

APRIL 26, 2026

10:30A.M.



The mission, vision, and purpose of New Bedford Evangelical Presbyterian Church is to love, know and serve the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We Love God through worship, Know God through Growth Groups, and Serve God by using our gifts both outside and inside the church.

WORDS OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE-

***CALL TO WORSHIP-**

Leader: Jesus set His face toward Jerusalem—no turning back, no hesitation.

People: **We will follow Him with the same resolve.**

Leader: The path is narrow, the cost is real, and the call is urgent.

People: **We will not delay, for the Kingdom of God is at hand.**

Leader: Leave behind comfort, excuses, and divided loyalties.

People: **Our hearts are fixed, our steps are sure—Christ leads, and we follow.**

Leader: The time is now. The mission is clear. The Lord goes before us.

People: **We rise, we go, we serve—until His work is done.**

***A HYMN OF PRAISE # 303 Be Thow My Vision**

PASTORAL PRAYER & SILENT PRAYER, LORD’S PRAYER-

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the Kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM- “Immortal, Invisible God Only Wise”

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

***A HYMN OF PREPARATION # 32 What Shall I Render to the Lord**

(Children dismissed for J.A.M. kids – meet leader at sanctuary door)

HOLY SCRIPTURE LESSON – Luke 9:51-62

SERMON- "He Set His Face"

***THE CLOSING HYMN # 503 We Have Heard the Joyful Sound**

***THE BENEDICTION**

***THE CONGREGATIONAL CLOSING**

**Because He lives I can face tomorrow;
Because He lives all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living just because he lives.**

THE POSTLUDE-

Guest Preacher: Josh Hayes

Head Usher: Christian Fulkman

Director of Music Ministry: Donna Fox

Praise Team Director: Jocilyn Csernyik

Director/Family Ministry: Lee Harris

Director/Children’s Ministry: Dawn Harris

Sound/Video Technician: Nathan Book

Nursery Attendant: Brenda Miller

Church Secretary: Jaime McCarthy

Church Phone: 724-964-8055

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Church Website: newbedfordchurch.org

Please remember in prayer the following persons who are hospitalized, receiving treatments, recuperating at home and those who have requested prayer.

Doris Spence-----Ridgecrest of McCandless

**J.A.M. (Jesus And Me) Kids during the 10:30 service.....Children in PreK – Gr. 3 are invited for a Bible lesson, craft, games. Parents can pick up their child after the service in the education wing*

WORSHIP OF PRAYER AND PRAISE 8:30A.M.

WORSHIP TEAM PRELUDE

Your Great Name

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*SONGS OF WORSHIP AND PRAISE

Goodness of God

How Great is Our God

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*CLOSING SONG- *Give Thanks*

*BENEDICTION

SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2026

- 8:30A.M. Contemporary Service
- 9:30A.M. Sunday School for all ages
- 10:30A.M. Traditional Worship Service

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 2026

- 6:30P.M. Deacons meet

TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2026

- 9:00A.M. The Weight group meets

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 2026

- 6:00P.M. Choir rehearsal
- 6:15P.M. VBS Planning meeting
- 7:00P.M. Bible Study
- 7:15P.M. Bell Choir rehearsal



Please fill out a yellow slip located in the pews or on the Welcome Cart in the Narthex. These are for prayer requests and/or visitors who would like more information about our church. Place it in the offering plate located at the back of the sanctuary or on the Welcome Cart.

There is a kid's table in the vestibule with coloring/activity papers and fidget items that can be used during the service. Please return items following the service.





Donations for new or gently used baby clothing or any baby items (diapers, wipes, etc.) are being taken for a Community Pay It Forward campaign. There will be a box in the Narthex to place the items in. If you have any questions, please contact Beth Kendall at 724-714-7642.

A very special Thank you to everyone that has donated so far!

E.P.I.C. Study & Lunch

There is a sign up on the hallway bulletin board, please sign up for the following:

- May 7 - to make a side dish or dessert
- May 21 -RSVP for lunch at Hubbard VFW



It's time to think about SUMMER CAMP!!! NBEPCC supports two Christian Camps, Seneca Hills and Miracle Mountain Ranch. The church will sponsor children that attend either camp financially. For more info about the camps visit their website:

Miracle Mountain Ranch – www.MMRM.org

Seneca Hills – www.senecahills.org

If you have any questions about scholarships, contact Dawn 330-881-8110/dawnhnbpc@aol.com

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