



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!
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ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

June 6, 2021

MEDITATION

“To be hungry is not enough; I must be really starving to know what is in [God’s] heart towards me...When the prodigal son was hungry he went to feed upon husks, but when he was starving, he turned to his father.”

- J. N. Darby

“Then I grasped that the justice of God is that righteousness by which - through grace and sheer mercy - God justifies us through faith.”

- Martin Luther

“...there is nothing in the whole range of Scripture which so tests and examines and humbles us as these Beatitudes. [Alternately] ...there is nothing more fatal than for the natural man to think that he can take the Beatitudes and try to put them into practice.”

- Martin Lloyd-Jones

Hear, O my people, while I admonish you!
O Israel, if you would but listen to me!
There shall be no strange god among you;
you shall not bow down to a foreign god.

I am the LORD your God,
who brought you up out of the land of Egypt.
Open your mouth wide, and I will fill it.

- Psalm 81:8-10

GREETING and ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

CALL to WORSHIP

“Ancient Words with Thy Word”
- Sanctuary Bells

HYMN

#101 “Come, Thou Almighty King” (vss. 1-4)

PRAYER of INVOCATION

Pastor Doug Kittredge

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in GOD the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary,
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried:
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.

Amen

SONG of PRAISE and WORSHIP

*In the Cross Alone I Glory
All I Have Is Christ
As Long as You Are Glorified*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER
followed by The Lord’s Prayer

Pastor Skip Tyler

OFFERING

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross” (252)
- Sanctuary 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.

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 5:6

SERMON

“Finding Satisfaction in Christ”
Pastor Sam Capitano

COMMUNION HYMN #248 “Ah, Holy Jesus, How Hast Thou Offended”
(vss. 1, 4, 5)

CELEBRATION of the LORD’S SUPPER

HYMN #527 “The Beatitudes” (vss. 1, 2, 4)

BENEDICTION

Pastor Sam Capitano

The Lord’s Prayer

“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

“Justification is an act of God’s
free grace, wherein he pardoneth
all our sins, and accepteth us as
righteous in his sight, only for the
righteousness of Christ imputed to
us, and received by faith alone.”
*- Westminster Shorter Catechism,
Question 33*

**“Blessed are Those Who Hunger and Thirst:
Finding Satisfaction in Christ”**
Matthew 5:6

An Evangelism Explosion presentation pictures a person bobbing in the middle of an ocean after they've been tossed from their boat in the midst of a storm. A Coast Guard vessel arrives as the person is going down for the third time, and a sailor throws a lifeline connected to a life preserver. Do you hang on to the wreckage, or do you let go and grab hold of the invitation to be saved? Jesus is the only Savior, for this life and the next. Are you hungering and thirsting for Him and for His righteousness?

1. Hungering and Thirsting: For What I Want or What I Need?

- a. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst ...” (*Matthew 5:6a*)
- b. The difference between waiting and longing is determined by the object of my wait. (*Isaiah 30:1, 18*)

2. God’s Standard of Righteousness (and Justice)

- a. “... for righteousness ...” (*Matthew 5:6b*)
- b. Examples from Scripture
 - i. Noah (*Genesis 6:9*)
 - ii. Pharaoh (*Exodus 9:27*)
 - iii. The LORD (*Deuteronomy 32:4; Jeremiah 33:16*)
 - iv. Righteousness and justice are linked (*Deuteronomy 16:18, 20; Hebrews 11:33*)
- c. Exceptions in the World
 - i. Cultural transformation feels and looks good, but it’s like painting a house that is marked for demolition. (*Matthew 23:27*)
 - ii. You can’t get there from here. (*Micah 6:8*)

3. “(I Can’t Get No) Satisfaction” - Unless and Until I Trust the Lord

- a. “... for they shall be satisfied.” (*Matthew 5:6c*)
- b. “The Lord Jesus, by His perfect obedience, and sacrifice of Himself, which He, through the eternal Spirit, once offered up unto God, hath fully satisfied the justice of His Father and purchased, not only reconciliation, but an everlasting inheritance in the kingdom of heaven, for all those whom the Father hath given unto Him.” - Westminster Confession of Faith Chapter 8, Of Christ the Mediator. (*paragraph 5*)
- c. Righteousness and justice are found by faith in Christ alone! (*Romans 3:21-22, 4:1-5*)

To hunger and thirst for righteousness is to long for the Lord God to set all things in order, starting with me. Puritan Philip Doddridge expresses such dependence:

“Blessed God, I acknowledge before you my own weakness and insufficiency for anything that is spiritually good. I have experienced it a thousand times, and yet my foolish heart would again trust itself and resolve to move ahead in its own weakness. But let this be the firstfruits of your gracious influence: to bring it to a humble distrust of itself, and to rest in you.” (*Piercing Heaven, 64*)

Sunday School Classes

(9:00 am - 9:45 am)

Pastor Doug will be teaching a class for Adults and Youth in the sanctuary.

Children's classes: pre K-6th, and 7th/8th grade girls & boys

Nursery is open during 9:00 am Sunday School and 10:00 am service.

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* denotes currently serving on session
 **denotes elder emeritus

NLIC GIVING 2021	General Fund	Faith Promise
Weekly Budget	\$16,091	\$2,112
Giving last week	16,236	565
+/- for week	+ 145	- 1,547
+/- fiscal year	- 401	+ 8,106

Online Giving Available at www.nlicc.org/online-giving

The Family Room (aka Cry Room) and the Nursery are available as needed.

