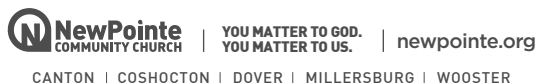


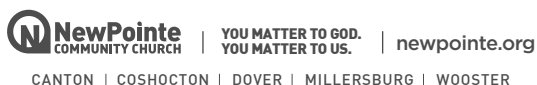
Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.

#### Romans 5:3-5



Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.

#### Galatians 6:9



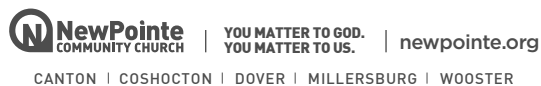
Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all.

#### 2 Corinthians 4:16-17



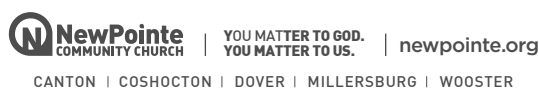
For I am the LORD your God who takes hold of your right hand and says to you, do not fear; I will help you.

#### Isaiah 41:13



"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."

#### John 16:33



Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.

#### James 1:2-4



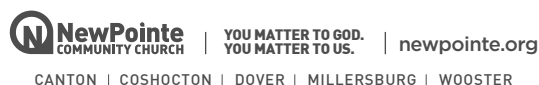
Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

#### Philippians 4:6-7



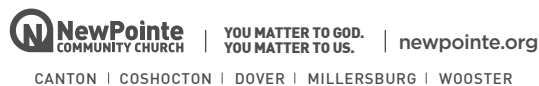
Take delight in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart. Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him and he will do this:

#### Psalms 37:4-5



They disciplined us for a little while as they thought best; but God disciplines us for our good, in order that we may share in his holiness. No discipline seems pleasant at the time, but painful. Later on, however, it produces a harvest of righteousness and peace for those who have been trained by it.

#### Hebrews 12:10-11



What, then, shall we say in response to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?

#### Romans 8:31-32

