## NHPBC MINISTRIES

Here at NHPBC, our mission is to make disciples. The various ministries in our church all aim to serve that end goal. The shape of our ministries might develop from year to year depending on a number of factors. including the gifts and interests of the people God brings to our church, the willingness of volunteers, the opportunities in our community, and the resources of the church. But the larger focus remains constant --evangelizing the lost and edifying the saints through the gospel. Please prayerfully consider how you might be involved in making disciples to the glory of God!

## NHPBC MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

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## A LETTER FROM PASTOR DOUG

Dear Church Family:

"Improvise, Adapt and Overcome" is the unofficial slogan of the USMC that marks the kind of resilience needed to successfully work through difficult and surprising situations. And I think it stands as an apt slogan to characterize the heart of everyone at New Hyde Park Baptist Church.

This pandemic caught us all by surprise, but it didn't stop us, separate us, or defeat us. With a Philippians 1:6 mindset (He who began a good work in us will carry it on to completion.), the church has improvised, adapted, and gone forward with a determination to overcome the obstacles the pandemic put in our way.

Be completely
humble and
gentle, be patient,
bearing with one
another in love.
Make every effort
to keep the unity
of the Spirit
through the bond
of peace.

- Ephesians 4:2-3



For the past 18 months, the church has remained focused on Christ, the Gospel and loving and serving one another. And it hasn't been easy. These past many months have been filled with challenges-every ministry has had to retreat, regroup, and reengage. But I

have been overwhelmed with thankfulness as I've witnessed the church responding with integrity and a godly resolve. As you read through the ministry reports, you will learn how that happened. I encourage you to read each report prayerfully. Offer up prayers of petition and praise for each ministry and all involved in serving and receiving.

Our plan--all well--is to resume all our ministries in a normal fashion after the summer break. The kick-off we call Rally Day, is scheduled for 9 am on September 19th (the same day our morning service time returns to 10:30). Should it be necessary due to unforeseen circumstances, we will revise those plans--by improvising, adapting and overcoming.

## RALLY DAY

September 19, 2021 9:00am

Regular Schedule Resumes

Sunday Service 10:30am Evening Service TBD

