OCTOBER 5, 2025 **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- Adapted from Psalm 135**
Praise the Lord, for the Lord is good;
sing to his name, for it is pleasant!
For I know that the Lord is great,
and that our Lord is above all gods.
Your name, O Lord, endures forever,
your renown, O Lord, throughout all ages.

***A HYMN OF PRAISE #** 138 Nothing but the Blood

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- "At the Table of the Lord"

***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 #** 407 Near the Cross
(Children dismissed for J.A.M. kids – meet leader at sanctuary door)

SERMON- " Worthy of Praise"

HOLY SCRIPTURE LESSON – Psalm 135

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

***THE CLOSING HYMN #** 127 To God Be the Glory

***THE BENEDICTION**

***THE CONGREGATIONAL CLOSING**
God be with you till we meet again;
By His counsel's guide, uphold you,
With His sheep securely fold you;
God be with you till we meet again.

THE POSTLUDE-

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<u>Guest Preacher:</u> Tim Habecker
<u>Head Usher</u>: Don Dougherty
<u>Director of Music Ministry</u>: Donna Fox
<u>Praise Team Director</u>: Jocilyn Csernyik
<u>Director/Family Ministry</u>: Lee Harris
<u>Director/Children's Ministry</u>: Dawn Harris
<u>Sound/Video Technician</u>: Nathan Book
<u>Nursery Attendant</u>: Brenda Miller
<u>Church Secretary</u>: Jaime McCarthy
<u>Church Phone & email:</u> 724-964-8055
newbedfordepchurch@gmail.com

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Please remember in prayer the following persons who are hospitalized, receiving treatments, recuperating at home and those who have requested prayer.
Lavon Rogers------------------------John XXIII Nursing Home
Doris Spence------------------------Ridgecrest of McCandless

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**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

Give Thanks

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***SONGS OF WORSHIP AND PRAISE**

Sing for Joy
Lion of Judah
Almighty

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THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

CLOSING SONG- *Living Hope

***BENEDICTION**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2025

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2025

6:00P.M. Praise Team meets
6:30P.M. Veterans Bible study

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2025

9:00A.M. The Weight Group

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2025

5:00P.M. Awana
5:00P.M. Serving group
6:00P.M. Choir rehearsal
7:00P.M. Bible Study meets
7:15P.M. Handbell Choir rehearsal

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2025

6:30P.M. Worship Committee meets

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2025

8:00A.M. Men's Bible Study

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Please fill out a yellow welcome 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.

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



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New Bedford Garden Club is once again having the fresh Christmas Evergreen Sale. Wreaths, garlands, centerpieces and swags are available to order now and they will arrive before Thanksgiving. The Garden Club non-profit group uses this fundraiser money to plant flowers in the community (including under our Blessing Box) and to donate to our Memorial Day Service and other community causes. The information is on the bulletin board and you can see any Garden Club member to order or call Diane Bell 724 651-2598.

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To everyone that bought candles as part of the youth fundraiser, thank you so much for your support. We wouldn't be able to do what we do in West Virginia without your kindness and generosity.

Also, candles are ready for pickup. All paid orders are filled and available on the table in the vestibule.

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Extra copies of the October Redeeming Times Newsletter are available on the Welcome cart if you don't already receive one. If you would like to receive the newsletter, by email or paper copy, please leave a note on Jaime's desk with your name and email or mailing address.