

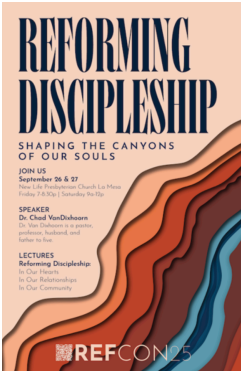


REFCON 2025 ~ HIGH SCHOOLERS ~ SUNDAY SCHOOL ~ GLOBAL MISSIONS

## Attention High Schoolers!

Do you know what you’re doing during our discipleship hour? You’ve got choices

1. Aaron Philip will be leading high school through a discussion based class that will take you through what a Biblically-informed and Christ-centered life looks like for young men and women using the book Don’t Follow Your Heart by Thaddeus Williams.
2. Join a Higher Ed class
3. Assist in an elementary age Sunday School class. The younger kids love it when you guys join them for Sunday School, and we would love the helping hands. If you are only able to volunteer for one or two Sundays a month, that’s ok, too. Speak with Emily Wood or email [kids@newlifelamesa.org](mailto:kids@newlifelamesa.org) to get plugged in.



## RefCon 2025

Be sure to. Mark your calendars for this year’s Reformation Conference September 26-27. Our speaker is Dr. Chad Van Dixhoorn, professor of Church History and Theology at Reformed Theological Seminary in Charlotte, North Carolina. Register here: [newlifelamesa.org/pages/reformation-conference](https://newlifelamesa.org/pages/reformation-conference)

## Newth Group

Newth Group is back on Wednesdays from 6-8:00pm in the New Life Youth Room. Newth Group is a middle school & high school midweek ministry that seeks to glorify God in all that we do. We start with fellowship & pizza dinner, which leads into music and teaching, and finish with LIFT groups (small group time). We’re excited to have our new intern Morgan and his wife Sofia joining us this year. BAND is our primary method communication - please use the link to request to be apart of the group <https://band.us/band/92719279>



### Mark Your Calendars

**September 6**  
Women’s Book Club

**September 7**  
Higher ED and Sunday School begins

**September 10**  
Women’s Bible Study begins  
NEWTH Group  
Cadets/GEMS

**September 11**  
Ladies Craft Night and Choir

**September 13**  
Rosemary Anderson Memorial Service

**September 14**  
H.O.M.E. Committee Meeting

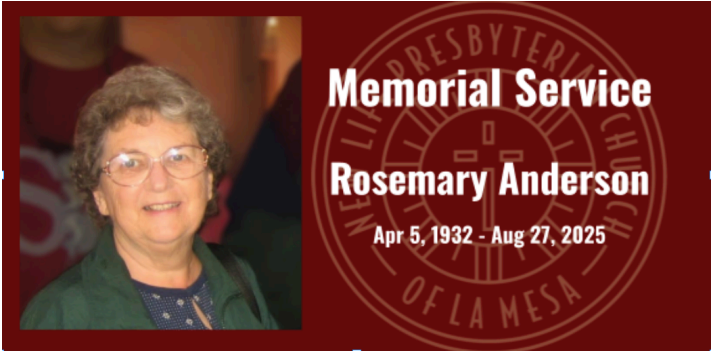
**September 19**  
Girls’ Night hosted by Emily Wood

**September 22**  
Guys’ Night hosted by Joel Wood

**September 26 & 27**  
Reformation Conference

**October 5**  
Explore New Life – Membership Class

**October 31**  
Reformation Party



## Memorial Service – Rosemary Anderson

A memorial service for Rosemary Anderson has been scheduled for Saturday, September 13, at 10:00 a.m. with a light luncheon to follow after the service. Please join us to honor our dear, sweet sister in Christ. Here is a link to the memorial service at the church website: <https://www.newlifelamesa.org/events/memorial-service--271/2025-09-13>.

## The Sanctified Pen

Please pick up your copy of music, songs, poetry and prose - a gift from six New Life writers. Booklets are available at a table in the church lobby.

## Sunday School — Volunteers Request

Our children’s Sunday School classes are still looking for volunteers. Can you give one or maybe two Sundays a month? We’re looking for volunteers who can assist teachers and kids in the classroom on a rotating basis. If once a month is what you can comfortably commit to, we would greatly appreciate having you join us. Please see Emily Wood or email [kids@newlifelamesa.org](mailto:kids@newlifelamesa.org).

