

# NEW LIFE IN CHRIST CHURCH

A Communion of the Presbyterian Church in America

# A service of worship of our Triune God

We welcome those visiting today and rejoice that you chose to worship with us!

Please fill out the welcome card on the back of the bulletin

# ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP March 26, 2023

**MEDITATION** 

"Praise the LORD!

I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them."

- Psalm 111:1–2 (ESV)

**GREETING and ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

If you are joining us online, please sign our online guest book

**CHORAL CALL to WORSHIP** 

"Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound"
- New Life Korean Church Choir

**HYMN** #164 "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" (vss. 1-6)

PRAYER of INVOCATION

- Pastor Sam Capitano -Pastor Douglas Kittredge

SONG of PRAISE and WORSHIP

- He Reigns

CONFESSION of SIN (on screen)

Almighty and most merciful Father, you hate nothing that you have made, nor desire the death of a sinner. Look down with mercy upon us, and grant that we may turn from our wickedness and live. Forgive the days and years which we have passed in folly, idleness, and sin. Fill us with sorrow for the time we have misspent, that we may change our lives according to your holy Word; strengthen us against habitual idleness, and enable us to direct our thoughts to the performance of every duty; that while we live we may serve you in the state to which you shall call us, and at last by a holy and happy death be delivered from the struggles and sorrows of this life, and obtain eternal happiness by your mercy, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

- based on a prayer from Samuel Johnson

#### ASSURANCE of PARDON (on screen)

"My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world."

- 1 John 2:1–2 (ESV)

All merit of works is thus excluded from being the cause of justification, when the whole is ascribed to faith. For faith,—so far as it embraces the undeserved goodness of God, the testimony of our adoption which is contained in the gospel,—is universally contrasted with the law, the merit of works, and with human excellence.

- John Calvin

The Christian life is marked by the offering of one's self to God to be shaped, empowered, directed, and changed by God. In worship, God presents us with the costly self-offering of Jesus Christ. We are claimed by Christ and set free. In response to God's love in Jesus Christ we offer our lives, our gifts, our abilities, and our material goods, for God's service.

# SONG of PRAISE and WORSHIP (cont'd.)

- Salvation Belongs to Our God

**BAPTISM** 

August Ayoposi Oladayo Ogunsola
 Capri Rose Motunrayo Ogunsola
 Kristopher Michael Shore

- Bryan Alexander Shore

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

- Pastor Sean Whitenack

followed by the Lord's Prayer

(Children 3-4 years old may leave (2nd service only) for Junior Worship - room 134B)

**OFFERTORY** 

"Holy, Holy, Holy" (100)

- Trinity Bells

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Risen" - Trinity Choir

**SCRIPTURE** 

Acts 13:46-49

**SERMON** 

"You May Bring Salvation to the Ends of the Earth"

- Pastor Soungkook Shin

**HYMN** 

#111 "This is My Father's World" (vss. 1-3)

BENEDICTION

- Pastor Sean Whitenack

"Our Father, Who art in heaven. Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, As we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen." - Matthew 6.9-13

The Lord's Prayer

Christ's Church exists to make mature disciples who will worship, know, and serve Christ so that His Church and Kingdom are powerfully extended in Fredericksburg and beyond. Lord's Day March 26, 2023

"You May Bring Salvation to the Ends of the Earth"
Acts 13:46-49

#### **NOTES**

Next Sunday we will **Celebrate the Lord's Supper** at our morning worship service. Pray this week that the Lord will prepare our hearts for Communion.

# Sunday School Classes (9:30 am - 10:15 am) Missions Month (March)

College Ministry - Bob and Dayra Rumbaugh (March 5)

New Geneva President - Dr. Dominic Aquila (March 12)

MTW Middle East/Africa - Frank Sindler (March 19)

Grace & Truth Cong./Israel - David Zadok (March 26)

## See the "Welcome Board" in the Foyer for details

NLIC GIVING FY 2022	General Fund	Faith Promise		
Weekly Budget	\$18,448	\$3,308		
Giving last week	14,574	2,075		
+/- for week	-3,874	-1,233		
+/- fiscal year	+15,135	+2,859		
Online Giving Available at www.nlicc.org/online-giving				

#### Ways to Give:

Cash or Check written to New Life in Christ Church Online: https://www.nlicc.org/give By App: Tithely

Or by Text: Text GIVE to (844)567-5606

#### **Pastors**

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#### **College Ministry**

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#### **Elders**

Doug Bergen, Dan Deaconson\*, Chris Garcia\*, George Giddens, Nathan Henriksen, Kim Lorei\*, Larry Plating\*\*, Joe Plaia\*, Eric Schroeder\*, Mark Shigley\*, Jay Storms\*, Robert L. Williams\*

\* denotes currently serving on session \*\*denotes elder emeritus

**The Family Room** (aka Cry Room) is available for nursing moms and children ages 0-2. It is temporarily located in room 100. **The Nursery** is available during Sunday School and second service.

