

“How to Love the World”

I John 3:16-18

“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.”
John 3:16

Sunday, January 19, 2020 MISSIONS FOCUS SUNDAY

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

Pastor David A. Schuit
“HOW TO LOVE
THE WORLD”
I John 3:16-18

At 5:00 PM

Pastor Mark Rolling
Personal Testimony by
Casey Manger
“WHERE HE LEADS
I WILL FOLLOW”

At Hackensack at 11:00 AM

Pastor John W. Minnema
“THE COMING OF THE LORD”
I Corinthians 15; I Thessalonians 4

Welcome

Welcome to Hawthorne Gospel Church!

We are glad you are here to worship with us. If you are new or looking to connect, please fill out the *Welcome/Prayer Request* card located in the back of the pew and hand it to a *Connector* at the Welcome 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

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** will be held **today** and **next Sunday, January 26th**, at **10:00 am** in C-10. For more information, contact Pastor Kirk De Boer at 973-427-6960, extension 113, or kirk@hawthornegospel.org.

Baby Dedication: At the 11:25 am service, Phoebe Grace will be dedicated to the Lord by her parents, Steve and Katie Exley.

Celebration & Praise

Hawthorne Community Bible School

Begins its 2020 Spring Semester on

Monday, January 27th, 2020

Registration at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

Detailed brochures are available
at the Welcome Center
in the church foyer **TODAY!**

A Week at a Glance

Sunday, January 19

- 8:00 am *Intercessory Prayer* (C/11/12)
- 10:00 am *Adult/Children/Youth Sunday School* (Church/Ed./Up/Lower Chapel; Lounge)
- 10:00 am *College-Age Small Group* (Upper Room)
- 10:00 am *Equipping Track* (E-5)
- 10:00 am *The Starting Place* (C-10)
- 11:30 am *Membership Class* (C-10)
- 11:30 am *Children's Church I* (3-, 4-, & 5-year-olds; C-8)
- 1:00 pm *COMMUNITY* (Ages 18-27; Warren home)
- 7:00 pm *Sr. High Youth Group* (Y-401/TheLOFT)

Monday, January 20

- 6:00 am *Early Morning Prayer* (Conference Room)
- 1:30 pm *Bone Strengthening Exercise for Women* (The Chapel)
- 1:30 pm *Moms in Prayer* (HGC Library)
- 8:00 pm *College & Young Adults* (Women Ages 18-27; Warren home)

Tuesday, January 21

- 9:30 am *Women of the Word Bible Study* (Lower Chapel)
- 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, January 22

- 9:15 am *Women of The Way* (formerly T.A.C; The Chapel)
- 9:30 am *Daughters of the King Bible Study* (Lower Chapel)
- 6:45 pm *Worship Community Rehearsal* (Sanctuary; C-10)
- 7:00 pm PRAYER MEETING (The Chapel)**
- 7:00 pm *Jr. High Bible Study*; 8:00 pm *Sr. High Bible Study* (TheLOFT)

Thursday, January 23

- 7:00 am *Prayer Meeting* (Pastor John's office)
- 9:30 am *Deep Roots Women's Bible* (The Chapel) & *StoryTime* (C-5/6)
- 6:30 pm *New Beginnings* (Newark facility)
- 7:00 pm *Women of The Way* (formerly T.A.C; Conference Room)
- 8:00 pm *COMMUNITY* (Women & Men Ages 18-27; Warren home)

Friday, January 24

- 6:30 pm *Jr. High Ice Skating* (West Nyack, NY; Departs HGC)
- 7:00 pm *Kids' Klub* (Lower Church; YMC; Gyms)
- 7:00 pm *Moms in Prayer* (HGC Library)
- 7:00 pm *Bible Study in Spanish* (The Lounge)
- 7:00 pm *Co-Ed Adult Bible Study* (Y-301)

Saturday, January 25

- 8:30 am *Men's Conference* (The Chapel)
- 2:00 pm *Ladies' Hospitali-Tea* (Pavilion)
- 7:00 pm *Ladies' Coffee Talk* (Pavilion)
- 7:00 pm *PrimeTime* (The Chapel)

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Feed My Starving Children

Feed My Starving Children...

From **March 19th** through **21st**, hundreds of our church family will gather in the Pavilion to pack food for hungry children around the world. Through a partnership with *Feed My Starving Children* (FMSC), our goal this year is to pack over a quarter of a million meals.

