



# New Life Christian Community

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come." <sup>2 Cor 5:17</sup>

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## Ministry Highlight

Thank you in advance for your support of the Building & Grounds (B&G) team!

Do you enjoy facilities that are safe, pleasant, accessible, and smooth-running? No doubt, the answer is a resounding "Yes!"; and not only do you enjoy this level of comfort, but you expect it.

It probably is no surprise that a lot of work, as well as financial resources, occur behind-the-scenes, in order to meet your expectations. There are a few dedicated individuals on the B&G team that commit themselves to this God-honoring work, while the financial part is provided by the members of New Life via your giving (general offerings).

Speaking about those financial resources, good stewardship by those who oversee B&G, and by those who perform the work, safeguards your financial contributions; in a sense, providing the most bang for the buck. Large (capital) expenses; e.g.: parking lot paving, roof replacement, are budgeted; i.e.: we have a savings account where we regularly set aside funds. Our roof is at or near its life expectancy, and a replacement could cost upwards of \$150,000.

There are lots of opportunities; some planned, some otherwise. When things are running smoothly, activities are generally proactive; i.e.: planned. An example of this would include such things as filter changes.

But emergencies (building alarm, no heat, no hot water, roof leaks) are not anticipated, and must be addressed with urgency; i.e.: they can't be delayed. For example, last winter, one dedicated individual was on our snow-covered roof multiple times tending to one of the rooftop heating units! (Fortunately, the current "non-winter" has made such activities unnecessary.) In any event, the better we are at planning, and the more volunteers we have, the fewer emergencies.

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## Ministry Highlight cont.

There are lots of opportunities to get involved, from plumbing to general cleanup. We certainly could use more helpers; those who step in to fill vacancies (ex: someone to perform “preventive maintenance” tasks); and those who can serve as back-ups, to relieve some of the demand on the “regulars” (ex: plumbing, HVAC).

Do you have a skill that the Lord wants you to use to help in this ministry? If so, please contact:

Jim Judkins, Building & Grounds Lead, 715-338-8837 (text is fine; contact info also at top of Ministry Directory section of the Newsletter)

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*welcome*

If you are a visitor this morning or have only been coming to New Life for a few months we are glad you are joining with us! If you would like to learn more about New Life be sure to stop by the Resource Center in the front foyer to pick up a welcome bag we have for you. In addition, you're invited to join us for our meal after service. We would love to meet you and get to know and for you to get to know us more.

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*Resource Center*

Looking for a good book to give as a gift or thinking of starting a bible study? Check out our resource center and ask the resource ministry team for some good suggestions. In addition to good books for both adults and children, there are also music CD's, DVD documentaries, bible concordance, systematic theology books, and much more. Take a look today after service.

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## Check out New Life Online

[newlifechristiancommunity.org](http://newlifechristiancommunity.org)

### This Week's Schedule of Events

Mon	Prayer Night/Barton's-	6:30 pm
Tues	Men's Bible Study-	6:30 am
Wed	Every Man's Battle-	6:00 am
Wed	Immerse-	6:15 pm
Thurs	Men's Bible Study-	6:30 am
Thurs	Ladies Bible Study-	10:30 am
Thurs	Ladies Bible Study-	Noon
Thurs	Ladies Study-	6:30 pm
Thurs	GriefShare-	6:30 pm

(Adults & Youth meet separately)

### Meal Teams

4/14 Meal Team 4

4/21 Meal Team 5

Contact *Barbara Judkins* if interested in joining a meal team.

### Fellowship Tip for April

Spring is often a time where we get the itch to do a project around the home or get creative in the kitchen. Consider asking a brother or sister to join you and use everyday life activities as a way to build deeper relationships with one another bringing Jesus into each conversation.

### April Memory Verse

"Let not your heart envy sinners, but continue in the fear of the LORD all the day. Surely there is a future, and your hope will not be cut off." Proverbs 23:17-18

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## Announcements.

**Genesis Study** this week @ the Barton Home! 6:30pm: 2489 Beede Lake Trail, Saint Croix Falls.

**Men's Retreat:** Last call for men's retreat registrations for this coming Friday and Saturday. Check-in begins @ 5:30pm Friday night, dinner at 6:30pm and first teaching is 7:30pm. Any questions talk to Pastor Paul.



## New Life Connect

...so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another."

New Life Christian Community has a secure online community designed to engage the body of Christ in between Sundays. If you would like to be part of this online community, please send an email (see emails to the left) to one of the pastors. They would be glad to set you up with an account. All you need is an active email address.

## Meal Team Ministry

Are you looking for a way to use your talents or time to serve God?

Consider joining a Sunday Meal Team.

If interested, please,

Contact: Barbie Judkins (309) 269-0556,

Barb Manship (612) 804-9793 or

Rosie Swisher (763) 458-1261

## Today's Passage



# Jesus

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According to Samuel

Pastor Tony will be teaching from  
the book of Samuel.

Our passage for today is 1 Samuel 21:10-22:2.

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