

To Know Christ and to Make Him Known

Sunday, February 16, 2020 9:00 & 10:45am

WELCOME

Welcome to New Life. We are a community of those who follow Jesus and, like millions of other followers, we gather on the first day of the week every week to worship our risen Savior and King. We're glad you're with us today and hope you'll join us again.

- Children are welcome to worship with us, but a nursery for infants and toddlers (ground floor, room B06) is available during both services.
- The Sanctuary is located upstairs on the main floor, and restrooms are located on the ground floor.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE Show Us Christ Worship Team Dan Johnson, Leader **CALL TO WORSHIP** Mark Moser, Pastor (9am) Nicholas Black, Director of Shepherding (10:45am) SONGS O Worship the King Great Is Your Faithfulness O My Soul, Arise and Bless Your Maker We Will Feast in the House of Zion **COMMISSIONING THE INDIA TEAM** Mark Moser OFFERING Devon Bradford, Director of College Ministries **ANNOUNCEMENTS MINISTRY UPDATE** Rose Marie Miller TIME OF GREETING SONG Show Us Christ **PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH** Nicholas Black SERMON Discover: Who Was Jesus? Mark Moser Mark 2:18-20 (page 837; Children's Bible page 1214) **RESPONSE** Jesus Messiah

BENEDICTION

Elders are available by the stage for prayer following both services.

TODAY AT NEW LIFE

- Worship services at 9 & 10:45am.
- Fellowship Café in the Fellowship Hall between services.
- Sunday School classes for all ages. See inside for details.
- Connect 18-24 (young adults), 12:30pm in The 109.

MISSIONS UPDATE

Harold and Sarah – serving immigrants and refugees in South East PA.

- 1. We are settling in to our new home.
- 2. We have had good evangelistic opportunities with our neighbors.
- 3. Praise the Lord for new connections with South East Asian Immigrants!
- 4. I (Harold) had a good conversation with an ESL student based on Matthew 5. Pray for more opportunities for gospel friendships with ESL students.
- 5. Pray for open doors for the gospel as we network with other churches and workers who are reaching out in the local immigrant and refugee population.
- Please pray that our teammates (Dan and Janet) will both continue to be clear of 6. cancer.

PRAY FOR OUR COMMUNITY

Prayer for the Whitemarsh/Flourtown/Plymouth Communities

Join us in praying for these communities. Contact Laurel Chapman if interested. laurelannchapman@gmail.com

Prayer for the Abington School District—"Moms in Prayer"

Meets once a month, promptly from 9:30-10:30am. All moms welcome. Weekday or Saturday meetings. Contact Cindy at cindycorabi@gmail.com for dates/locations.

Prayer for the Upper Dublin School District

Meets two Saturday mornings a month from 7:15-8am at 1527 Norristown Rd., Ambler. Coffee always available. Contact taralynnlehman@gmail.com for meeting dates.

Prayer for the Cheltenham School District

Second Monday of the month, 7:30pm at Elcy's (1 West Glenside Ave. at the Glenside Train Station). Contact Nancy Bower. nbower@newlifeglenside.com

Community Outreach Prayer

Thursdays, 9:00am at New Life. Contact Nancy Bower. nbower@newlifeglenside.com

NEW LIFE STAFF

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- staff at 267-528-8637.

ONLINE GIVING

In today's fast-moving world, many have become accustomed to paying for purchases electronically. Did you know that you can make your tithes and offerings to New Life Church electronically, too? You can have your regular giving happen automatically. Choose a weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly time frame-whatever works best in your schedule. Regular periodic giving makes budgeting easier for the church, and automatic electronic giving provides that consistency. If you are out of town for the weekend or forget to write the check the donation is still made. Here are two options on how to give electronically: 1. Use your bank's "Online Bill Pay" system. Most banks have a place to make electronic payments with the option to make it a reoccurring payment.

www.newlifeglenside.com and select the GIVE button at the top right of the home page. You have the option to donate once or to set up a reoccurring contribution schedule. Either debit cards or credit cards can be used for the transaction. Caution: The Session does not think it is good stewardship to increase debt by using credit to contribute to our ministry. When using a credit card the credit card company withholds fees and the service provider charges fees. (You get credit for the full amount of your donation.) Automatic transfers from your bank and checks have the same processing costs. Don't forget to check if your company has a matching contribution benefit. When you sign up to give online you are deciding in advance to faithfully give and trust God's provision; God delights in that kind of faith!

FINANCIAL UPDATE

General Offering

Needed: **Received:**

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

• Prayer Chain: If you have a prayer request or would like to join the prayer chain, contact Linda Woods at lawoods3@gmail.com.

 Join our Facebook Page: "New Life Church in Glenside Facebook Page" http://facebook.com/newlifeglenside

Pastors' Blog: https://newlifeglenside.com/blog/, or www.newlifeglenside.com and select BLOG under the RESOURCES tab.