#### **CALENDAR of EVENTS**

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TODAY March 26	8:00 am 9:15 am 9:30 am 9:30 am 10:30 am 3:45 pm 4:30 pm 6:00 pm	48th Annual Missions Celebration: "All Families of the Nations Shall Worship the Lord" Worship Service - Pastor Soungkook Shin preaching Coffee and Pastries before Sunday School (fireside room) Combined Adult and Youth Sunday School Class (sanctuary) Children's Missions Festival (Pre K-2nd: room 141 A/B, 3rd-6th: room 142 A/B) Worship Service - Pastor Soungkook Shin preaching Fairmont, West Virginia Missions Trip Informational Meeting (room 200) Youth Discipleship (6th - 12th grades) Evening Service - Super Sunday - Closing Service of Missions Celebration		
THIS WEEK				
Monday	1:00 pm	GriefShare Support Group (fireside room)		
Monday	6:30 pm	ESOL (English Speakers of Other Languages)		
Tuesday	3:15 pm	Cherub Choir		
raccaay	4:00 pm	Children's Arts Ministry (Choir, Handbells, Drama)		
	6:15 pm	Sanctuary Bells		
	7:15 pm	Adult Choir / Teen Drama		
Wednesday	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study: "Blessed"- contact Mary Shaffer or Gail Puffenberger (room 217)		
,	4:30 pm	Pioneer Girls (fireside room)		
	7:00 pm	Christian Service Brigade (fireside room)		
Friday	-	YoWAW (Youth World Awareness Weekend) - Shenandoah Springs (3/31-4/2)		
	6:00 pm	Biblical Counseling Seminar (room 100)		
Saturday	9:00 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal (sanctuary)		
	9:45 am	Easter Cantata Rehearsals (Choir and Orchestra)		
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NEXT SUNDA		Celebration of the Lord's Supper		
April 2	8:00 am	Worship Service - Pastor Sean Whitenack preaching		
	9:30 am 10:30 am	Children and Adult Sunday School Classes Worship Service - Pastor Sean Whitenack preaching		
	4:30 pm	Youth Discipleship/OASIS (Middle School only)		
	6:00 pm	Evening Service - Pastor Sam Capitano preaching		
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April 7	6:00 pm	Good Friday Service with Communion		
April 8	9:30 am	Easter Cantata Dress Rehearsal		
April 9		Resurrection Sunday (2 services)		
April 14-16		College Retreat at Outer Banks (contact Bob or Dayra Rumbaugh)		
April 20-23		New York Missions Trip (contact Jim Melnick or Jay Storms)		
April 25	6:00 pm	Teen Drama presents: A Family Reunion to Die For (sanctuary)		
April 29	9:00 am	Treading Boldly, A Workshop for Parents		
April 30	12:00 pm	Israel Missions Trip Informational Meeting (room 219)		
May 6		Share Your Faith Workshop		
May 6		Baseball Opening Day		
April 21-23		New York Missions Trip		
July 17-21	Vacation Bible School			
July 21-30 Peru Missions Trip				
July 22-29 Fairmont WV Missions Trip September 12-25 Israel Missions Trip  Descen on call this week: e-mail: plice				
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This week's Fighter Verses (memorization)

Psalm 96:4-5 (fighterverses.com)

**Library hours:** Sundays 9:45-10am and immediately after the am service until Noon and by appointment.

Deacon on call this week: e-mail: nlicc@nlicc.org Larry Root (540) 845-5040 (c) (Next week: Ricardo Perez)

#### **NEW LIFE KOREAN CHURCH SERVICES**

Sunday	1:00 pm	Worship (sanctuary)
Saturday	6:00 am	Prayer (sanctuary)
Daily	5:30 am	Prayer (Tues Fri.) sanctuary

#### **Prayer and Praise**

Today we warmly welcome Pastor Soungkook Shin. Pastor Shin is pastor of New Life Korean Church that meets here every Sunday at 1:00 pm. He has traveled to many nations for missions work, including Vietnam, Dominican Republic, and India. Please welcome him and the other members of New Life Korean Church.

