



# New Life

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - PCA

To Know Christ  
and to Make Him Known

Sunday, January 7, 2024  
8:30 & 11:00am  
(11:00am livestream)

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

**PRELUDE** *What Glory Now Our Eyes Have Seen* Worship Team,  
Diane Wassenar, Leader

**CALL TO WORSHIP** Psalm 115:1 Mark Moser, Pastor

**SONGS** *Come People of the Risen King*  
*King of Glory*  
*Lord for Your Glory*

**OFFERING & ANNOUNCEMENTS** Ben Thompson, Assistant Pastor

**50th YEAR ANNIVERSARY ANNOUNCEMENT** Mark Moser

**TIME OF GREETING**

**SONG** *Make Us One*

**PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH** Vince Pellerito, Elder

**SERMON** Mark Moser  
The First Thing on Jesus' Mind When He Prayed  
John 17

**RESPONSE** *A Christian's Daily Prayer*

**BENEDICTION**

To God be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus,  
throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen  
~ Ephesians 3:21

New Life Presbyterian Church, 467 N. Easton Road, Glenside, PA 19038-4999

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Office Hours: Tuesday—Friday, 9:00am-2:00pm

## CONNECTIONS

- **Food Cupboard Hours:** Mon.: 7–7:30pm for New Life families; Tues.: 6:00pm for the community; Thurs.: 1:00pm for seniors
- **Diaconal Assistance:** The deacons are here to help with financial struggles and practical needs. Contact the Deacon Coordinator at ext. 109 or [deaconcrd@newlifeglenside.com](mailto:deaconcrd@newlifeglenside.com)
- **Join our Facebook Page:** "New Life Church in Glenside Facebook Page"  
<http://facebook.com/newlifeglenside>
- **Meals Ministry:** If meals are needed due to illness, a new baby, etc., please contact January coordinator Carolyn Ritter at [NewLifeMeals@gmail.com](mailto:NewLifeMeals@gmail.com).
- **New Life Nursery School:** 215-576-0783, Janel Fackler, Director  
[NewLifeNurserySchool@gmail.com](mailto:NewLifeNurserySchool@gmail.com); [www.facebook.com/NewLifeNurserySchool](http://www.facebook.com/NewLifeNurserySchool)
- **New Life's Weekly E-News:** To receive our weekly e-news, email Dan Johnson at [nlgdjohnson@gmail.com](mailto:nlgdjohnson@gmail.com) or sign up at <http://eepurl.com/hbCAY>
- **New Life Thrift Stores—**[www.newlifethriftinc.org](http://www.newlifethriftinc.org)  
**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-7pm; Sat.: 9am-6pm  
**The Boutique, 758 N. Easton Rd., Glenside,** 215-886-1099, M-Sat.: 10am-6pm
- **Prayer Chain:** If you have a prayer request or would like to join the prayer chain to pray for others, contact Linda Woods.
- **Perpetual Food Drive:** *Current needs: crackers, canned meats, peanut butter, jelly*  
Please do not donate perishable foods. Place your donation in the Food Cupboard cabinet by the Weldon Room. Thank you!

### PLEASE REMEMBER:

- If you're sick, please join us online from home while you're not feeling well and we'll look forward to seeing you again in person when you're better.
- Our 11:00am Sunday service is recorded and broadcast over the internet each week for those who are unable to attend in person.

## STAFF CONTACTS

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### HAVE YOU CHECKED IN?

Please remember to stop by the Welcome Desk in the Lobby and sign in. Thank you!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **CHURCH POTLUCK (SMORGAS-LUNCH!)—Today, 12:15pm**

Bring food to share and join our church family at this lunchtime potluck after the second service. If your last name begins with A-J, bring a side dish, and those beginning with K-Z, bring a main dish. If you're new to New Life, please stay—we'd like to get to know you! If you don't "cook," come help with setup or cleanup.

