

# Newsletter

March 16, 2017

## NEW HOPE HILLSIDE

### **This Sunday:**

Bring Your Guitar to Church Day! Or harmonica, drum, keyboard, kazoo, triangle, cow bell, shaky egg, stand up bass... This Sunday is about GOD, looking through the lens of the Grateful Dead - an improvisational, experimental jam band. For this reason, it seems right and good to be experimental, improvisational, and to jam! So bring an instrument! You've been challenged! If no one does it it will be okay, if lots of people do it it will be a little chaotic and a lot of fun. Definitely bring yourself! Sunday, 10:10 am. If you missed last week, here's the sermon video [God's Signature Moves](#).

### **NHH Job Opportunity!**

New Hope Hillside is looking for a Sunday Tech Coordinator (i.e. someone who's into sound and lights and cameras and PowerPoint). The position will include all tech volunteer scheduling, AV planning and coordination, a once a month meeting with pastors, and being onsite 3 out of 4 Sundays per month. This is a paid position (8-10 hours/wk). If you're interested (or know someone who might be) please contact Pastor John [johnvansloten@gmail.com](mailto:johnvansloten@gmail.com) for more details.

### **Church Name Survey**

As part of our ongoing church name change process we'd like to run a few names by you via [this online survey](#). It'll only take a few minutes. **This survey will close on March 17th.** Please feel free to ask a friend who doesn't go to church to take the survey as well (to give us some broader perspective)! Thanks!

### **Listening with the Ears of Our Heart**

You are invited to attend a **five week exploration of the history and practice of Lectio Divina or Spiritual Reading**. We will focus on learning how to listen to the Scriptures with our hearts. The evenings will include discussion, some teaching, practice and reflection. They will be led by Heather Cowie and are offered by New Hope Hillside Church and King's Fold Urban. Join us at NHH on **March 20, 27, April 3 and 10 at 7:30pm**.

### **March 26th Lunch After Church**

Spring training is well underway! The Blue Jays will split the squad on March 26 to play two games, one against the Orioles and one against the Tigers. We are going to split our squad for providing food for Lunch after Church.

Last names    A – I    appetizer, salad, buns or chips  
                  J – R    main dish  
                  S – Z    finger desserts, cheese

Please note: vegetables for dipping and fruit are provided. Gluten free dishes are always welcome. Don't forget your dishes and utensils! For more information or to help with set up and clean up, contact Wendy Dart, [wjldart@telusplanet.net](mailto:wjldart@telusplanet.net).

## **Happenings in Our Community at Large**

### **Employment Support Group**

For people in our communities who may have been recently become unemployed due to the economic downturn. The vision of this group is simple: to enjoy each other's company and support each other's experience regarding unemployment. There is NO angle of offering re-training, economic support, etc. These things might come up as the group gets to know each other and shares ideas about how they have coped with their loss, but the main agenda is simply to listen and share our lives.

**Wednesdays, 7:15 pm, starting March 8th**

@ The Lantern Community Church, 1401 10 Ave SE

<b>Nursery</b>	Kerri B, Claire P, Sophie W	<b>Welcome Team</b>	2 - Wayne S, Annie V
<b>KiDZ PS/K</b>	Alisha E & Michelle G	<b>Set Up Team</b>	2 - Hennie & Engela V, Wilma C
<b>KiDZ Grades 1-3</b>	Amber R	<b>Info Table</b>	Sheri B
<b>KiDZ Grades 4-6</b>	Julie C	<b>Tech Team</b>	Jamie & Jonah B, Petra D, Zaak R