

A Week at a Glance

Sunday, October 9

- 8:00 AM Intercessory Prayer (C-11/12)
- 10:00 AM Adult/Children/Youth Sunday School (Church/Ed./Chapel/Lounge)
- 10:00 AM Children Sunday School (2 yrs. old to grade 1; Church)
- 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 (Y-401; TheLOFT)

Monday, October 10

The Academy and Monday Evening Bible School will not be in session

- 6:00 AM Early Morning Prayer Worx (Conference Room)
- 9:15 AM God Speaks Women's Bible Study (The Lounge)
- 1:30 PM Bone Strengthening for Women (The Chapel)

Tuesday, October 11

- 9:30 AM Women of the Word Bible Study (no childcare; The Lounge)
- 10:00 AM God's Little Singers Ministry (C-23/24)
- 10:30 AM ENCORE (The Chapel)
- 7:00 PM New Life AD Anonymous (Alcohol/Drugs; Y-118)
- 7:00 PM Ladies' In-Touch Bible Study (The Chapel)
- 7:00 PM Legacy Group I (The Lounge)
- 7:00 PM The Dads Club (The Chapel Classroom "A")

Wednesday, October 12

- 9:15 AM The Amazing Collection Women's Bible Study (The Chapel)
- 9:30 AM Daughters of the King (The Lounge)
- 6:45 PM Kids' Klub (Pavilion/Lower Church/Gyms/YMC)
- 7:00 PM PRAYER MEETING (The Chapel)**
- 7:00 PM Moms in Prayer (HGC Library)
- 7:00 PM Jr. High Bible Study (TheLOFT)
- 7:00 PM LifeGroup: Christianity & the Art of Marriage Maintenance (Y-301)
- 8:00 PM Sr. High Bible Study (TheLOFT)

Thursday, October 13

- 7:00 AM Prayer Meeting (Pastor John's office)
- 9:45 AM Deep Roots (The Chapel) and StoryTime (Nursery)
- 6:30 PM New Beginnings (Departs from church parking lot)
- 7:00 PM The Amazing Collection Women's Bible Study (Y-301)
- 7:00 PM DivorceCare (The Lounge)
- 7:00 PM Zumba Plus A New Me in Christ Women's Exercise (Upper Gym)
- 7:00 PM Made with Love (The Chapel Classroom "A")
- 8:00 PM COMMUNITY (Ages 18-27; Warren home)

Friday, October 14

- 9:15 AM Serving Hands (The Chapel)
- 7:00 PM HCA Christian College Fair (Upper Gym)
- 7:00 PM Jr. High Youth Group (TheLOFT)
- 7:00 PM Released (The Lounge; Lower Chapel) & Childcare (C-5/6)

Saturday, October 15

- 8:00 AM Desire4Hope (Paterson)
- 10:30 AM Visit with Our Missionaries (The Chapel)
- 7:00 PM Missions Rally: IGNITE '16 (Sanctuary)

Sunday, October 9, 2016

OUTREACH/DISCIPLESHIP SUNDAY

At 8:25, 9:55 & 11:25 AM
and 5:00 PM

Pastor Jim Bushoven and Pastor Mark Rolling

“LIGHT AND SALT IN
PLACES OF PEACE”

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 be able to obtain more information about our upcoming events!

Congratulations! Mrs. Jay Behnke observed her 89th birthday last Tuesday, October 4th.

Celebration & Praise!

Baptismal Service: If you are at least 13 years old and desire to give public testimony to your faith in Jesus Christ through baptism, you must attend one of the following classes: Sunday, November 6th or 13th, at either 10:00 or 11:30 AM in room C-11/12.

You must bring to class a written copy of your testimony, which tells your story of when you received Jesus as your Savior, and a paragraph entitled, *Why I Want to be Baptized and What Baptism Means to Me*.

Sign up for a class today at the Discovery Center in the church foyer and pick up a copy of the brochure, *Why We Value Baptism*. A baptismal service is planned for Sunday, November 27th.

A Critical Election Year



Considering the state of affairs in our nation and the importance of the upcoming election, we are making pertinent information available with regard to our presidential candidates. The stance of their parties on vital issues is available at the Discovery Center and Pavilion. Feel free to pick up a copy so that you can make an informed decision. Detailed information is available on the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association website (billygraham.org/decision-magazine). God bless!

