

Sermon Notes

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**The View
From My Window**
WITH PASTOR JOEL

When we stayed at that hotel with the alarm problem (see last week's post), I got ready to take my morning run. Just as I was about to head out the door, my wife asked me to get her some breakfast so she could take her meds. My only consternation was that I was dressed in a safety green reflective vest & wrist bands along with shorts to match. Since the hotel's breakfast nook had just opened for the day I was hopeful to be their 1st & only customer.

There were, however, about 8 or 10 people in various stages of getting their breakfast. But alas, over half of them belonged to a road crew that had spent the night & they were all dressed in safety green, reflective vests! I said to one of them, "I sure appreciate all of you dressing in those vests just to make me feel like I belong." She gave me a pleasant smile then headed on her way.

Once you've joined God's team it sure is nice to discover fellow team members! They can feel like an oasis in the middle of a dry, hot, hostile desert. Let your light so shine before men that it helps other lights feel right at home.

- Pastor Joel

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Welcome to New Life ...

We're glad you're here!

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

7:00am - Prayer Meeting

Open prayer for all in Room 10

8:00am - First Service

9:00am - Self-Serve Café Open

Join us for coffee & treats off the main lobby!

9:15am - Sunday School

- Kids Clubhouse: Kids age 3 - Grade 6
- Basement: Grades 7-12 Rangers
- Family Room: Parents of Kids under 12
- Sanctuary: Teens & Adults

10:15am - Second Service

- **Nursery:** newborns to age 3
 - **Kids Church:** kids age 3 - grade 6
- Kids must be signed in & out of these programs*

6:00pm - Family Evening Service

*No Kids or Youth Programs

Families We offer a live stream of the service & a play area for kids in the Family Room located by the self-serve café.

TODAY'S MESSAGE:

The Holy Spirit Effect

Acts 3

Rev. Joel Everhart

THIS WEEK ...

TUE, SEPTEMBER 25

6:30pm - Open Gym Volleyball

WED, SEPTEMBER 26

7pm - Adult Bible Study, Rainbows
Kids Club, Royal Rangers for Boys

Moms A private room for nursing mothers is located off the Main Lobby in Room 2

Upcoming Events

- 9/30: Blood Drive (8:30am-12pm)
- 10/8: Board Meeting (6:30pm)
- 10/9: The Gathering Women's Bible Study (9am)
- 10/12: Worship Team Practice (7pm)
- 10/13: Car Show (10am-2pm)
- 10/13: Men's Breakfast (7am)
- 10/21: Campfire Service (5pm)
- 10/28-11/3: Week of Fasting**
- 10/31: Coordinator Meeting
- 11/9-10: Women's Conference (Hershey, PA)
- 11/9: Worship Team Practice (7pm)
- 11/10: Men's Breakfast (8am)
- 11/12: Board Meeting (6:30pm)
- 11/20: Thanksgiving Service (11/20)
- 11/21: No Wednesday Service (Happy Thanksgiving!)
- 12/2: Christmas Dinner (5pm)
- 12/8: Men's Breakfast (8am)



Please send van/room reservation requests to calendar@nla.today

Please submit announcements to hello@nla.today one week in advance

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New to New Life?

Thanks for being with us today! One of our greeters would be happy to show you around the church & answer any questions you may have about New Life. You can also find out more on our website at www.nla.today or by emailing our office at hello@nla.today.

Here at New Life, we strive to be a spirit-empowered family of believers who **worship** the Lord, work together to **build** a body of believers, **reach** the lost, & **minister** to a hurting world. We **Expect Jesus** to meet us here & to use us beyond these walls.

Worship

4 Ways to Give. There are several ways you can give to New Life: **1** cash or check dropped into the offering, **2** via **credit card** online at www.nla.today/give, **3** by purchasing **gift cards** to Giant or Weis through our Business Office (New Life receives 5% of the proceeds at no extra cost to you), & **4** by shopping online via **Amazon Smile** using our link: smile.amazon.com/ch/23-2500675 (a portion of the purchase price is donated to New Life at no extra cost to you).

Thank you for investing in our mission to build a body of believers, reach the lost, & minister to a hurting world!

Build

The Gathering Women's Bible Study. This small group women's Bible study's next meeting is **Tuesday, October 9 at 9am** in the Youth Room! Light refreshments will be provided.

