

A Week at a Glance

Sunday, September 16

- 10:00 am Adult/Children/Youth Sunday School (Church/Ed./Chapel/Lounge)
- 10:00 am College-Age Small Group (Upper Room)
- 10:00 am Equipping Track (E-5)
- 11:30 am Children's Church I (3-, 4-, & 5-year-olds; C-1)
- 1:00 pm COMMUNITY (Ages 18-27; Warren home)
- 7:00 pm Sr. High Youth Group Fall Kick-Off (Y-401/TheLOFT)

Monday, September 17

- 6:00 am Early Morning Prayer (Conference Room)
- 1:30 pm Bone Strengthening (The Chapel)
- 7:00 pm Hawthorne Community Bible School Registration (Sanctuary)
- 7:30 pm Hawthorne Community Bible School Classes (The Chapel; Youth Ministries Center)
- 8:00 pm College & Young Adults Women (Ages 18-27; Warren home)

Tuesday, September 18

- 9:30 am *Women of the Word* (Lower Chapel)
- 10:00 am *God's Little Singers* (C-23/24)
- 11:00 am *GLS Play & Pray* (Nursery)
- 7:00 pm Ladies' *In-Touch* Bible Study (The Chapel)
- 7:00 pm *LifeGivers* (Lower Chapel)
- 8:00 pm College & Young Adults Men (Ages 18-27; Warren home)

Wednesday, September 19

- 9:15 am Women's Bible Study: *The Amazing Collection* (The Chapel)
- 9:30 am *Daughters of the King* (Lower Chapel)
- 6:45 pm Kids' Klub (C-1, 2/3, 4, 5/6, 8, 9; Gyms, Y-201; Pavilion)
- 6:45 pm Worship Community Rehearsal (Sanctuary; C-10)
- 7:00 pm PRAYER MEETING (The Chapel)**
- 7:00 pm Jr. High Bible Study (TheLOFT)
- 8:00 pm Sr. High Bible Study (TheLOFT)

Thursday, September 20

- 7:00 am Prayer Meeting (Pastor John's office)
- 9:30 am *Deep Roots* Women's Bible Study (The Chapel)
- 9:30 am Story Time for Preschoolers/Mom's in Bible Study (Nursery)
- 6:30 pm *New Beginnings* (Newark facility)
- 7:00 pm Women's Bible Study: *The Amazing Collection* (Conference Room)
- 7:00 pm *Linked* (Upper Room)
- 7:00 pm *GriefShare* (The Chapel)
- 8:00 pm COMMUNITY (Women & Men Ages 18-27; Warren home)

Friday, September 21

- 6:30 pm *Soup, Salad, & Sisterhood* (Pavilion)
- 7:00 pm *Released* (The Lounge; Lower Chapel) & Childcare (C-5/6)
- 7:00 pm Jr. High Youth Group (Y-401/TheLOFT)

Saturday, September 22

- 8:00 am Men's Breakfast with Pastor Mark Rolling (Pavilion)
- 10:00 am HCA Homecoming (HGC campus)
- 12:00 pm 10th Annual Hawthorne Day (Wagaraw Park, Hawthorne)

Sunday, September 16, 2018

At 8:25, 9:55 & 11:25 AM

Pastor John W. Minnema
“THE SUPREMACY
OF CHRIST”
Colossians 1:15-23
 Continuing in the series
 in Colossians entitled
Keeping Our Focus on Jesus

At 5:00 PM

Pastor Mark Rolling
“THE CALL TO
DISCIPLESHIP”
Matthew 4:18-22; Luke 5:1-11
 Beginning a new series entitled
“The Essentials of Discipleship”

The floral arrangement today is in loving memory of
Debbie Zrelak
given by her friends at Monday Evening Bible School.

Welcome Welcome to Hawthorne Gospel Church!

We are glad you are here to worship with us. If you are new or looking to connect, fill out the yellow *Connector Prayer Request* card located in the back of the pew and hand it to a *Connector* at the Discovery Center for a small gift and some helpful information about our church. Please join us in the Pavilion between the morning services for a time of fellowship and coffee, and where you'll obtain information on upcoming events!

The Starting Place

The Starting Place, originally scheduled for today and next Sunday, now will be held on **Sunday, October 21st and 28th**. Whether you are new to HGC or have been attending for years, this is an opportunity to find out more about our church, how to get involved, and how to grow in your faith. *The Starting Place* meets at 11:30 am in room C-10. Sign up at the Discovery Center, or go to hawthornegospel.com and click on *The Starting Place*.