### **RACIAL UNITY MINISTRY—Next Meeting Tuesday, January 9, 7:00pm**

The meeting will be held in person in The Gallery. Contact Kurt Wood for more information. Join us as we discern, pray and implement together Galatians 3:26-29 at New Life so that we best express the love of Jesus to all ethnic and minority groups here and in our broader community.

### **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY—Resumes Wed., January 10, 9:30am & 7:00pm**

*Slaves Set Free: A Study of the Book of Exodus*

Please join us, even if you missed the first half of our study! At this first meeting of the new year, Kim Monroe will present a lecture recapping what we've learned so far. Meeting options are Wednesdays at 9:30am and 7:00pm, Fridays at 6:00am, and Sundays at 9:50am. Questions? Contact Diane Marsh.

**A Wednesday morning childcare lead supervisor is needed. Contact Diane for details.**

### **RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE—Monday, January 15, 2:00-7:00pm**

Our next blood drive is just around the corner. Sign up online at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) using the sponsor code "NLP Glenside." Questions? Contact Cara Ternes.

### **SeniorLife POTLUCK – Sunday, January 21, 12:15pm**

If you're 60+, join us! After lunch, Mary Blake will help us "shape up" for 2024. We will also hear updates from our various SeniorLife committees and provide opportunities to participate. If you don't cook, we are looking for volunteers to help clean up after the luncheon. Contact Hilary Kratz with questions or for more info.

### **SeniorLife BOOK CLUB (for those age 60+)—begins Saturday, February 3**

You are cordially invited to join a NEW book club at the Oelschlegels' home in Mt. Airy. We will start at 5pm with a potluck and then critique the book 'News of the World' by Paulette Jiles. Want more information or need the address? Contact Barb Oelschelegel to let her know you're interested!

### **COMMUNITY GROUPS NOW FORMING**

Community Groups are small gatherings of 10-12 people who meet in homes throughout the week for Bible study, prayer, and fellowship. If you are not a part of a Community Group but would like to be, now's the time to join! See the back of today's bulletin insert for the current list of groups. You may contact any of the leaders listed, or send Ben Thompson an email indicating your interest, and he will help you get connected. [bthompson@newlifeglenside.com](mailto:bthompson@newlifeglenside.com)

### **WELCOME DESK GREETER NEEDED**

Can you help the first Sunday of every month from 8:10 to 8:45am? The tasks include: sign people in using the electronic attendance pad, greet people, welcome newcomers, and provide directions. A smile and willingness to help is all you need. Training on the computer provided. Get to know your church family! Contact Greg Raysor at [nlgbusinessmgr@gmail.com](mailto:nlgbusinessmgr@gmail.com) to offer your help. If you can't commit to this time but would prefer another, contact Greg and let's discuss. We would like to see the Welcome Team grow!

### **NEW SECURITY/ASSISTANCE TEAM**

We have formed a security and assistance team that will be available on Sundays during the first and second services. We have noticed the emptiness of the older part of our church building since we moved into the new Sanctuary and started a Sunday School hour between services. So, we felt it would be wise to walk around and patrol those areas when there is little foot traffic. In addition, we felt it was necessary to have people available to answer questions about New Life, or to offer help in case any assistance is needed – a particular help to visitors and folks who are newer to the church. Reach out to Josh Chapman if you have any questions.

## FINANCIAL UPDATE

### **GENERAL OFFERING 12/31/23**

	<b>This Week</b>	<b>Fiscal YTD</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>+ / (-) YTD</b>
<b>Needed:</b>	\$18,205	\$476,364	\$17,643	
<b>Received:</b>	\$31,704	\$478,870	\$17,736	\$ 2,506

### **ROOMS FOR PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN**

**Children are welcome** to worship with us, but in case they're needed we have:

- **A Nursery** for infants and toddlers (ground floor, room G10) during both services
- **A New Mothers' Room**—for Moms with young babies. Exit the rear Sanctuary doors and turn right. There is a changing table in there. Please knock before entering.
- **A Family Room**— for Dads with babies or parents who want to continue to practice sitting through the service with their children. We understand that some weeks might be harder than others to keep your children in the Sanctuary - this room is for you. Head down the stairs and turn right.