

# The Week Ahead

<b>Monday Jan 12</b>	Prayer Intercession	7:30 PM
<b>Tuesday Jan 13</b>	Women's Fellowship	9:30 AM
<b>Wednesday Jan 14</b>	Youth Group	6:00 PM
<b>Friday Jan 16</b>	Worship Service	9:30 AM
	Church School	9:30 AM
<b>Saturday Jan 17</b>	Running/Walking Squad	6:00 AM



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## Celebrate with us!

If you wish to host the **After-Service Fellowship** and celebrate your special day with all of us, **please contact Raquel for more details. +973 3531 5178 (WhatsApp)**



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Please contact the Church Office or anyone at the Ahlan Desk if you wish to join Bible Study groups or any of our ministries

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Reynand Omapoy, Gritty Thomas

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Coordinator**  
Latisha Henry



**ENGLISH LANGUAGE CONGREGATION**  
NATIONAL EVANGELICAL CHURCH, BAHRAIN

**Sunday, January 11 2026**

**Preacher**  
Rev. Dr. Blaine Newhouse

**Worship Leader**  
Pranati Borde

**Greeters**  
Ahlan Team

**After Service Intercessors**  
Elders and Deacons

If you are a newcomer,  
please introduce yourself  
at the **Ahlan Desk**.

We'd love to know you  
better, and help you learn  
more about our church  
community



For more information about our church, and how you can be part of our faith community, click on the QR code

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**WELCOME**  
to our worship  
service

We are glad you could  
join us this evening

We are a people who  
love God and love our  
neighbor  
wherever they are

**We are here for you**

**Join us at the courtyard for our  
After-Service Fellowship for snacks  
and refreshments**



**Meet old friends Make new friends**

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Opening Prayer

Pastor Blaine Newhouse

### Opening Hymn

5: Be Exalted, O God

### Hymns of Praise

106: Praise Him, Praise Him (v 1-3)  
92: Love Divine (v 1, 3, 4)  
419: Abide With Me (v 1, 3, 4)  
435: What a Friend We Have (v 1-3)  
477: Stand Up, Stand Up (v 1-4)  
354: Leaning on the Everlasting (v 1-3)

### Scripture: Romans 12: 1

Ada Lee

### Sermon: Discipleship 101

Pastor Blaine Newhouse

### Tithes and Offerings

### Love Offering

Hope Prison Ministry, South Africa

### Ministry Report

Kingdom Kids - Creche

### Doxology and Prayer

### Family Prayer

Condolence  
Birthdays and Anniversaries

### This Week@ELC

### Closing Song

567: Another Year is Dawning (v 1-3)

### Benediction

The **Hymnals** are placed in your pews or can be found in the shelves at the back

The start of a New Year marks the beginning of a **new sermon series** for the next six weeks. **Discipleship 101** looks at what it means to be a disciple of Christ and how it impacts our witness

**Hope Prison Ministry, South Africa** is the focus of this month's **Love Offering**. The ministry's mission is to undo the negative effects of crime through restorative justice programs, counselling and support in life skills.

The **2026 Calendars** are now available at the Ahlan Desk. Do make sure to get your copy after this morning's worship service. I



## Congratulations

We are happy to announce that Miguel and Tania Fernandes are proud parents of a baby boy, **Samuel Moses Fernandes**. He was born on Jan 9, 2026. His birth is an answer to many prayers, and is truly a sign of that scriptural promise - God hears!

## Farewell

On Friday, we bid farewell to **Josy Mendoza** who will be leaving Bahrain for good. She has faithfully served the after-service ministry, and we pray for God's continuing guidance on her onward journey as she returns home to Philippines.

## Condolence

Our prayers are with Raquel Sioco as she and her family mourns the passing of her mother, **Normalinda Ago Luna** on Dec 29, 2025. We pray for God's comforting presence during this time of grief.

## PRAYER POINTS

**The Church** - local, regional and worldwide

**Bahrain** - protection and prosperity

**Mission** - RCA, AMH and Al Raja, Hope Ministry South Africa (Dee Dee)

### Healing for those in our community

Arelis (Back pain) | David (MS) | Raj Govindan (surgery) | Aqeel Hassan (Norelle's husband Osteoporosis) | Charles Jeyaraj | Kasthuri (Sateesh's Mom recovery from heart disease) | Luke Clemens | Zahraa Ali Khudoor (Chemo) | Ivan Coericius (Cancer) | Hema Das (Cancer) | Elnamie O (Cancer) | Cara-Lee (cancer) | Morag Mcleod | Karina Nair (Leukemia) | Roshini Rajan (Cancer) | Jessa Minn Bautista Weinert (Cancer) | Elsie Williams (Cancer)

**Personal needs** - jobs, financial breakthrough, protection of families, salvation of family and friends

**Nations** - peace in war torn countries, refugee crisis, natural calamities, aid organizations

*The prayer concerns are updated on the first week of each month. Do keep us updated on any developments so we can pray earnestly for breakthrough - or praise God for answered prayers*

## BIRTHDAYS

**9** Lydia Wapshaka **10** Georgina Gabriel | Dr. Nitin Kumar | Suzanne Lymon **11** Mark Aagsalud | Loveness Dawson | Daniel Famuyiwa | Shekena Mathew **12** Abhishek Ayinapudi | Birbhadra Das | Tolu Ilesanmi | Dylan Marcelo | Ruhitha Prabhakar **13** Smitha Edwin | Matipaishe Nicole | Dr Richardson Paranandi **14** Ayaan Sagar | Avisha Sagar **15** Upendra Koirala

## ANNIVERSARIES

**15** Riza and Shakil Hashmi

Please contact the Church Office to include or update birthday or anniversary details so we can pray and rejoice with you on this special day.  
Apologies if we missed your name this week – just shows that we need to update our list as well.

If you need **prayers** please come forward and meet elders and deacons after today's worship service