## Global Missions

Our September Missionaries of the Month, are Christopher and Chloe Verdick ([verdickmoja.com](http://verdickmoja.com)) who serve with the Orthodox Presbyterian Uganda Mission (OPUM) in Nakaale and Dave Eby who serves as Principal of the African Reformed Theological Seminary (ARTS) in Kampala. ([ebyuganda@gmail.com](mailto:ebyuganda@gmail.com)) and (<http://arts.ac.ug>). Some of you may have had the chance to hear Dave Eby speak at an evening service earlier this year. The seminary’s primary ministry is to equip and educate future ordained pastors to lead healthy, biblical, evangelism-passionate, church planting, world missions-mobilizing Christian churches in Uganda and other African nations. Please pray for these future leaders to be built up in their faith during their time at ARTS, ready to boldly take the gospel to the surrounding nations as they return to their homes.

Nakaale, Uganda — Christopher and Chloe Verdick have been serving with the OPC in Naakale for 13 years. Together they assist the mission with the management of the finances, oversee the operations at the mission’s clinic (Akisyon a Yesu Presbyterian Clinic), and fill many other roles. Some updates from the mission: Lokiru Timothy, a recent graduate of Knox School of Theology (KST) began work as the clinic chaplain this summer and the Naakale Presbyterian Church transitioned into hiring staff from outside of the mission. Please continue to pray for the work being done in Uganda. May the Lord be glorified to see many come to faith in Uganda. L

## H.O.M.E. (Home Missions, Outreach, Ministry & Evangelism)

**Check out:** [newlifelamesa.org/programs/h-o-m-e](http://newlifelamesa.org/programs/h-o-m-e) for the most recent newsletters from San Diego Rescue Mission, Hope for San Diego, CAPS, and Bridge Builders Network. Videos are now available for all ten Higher ED presentations. We give praise and prayers for the growing outreach work through the H.O.M.E. Committee.

## H.O.M.E. Committee Meeting — September 14, 12:00 in Conference Room.

Come join us for our meeting at 12:00 in the Come join us for our meeting at 12:00 in the Conference Room as we plan fall events with our ministry partners: SDRM, Bridge Builders, RUFI and Hope for San Diego. If you serve locally, please come and let us know about your work. Pray that we are led to serve our community.

**Embrace Grace** Pray asking the Lord to bring the next group of mamas to our group as we are ready to start a new semester soon. CAPS is hosting a Walk for Life fund raising event on October 19th at College Avenue Church. See Carol Dykstra for more information.

## Church Family Requests

- Pray for Dorrie and her family as the mourn the loss of their mother, Rosemary.
- Continue to pray for treatments and complete healing for Cheryl, Peter, Rachel, Luis, Terry, Marilyn, Sarah, and Phil.
- Pray for strength and grace to endure for Joe, Jeri, Norma, Nancy, Rosemary, Anita, Joyce, and Bill, Jean, and their caregivers.
- Pray for our newborns June, Clay, Callum, and their families.
- Pray for Jeanne’s recovery from her recent heart surgery and rest in Him.
- Pray for our singles, that they would wholeheartedly serve God.
- Pray for Lillian’s recovery from her surgery and trust in Him.
- Pray for those couples desiring to be parents or enlarge their family, for patience and grace as they wait upon the Lord.

## This Week @ New Life

### Sunday, September 7

- 8:45a Pre-service Prayer meeting in Room 202
- 9:30a Morning Worship Service
- 10:50a Coffee and refreshments
- 11:15a Higher ED/Sunday School
- 5:00p Evening Worship

### Tuesday

- 6:30a Men’s Bible Study at Simple Coffee

### Wednesday

- 10:00a Women’s Bible Study
- 5:45p Cadets/GEMS
- 6:00p NEWTH Group
- 6:15p Women’s Bible Study

### Thursday

- 7:00a Men’s Prayer in the sanctuary
- 10:30a Book Discussion of Ezekiel – God Strengthens by Derek Thomas at Florence Glaubius’
- 5:00p Pickleball
- 6:00p Ladies Craft Night in Room 105
- 7:00p Choir Practice

### Saturday

- 10:00a Rosemary Anderson Memorial Service

### Sunday, September 14

- 8:45a Pre-service Prayer meeting in Room 202
- 9:30a Morning Worship Service
- 10:50a Coffee and refreshments
- 11:15a Higher ED/Sunday School
- 12:00p H.O.M.E. Committee Meeting
- 3:00p Women’s Missions Prayer Zoom
- 5:00p Evening Worship