Interested in Membership? Our next membership class begins on Sunday, October 7. The 12-week class meets during Sunday School in Room 10. Sign up in the main lobby.

Monthly Men's Breakfast. The next Men's Breakfast & Fellowship takes place Saturday, **October 13 at 7am*** in the gym. Note the earlier time due to the Car Show held on the same date.

Sunday Morning Treats. If you'd like to bake a treat for the self-serve café, sign up for a date in the main lobby. See Kathy Altland for more info.



Volunteer Positions Open
You tell us your availability & we'll work with your schedule!

- Kids Church Check-in Host**
Greet kids as they check-in to Kids Church
Sundays at 10am
See Dana Catania
- Worship Team Substitute Drummer**
As Needed
See Melanie Storm
- Nursery Helper**
for Babies Age 0-3
Sun at 6pm & Wed at 7pm
See Dara Womer
- Prims Girls Club Teacher or Helper**
for Girls Age 7-Grade 6
Wednesdays at 7pm
See Mandi Geiman

Family Ministries

Junior Bible Quiz Season is Starting!
Kids in grades 1-6 are invited to compete on New Life's Bible Quiz team against area churches in memorizing scripture & Bible facts! This program helps kids learn the Bible in a fun way. Junior Bible Quiz teams practice during Sunday School each week & compete on scheduled Saturdays from Sept-Feb. For more info about the program, see Dara Womer, Stephanie Myers, or Alina Dusharm.

125 Local Kids Are Going Hungry. We partner with local churches to provide food for 125 kids in the Bermudian Springs School District who don't have enough food at home. We're accepting **single serving size** packages of **shelf-safe milk, cereal, & ravioli** to help feed these kids & their family each weekend. Please drop off donations in the main lobby.

Reach & Minister

Car Show on October 13! New Life is hosting a car show & swap meet on Sat, October 13 from 10am-2pm to fundraise for Stephen's Legacy. The event will also include games for kids, a silent auction, & food stations. Volunteers are needed to help direct parking, assist with kids games, & at food stations. If you'd like to volunteer or your business would like to donate a package for the silent auction, please see Darla Border or Andy Storm.

40 Days for Life Campaign. From Sept 26 to Nov 4, our community will take part in 40 Days for Life ... a groundbreaking, coordinated international mobilization. We pray that, with God's help, this will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in our city and beyond. Please volunteer to stand in peaceful prayer outside York's abortion clinic at Planned Parenthood, 728 South Beaver Street, York, PA.

To **volunteer** & sign up for vigil hours online, visit www.40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/york. See Angie Kline or Cheryl Van Vugt for more info

Campaign Kick-off Rally: Join others in prayer & for words of spiritual support, song, testimonies & refreshments on September 25 at 10am at Planned Parenthood.

WE HAVE KIDS CHURCH!

During the second service, we offer a full church service including worship, a Bible lesson, snack, craft & activity in the Kids Wing for kids ages 3-12. Still have some questions about our Kids Church program? Email **Dana Catania** at kids@nla.today.

Not Quite Ready for Kids Church?

That's ok! You're welcome to get up at any time during the service to grab a pack of crayons, some coloring sheets, & a picture book for your child to help them sit through the service today. These items are on the table at the back of the sanctuary.



CHURCH BOARD

If you need guidance in your ministry, reach out to a Board Member who serves in the area where you need help:

- Jim Border, Jr:** Security, Ushering, & Treasurer
- Larry Bray:** Grounds Care & Volunteer Relations
- Alina Dusharm:** Secretary
- Steve Gebhart, Sr:** Grounds Care
- Dave Mickley:** Staff & Volunteer Relations
- Andy Storm:** Indoor Maintenance

Give Blood, Save A Life. The Central PA Blood Bank will be stationed in the parking lot next **Sunday, September 30 from 8:30am-12pm.** Consider stopping by the bloodmobile to donate blood! You must have a valid form of ID and you should eat within 4 hours prior to giving blood. Sign up for a spot in the main lobby.



Our Stephen's Legacy team has knowledgeable volunteers & trained nurses ready to help with health needs, home & car repairs, financial aid, errand running, meals, & transportation to doctor appointments. If you or someone you know is in crisis or would like to volunteer with this ministry, please see one of our Stephen's Legacy team members:

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