone
- Former Councilman, City of Bridgeton

Greetings In The Name of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ,

I am eternally humbled and grateful to God to serve as the Senior Pastor of the New Hope Missionary Baptist Church. On behalf of my family, Lady Nelson, Andrew, Ava, Walter, and I (Pastor Nelson), would like to sincerely express our gratitude toward all of you for your constant support and prayers over these past six years in ministry in leading God’s people. I thank you in advance for your gifts of love and appreciation during our Pastoral Appreciation, as it continues to touch our hearts to receive the words and gifts of love from all of you. We love all of you!

As I look back over the past six years, I appreciate the tremendous blessing God has entrusted toward me to serve as the Senior Pastor of the New Hope Missionary Baptist Church. Every Praise is to Our God, as he has blessed us as Pastor and People, thus transforming our relationship into a more beautiful union.

We celebrate this 6th Anniversary, after losing our founding Pastor, Rev. Dr. John H. Flinn, who without his leadership and commitment neither of us, Pastor and people would be apart of this great church. I thank God for all of those who served this great ministry as Past Pastors, and all those who served this ministry faithfully and have joined the great clouds of witnesses, hence are now looking out from above.

New Hope, thank you for your love, joy, commitment and dedication demonstrated in your service and enthusiasm toward the vision God has given to serve this ministry over these past six years and years to come. As we move forward with a deep appreciation of our past, and anticipation of the future God has planned for us, let us remain focused on our Christ-centered vision of **Serving Christ, Serving the Congregation, and Serving the Community**. I thank God for all of you, and for this ministry he has entrusted to our care. As Pastor of the New Hope Baptist Church, I pray that all of you will **Learn us, Love us, and Help us to Lead God’s people under the direction of God’s Word, God’s Will and his Holy Spirit**.

As we gather in his name, I would like to thank the Pastoral Appreciation Committee, all those who helped to make this celebration possible, the Culinary Committee, and all who attended the Morning Service. Furthermore, I would like to thank my Pastor, Rev. Albert “Mailman” Morgan for sharing in my 6th Pastoral Anniversary. As we celebrate this year, we shall remain focused upon our crucified/resurrected Lord and Savior Jesus Christ who through his redemptive work we are allowed to witness this 6th Pastoral Anniversary. Therefore, let us be responsive in His grace, His mercy, His Spirit and thereby experience His joy as we seek continually to do his will.

Because of Calvary,

**Rev. David M. Nelson**
GREETINGS FROM THE PASTOR'S APPRECIATION COMMITTEE

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths...Prov. 3:5,6

The Pastors Appreciation Committee, along with the entire New Hope Baptist Church extend a warm and heartfelt appreciation to our Pastor, Rev. David Nelson and first lady, Sis. Carla Nelson for six years of dedicated service to this church family.

We thank God for sending us, a shepherd who has proven his love and commitment to us. We appreciate the dedicated work that you do for our church and for the interest you show in our children and youth. Your kind words of encouragement are very meaningful and helpful to us as you teach us the Word of God, from which we can apply to our own daily lives. The sermons that you preach each Sunday give us something that our souls can feast upon throughout the week. We pray that God will continue to use you as you make his Word clear.

We are always happy to have with us, our 'pastor's pastor' Rev. Albert Morgan Pastor of Union Baptist Temple, Bridgeton, N.J. We look forward to his coming to help us celebrate.

Last, but certainly not least, we thank God for continuing to send new souls into this vineyard through your preaching, teaching and example. To God be the Glory.....

We appreciate all of the members, Ministry Leaders, friends and well wishers for making Appreciation Day to our pastoral family a grand success.

The Pastors Appreciation Committee:
Dea. John Ellis, Deacon Chm;  Dea. George Freeman;  Dea. Jerry Colley;
Deaconess Diantha Freeman, Deaconess Yvonne Colley, Deaconess Doris Martin.