About Feed My Starving Children:

FMSC is a non-profit, Christian organization that tackles world hunger by sending meals packed by volunteers to over 70 countries. Most of these meals are given to Christian orphanages, schools, clinics, and feeding programs.

About our FMSC event:

The FMSC event brings together families, children, students, and adults to pack nutritious meals for hungry children—there is something for everyone to do! Each event is set up in two-hour shifts. It's a fun way to meet new friends, bring non-Christian family and friends, increase your awareness of world hunger, and get involved in something bigger than yourself. FMSC provides the guidance, supplies, and logistics. We provide the funds to buy the bulk food and labor to pack the meals. Registration begins on **Sunday, February 2nd**, at fmsc.org.

You also may support this event by making a donation to cover the cost of the bulk food. All donations may be made through our church by using a pew envelope and marking it **FMSC**.

Thank you! Pastor David A. Schuit

In need of spiritual encouragement or prayer? The Board member on call this week is Michael Eelman (michael.eelman@hawthornegospel.org).

**Board
Member
on Call**

Update on FBC/HGC

On October 13th, the FBC congregation voted to approve the donation and ownership transfer of their property to HGC, with over 90% of the congregation voting “yes” to the resolution. Then, at their December Board meeting, the HGC Elders voted to accept the donation from FBC. Therefore, in the very near future, we are anticipating that the necessary legal documents will be signed, and we can begin to carry out what we believe God would have us do in Hackensack. There is a lot of work going on behind the scenes as we now prepare to fully move forward. We are excited for the future and would encourage **YOU** to be involved. Our leadership teams will begin to form to evaluate the various aspects of the ministry to help in determining how to most effectively move forward. If you are a part of FBC or HGC and would like to be involved, contact Pastor Kirk De Boer (kirk@hawthornegospel.org or 973-714-1104).

Please continue to pray for God's direction
in the coming days.

Here's Where YOU'RE Needed!

Sundays @ 5 Gospel Café

Set-Up/Clean-Up Team helpers still are needed!
Please contact Kelly Stephenson.

Men & Women, We Need Ushers

At the 9:55 am Sunday service:
Contact Frank Tirrito or Rick Cyriacks.

Men & Women Connectors Are Needed

At ALL Sunday services. Contact Clifford Cook.

PrimeTime

Saturday, January 25th, at 7:00 pm
in The Chapel

Karen Verhoog

New Jersey State Coordinator for
Moms in Prayer International

Please bring finger foods to share;
beverage will be provided.

Pray for the Sick

Home: Jay & Wendy Aftab; Vera Amaral; Ellie Bauer; Vicki Calabrese; Laura Christenson; Kari Ann Dale; Judy Delaney; Vince Della Ratta; Marie D'Elia; Mike De Urso; Phil Dimitri; Helene Dubetsky; Bob Estrada; Chuck Evans; Ellen Forstrom; Glenn Garside; Mark Hastings; Carolyn Hubertz; Bobbie Jones; Jack & Dee Kemper; Charlie Landers; John Lee; Joe Letterese; Jake & Arlene Locicero; Lisa Lovell; Carol Lupano; Mike & Janice Martin; Karen Meima; Steve Meyers; Emelia Misovic; Carlos Moran, Jr.; Len Mulé; Ralph Opderbeck; Phil Paolucci; Carol Pavlik; Bill Pezzuti; Luz Pring; Richard Prins; John Prochaska; Mike Quinn; Alice Rascio; Laura Rehbein; Bob Rogers; Connie Sayles; Lories Slockbower; Laura Smith; Jo Thomson; Tim Tileston; Ilse Troper; James Unrath; Nancy Van Housen; Randi Venema; Diane Vigilanti. **Hospitals & Rehabs:** Dearh Goller; Gordon Kline (*recovering from surgery*); Violet Knyfd (*recovering from surgery*); Dorothy Nickles (*recovering from hip surgery*); Joan Peano; Alice Tenny (*recovering from surgery*); Julia Anne Torrano.

Our Christian Sympathy is given to Desiree Mitchell at the Homegoing of her mother on Sunday, January 12th.

Marion Warnet, a faithful member since 1988, entered into the waiting arms of her Lord and Savior, Christ Jesus, on January 12th. Our Christian love is given to her children and to her sister, Helena Foster.

Giving in 2020!

Thank You

For financially supporting the Lord's work throughout 2019.

It is greatly appreciated!

Please pray about your part in continuing to give regularly to the ministry in 2020!

Ways to Give:

APP ~ WEB ~ PLATE

Note:

2019 Tax Receipts are scheduled to be mailed out by the end of January.

Paving the Pathway Update

Goal: \$5,628,181.00!

