

# Worship @ New Life Church

October 20, 2024 9:30am

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**Communication Card** – Everyone is invited to complete a card and place it in the offering basket near the entrance or hand it to Pastor George or an Elder Team member. Cards and pens are in the seat pockets. ALSO, if you have a prayer request, note it on the card.

**Children's Worship Packets** are available at the lobby entrance with items to help busy minds & hands during worship

**Cry Room** – Located at the left rear of the sanctuary (& off the lobby), this is available for families with young ones who are restless. There is a speaker to enable you to hear worship.

**Nursery is available** for infants - 3 years during worship.

**Sunday School** - Children 4 – 12th grade (8-12 2nd & 4th Sundays only) begin in worship and depart for Sunday School after Children's Time. You may take your child to the nursery following "Children's Time" or prior to worship.

## Special Music

*Your Love, O Lord*

## Welcome & Prayer

### \*Singing

*Your Grace is Enough*

### Baptism

**Ava Marie Monzyk**

**Parents:** Jon & Sarah Monzyk

**Sibling:** Evelyn

## Offering & Announcements

### A Time for Our Young People

*"The Greatest Gift of All"*

### \*Singing

*Broken Vessels*

### Message

*"Questions Jesus Asked... About Grace"*

Based on Matthew 20:1-15 & Luke 15:11-32

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### \*Closing Song

*This is Amazing Grace*

### \*Closing Prayer

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**The Prayer Team will be available to pray for you, for challenges you are facing, or for someone you know. Join with a prayer team member for prayer at the front as worshippers are exiting.**

## We Aim to help You take Your next Step with Jesus

**Mission Statement:** "To make disciples of Jesus who make disciples"

**Vision Statement:** "To be a welcoming and growing community of believers"

**KINGDOM BUILDING CONTINUES... "Inspired by Talents"** returns for a 2<sup>nd</sup> year - live music, silent auction raffles, games, food, etc. Thurs. Nov. 7, 4-9pm (Tickets are \$10 in advance, \$15/at the door) at McKelvey Vineyards (8901 Highway YY New Haven, MO 63068). Every ticket is entered for a drawing for a one-night stay in Steeple View Manor at McKelvey Vineyards, a \$750 value. Tickets available at McKelvey Vineyards. All proceeds benefit Exceptional Equestrians. For more information see Vickie Price, our Facebook Page or the Flyer in the lobby.

**Freeing Up Parking Spaces** – as God continues to build His Kingdom through New Life Church, one way those who are able to walk a distance can help is by parking along the nearby streets to free up parking lot spaces. Since our parking fills before our building, this will allow more people to worship.

### Upcoming Dates:

**Growth Groups**- connect with God & Others. See sign up sheets for locations.

**Coffee & Christ Youth Gathering**- 2nd & 4th Fridays, NLC Youth Room.

**Family Fun Club**, after worship Nov. 3 (for elementary age youth and their family)

**CHURCH WORKDAY**- Saturday, November 9, 8am Sing Up In Lobby

**Ladies Night Out**- Tuesday, November 12, LL of NLC

**Youth Winter Xtreme event in Branson** – December 27-29. Sign up in lobby.

**Prayer Requests** – can be emailed to: prayer@newlifechurchmo.org or submitted through the NLC website. Those victimized by Hurricanes Helene & Milton; Clarence Witherbee-recovering from receiving pacemaker; Tom Ehlers-recent seizure; Gary Goza-battling cancer; Tom Maner's Fiance, Shawn, chemo; Madelyn Gray-6mo Premie-pray for God's hand guiding her adoption; Full prayer list in weekly email.

**Growth Groups**- Be sure to check out one of the following Fall session groups. Try out one of the Growth Groups listed below to strengthen your connection with God & Others. Choose from three different types of groups each with a specific focus: Prayer, Bible Study or a back to Basics of the Christian Faith. This last topic will utilize (from Right Now Media), What Is a Christian?, by Francis Chan-Ask any group what it means to be a Christian, and we will hear different answers. In this six-session series, Francis Chan will lead us in an exploration of key concepts common to all Christians through the centuries. No matter what divides us, we are united by these truths about the God we worship and our relationship with him. Sign up in the lobby. **Mondays**, 6:30-8pm, "Christian Basics", @Ryan & Megan Seamon's, Jim Tucker: Facilitator; **Mondays**, 5:45-7pm, "Prayer", @New Life Church Lobby, Gather with others to share in fellowship, grow in your understanding of Prayer, and pray with other like-minded Christians, Jean Webb: Facilitator; **Tuesdays**, 5:30-8pm, "Christian Basics", Light Supper @ 5:30pm, @ Jon & Sarah Monzyk's, Larry Brew: Facilitator; **Wednesdays**, 6:30-8pm, "Christian Basics", @ Carrie Maune's, Carrie Maune: Facilitator; **Wednesdays**, 6:30-8pm, "Christian Basics", @Mary & John Day's, Jim Tucker: Facilitator; **Sundays**, 10:45-11:45am; "Bible Study" in LL Classroom, Jim Tucker: Facilitator SIGN UP IN THE LOBBY