Announcements — October 13 , 2013

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

• TODAY Sunday, October 13th we are celebrating Pastor Nelson's 6th Anniversary. Our guest for the day will be his Pastor, Rev. Albert Morgan (God’s Mailman) from Union Baptist Temple in Bridgeton, NJ. Let us show our Pastor and First Family how much we love and appreciate them. Dinner will be served after service. All Ministries are asked to be represented at the dinner.

• Sunday, October 20, 2013 at 3:00 p.m. Pastor Nelson will be preaching at Temple Baptist Church 1862 Noble Rd., East Cleveland, OH 44112 for their 61st Church Anniversary. Rev. Sedric Veal Sr. is the Pastor. Also Sunday, October 27th at Worship Cathedral 321 Colorado Ave., Lorain, OH 44052 at 5:00 p.m. (dinner being served at 3:30) for their Pastor’s Anniversary. Apostle Terrance Bivins is the Pastor. Everyone is encouraged to go to support our pastor.

• Saturday, October 26th from 4:00p.m.—7:00 p.m. The children and youth will have Hallelujah Night at Helen Arnold Learning Center in fellowship with Burning Bush Church. We are in need of adult volunteers to assist with games, drama and activities. We also need donations of candy and party favors. Please see Sis. Synia Rodgers or Sis. Shantial Livingston.

• Sunday, October 27th at 5:00 p.m. the Youth (11 yrs and up) will be attending Judgment House at Hope Community Church 3033 Middleton Rd., Hudson. OH 44236. We will have dinner at the Golden Corral after morning worship. The cost for dinner is $5.50 for 11 & 12 years old, $12.98 for 13 and up. For registration please see Sis. Shantial Livingston.

• As you all know October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, so in support of the fight, the Women Of Virtue is asking everyone to participate in Breast Cancer Awareness Sunday on October 27th. We are asking everyone (men & women) to wear something pink. A t-shirt, hoodie or pin. If you do not have anything pink we will have pink ribbons for $2.00 on next Sunday after service and on the 27th before service. Half of the money that is raised will go to the Breast Cancer Foundation the other half to the Women Of Virtue. So see you all in PINK on October 27th!

• Wednesday, October 30th from 5:30-6:30 the Cancer Support Group will have a guest speaker. Christina Thompson from Summa Screens. She will discuss the importance of early detection, self breast exams and living a health lifestyle. All (men & women) are encouraged to come out and learn how to be healthy.
*Please call the office if your name can be removed from this list*