Received: \$4,261,668.59 (through January 12th)

Needed: \$1,366,512.41

*Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.
2 Corinthians 9:7*

Childcare Available

During our morning and evening services, we provide childcare for infants and toddlers in room C-5/6 (on the lower level of the church building). If your child is not sick, please be sure to take advantage of this ministry.

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, January 22nd, 2020 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor Timothy Stanley

Pastor John W. Minnema

January 26th, 2020 AM Services
"Angels"
Hebrews 1:4-14
Continuing in the series in Hebrews:
"Focus on Christ"

January 26th, 2020 at 5:00 pm
"The Call of Abraham"
Genesis 12
Continuing the series on Abraham:
"A Life of Faith"

At Hackensack at 11:00 AM

Pastor Jonathan D. Minnema
"The Superiority of Jesus Christ"
Hebrews 1:1-4

Beginning a new series in the Book of Hebrews: *Focus on Christ*

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, January 29th, 2020 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor Jonathan D. Minnema

Communion Sunday

February 2nd, 2020 AM Services
Pastoral Staff
"He is Able"
Hebrews 2:14-18
Continuing in the series in Hebrews:
"Focus on Christ"

February 2nd, 2020 PM Service
Pastor Howard Van Dyk, Jr.
"Abraham & Lot: Living Lessons"
Genesis 13
Continuing the series on Abraham:
"A Life of Faith"

At Hackensack at 11:00 AM

Pastor Timothy Stanley and Pastor Jonathan D. Minnema
"He is Able"

Hebrews 2:14-18; Continuing in the series in Hebrews: "Focus on Christ"

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, February 5th, 2020 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor Scott Warren

February 9th, 2020 AM Services
Pastor John W. Minnema
"Drifting from God"
Hebrews 2:1-13
Continuing the series: "Focus on Christ"

February 9th, 2020 PM Service
Pastor Jonathan D. Minnema
"A Covenant of Promise"
Genesis 15
Abraham: "A Life of Faith"

At Hackensack at 11:00 AM

Pastor David A. Schuit
"Angels"

Hebrews 1:4-14; Continuing in the series in Hebrews: "Focus on Christ"

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, February 12th, 2020 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor David A. Schuit

Great Bible Studies *for Women!*

Every Sunday Morning @ 10:00 in The Chapel
Seekers of His Heart
“Knowing God by His Hebrew Names”

Tuesday Morning @ 9:30 in the Lower Chapel
Women of the Word (Precept Upon Precept Inductive Study)
“Hebrews: Consider Jesus, Your Merciful High Priest”

Tuesday Evening @ 7:00 in The Chapel
Ladies’ In-Touch “Running on Empty” by Jill Briscoe
Begins **January 21st, 2020**

Wednesday Morning
Women of The Way (formerly TAC)
Begins @ 9:15 am in The Chapel to complete TAC lessons.
On **February 5th**: “The Amazing Life of Jesus Christ”

Begins @ 9:30 am in the Lower Chapel
Daughters of the King
“Life-Changing Prayer” by Jim Cymbala

Thursday Morning @ 9:30 in The Chapel
Deep Roots
“Better – A Study of Hebrews”

Thursday Evening @ 7:00 in the Conference Room
Women of The Way (formerly TAC)
will complete TAC lessons.
On **February 6th**: “The Amazing Life of Jesus Christ”

Thursday Afternoon @ 4:00 at the Miyamoto home
Friends in Faith
“Anxious for Nothing” by Max Lucado
Meets every other week beginning **January 30th**

MOMS & TOTS
Meets next month on **Saturday, February 8th**,
Join other moms and tots @ **9:30 am** in room C-10
to learn more about *Self-Care & Emotional/Spiritual Health!*

Men’s Conference

Saturday, January 25th, 2020
from **8:30 to 11:00 am**
in The Chapel

George Flores

Founder & Director of The Gate Radio

“Running with You:
A Marathon Message”

Based on Hebrews 12:1-2

Register at the special display in the Pavilion today!

Two Women’s Events Same Day

Saturday, January 25th, 2020 in the Pavilion
(Snow Date: *Saturday, February 1st*)

Ladies’ Hospitali-Tea

from **2:00 to 4:00 pm** and

Coffee Talk

from **7:00 to 9:00 pm**

Scone Bakers NEEDED!

Please contact Suzanne Kozlowski.

Today is the last day to register in the Pavilion. However, you may register online through Wednesday, January 22nd!