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Operation Christmas Child

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Kick-Off Saturday, October 22nd, 6:00-8:00 PM

Experience the *Journey of a Shoebox* in The Chapel ~ see how it gets from your hands to the hands of a waiting child. You will leave with a shoebox and an item to begin your packing. Light refreshments will be served. Open to adults and kids of all ages!

Kick-Off Sunday October 23rd, between all services

Pick up your Specially Printed Shoeboxes in the Pavilion or outside the Sanctuary foyer. A suggested donation of 25 cents per shoebox, would be appreciated! Have fun packing! Questions? Please call Chad De Boer or Fortune Mandaro.

Pray for the Sick

Home: Vera Amaral; Louise Ballentine; Audrey Bartlette; Evalee Batistich; Karen Beller; Adrianna Bryon; Esther Christensen; Edna Clark; Betty Cleveland; Judy Delaney; Peggy Eng; Ellen Forstrom; Eva Glasser; Dearh Goller; Sue Greene; Carl Hoffman; Paula Ibach; Susan La Plante; Lisa Lovell; Lorraine Malek; Allison Mancuso; John Meima; Kris Miller; Len Mulé; Ann Opirhory; Phil Paolucci; Mary Pascual; Luz Pring; Alice Rascio; Jacinta Ruiz; Norman Trass; Pablo Valentin; Dave Woods; Barbara Zanna. **Hospitals & Rehabs:** Emily Batluck-Auld; John Auld; Isabele Canela; Tom Curry; Mildred Davies; Joe Jezequel; Marie Krum; Joann Menicola; Phil Nazzaro; Jim Percy; Bob Poitier; Stacy Schultze; Judy Taylor; Ben Teschon; Ilse Troper; Ken Vander Wiele; Ted Zbieg.

Our Christian Love is given to Cary Greene at the sudden passing of his father, Jerome, on October 2nd, in Long Island.

HGC Library Hours This Week!

Sunday: 9:30 to 10:00 AM and 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM

Monday through Saturday: 12:00 to 3:30 PM

Located upper level of The Chapel 973-427-6960, extension 130

Plan Now To Attend!

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MISSIONS 

FALL MISSIONS FESTIVAL SCHEDULE OCTOBER 14th ~ 16th, 2016

Friday Morning at 10:15

Come to The Chapel to hear Shirley Innis share with Serving Hands about what God is doing with international students on U.S. college campuses.

Friday Evening:

House meetings with our missionaries.
Call the church office for a place for you.

Saturday Morning at 10:30

Come to The Chapel to hear missionary reports, discussions, and to pray.

Saturday Evening at 7:00

Ignite '16 will take place in the Sanctuary.
All are welcome to join a night of worship and missions.

Sunday Morning

Missions challenge in our services and missionaries in our Adult Bible Classes at 10:00.

Sunday Evening @ 5

Learn how to share Christ with others
in a fun, easy, and effective way.

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

**Board
Member
on Call**

Be Sure to
Register Soon!



Kay Arthur

“How to Live in a Society That Calls
Evil Good and Good Evil”

Saturday, November 12th, 2016

Registration now is \$40

Register online @ www.iTickets.com or
in the Pavilion this morning.

Captioning will be available for the hearing impaired

Children's Ministry
Needs YOU!!!



Sunday Mornings: Nursery at all services; **Sunday School** first and second grades from 10:00 to 11:00 AM; **Children's Church** from 11:25 to 12:30 PM.

Sunday Mornings: Special Needs Ministry needs buddies. If you want to share your life on a one-to-one basis with a child who could use a little extra care, please contact Dr. Ruth Rivera. Thank you!

Wednesday Evenings (6:45~8:15 PM): Kids' Klub Skipper Club for 2- and 3-year-olds; **Scooter Club** for 4- and 5-year-olds; **TreeClimbers** for 1st and 2nd grade boys; **Stockade** for 3rd through 5th grade boys; **Pioneer Girls** for grades 1 through 5. To serve in Pioneer Girls, call Joy Meyer.

If not otherwise noted, contact Sandy Lynn at 973-427-6960, extension 166, or sandy@hgcusa.org, to **get connected**.



HGC OUTREACH

Urban Development

- ☛ School 6 Partnership
- ☛ Desire4Hope
- ☛ Star of Hope Ministries/Prayer

Prevention & Recovery

- ☛ Released
- ☛ Prevention in Passaic & Bergen Counties
- ☛ Impact NJ
- ☛ Mental Health & Wellness

Mercy

- ☛ Operation Christmas Child
- ☛ New Beginnings
- ☛ Lighthouse Pregnancy Resource Center

Local/Training

- ☛ Hawthorne
- ☛ Life Group Plan
- ☛ Equipping Track

For more information,
please contact Pastor Jim Bushoven
at jim@hgcusa.org or 973-427-6960, extension 160.