**Mother Ethel Bloom**
- 486 Rhodes Ave.

**Bro. Merrick Brown**
- 357 N. Pershing Ave.

**Mother Sarah Brown**
- 357 N. Pershing Ave.

**Bro. Jack Butler**
- 449 Beechwood Dr.

**Deacon Harvey Cameron**
- 341 Snyder Ave., Barberton

**Deaconess Priscilla Cameron**
- 341 Snyder Ave., Barberton

**Mother Lucille Carlton**
- 1578 Sunsetview Dr.

**Rev. Elijah Dees**
- 578 Sun Valley

**Min. Phyllis DeHart**
- 992 Bellevue Ave.

**Mother Susie Gilbert**
- 1206 Brown St.

**Sis. Rolene Hagens**
- 1344 Hampton Knoll Dr.

**Deaconess Deloris Jefferson**
- 910 Brittain Rd.

**Sis. Bezie Jordan**
- 566 Mineola Ave.

**Mother Georgia Knight**
- 935 Mull Ave, Apt 1E

**Sis. Edna Rose Lewis**
- 528 Rothrock Rd., Apt 319

**Sis. Gilda Liggins**
- 3760 Fairway Pk. Dr. #106

**Mother Jessie Lynn**
- 207 Laurel Rd., Voorhees, NJ

**Deacon Alex McCain**
- 530 Cuyahoga St.

**Deaconess Pauline McCain**
- 530 Cuyahoga St.

**Sis. Eleanor McRaney**
- 17 Roslyn Ave.

**Mother Betty McGhee**
- 1222 Dover Ave.

**Sis. Carolyn Maxwell**
- 319 Hillwood Dr.

**Mother Elizabeth Pringle**
- 1215 Orlando Ave.

**Bro. Jerry Reynolds**
- 1297 Harmony

**Mother Mattie Samuels**
- 322 Storer Ave.

**Bro. Marvin Sherfield**
- 881 Leonard St.

**Sis. Nancy Sullivan**
- 536 Noah Ave.

**Deaconess Jean Thomas**
- 810 Storer Ave.

**Bro. Clifton White**
- 471 Noah Ave.

**Sis. Josephine Wilson**
- 37 Byers Ave. #514

**Bro. Norman Wolfe, Sr.**
- 811 Dover Ave.

**Sis. Connie Young**
- 822 Fredrick

**Mother Mary Allen**
- Windsong N.H.

**Mother Essie Burley**
- The Merriman Of Akron

**Bro. Bennie Coston**
- Rockynol N.H.

**Mother Luvenia Davis**
- Portage Trail Village

**Sis. Arrian McCail**
- Rockyridor N.H.

**Bro. Sam McCail**
- Gateway Health Care Center

**Mother Sarah Owens**
- 3 Gateway Dr. Rm 111

**Bro. Jack Singleton**
- Veterans Hospital

**Mother Lilly Sykes**
- Bath Manor

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**~ Order of Worship ~**

**Sunday, October 13, 2013**

**Praise & Worship**

Worship Leader: Minister Yolanda Davis

**Grateful**

Processional: Pastor & First Lady escorted by Brother Milton & Sister Caryl Johnson

**Congregational Song**

Responsive Scripture Reading: Reverend Arthur Thomas

Selection: New Hope Celebration Choir

Welcome: The Youth Ministry

Announcements: Deaconess LaMonica Davis

Expression to Rev. Nelson & Family: Deacon & Deaconess Roberts & Mother Estelle Boyer

**Tithes & Offering**

Tribute: Mime Ministry

Scripture: Minister Ruby Akhigbe

Prayer: Reverend Buddy Esters

Introduction of Speaker: Minister Jessie Peterson

Selection: New Hope Celebration Choir

The Preached Word: Reverend Albert Morgan

Invitation to Discipleship: Reverend Albert Morgan

Prayer Of Intercession: Reverend Albert Morgan

**Offering for Speaker**

Remarks: Deaconess Diantha Freeman

Remarks/Benediction: Pastor David M. Nelson
**MIN:** Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.

**CONG:** But his delights is in the law of the Lord; and in his law doth he meditate day and night.

**MIN:** And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.

**CONG:** The ungodly are not so; but are like the chaff which the wind driveth away.

**MIN:** Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.

**ALL TOGETHER:** For the Lord knoweth the way of the righteous: but the way of the ungodly shall perish.

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**Responsive Scripture Reading**

_The Upright Man_  
_Psalm 1_

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**Every Praise**

Every praise is to our God.  
Every word of worship with one accord  
Every praise, every praise is to our God.  
Sing hallelujah to our God  
Glory hallelujah is due our God  
Every praise, every praise is to our God.  
God my Savior,  
God my Healer,  
God my Deliverer,  
Yes He is, Yes He is !  
Yes He is, Yes He is (repeat)

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Every word of worship with one accord  
Every praise every praise (repeat)  
Is to our God !

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**THIS WEEK AT NEW HOPE Oct. 14-19**

**WEDNESDAY, Oct. 16, 2013**
12:00 p.m. Noon Day Bible Study  
6:30 p.m. Evening Bible Study  
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY, Oct. 17, 2013**
11:30 a.m. Hope Soup Kitchen

**SATURDAY, Oct. 19, 2013**
10:00 a.m. Sr. Ushers Ministry  
2:00 p.m. God’s Trinity

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**Van Ministry**

Sunday Morning pick up time 8:30 – 9:00 A.M.  
_Please call in advance, before 8 pm on Saturday_.  
Sis. Nanette Burley 330-434-8459  
Or call the office if you are unable to reach Sis. Burley