The flowers this morning are from Pastor Shin and the New Life Korean Church in celebration of our Missions Conference.

**Pray** for Missions Month. Tonight is *Super Sunday*. Pray for our Faith Promise commitment to missions. To date we have received 47 pledges totaling \$120,852.

**Pray** for healing for those fighting cancer, heart issues, and neurological diseases and for those taking care of them. Pray for Ricardo Perez as he continues chemotherapy this week. Pray for Beth Lee and Ramona Ison in hospice care.

**Pray** for our upcoming missions trips. If you would like to participate in any of these mission trips please contact the appropriate leaders: New York in April (Jim Melnick or Jay Storms), Peru in July (Sean O'Hara), West Virginia in July (Jay Storms), or Israel in September (Jay Storms). We will have a West Virginia Mission team meeting today at 3:45 (room 200).

Pray for the work of Missions. This week's focus:

Jim and Karen Melnick (Friends of Russian Jewry/LCJE) Chris and Gosia Osiecki (Slavic Gospel - Poland)

**Pray** for our April retreats: Youth World Awareness Weekend [YoWAW] (March 31 - April 2), Staff retreat (April 10 - April 12), and College Retreat (April 14 - April 16).

**Pray** for our unchurched family and friends. Use the enclosed card to remember to pray.

**Pray** for Erica Kasraie and Zagros Ahmadi as they were married on Monday March 20, 2023. Pray for them as they fulfill their marriage vows and as they work for Zagros to secure a Visa to the USA.

#### **Announcements**

Are you interested in becoming a member of New Life in Christ Church? We have a Covenant of Discipleship Class beginning on April 2, 2023 at 9:30 a.m. in Pastor Sean's office.

**Our current Family Room (Cry Room)** is closed as construction for the balcony begins. While we wait for our new Family Room to be completed we invite you to use room 100 which has been repurposed for families with small children. A private nursing area remains open in the nursery for our nursing moms.

**Employment opportunity.** New Life in Christ Church is looking for a part-time custodian. Please contact Jonathan Allison or the church office if you are interested.

#### Prayer Chain - Have a prayer request? Contact:

Krystal Dowell 287-3005; adowell8@msn.com or Kathy Wilson 891-7235; r2wilson22@hotmail.com.

#### **Prayer Request and Praise**

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**Need a Bible?** We have Bibles available in the back of the sanctuary.

Please turn off or silence your cell phones when entering the Worship Service

Sermons and Bulletins are posted on the church website weekly at: www.nlicc.org

### We Are Glad You're Here!

Thank you for worshiping with us today. Please let us know of your presence.

# May God richly bless you!

Date
First and Last Name
First and Last Name
Family Members (Children) Email:
Street/Apt
City/State/Zip
Telephone - Residence/Cell  1st visit? 2nd visit? 3rd visit? Permanent residence/here until Desire a local church home Home church
☐ What brought you to our church?
☐ Update directory information☐ Comments
Please check appropriate groups:  □ Pre-K/K □ Grades1-3 □ Grades4-6  □ Jr High □ Sr High □ Age18-24  □ 25-40 □ 41-55 □ Over 55
l'D LIKE INFORMATION OR INTERESTED IN:  Care Group Sunday School Youth Group Missions Voung Adult/College New Members Class Momen's Ministry Baptism Call me Call me Appointment with Pastor or Elder Pioneer Girls Church Membership Would like to be added to church mailing list

# New Life in Christ Church

#### **Sunday Service Times:**

Adult & Children's Sunday School

Worship Service

8:00 am
10:30 am
Evening Service

6:00 pm

Korean Worship Service

1:00 pm

Our Address:

11925 Burgess Lane

11925 Burgess Lane Fredericksburg, VA 22407 (Behind the Spotsylvania Towne Center Mall)

Office Hours: 8:30am - 4:30pm Monday-Friday

#### **Ministry Team:**

Sean Whitenack, Lead Pastor
Douglas Kittredge, Founding Pastor
Sam Capitano, Assistant Pastor
Skip Tyler, Assistant Pastor
Jonathan Allison, Music Director, Office Admin.
Christine Fulcrod, Ass't to Senior Pastor, Ass't Admin.

Veronica Allison, Assistant Music Director Debra Burnett, Office Assistant

Michele Trampe, Bookkeeping

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