New Life's Weekly E-News: To receive our weekly e-news, email Greg Raysor at graysor@newlifeglenside.com or sign up at http://eepurl.com/hbCAY

• **Deacons' Cell Phone:** If you have or know of a need, please call our deacon on

• Meals Ministry: If meals are needed, please contact February coordinator Carolyn Ritter at 215-659-6491 or at NewLifeMeals@gmail.com.

• Perpetual Food Drive: Urgent need: canned pasta Place your donations in the cabinet by the Weldon Room.

Food Cupboard Hours: Mon.: 7–7:30pm for New Life families; Tues.: 6:15pm for the community; Thurs.: 1pm for seniors. Hot meals will be served on Tuesdays at 6:15pm; food distribution follows.

New Life Nursery School: Piper Fordham, Director NewLifeNurserySchool@gmail.com, 215-576-0783 www.facebook.com/NewLifeNurserySchool

New Life Thrift Stores—www.newlifethriftinc.org—two locations: 800 N. Easton Rd., Glenside, 215-886-8619 | M-F: 9am-7pm; Sat.: 9am-6pm 67 Cheltenham Ave., Cheltenham, 215-635-0820 | M-F: 9am-6pm; Sat.: 9am-5pm

2. Use the New Life secure website. Go to the New Life website:

This Week \$20,159 \$26,691

Fiscal YTD \$645,088 \$569,519

Average \$20,159 \$17,797

Giving Shortfall

\$75,569

AT NEW LIFE GLENSIDE, WE ARE COMMITTED TO:

- Worshipping God in an accessible and authentic manner
- Preaching, teaching, and believing God's word
- Training for a lifetime of service and spiritual growth •
- Loving one another as God has loved us •
- Serving our local community •
- Sending our people to participate in God's work around the world •
- Praying and relying on God's power

SUNDAY SCHOOL TODAY

For Adults: AdultEd at 9 & 10:45am

9am: The Gospel of Luke: Scenes and Themes

Feb. 16—May 31 | Teachers: Various Seminary Students (future leaders!) We'll start with a scene/passage from Luke during the first half of class, and then examine in depth a specific theme found in the passage during the second half. Bible beginners welcome! Come dive into the Word of God with us. Library (left side, Rm. 119)

10:45am: Heaven and Hell: What Exactly Does the Bible Teach?

Feb. 16 & 23 | Teachers: Steve Ritter (Feb. 16) and John Timlin (Feb. 23) Our Lord Jesus spoke quite a bit about the two places we call heaven and hell. What did he say? What does the rest of the Bible say?" Library (left side, Room 119)

For Youth: StudentLife at 9am

Sr. High—No class today due to the winter retreat. Jr. High (grades 6-8) meets in the Jr. High Room (2nd Floor).

For Children: KidsLife at 9 & 10:45am

BabyLife Nursery: Infants and Toddlers to age 2, (*Room B06, ground floor*) **KidsLife Preschool:** Bumble Bees (ages 2 & 3) - (Room B10, ground floor)

Grasshoppers (ages 4 & 5) - (Room B11, ground floor) KidsLife Elementary (K thru 5th):

- 9am: Children gather in Room B12 (ground floor) at the start of the service. (Parents, please pick up your children promptly after the service.)
- 10:45am: Children worship with parents in the service until dismissed, then proceed to Room B12 (ground floor).

For Young Adults: Connect 18-24 at 12:30pm

For young adults on various paths: college students, career, military, interns-that is, anyone 18-24 is welcome! We'll meet following the second service in The 109 (main floor) to explore God's word together in community. Contact Dave Hopping or Devon Bradford with questions. See email listings under "New Life Staff."

PRAYER AND PRAISE

Pray for our deacons and deaconesses as they meet tomorrow evening. Deacons: Josh Chapman, Ben Cochran, Ed Coley, Bob Custer Jr., Dave Douds, Andy Fordham, John Hagerty, Greg Hargis, Bret Johnson, Jonathan Kratz, Dennis Reidenbach, David Sellers (Chairman), Nelson Shane, Alan Smith, and Joe Vescovich. Deaconesses: Cara Clark, Martha Cochran, Russlyn Cook, Rita Harris, Jeri Johnson, Judi Lemay-Lusk, and Rita Ramos.

Pray for those in our congregation who are undergoing cancer treatment: Miska Brown, Daniel Ho, Kris Reidenbach, Rick Warner

THIS WEEK AT NEW LIFE

Monday, 2/17

8:00am: Justice Prayer Meeting Food Cupboard Closed 7:00pm: Teen Theater Arts Class 7:00pm: Deacons' Meeting

Tuesday, 2/18

8:30am: Tuesday AM Fellowship 10:30am: Staff Meeting Food Cupboard Closed 7:00pm: ESL Classes

Wednesday, 2/19

9:30am: Women's Bible Study 7:00pm: Women's Bible Study 7:00pm: KidsLife Clubs

Thursday, 2/20

9:00am: Community Prayer Meeting Food Cupboard Closed 7:00pm: ESL Classes 7:00pm: Building Information Meeting India Team Departs

