

Great and marvellous
are thy works.
—Revelation 15:3



Bulletin Cover
December 7, 1975

FROM THE PASTOR:

I would like to take this opportunity to warmly welcome each of you to the first service of the New Life Baptist Church. You are our honored guest today, and we trust you will enjoy the services and come back again.

For weeks now, we have been telling people that our first service would be on December 7, 1975. Many have reminded me that Pearl Harbor was bombed on that day. Yes, thirty-four years ago today, our nation entered World War II upon the Japanese bombing of Pearl Harbor -- a day we will not soon forget.

Just as there was bombing on that day, we here at the New Life Baptist Church plan to do some bombing with the "Gospel Bomb." I trust in years to come we can say our church has endeavored to get the Good News that Jesus Saves into every home in the Greater Harrisburg area.

Let me ask you to pray about something. If you are not established in a local Bible-believing, soul-winning church, we welcome you to join with us in carrying out the Great Commission.

Ephesians 3:20,21

Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us, unto him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen.

From the Pastor:

I would like to take this opportunity to warmly welcome each of you to my last service as Pastor at New Life Church. You are our honored guest today, and we trust you will enjoy the service today as we celebrate nearly 50 years at *New Life Church - Where Jesus and His Word Are Exalted!*

Times have changed over the last 50 years. If I said today in this bulletin what I said 50 years ago, I would be arrested, locked up and instead of trying to start a church in New Cumberland, I would be trying to start a jail and prison ministry behind bars!

People over the last 50 years have asked me the secret of not only planting a church from scratch, but preaching and pastoring that same healthy and loving church family for nearly half a century. I'm not sure I know the answer to that question. But in my last sermon as the pastor at New Life, I want to share *5 SPIRITUAL HABITS* that have been in my DNA, since I received my New Life in Christ!

HOW TO GLORIFY GOD IN OUR DAILY LIVES!
EPHESIANS 3:14-21
MESSAGE 5 - AUGUST 31, 2025

- ♦ Wallow In God's Word Before You Walk In Your World!
- ♦ Get To God's Feet Before You Get On Your Feet!
- ♦ Dress For Success!
- ♦ Practice God's Presence!
- ♦ Sign Your Name At The End Of the Day Thankful For God's Faithfulness!

¹⁴For this reason I bow my knees to the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, ¹⁵from whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, ¹⁶that He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with might through His Spirit in the inner man, ¹⁷that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; that you, being rooted and grounded in love, ¹⁸may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the width and length and depth and height—¹⁹to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

²⁰Now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that works in us, ²¹to Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

Ephesians 3:14-21

To Our Beloved Pastor Ronnie and Beverly,

You have served the Lord with gladness here for nearly 50 years - tirelessly, faithfully, and with great compassion for His flock.

Your investment in the lives of others has truly made a difference; you have given hope and encouragement to so many.

We congratulate you on this milestone, and pray that God will continue to bless both of you as you enter this new chapter in your lives.

With Great Affection and Gratitude,
Your New Life Church Family

House Of The Lord

Verse 1

We worship the God who was
We worship the God who is
We worship the God who evermore will be
He opened the prison doors
He parted the raging sea
My God He holds the victory yeah

Chorus

There's joy in the house of the Lord
There's joy in the house of the Lord today
And we won't be quiet
We shout out Your praise
There's joy in the house of the Lord
Our God is surely in this place
And we won't be quiet
We shout out Your praise

Interlude 1

Oh oh oh
We shout out Your praise

Verse 2

We sing to the God who heals
We sing to the God who saves
We sing to the God who always makes a way
'Cause He hung up on that cross
Then He rose up from that grave
My God's still rolling stones away

Chorus

There's joy in the house of the Lord
There's joy in the house of the Lord today
And we won't be quiet
We shout out Your praise
There's joy in the house of the Lord
Our God is surely in this place
And we won't be quiet
We shout out Your praise

Interlude 2

There is joy in this house oh yeah
There is joy there is joy
And we won't be quiet
We're gonna shout out Your praise

Bridge X2

('Cause) We were the beggars
Now we're royalty
We were the prisoners
Now we're running free
We are forgiven accepted
Redeemed by His grace
Let the house of the Lord sing praise

Chorus X2

There's joy in the house of the Lord
There's joy in the house of the Lord today
And we won't be quiet
We shout out Your praise
There's joy in the house of the Lord
Our God is surely in this place
And we won't be quiet
We shout out Your praise

Ending

We shout out Your praise
There is joy in this house
There is joy in this house today
We shout out Your praise
We shout out Your praise

In Christ Alone

Verse 1

In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light my strength my song
This Cornerstone this solid Ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love what depths of peace
When fears are stilled when strivings cease
My Comforter my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

Verse 2

In Christ alone who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

Verse 3

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

Verse 4

No guilt in life no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

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