

## NH Book Club Thursday, Feb. 20

You are invited to read *The Berry Picker* by Amanda Peters and join our discussion in the Mission Building Thursday, February 20, 10:30 – 11:30 am.

\*Next month *The God of the Woods* by Liz Moore.

## Blood Drive Next Sunday, Feb. 23

We hope you'll add blood donation to your regular giving. Sunday, February 23, 9:30 am – 12:30 pm. Donors receive a wellness check, two movie tickets and a long-sleeved T-shirt. Go to [OneBlood.org](http://OneBlood.org) to make an appointment. Walk ins always welcome.

## New Horizon Dinner Out Group Thursday, Feb. 27, 6:00 pm

All are welcome to join us as we gather in the spirit of Christian fellowship at **Minato Japanese Buffet & Seafood**, 9045 Pines Boulevard, Pembroke Pines, 33024 on Thursday, February 27, 6:00 pm. This spacious restaurant offers the largest buffet dining experience in Pembroke Pines. They offer a broad selection of high-end dishes such as: steak, prime rib, snow crab, and fresh sushi rolls... as well as a full Hibachi grill station and a wide variety of vegetarian dishes. Contact Donna Wilson at 954-881-5961 (text or call). Hope to see you there! Tabehodai! (means "all-you-can-eat" in Japanese).

## St. Mark Carnival Feb. 27 - March 2

It's carnival time in our field. All is outdoors, featuring huge midway, international food tent, vendors market, entertainment and more. 1 day \$35 & 4 day \$70 ride tickets are available in the church office until 2/26.

## NH Women's Retreat, Sat., March 15

*Esther 4:14 For Such a Time as This* is our theme. You don't want to miss it! Registration has begun. Our guest keynote speaker is the Rev. Dr. Marta Burke. We'll enjoy an ice-breaker, Bible study, craft, and lunch by Panera. 9:30 am – 1:00 pm. Childcare is available with registration. Registration forms are available at our welcome desk. Check out the tee shirt on Amazon. Perhaps You Were Created For Such A Time as This *Esther 4:14* T-Shirt. Brand: Beautiful Christian Bible Verses. \$14.99. See the sample in the office. Women's and men's sizing, purple or whatever color makes you happy.

View complete calendar at  
[www.newhorizonumc.com](http://www.newhorizonumc.com)

### Sunday, February 16

Adult Sunday School, 8:45 am *Founders Rm*  
Worship 10:00 am *Sanctuary*  
Fellowship, 11:15 am *Mission Bld*

### Monday, February 17

OFFICE CLOSED – President's Day  
NarAnon, 8:00 pm *Rm 6 Edu Bld*

### Tuesday, February 18

FFT Packing, 9:00 am *FFT Room*  
Bagel Pack, 3:30 pm *FFT Room*  
GS Troop 14218, 6:00 pm *Upstairs Mission Bld*  
Handbell Choir, 7:00 pm *Sanctuary*  
Smart Recovery, 7:00 pm *Rm 6 Edu Bld*  
NA Men's Workshop, 7:00 pm *Rm 4 Edu Bld*

### Wednesday, February 19

LC Chapel, 8:45 am *Sanctuary*  
Women's Bible Study, 9:30 am *Founders Room*  
Glory's Study, 11:00 am *Founders Room*  
Disciple II, 11:00 am *Mission Bld*  
LC Dance, 11:45 am *Sanctuary*  
Worship Team, 6:00 pm *Sanctuary*  
Al Anon, 7:15 pm *Rm 6 Edu Bld*  
Al Anon Teen, 7:15 pm *Rm 4 Edu Bld*  
Chancel Choir, 7:30 pm *Sanctuary*

### Thursday, February 20

Book Club, 10:00 am *Mission Bld*  
UM Men, 7:00 pm *Mission Bld*  
FPU, 7:00 pm *Founder's Rm*

### Friday, February 21

OFFICE CLOSED  
BS Troop, 6:30 pm *Sanctuary*  
GS Troop 14221, 6:45 pm *Upstairs Mission Bld*  
GriefShare Training, 7:00 pm *Mission Bld*  
NA, 7:00 pm *Rm 6 Edu Bld*  
NarAnon, 8:00 pm *Rm 6 Edu Bld*

### Saturday, February 22

NarAnon, 10:00 am *Rm 6 Edu Bld*  
Al Anon Luncheon, 10: am *Sanctuary*

**Church office open 9 am-4 pm Mon-Thurs**



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## Prayers for the following:

Alice Ebanks at Glades West Rehab, Richard Ebanks Hospice, Pat Allen, Joanne & John Baker, Gary Barcus, Alvin Barnett, Jeannie and Kevin Buckley, Ginny & Bernie Calehuff, Myra Camino, Myra Christensen, Susie & Dr. Bob Dickinson, Marlene Ebanks, Linda Fales, Elizabeth Farrie, Marilou Freebeck, Luella Gentles, Claudia Glover, Patty Hodge, Korey Jackson, Lili Mazuriek, Jamie Pascucci, Pumpkin Charlie, Dotnie Smith, Evan Stansell, Lauren Stansell, Ginnie Stonebraker, Lucy Stevens, Shirley Tegzes, Lucille Wattles, Helen Welsh, Alda Williams, Heaven's Gate UMC and Church on the Solid Rock UMC Cuba; the United Methodist Church, Residing Hope Foster Care, our learning center, church, pastors and staff, all of our troops, our country, Haiti, Ukraine, Israel, Palestine.