New PM Fall Series begins tonight @ 5



THE ESSENTIALS OF
DISCIPLESHIP

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Pray for the Sick Home: Jay Aftab; Pat Albright; Michele Alonzo; Lorrie Anderson; Lori Bader; Louise Ballentine; Evalee Batistich; Ellie Bauer; Bertha Beller; Walter Boroughs; Nicole Braciliano; Sharon Braunlin; John Calabrese; Vicki Calabrese; Vince Carnevale; Esther Christensen; Kari Ann Dale; Shirley DeVogel; Phil Dimitri; Art Fialko; Ellen Forstrom; Glenn Garside; Younes Gill; Dearth Goller; Linda Hanowitz; Mark Hastings; Herm Heiser; Robert & Marie Lanzalotto; Joe Letterese; John Lo Bue; Jake Locicero; Lisa Lovell; Karen Mandell; Ruth Marion; Michael & Janice Martin; Kris Miller; Al Molzan; Doris Mossige; Elsie Murley; Mary Pascual; Bill Pezzuti; Joan Podschelne; Jennifer Powell; Luz Pring; Alice Rascio; Linda Rick; Julie Rieke; Gladys Rink; Robert Rogers; Jacinta Ruiz; Colleen Savone; Gail Schuit; Maryann Schwinge; Gari Semon; Antonia Spagnola; Diane Spath; Bud Stranberg; Tim Tileston; Norman Trass; Ilse Troper; Pablo Valentin; Marion Warnet; Ashley Williams; Don Zbieg

Hospitals & Rehabs: Bill Davies; Judy Delaney; Ray De Rouville; Ian Grinyer; Henrietta Lawless; Steve Meyers; Phil Paolucci; John Prochaska; Carlos Rivera; Wynn Simone; John Spence; Jim Unrath

Mrs. Freda Bisset, a HGC member since 1984, entered into the presence of the Lord on September 4th. Our Christian sympathy is given to her family.

John Minnema, a member of our church family since 1987, went Home to be with his Lord and Savior, Christ Jesus, on September 5th. Our Christian love is given to his children, Pastor John W. Minnema, Karen Minnema, Lisa Minnema, and Keith Minnema.

HGC Library Hours

Sunday: 9:30 to 10:00 am and 11:00 am to 12:30 pm

Monday: Closed

Tuesday through Saturday: 12:00 to 3:30 pm

The Library is located on the upper level of The Chapel

Phone: 973-427-6960, extension 130.

Baby Dedication: At the 11:25 am service, Liam James Ryan will be dedicated to God by his parents, James and Naomi.

**Celebration
& Praise!**

Missionaries of the Week

**PRAY FOR
OUR MISSIONARIES
WORKING WITH
NATIVE AMERICANS**

It's Important to Pray!

Next Sunday Morning, from 8:00 to 8:20, a special time of **Intercessory Prayer** will be held for our worship services. Please join us in room C-11/12 (*lower level of the church building*).

Know Your Bible

Hawthorne Community Bible School

(formerly Monday Evening Bible School)

begins **tomorrow (September 17th)**

with registration at **7:00 pm** in the Sanctuary.

Detailed brochures are available in the church foyer today!

God's Little Singers

God's Little Singers begins **this Tuesday (September 18th)** from **10:00 to 11:00 am** in room C-23/24 (right side overflow of the Sanctuary). It is a wonderful time to hide God's Word in your child's heart through the biblical lyrics, and also a sweet time of fellowship for the adults. Babies through school-aged children are invited to come with an adult. There will be an extended time of fellowship and a time for the children to play in the nursery from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm. Please bring a lunch or snack if you plan to stay. Questions? Please email Sandy Lynn at sandy@hgcusa.org.

Men's Breakfast

Saturday, September 22nd, at 8:00 am

in the HGC Pavilion

Speaker:

Pastor Mark Rolling

"Engaged in the Battle"

An encouraging and challenging message from 2 Timothy that will inspire all men to become more *engaged* as they deal with the many issues of life.

What can we learn from Scripture that will inspire us to stay in the fight AND become more effective in it?

All men are welcome to attend. Sign up in the Pavilion today!

Children's Ministry Needs YOU!

We are in a **GREAT NEED** for volunteers to help us in many of our ministries. Is the Lord asking you to serve Him in this way?

Below are our volunteer needs; and if you would be available to help at any of them, contact Sandy Lynn Bober at sandy@hgcusa.org or 973-427-6960, extension 166.

