

NEW HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH

MARCH 1, 2026

WE PREPARE TO WORSHIP OUR GOD

Today's Theme: The God who Sanctifies

Bulletin theology:

Westminster Confession of Faith 29.7

Worthy recipients who partake of the physical elements in [the Lord's Supper], in so doing by faith actually and in fact spiritually (but not physically or bodily) feed on Christ crucified and receive Him and all the benefits of His death. The body and blood of Christ are therefore not bodily or physically 'in, with, or under' the bread and wine; nevertheless, they are spiritually present to the faith of believers in the administration of this sacrament, just as the bread and wine are present to their five (physical) senses.

Welcome & Announcements

Ron TenHaken

* Congregational Greeting

OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP

* Call to Worship (from Revelation 5)

Rev. Alex Ford

L: I heard around the throne the voice of many angels, saying with a loud voice: "Worthy is the Lamb who was slain to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!" And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, saying:

A: To Him Who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!"

L: And those around the throne said, "Amen!" and fell down and worshiped. Let us worship together now as we will in that day.

* Prayer of Invocation

* Worship through Song:

"All Creatures of Our God and King"

"How Deep the Father's Love for Us"

Congregational Prayer

Elder, Jeff Kleeberger

Church: Faith Reformed (Cedar Grove)

Offering of tithes and gifts (please remain seated)

"The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)"

Sermon: "The Aim of Trials"

Rev. Tony Lombardo

Scripture Reading—**Hebrews 12:4-17** (p. 1025)

Sermon Series: **"GREATER THAN—a Study of Hebrews"**

The Lord's Supper

* Sending Hymn #196 *"There Is a Fountain"*

* Benediction

Postlude