

February 9, 2025



New Life Church Welcomes Our Guests Today!

New Life Church is a friendly community Where Jesus and His Word are Exalted! It is a real blessing to have you visiting with us today. We love welcoming and connecting with people in our community.

If you and/or your family are first-time guests at New Life Church, please complete the attached Connect Card. Each first-time guest family that completes and submits the Connect Card will receive a Gift Bag from our NLC Family.

Visit the Welcome Table following the worship service to submit your Connect Card and receive your Gift Bag. Members of the Welcome Team will be available to answer any questions you may have about New Life Church.

Our NCC family looks forward to meeting you and getting to know you!



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How did you hear about New Life Church?

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have a <u>PRAYER REQUEST</u> that I would like to share with the (circle all that apply): Congregation Pastor Staff
I Would Like The Pastor To Contact M

Praying For Our Pastor Search

Thank you for taking the time to use this prayer guide. We know this is a time of great importance in our church's history and praying is the most important thing all of us can do. We have been given the opportunity to seek God's face and ask for His wisdom in determining whom He is calling to be the next Pastor at New Life Church.

As we go through this process, we will be providing a monthly prayer guide. What is important is your time with the Lord. It does not matter what it looks like, when you do it, or where you meet with Him. It just matters that at some point everyday, you pray.

The goal of our times of prayer is to seek God's direction and wisdom in a unified effort. Each day, you will find a specific prayer request. Praying as a congregation will keep us focused and unified as we grow individually in our intimacy with Christ. As we pray for the church, the next pastor, and the Pastor Search Team, we also encourage you to ask God to clearly reveal His vision and next steps for your life and the ministry He wants to use you in. Through this, we hope you will be able to see what He sees, go where He is leading, and join Him where He is working.

Also, we encourage you to team up with your family, a small group, or a few friends to join you in this journey. It will be beautiful to experience these months of prayer with your brothers and sisters in Christ. It is our hope that those of you who have children will involve them in this prayer process as well. If our children can understand the power of prayer in their lives now, it will have a lasting effect on their lives as adults.

Thank you for praying as we seek wisdom and discernment of God's will. James 5:16 states, "The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." With this in mind, we need to be right with God and come to Him with a clean conscience so that our prayers are not hindered. Begin your prayer time with praise, gratitude, and confession.

Buckle up! God, get us ready to do what only You can do.

Kirk Zuercher Prayer Coordinator

February 2025

Search Team & Church Leadership

Pastoral Search Team Members: Jeff Lundeen, Kirk Zuercher, Pam Conrad, Dan Davis, Rachel Maurer, Sarah Samek

- **Feb 1** Pray the search team and church leadership will serve as unto the Lord.
- **Feb 2** It's Sunday! Pray for our church family as we come together today to worship our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.
- **Feb 3** Pray for the individual spiritual care of the search team and church leadership taking time to care for their personal spiritual growth in the midst of busy lives.
- **Feb 4** Pray for the search team to have wisdom to seek God every step of the way.
- **Feb 5** Pray for NL Moore as they prepare the documentation to be presented in regard to the health assessment of New Life that came out of the CAT surveys.
- **Feb 6** Pray that the search team and church leadership will hold onto the hope and faith that God is moving and will provide the pastor New Life needs.
- **Feb 7** Pray for the search team as they meet with NL Moore to go over the assessment from the CAT surveys that were completed.

Pastor Ronnie & Beverly

- **Feb 8** pray that Pastor Ronnie will continue to shepherd New Life Church, which Christ has purchased with His own blood, as the Holy Spirit enables him.
- **Feb 9** It's Sunday! Pray for Pastor Ronnie today as he brings the next message in 1 Peter. May he preach God's Word with boldness and clarity.
- **Feb 10** Pray that Pastor Ronnie and Beverly's love for the church and the church family will continue to grow.
- **Feb 11** Pray for Pastor Ronnie and Beverly's physical, spiritual, and emotional health during this transition. May they continue to remain strong in all three areas.
- **Feb 12** Pray that Pastor Ronnie and Beverly would be encouraged during this season of transition.
- **Feb 13** Pray that Pastor Ronnie would have all his questions answered sufficiently as he reaches out to NL Moore from time to time during this process.
- **Feb 14** Pray that Pastor Ronnie will continue to have the strength, perseverance, and energy as he leads us in the hallways of life.

Church Family

- **Feb 15** Pray that we would remain focused on the certainty of Scripture and prayer during these times that feel uncertain.
- **Feb 16** It's Sunday! Pray that we would fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith.
- **Feb 17** Pray God's blessing on our church and the financial stability of New Life Church.
- **Feb 18** Pray for the pastor search team and for NL Moore as they finalize the Candidate profile and Church profile.
- **Feb 19** Pray that there would be a spirit of peace, cooperation, and patience in the midst of this process.
- **Feb 20** Pray that each one of us would maintain a prayerful, expectant, and Christ-centered heart.
- **Feb 21** Pray for the physical, spiritual, and emotional health of our church family during this transition.

Future Pastor & His Family

- **Feb 22** God knows who our next pastor is. Pray that God would go ahead of us in this process to make the path clear for our next pastor.
- **Feb 23** It's Sunday! Pray that our next pastor will have a wise and discerning heart as he boldly preaches God's Word today.
- **Feb 24** Pray that God would stir their heart and mind to respond to the opportunity when that time comes.
- **Feb 25** Pray that our next pastor will be encouraged where they are currently serving and will be encouraged when they go through this process with NL Moore and New Life Church.
- **Feb 26** Pray for the physical, emotional, and spiritual health for our next pastor and his family.
- **Feb 27** Pray that God would be at work even now preparing out next pastor to lead our congregation in the future.
- **Feb 28** Pray that our next pastor will be sensitive to the Holy Spirit's leading where he currently serves and in all his communication with NL Moore and our search team in the future.