FOOD PANTRY IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Toiletries: shampoo, conditioner, lotion, toothpaste, floss, face soap and deodorant

CALENDAR of EVENTS

TODAY

	Celebration of the Lord's Supper	
9:00 am	Children and Adult Sunday School (sanctuary)	
10:00 am	Worship Service (online at www.nlicc.org/watchlive) Pastor Sam Capitano preaching	
4:30 pm	Youth Group OASIS (in person)	
6:00 pm	Evening Service - Rich Leino preaching	

THIS WEEK

Monday	6:30 pm	ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) contact Jonathan/Liz Rumbaugh
	7:00 pm	Bible Study and Prayer for the PCA General Assembly (room 100)
Wednesday	9:30 am	Summer Women's Bible Study begins - contact Heather O'Hara (room 217)
	6:00 pm	Dinner at <i>Sakura's</i> to honor high school graduates (RSVP to church office)
Thursday	7:30 pm	College Ministry Bible Study (Franklin Street)
Friday	7:00 pm	Session Meeting
Saturday	9:00 am	AM Praise Team rehearsal

NEXT SUNDAY

	9:00 am	Children and Adult Sunday School Classes
	10:00 am	Worship Service (online at www.nlicc.org/watchlive) Pastor Sean Whitenack preaching
	4:30 pm	NO Youth Group Discipleship
	6:00 pm	Evening Service - Service to honor high school graduates

FUTURE

June 14		Vacation Bible School registration opens
June 14	7:00 pm	Congregational meeting to present 2021-2022 budget (room 100)
June 16	7:00 pm	<i>Financial Peace</i> Class begins (room 100) contact Steve Marple
June 18	7:30 pm	Creation Club
June 19	8:00 am	Men's Breakfast
June 20		Father's Day
June 20		Open Houses begin
June 21	7:00 pm	Bible Study and Prayer for the PCA General Assembly (room 100)
July 9	6:00 pm	CHOICES Women's Center Benefit Concert (sanctuary)
July 12-16		Vacation Bible School
July 17-24		Cherokee Mission Trip
September 16-18		Men's Retreat (Highland Retreat Center - Bergton, VA) - Pastor Todd Pruitt speaking
October 22-23		Women's Mini-Conference (sanctuary) contact: perez.ileanam@gmail.com

Women's Connection Weekly Liaison:

Tamra Corbeau: 540-847-9220

This week's Fighter Verses (memorization):

Psalm 86:5-7 (fighterverses.com)

While the **library** is not open at this time, you may email nlicc.library@gmail.com with your requests.

Deacon on call this week: e-mail: nlicc@nlicc.org

Jimmy Whitman 786-4848

(Next week: *Larry Root*)

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
		http://nlkchurch.org/

Prayer and Praise

Praise God for our covenant marriages. The flowers this morning are in celebration of Pastor Sam and Lisa Capitano's 30th wedding anniversary which is on Tuesday, June 8.

Pray for Pastor Sean and his family as they are on vacation.

Pray for our high school graduates. Please let us know if you have a student graduating this year. We are honoring the graduates during our Sunday evening service on June 13 at 6:00 pm with a reception following the service. If you would like to help with the reception, please sign-up at <https://ttsu.me/3sebw4>.

Pray for Vacation Bible School. We are currently looking for servant leaders who want to make a difference in the lives of children. VBS is scheduled for July 12-16. Speak with Julie Root or Jennifer Worman if you would like to serve.

Pray for Elisa Wassum as doctors make decisions for cancer treatment.

Pray for the work of missions. This week's focus: Billy and Yashmin Clark (Peru), and Karl and Debbie Dortzbach (Africa).

Pray for the peace of Jerusalem in light of the recent conflict. Pray especially for our missionaries and partner churches in Israel and Palestine.

Pray for the General Assembly of the PCA this summer. We will review some of the issues before the PCA at a Bible Study on June 7 and 21 at 7 pm. If you have questions, speak with Pastor Sean.

Pray for our upcoming Men's Retreat on September 16 through 18.

Pray for revival in our region. On Thursday, June 10 at 7 pm, Christians are invited to participate in a community Prayer Gathering held at River Club Church (10835 Tidewater Trail). This is in preparation for the Will Graham evangelistic event planned for 2022 at The FredNats Stadium.

Announcements

Pastor Sean will host a dinner with the High School Graduates on Wednesday night, June 9 at 6 pm at *Sakura's* on Plank Road. If your child plans to attend, please use the tear-off sheet to indicate an RSVP or call the church office.

Are you interested in becoming a member of New Life in Christ Church? We have a Covenant of Discipleship Class beginning on Sunday, June 13 at 9:00 am.

Prayer Chain - Have a prayer request? Contact:

Krystal Dowell 786-4218; adowell8@msn.com
or Kathy Wilson 891-7235; r2wilson22@hotmail.com.

Prayer Request and Praise

Date: _____

This request is for Pastors and Elders only

To Sign Up

Will attend 2021 HS Graduates Dinner with Pastor Sean (June 9)

(name) _____

High School Graduate

Would like to be a **Greeter** Sunday mornings

Would like to be an **Usher** Sunday mornings

Help fold bulletins

Would like to **place flowers** at the altar on

Occasion: _____

Date: _____

For: _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

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 worshipping 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

I'D LIKE INFORMATION OR INTERESTED IN:

Care Group

Sunday School

Youth Group

Missions

Young Adult/College New Members Class

Women's Ministry

Baptism

Men's Ministry

Call me

Music Ministry

Appointment with

Boys Brigade

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 9:00 am

Worship Service 10:00 am

Evening Service 6:00 pm

Korean Worship Service

1:00 pm

Our Address:

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Douglas Kittredge, *Founding Pastor*

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Christine Fulcrod, *Ass't to Senior Pastor, Ass't Admin.*

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