

Mask Protocol Reminder

Out of respect for those around you, please keep your mask on during the entire duration of the service(s). Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Financial Giving in 2021

THANK YOU for your giving so far this year!

Please pray about your part in regularly giving to the **General** and **Missionary Funds**, **Telephone System Upgrade** (\$24,933.86 still is needed) and other areas you choose as well.

Ways to Give:

~ In Person Services ~ APP ~ Website ~ Mail in ~
~ Church Office Drop Off ~

In need of spiritual encouragement or prayer? The Board member on call this week is James Lee (jlee@hawthornegospel.org). **Board Member on Call**

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, March 3rd, 2021 at 7:00 pm in The Chapel
Pastor David A. Schuit

Communion Sunday

March 7th, 2021 AM Services

Pastoral Staff
"The Words of My Mouth"
Continuing in the series:
Life's Greatest Struggles

March 7th, 2021 @ 5:00 PM

Pastor Tim Stanley
"A Powerful Testimony"
Acts 24-26
Continuing in the series on
the Apostle Paul

At Hackensack at 11:00 AM

Pastor Jonathan D. Minnema and Pastor Howard Van Dyk, Jr.
"The Words of My Mouth"
Continuing in the series: *Life's Greatest Struggles*



Hawthorne
GOSPEL CHURCH

Sunday, February 28, 2021

Pastor John W. Minnema

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

"THE SCHEMES OF SATAN"
Continuing in
the series:
Life's Greatest Struggles

At 5:00 PM

"FAITHFUL SHEPHERDS OF THE CHURCH OF GOD"
Acts 20:13-38
Continuing the series on Paul

At Hackensack at 11:00 AM

Pastor Kirk De Boer

"THE SCHEMES OF SATAN"
Continuing a new series: *Life's Greatest Struggles*

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New Members

We are excited to announce that the following people have met the requirements for church membership and upon the recommendation of the Elder Board at its February 17th, 2021 meeting, a motion was made to add them to our membership roster as active members.

They will be welcomed in on Sunday, March 14th, 2021:

Valerio Carpi of New Milford, Daniel Kuyumcu of Fort Lee, Donna Mateyka of Lincoln Park, Shannon Neilley of Hawthorne, Blake Newell of Ramsey, Martin and Donna Ryan of Bloomfield, Rachel Somick of Fair Lawn, and Azia Toure of Paterson.

Needed: Artists of All Ages!

Artists are needed for the Easter Art Gallery Walk on March 27th and 28th hosted by our Children's Ministries. Artwork will be auctioned and the proceeds will go toward our Vacation Bible School materials. Interested in submitting art for the gallery? Please contact Sandy Lynn Bober at sandy@hawthornegospel.org.

21 Day Prayer Challenge!

We all need encouragement these days...and there's no better way than **PRAYER!** Our desire is to be unified as a church family, praying over the same daily verses and refreshing each other and, in the process, our communities.

From March 13th through April 2nd, we are asking you to commit to ten minutes of intentional prayer for each other during our **Rescued and Refreshed 21-Day Prayer Challenge**. Every day, you will have a **rescue reminder verse** to think and pray over and a **refresher action step** in response. You will receive a prayer card and a mug to help jog your memory to stay on track with what to pray for and do each day. Also, be sure to follow our social media pages as we post daily encouragements to help us stay committed together!

Then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind. Philippians 2:2

A Celebration of Life Service

will be held for **Tony Ambrogio** on Saturday, March 6th, at 1:00 pm in the Sanctuary. The service will be live streamed, but to attend in person, register at: hawthornegospel.churchcenter.com/registrations/events.

Congregational Meeting & Elder Board

In light of the ongoing pandemic, we will not be having our Annual Congregational Meeting at this time. The Elder Board has decided that the new Elders will begin their term on Wednesday, March 17th. The three new elders will be: **Michael Jefferson**, **Stephen Mandaro**, and **Frank Tirrito**. You can view their bios by going to: hawthornegospel.org/elders.

We are thankful for the three Elders who will be completing their terms of service: Wallace Eng, Douglas Hart, and Donald Klingen. We appreciate their willingness to serve and for their faithfulness to the Lord and HGC. Please pray for all of those who will continue to serve (Richard Cyriacks, Michael Eelman, James Lee, James Meagher, Mark Schaefer, and Todd Zafonte) and the three new Elders as they serve on the 2021 Elder Board.

Ladies' R&R

Saturday, March 6th, at 9:00 am in the Sanctuary

Guest speaker:

Heidi Sirinides

"Running the Race to Win"

The Bible compares living the Christian life to running a race.

So, how can we live our lives for Christ victoriously?

Heidi will share biblical strategies from the ultimate **Coach...Jesus!**

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