Opportunities to serve include:

Sunday

At all our services

Nursery Helpers

Sunday during 10:00 am Service

Sunday School Table Teacher for 3-year-olds

4th & 5th Grade Sunday School Teacher

Sundays @ 5

Club 208 Teachers and Helpers

Wednesday Kids' Klub

Kids' Klubs from 6:45 to 8:15 pm

Skippers & Scooters Helpers (Children thru Kindergarten)

Pioneer Girls Head Guides and Helpers (1st thru 5th Grades)

TreeClimbers Helpers (1st and 2nd Grade Boys)

Stockade Helpers (3rd through 5th Grade Boys)

Thursday

From 9:30 to 11:30 am

Story Time helpers for children, Infant through preschool

Saturday

Once a month from 9:30 to 11:00 am

Help with children while the moms have a time of fellowship

Hawthorne Christian Academy

is committed to **inspire** and challenge our students toward spiritual maturity, to **achieve** academic excellence, and to **impact** the world for Jesus Christ.

Where else, other than at a Christian school, can young children grow daily into the men and women God wants them to be? At HCA, our students discover their gifts and talents, and learn to see themselves as created in God's image.

For answers to your questions or to arrange a personal tour, please call 973-423-3331, extension 206.

Prime Time

Appetizers & Soup POTLUCK SUPPER

on

Saturday, September 29th, at 6:00 pm
in The Chapel

Songs, testimonies, and a devotional by the
HGC MEN'S QUARTET

For more information
please call the church office at 973-427-6960

In need of spiritual encouragement or prayer? The Board member on call this week is Steve Mandaro.

**Board
Member
on Call**

Upcoming Outreach

Everyone is invited to the **10th Annual Hawthorne Day** this **Saturday at 12:00 pm** at Wagaraw Park (at the corner of May Street and Wagaraw Road). We need your help. Call Pastor Tim Stanley at 973-427-6960, extension 161.

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, September 19th, 2018 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor John W. Minnema

September 23rd, 2018
am Services
Pastor John W. Minnema
"A Mystery Revealed"
Continuing in the series in Colossians
entitled "Keeping Our Focus on Jesus"
Colossians 1:24-28

September 23rd, 2018
at 5:00 pm
Pastor David Schuit
"The Cost of Discipleship"
Continuing a series entitled
"The Essentials of Discipleship"
Luke 14:25-33

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, September 26th, 2018 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor Dave Andersen

September 30th, 2018 at am Services
Pastoral Staff
"The Mighty Cross"
Continuing in the series in Colossians
entitled "Keeping Our Focus on Jesus"
Colossians 2:9-15

September 30th, 2018 at 5:00 pm
Pastor John W. Minnema
"Discipleship and the Cross"
Continuing a series entitled
"The Essentials of Discipleship"
1 Corinthians 2:1-5; Galatians 2:20-21

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, October 3rd, 2018 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor Scott Warren

October 7th, 2018
at am Services
"God's Divine Power"
2 Peter 1:1-11

October 7th, 2018
at 5:00 pm
"God's Love"
John 3:1-20

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, October 10th, 2018 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor Mark Rolling

Worship Community Opportunities!

The Worship Community Choir invites you to join its rehearsals on Wednesday at 6:45 pm in the Sanctuary. You may join the vocal or instrumental ministry. If your talent is technical, the stage crew or sound team can use your help. Also, we could use help with the computer on Sundays for the slides. If you prefer to participate on a short-term basis, consider singing for our Christmas concerts. If you wish to participate, or for more information, contact James Jensen at james@hgcusa.org, or call 973-427-6960, extension 160.

GriefShare Ministry

Grieving the loss of a spouse . . . or do you know someone who is? Why not find help at the

Loss of a Spouse Seminar
on Thursday, October 4th, at 7:00 pm
in The Chapel

Sign up in the Pavilion this morning, or call 973-427-6960.
Please join us for this encouraging seminar,
and invite another grieving friend, too!

New This Fall Young Families & Newly Marrieds

This stage of life can be new and exciting, but at the same time, tough and challenging. You don't have to go through it alone! At HGC there are many in these similar stages of life. This fall, we will be meeting together to get to know each other, share life experiences, and grow in our faith. On **Sunday, October 14th**, come to The Chapel for lunch and a short meeting to explain what this ministry is all about, and how you and your family can be involved. RSVP to Pastor Kirk De Boer by October 8th at kirk@hgcusa.org.

Ladies, Sign Up Today!

Soup, Salad, *and* Sisterhood

This Friday (September 21st)
from **6:30 to 9:00 pm**
in the Pavilion

It's a great night to get together
with old friends
and to make new ones!

Cost: Bring a soup or salad
(*a love offering will be received*)

Drinks and dessert will be provided
by the Women's Ministry.

Sign up in the Pavilion today
or call 973-427-6960 by Thursday!

Women's Fall Conference with Jean Stockdale

Saturday, November 10th, 2018
from **9:00 am to 2:30 pm**
in the Sanctuary

Detailed brochures/registration forms are
available around the HGC campus
or register at the special display
in the Pavilion this morning or
call the church office at 973-427-6960.

(Prices include coffee break and lunch)