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Christian Academy 

Christian College Fair

Friday, October 14th, 2016, 7:00 to 9:00 PM

All parents and students are welcome to attend in the upper gym. Meet representatives from more than 30 Christian colleges or attend the Financial Aid Workshop at 7:45 PM. Admission is free.

Questions?

Contact Mrs. Jennifer Eelman, Director of Guidance, at 973-423-3331, extension 270, or www.myblueprintstory.com.

HCA's Open House

for Middle School & High School
Thursday, October 27th, 2016, at 6:30 PM

Come to Hawthorne Christian Academy's Open House and learn about HCA's middle & high school programs.

- Tour our campus
- Meet our teachers
- Visit our classrooms

For more information, call 973-423-3331, extension 206. Free childcare is provided.

Can You Help?



Our missionaries, Tim and Sharon Braunlin, now serve with Servant's Heart Ministry and will be relocating to our area. They need the following gently used donations: refrigerator, bedroom and dining room furniture, baby-proof gates, lamps, toaster/toaster oven. To help, or for more information, please leave a message for Tim. Thank you!

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, October 12th, 2016 at 7:00 PM in The Chapel
Pastor Dave Andersen

October 16th, 2016
AM Services

Pastor David A. Schuit
Missions Focus
Sunday

October 16th, 2016
PM Service

Pastor David A. Schuit
Missions Focus
Sunday

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, October 19th, 2016 at 7:00 PM in The Chapel
Pastor John W. Minnema

October 23rd, 2016
AM Services

Pastor John W. Minnema
"The Lordship of Christ"
Continuing in the series
"Strangers in the World" in the
Book of 1st Peter—1 Peter 3:1-22

October 23rd, 2016
PM Service

Pastor Jake Minnema
"God Is Free"
Continuing in the series
"I AM: The God Revealed"
in the Book of John—John 10

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, October 26th, 2016 at 7:00 PM in The Chapel
Pastor Mark Rolling

October 30th, 2016
AM Services

Pastor John W. Minnema
"Exalting Jesus Christ"
Continuing in the series
"Strangers in the World" in the
Book of 1st Peter—1 Peter 4:7-19

October 30th, 2016
PM Service

Pastor Jim Bushoven
"God Is Life"
Continuing in the series
"I AM: The God Revealed"
in the Book of John—John 11

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, November 2nd, 2016 at 7:00 PM in The Chapel
Jonathan Minnema

Open Enrollment



Come, join the Worship Community!

We now have open enrollment and are excited to welcome some new choir, band, and orchestra members. If you are interested, please e-mail James Jensen at james@hgusa.org.

Our media team is looking for people to help with the slides on Sunday mornings. If you are good with a computer, this is a great place to serve. If you are interested in serving in this ministry, please e-mail James Jensen at james@hgusa.org.



Facing a Task Unfinished Concert

Friday, October 28th, 2016
at 7:00 PM at HGC

Keith & Kristyn Getty

featuring

Living Waters

The Lord Is My Salvation
and In Christ Alone

Tickets still are available at \$20/person or
a Family Package rate of \$60.

Prices will increase on **October 11th**.

Limited preferred seating tickets still are available!

All tickets will be available Sunday mornings in the Pavilion
and during the week by contacting James Jensen
at james@hgusa.org (cash or check only).

ENCORE

(formerly Senior Adult Ministry)



Our **Senior Adults** will meet on Tuesday, October 11th, at 10:30 AM in The Chapel. Our guest speaker will be David Barclay of New Life Hearing Service. Don't miss it . . . invite your friends and bring a bag lunch; dessert and beverage will be provided by the committee.

Reservations and payments of \$15 are **due** at this meeting for our Thanksgiving Luncheon on November 8th.

Serving Hands Ministry



Serving Hands, a ministry for women who serve HGC missionaries through prayer and projects, will hold its monthly meeting on Friday, October 14th, at 9:15 AM in The Chapel. This month, Shirley Innis, of the International Students ministry, will be reporting on this outreach to college-age adults from around the world. Be sure to invite your friends!

Sundays @ 5 Gospel Café . . .



Bakers Needed

for weeks 1 and 3 of every month.

To help, please contact Kelly Stephenson.

Thank you to those who volunteered for the 2nd week . . . you're a blessing!