ALC'S 2025 TALENT

Performance Ideas:
singing, dancing
lip syncing, instrument
arts & crafts
poetry reading
magic tricks

22 AT 6:30 PM New Life Church Gymnasium

Show us what you've got and grab your chance to shine on stage! Open to **ALL** ages!

Performances should be limited to 3-5 minutes

REGISTER BY FEBRUARY 16



NEW LIFE CHURCH

PRESENTS



SHOWTIMES

MARCH 8

1:00PM & 2:30PM



Pre-Registration Required

















Holy Forever

Verse 1

A thousand generations falling down in

To sing the song of ages to the Lamb And all who've gone before us And all who will believe Will sing the song of ages to the Lamb

Pre-Chorus

(Jesus) Your name is the highest Your name is the greatest Your name stands above them all All thrones and dominions All powers and positions Your name stands above them all

Chorus 1

And the angels cry Holy All creation cries Holy You are lifted high Holy Holy forever

Verse 2

If you've been forgiven and if you've been redeemed

Sing the song forever to the Lamb If you walk in freedom and if you bear His

Sing the song forever to the Lamb We'll sing the song forever and amen

Chorus 1

And the angels cry Holy All creation cries Holy You are lifted high Holy Holy forever

Chorus 2

Hear Your people sing Holy To the King of Kings Holy You will always be Holy Holy forever

Pre-Chorus X2

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Chorus 2

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Tag

You will always be Holy Holy forever

Holy Holy Holy

Verse 1

Holy holy holy Lord God Almighty
Early in the morning our song shall rise
to Thee
Holy holy Merciful and mighty

God in three Persons blessed Trinity

Verse 2

Holy holy holy
All the saints adore Thee
Casting down their golden crowns
Around the glassy sea
Cherubim and seraphim falling down
before Thee
Who was and is and evermore shall be

Verse 3

Holy holy though the darkness hide Thee

Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see

Only Thou art holy there is none beside Thee

Perfect in power in love and purity

Verse 4

Holy holy holy Lord God Almighty All Thy works shall praise Thy name In earth and sky and sea Holy holy holy merciful and mighty God in three Persons blessed Trinity

The Heart Of Worship

Verse 1

When the music fades all is stripped away And I simply come

Longing just to bring something that's of worth

That will bless Your heart

Pre-Chorus

I'll bring You more than a song
For a song in itself is not what You have required
You search much deeper within
Through the way things appear
You're looking into my heart

Chorus

I'm coming back to the heart of worship
And it's all about You all about You Jesus
I'm sorry Lord for the thing I've made it
When it's all about You all about You Jesus

Verse 2

King of endless worth no one could express
How much You deserve
Though I'm weak and poor all I have is
Yours
Ev'ry single breath

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Chorus X2

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Good Good Father

Verse 1

I've heard a thousand stories Of what they think You're like But I've heard the tender whisper Of love in the dead of night You tell me that You're pleased And that I'm never alone

Chorus

You're a Good Good Father It's who You are It's who You are It's who You are And I'm loved by You It's who I am It's who I am It's who I am

Verse 2

I've seen many searching for answers Far and wide But I know we're all searching for answers Only You provide Because You know just what we need Before we say a word

Chorus

You're a Good Good Father It's who You are It's who You are It's who You are And I'm loved by You It's who I am It's who I am It's who I am

Bridge X2

You are perfect in all of Your ways You are perfect in all of Your ways You are perfect in all of Your ways to us

Verse 3

Love so undeniable I can hardly speak Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think As You call me deeper still As You call me deeper still As You call me deeper still Into love love love

<u>Chorus X2</u>

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP! February 9, 2025

Peter! The Rock!

Leaving A Living Legacy! 1 Peter 1:6-7, NKJV

⁶ In this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while, if need be, you have been grieved by various trials, ⁷ that the genuineness of your faith, *being* much more precious than gold that perishes, though it is tested by fire, may be found to praise, honor, and glory at the revelation of Jesus Christ,

Five Traits Of A Winning Football Team! (How to Win in the Game of Life!)

- ♦ **Believe** It means more than simply agreeing in your mind that something might be true. It means "trust" that we believe so strongly in God and what He says about ourselves that we are willing to commit our lives to Him.
- ♦ <u>Discipline</u> It is the implementation of patterns and practices, found in scripture, that promote growth and advancement as maturing followers of the Lord Jesus Christ.
- ♦ **Resilience** It is the capacity to withstand or to recover quickly from difficulties. Viewing challenges as learning opportunities. Regulating emotions and expectations in realistic ways.
- ♦ <u>Passion</u> It is the intense desire or enthusiasm for something. It is an internal fire that motivates us and energizes us to fulfill God's plan and purpose for our lives!
- ♦ **Gratitude** It is an attitude of showing a sense of appreciation for the big and small things on a consistent basis. It is recognizing that we have not done everything on our own. It is expressing sincere praise to God and gratitude to people who helped you succeed in your Christian Life.

The word "thrive" means to grow vigorously, to prosper, to progress toward a goal. You know how vigorously babies normally develop. The apostle Peter challenges us with the following. "As newborn babes, desire the pure milk of the word, that you may grow thereby." 1 Peter 2:2