## Presence and Gifts

We give thanks to everyone who joined us in person and online and thank you for your gifts of \$19,955. Operating needed each week is \$13,058. **Online Giving** [www.newhorizonumc.com](http://www.newhorizonumc.com) Click on Give tab and choose the fund; or scan this QR code and then choose the fund. We thank you for your continued faithfulness.



## GriefShare

### Tuesday, February 25, 7:00 – 9:00 pm

New Horizon is part of the GriefShare family. This support group is a safe, welcoming place where people understand the difficult emotions of grief.

For information contact Glory at, 954-434-7400.

NH GriefShare begins February 25 – May 20, 7:00-9:00 pm in the Mission Building. Registration is open: <https://www.griefshare.org/groups/260173>.

## Lent Schedule

The Bible does not mention Ash Wednesday or the custom of Lent, however, the practice of 40 days of repentance and mourning in ashes is found in 2 Samuel 13:19; Esther 4:1; Job 2:8; Daniel 9:3; and Matthew 11:21. Join us for a pancake breakfast following worship on March 2. Ash Wednesday, March 5, Pastors Tammie and Lisa will be available 7:45-9:15 am to dispense ashes to our preschool children and families. You are welcome to come then or join us at 7:00 pm for our Ash Wednesday worship. We hope you will plan on attending this service as we begin our 40 days of Lent observation.

Palm Sunday, April 13, begins our Holy Week. We will observe this week with 7:00 pm prayer gatherings in the sanctuary on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. We will also observe fasting from Tuesday, 4 pm, to Wednesday, 4 pm. Our Maundy Thursday worship service will be at 7:00 pm and Good Friday worship will be at noon. Easter Sunday, April 20, we'll share in our 6:45 am Sunrise Communion service in our Outdoor Chapel and 10:00 am Communion service in the sanctuary. Fellowship time will follow both services.



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Songs of Worship – *Praise Team*

Greeting/Passing the Peace

### Call to Worship – *Bernie Winer*

Leader: "Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!"

**People: Today we enter your house, O God, rejoicing -- rejoicing for the opportunity to sing your praises.**

Leader: Lord, we ask that in our worship we may be inspired;

**People: in our prayers we may be encouraged,**

Leader: and that in our silence we may hear your voice, the "still, small voice" that spoke to the prophet of old.

**People: Give us now your guidance and direction so that in all things we may know you better and serve you more faithfully.**

**All: Amen.**

### Opening Prayer

Father in heaven, you have blessed us with another day and we are so grateful. We have set aside this day to worship you. It seems a small measure of time compared to the great care you show us each and every moment. But, our hope is that in these few moments you will be glorified in all that we say and do and sing. We have planned and prepared our songs and words, but they are nothing if not from you. We ask that you be the center of our worship; where you lead us we will follow. Lead on, O God. Amen.

### Hymn # 733 Marching to Zion

Children's Message – *Jocelyn Sine*

*The children and youth are invited to Sunday School in the Mission Building.*

Prayer – *Rev. Alba Onofrio*

### Lord's Prayer

**People: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Scripture – Philippians 4:8

Sermon — The Power of the Mind – *Pastor Tammie Isidore*



Offering / Special Music

### Doxology # 94

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

### Closing Hymn – # 419 I Am Thine, O Lord

Benediction – *Pastor Tammie Isidore*

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### Tweens (3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>)/Youth (6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>)

Join us Sunday, February 23, 4:00 – 6:00 pm for games, devotion dinner, fellowship and fun!! Bring a friend!! For details, [Christine@newhorizonumc.com](mailto:Christine@newhorizonumc.com).

### We Want to Get to Know You

Please sign your name in the Red Registration pad located at the end of each row of chairs and pass it along. Include your email if you would like to receive our weekly newsletter. Prayer cards are available in the back of the red registration pad. Place your prayer in the offering plate.

### New Horizon Food for Thought

We continue to provide food for elementary school kids each week. Prayers please for this program and the children we serve. Note Food for Thought on your check or envelope. Online click on the Give tab and choose fund: Food for Thought.

### New Horizon Learning Center Preschool Open Registration for 2025-2026

Registration has begun for the 2025-2026 school year, for 18 mos. – VPK. Two day, three day and five day programs available. Our spaces fill quickly! For more information pick up a brochure at the welcome table or call 954.680.9497. Check us out at [www.thenewhorizonlearningcenter.com](http://www.thenewhorizonlearningcenter.com).

### Yarn Available

We have been gifted some beautiful yarn. Please contact the church office if you would like to take a look.

### Wednesday Women's Lenten Study Begins March 5, 9:30 am

Our Women's group will be discussing *The Final Days: A Lenten Study Through the Gospels* by Matt Rawl. This Lent, ponder the themes of justice, poverty, freedom, and love. Books are available on Cokesbury. Contact Pastor Lisa with questions. [LStamp@newhorizonumc.com](mailto:LStamp@newhorizonumc.com).

*New Horizon is a mission minded church. During the year we have many outreach giving opportunities local, national and international. We ask you to prayerfully consider which projects God is calling you to support. We thank you for all that you do.*

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