HIGHLIGHTS

TAKE FIVE: GET TO KNOW US—Five Sundays beginning February 23, 9am

Want to know more about New Life? You are invited to this class to learn who we are, what we do, and why we do it. Led by Nicholas Black and others. See today's bulletin insert for more information and to sign up.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH—Next Sunday, February 23, 12:30pm

Come to the Fellowship Hall after the second service, enjoy a free lunch, and spend time in fellowship with your church family. If you're new to New Life, you are especially invited! If you have dietary restrictions, bring a bag lunch and join us. Donations to defray costs will be gladly accepted, but they're not required. The Building Information Meeting will follow at 1pm; please stay for this important update.

BUILDING INFORMATION MEETINGS

Thursday, Feb. 20 at 7pm and Sunday, Feb. 23 at 1pm

What's going on with the building project? At this point we are scheduling a meeting with Abington Township's engineering and zoning department to verify their requirements for the project. The architect, Todd Phillippi, is working on the building design and is continuing to refine it to reduce the scope and price estimates. Deferred maintenance projects are being detailed and estimated. When we have the information from the township and architect we can develop the timeline. We are also talking with lenders to understand the process to fund the project. There are many things to do to develop the scope of work and financing, but we are expecting to have many of those answers by these February meetings. If you have any questions that you would like answered please forward them to Greg Raysor at graysor@newlifeglenside.com.

MARCH COMMUNITY WORSHIP NIGHT—Friday, March 6, 7pm in The 109

Friday night worship and fellowship in the 109 is back for 2020! We're gathering at the end of the work week to raise a song to the Lord and to spend time in community. We'll meet at 7pm and start worship by 7:30, with some fellowship time and food before and after. Bring a snack to share and invite your people out!

Friday, 2/21

6:00am: Men's Prayer Meeting 6:00am: Women's Bible Study 6:30pm: Jr. High Night

Saturday, 2/22

6:30am: Men's Ministry 7:00am: Women's Prayer Meeting

Sunday, 2/23

7:50am: Prayer Meeting 9:00am: Worship Service, Sunday School 10:45am: Worship Service, Sunday School 12:30pm: Fellowship Lunch 1:00pm: Building Information Meeting

LOOKING AHEAD

NEW LIFE NURSERY SCHOOL CLOTHING SWAP—Saturday, March 7, 9am-Noon It's not too early to think Spring by going through your closets and play equipment to see if there is anything you don't need or use anymore. The Clothing Swap needs it! The swap works like this: you bring anything that you don't need to New Life Church on March 7 (but the sooner the better so we can start to sort stuff). Then on Saturday, March 7 for a \$10 donation to the school, you can swap out what you don't need for as much as you would like to take home. Anything left over goes to help local ministries, and the donations go to improving our school. Please invite everyone you think would have fun or would benefit!

COMING DATES FOR INFANT BAPTISMS

The next dates for infant baptisms will be March 22 and May 24. If you are a member of New Life Church and would like your infant baptized, please contact Martha Kepple at mkepple@newlifeglenside.com.

SAVE THE DATE! WOMEN'S WEEKEND 2020—May 1-3 at Harvey Cedars Relationships, Desires, and Disappointments: Gospel Hope and Help Speaker: Ellen Dykas, Women's Ministry Coordinator for Harvest USA

Ever felt disappointed by someone? Ever had deep desires thwarted over and over again? The heartache of these common experiences are tough to navigate emotionally, and sometimes difficult to understand spiritually. If God gives us desires, then why don't we get what we want when it's not sinful things we're craving? And if God's desire is that we'd have loving and satisfying relationships, then why do they seem to be so hard? This retreat delves into these tough topics, seeking to provide biblical encouragement for the amazing ways that God uses desires and disappointments as both a gift and a trial. Through Jesus Christ, our desires, disappointments and relationships are transformed into pathways which draw us closer to him, and propel us to love people from a free and whole heart. For more info, pick up a brochure at the Welcome Center in the lower lobby or visit newlifeglenside.com and click on the "Connect" menu.

THANK YOU

Dear NLG family, G and M

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We just wanted to express our deepest thanks to the group that gathered Sunday during Adult Ed to pray for us! We are humbled and so grateful. We were equally encouraged by Nicholas Black's sermon challenging us to go deeper in prayer which transforms us as well as the people for whom we are praying. Hearing how you all have been focused on being His witnesses has spurred us on!! We are doing the same here..."praying, seeing what's holding us back, repenting and refocusing on His call to be witnesses." Through this grand endeavor, we are together knowing a bit more of Our Father's massive heart of love for us and His world.

Upcoming Sermon Series: FOR SKEPTICS, BEGINNERS, AND STRUGGLERS Sundays, February 16-May 31

nversations: Jesus Engages Real People Fame: Why Was Jesus a Rock Star? (Mark 3:1-12)

Mark Moser Mark Moser