**To stay informed** on happenings at New Life, be sure to LIKE our NLC Facebook Page. To be added to our email list, sign up on our website: NewLifeChurchMO.org

**OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS:** 1-Kevin Ruether 2-Kay Hilkerbaumer, Mark Schiller 3-John Day  
4-Lisa Bollmann 5-Carol Arnold 6-Corbin Gildehaus 8-Celeste Schriefer  
13-Madison Straatmann 16-Chuck Eichmeyer, Drew Post 19-Haley Engemann  
21-Lisa Tucker 26-Kinsey Bakameyer

**OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES:** 4-Glenn & Yvonne Ridder 5-Ryan & Megan Seamon  
15-Chuck & Danielle Eichmeyer 21-Kevin & Debbie Ruether 28-Mike & Kay Hilkerbaumer  
If a (family) member's birthday/anniversary is missing please help us update our records)

**Finances: Keeping You Updated on our Church Budget (7/1/24-6/30/25)**

NLC Budget Needs to Date = \$48,690

NLC Budget Giving to Date = \$49,0398

***Thank You for making a difference through your faithful stewardship & generosity!***

If you prefer, see the ONLINE GIVING PORTAL at: [www.NewLifeChurchMO.org](http://www.NewLifeChurchMO.org).

Questions? Contact Chris Marquart [chris\\_marquart@hotmail.com](mailto:chris_marquart@hotmail.com) or 636.259.6364

**Operation Christmas Child (OCC)** Shoeboxes will be available in the lobby October 20 before or after worship. Be sure to sign out your boxes today & a label for "boy" or "girl" & packing guidelines at the lobby table. These children need the BASIC gifts as well as school supplies. ANOTHER OPTION OCC is offering is to build your box online. You get to pick male/female, age range, as well as a "WOW" item, 3 toys, and 2 accessories. Each box automatically gets hygiene and school supplies. Click on the OCC Banner on the New Life Church website to "build a box" online. Return shoeboxes by November 17. For more info please contact Elizabeth - [eamarqua@hotmail.com](mailto:eamarqua@hotmail.com). THANK YOU! OCC is a part of Samaritan's Purse ([www.samaritanspurse.org](http://www.samaritanspurse.org)).

**Check out our online library** of Bible Studies, Conferences, etc. @ RightNow Media(RNM). For access, send an email to [george@NewLifeChurchMO.org](mailto:george@NewLifeChurchMO.org) with RNM in the subject line and an access link will be sent to you.

**The Grace Course** - an 8-session study that will help you immerse yourself in God's grace and connect with it in your heart, not just your head. Includes The Steps To Experiencing God's Grace to help you resolve barriers to grace. Discover how grace frees you from: joyless religion, a low-grade fever of guilt, being defined by your past feeling unable to say no, thinking you're not enough.

**The Wonder of Grace**, by Sidhara Udalagama- Christians talk a lot about grace – but what is it, really? Does God give it to everyone? And if so, what difference does it make in our lives?

In this eight-part series, Sidhara invites you to explore and embrace the astonishing, counterintuitive, transformational power of God's grace, and so make your life count for Jesus.

**Grace is Greater**, by Kyle Idleman- We've all experienced failures, bitterness, or setbacks.

We carry unseen burdens that rob us of joy, keep us from praying, and even cause us to doubt God. Bestselling author and pastor, Kyle Idleman, and the award-winning media team at City on a Hill want to remind us that God's grace is greater. Even when it doesn't make sense. Even when it doesn't feel fair. God's grace covers everything we've done. And the best way (perhaps the only real way) to understand it, is to experience it. Grace is Greater will remind you that no sin is so great, no bitterness so deep that God's grace cannot transform your heart and rewrite your story.