

Upcoming Events

- 12/1: New Adult Small Groups Start (9:15am)
& Family Worship Sunday (No Kids Church)
- 12/5, 12, 19: GloryBound Motors Garage (6:30pm)
- 12/8: Christmas Dinner (5pm)
- 12/9: Board Meeting (6:30pm)
- 12/12: Ladies Christmas Tea (11am)
- 12/14: Men's Breakfast at Rene's Family Restaurant
in East Berlin (8am)
- 12/15: Youth Christmas PJ & Ugly Sweater Party (5pm)
- 12/22: Kids Christmas Program (10:15am service)
& Nursing Home Christmas Dinner (4pm)
- 12/24: Christmas Eve Service (7pm)
- 12/25: Christmas Day (No Service)
- 12/29: No 6pm Service
- 1/1: No Wednesday Evening Service
- 1/2, 9, 16, 23: GloryBound Motors Garage (6:30pm)
- 1/11: Men's Breakfast in the Gym (8am)

Sermon Audio

Visit nla.today/sermons to listen to this message again. Visit our AV/Sound Booth after the service to request a recording of today's sermon on CD.

New Life Call List

Stay up to join the church messaging service to receive a call from Pastor about service cancellations, important announcements & more. Email your name & phone number to hello@nla.today to be added.

Church Board

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



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

Last month was *Pastor Appreciation Month* & many of you expressed your love to Barb & me through cards & gifts. Our thanks to all of you for helping us feel so loved & appreciated. The ministry can be a very hard place to be at times. We feel especially blessed to have been given an assignment that includes the wonderful people of New Life Assembly of God. Not only that, but God has granted us the joyful experience of having our son & his family move back into the area several years ago. Is there anything more precious than being close to kids & grand-kids?

In the midst of trying to accomplish something, don't forget to live. Being thankful is one of the keys to a happy life. This morning we're going to talk about several things we can all be thankful for, regardless of whatever else may be going on all around us. Happy Thanksgiving, New Life!

- Pastor Joel

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Welcome to New Life ...

We're happy you're here!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2019

**FINAL DAY to purchase Christmas
Dinner Tickets after the AM services**

7:00am - Open Prayer Meeting

8:00am - First Service

9:00am - Self-Serve Café Open

9:15am - Sunday School

Kids & Teens

- Kids Wing: Kids Age 4 - Grade 6 & JBQ
- Basement: Grades 7 - 12 Teens
- Multi-Purpose Rm: Youth Event Planning

Adult Small Groups

- Sanctuary: Weekly Sermon Discussion
- Family Room: Life Stages Discussion
- Rm 3: Battlefield of the Mind
- Rm 10: Names of God

10:15am - Second Service

We have a staffed Nursery for babies up to age 3 & a **KIDS** Church program for kids age 4 - grade 6. Kids must be signed in to these programs by a guardian.

6pm - Evening Service

Joel Everhart
SENIOR PASTOR

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TODAY'S SERVICE

Thanksgiving

Genesis 1
Rev. Joel Everhart

THIS WEEK ...

TUE, NOVEMBER 26

7pm - Thanksgiving Service

No Wednesday Service/Programs

THU, NOVEMBER 28

Happy Thanksgiving!

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

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

EXPECT
JESUS

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First Time at 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.

Worship

4 Ways to Give 1 cash/check in the offering, 2 online at nla.today/give, 3 purchase gift cards to Giant through our Business Office (New Life receives 5%), & 4 shop online via Amazon Smile at www.smile.amazon.com/ch/23-2500675 (New Life receives .5%).

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

Build

Winter Church Hours Open hours at the church are 8am-6pm daily during the winter months. The church will be closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, & New Years Days (only keyholders may enter the church). To request card access to the church, email security@nla.today.

Pick Up Your Directory in the main lobby. Directories include contact info for all of our regular attenders who submitted their info.

Thanksgiving Service Join us for a time testimony & thanksgiving on Tuesday, Nov 26 at 7pm. There is no Wednesday evening service the week of Thanksgiving.

Sunday Small Groups The next round of small groups starts on December 1! Sign up in the main lobby to lead a 6-week small group from December 1-January 24.

Monthly Men's Breakfast takes place on Sat, December 14 at 8am at Rene's Family Restaurant in East Berlin. Guys of all ages are welcome for a free hearty breakfast, fellowship, & short devotional.

Ladies Christmas Tea takes place Thu, Dec 12 at 11am at the Old Farmhouse Tea Room in Thomasville. Sign up in the Main Lobby.

At New Life, we aim 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. Our members **Expect Jesus** to meet us here & to use us beyond these walls.

Join the Worship & AV/Sound Teams! There are spots open on the **Worship Team** for a pianist & a substitute drummer. See Worship Leader Melanie Storm for more info.

There are spots open on the **AV/Sound Team!** See AV/Sound Coordinators Bill Womer if you can help transition **lyric slides** during worship or **adjust sound** during services. Training provided!

Expect Jesus Shirts Arrived. Please bring your payment & pick up your shirt order today in the Main Lobby. Checks payable to New Life Assembly.

Christmas Dinner Sport an ugly/silly/tacky Christmas sweater, tie, or outfit to our Christmas dinner on Sun, December 8 at 5pm in the gym! Today is the final day to purchase tickets following morning services! Cost: \$5 each, kids under age 10 are free. *Plan to bring a dessert.*

One Day to Feed the World Offering We're partnering with Convoy of Hope to provide clean drinking water & nutritious food to those in need around the world. Consider giving one day's wages toward this special offering on Sunday, December 1. Write "one day offering" on your check memo line to donate before December 1.

Nursing Home Christmas Dinner On Sun, December 22 at 4pm, we're visiting the residents at Harmony Personal Care Home (337 Frederick St, Hanover) to sing Christmas carols, play games, & serve dinner. Everyone is invited to be part of this special Christmas outreach to bless residents. Please sign up in the main lobby to let us know you're coming!

Family Ministries

We Have KIDS Church during the second service for kids age 4 - grade 6 in the Kids Wing. Kids Church includes worship, a Bible lesson, snack, craft or activity. For more info about our Kids Church program, email kids@nla.today!

Youth PJ & Ugly Sweater Party Teens in grades 7-12 are invited to a Christmas PJ & Ugly Sweater Party on Sun, December 15 at 5pm at the church! Come for interactive games, free food, video-gaming, Christmas movies, cookies & hot cocoa bar, & more!

Teens Meet Sunday Mornings Teens have the option of meeting in either of two classes on Sundays at 9:15am:

Bible Study with Tim Ruth in the basement. Parents are encouraged to attend an adult small group during this time.

Reach & Minister

Donations for Soldiers We're partnering with *For the Love of a Veteran, Inc.* to prevent & protect our soldiers & veterans from suicide & homelessness by accepting donations of gifts, toiletries, & food to active soldiers & veterans. A donation list & drop-off will be located in the main lobby through Sun, Dec 1.

Ruth's Harvest Food Drive We help provide weekend meals for 125 students in the Bermudian Springs School District who don't have enough food at home. Consider donating **single serving size** packages of shelf-safe milk, cereal, & ravioli in the basket in the main lobby.

Baby Gear Donations Prayer is taking place at Planned Parenthood & mothers are deciding to keep their babies! We're accepting donations of gently used baby gear, clothes, & financial aid to give a hand-up to these mothers. Drop off donations in the main lobby. See Cheryl Van Vugt for more ways to help.

Christmas Gifts for the Elderly Bless an elderly resident at Fair Havens Assisted Living (Hanover, PA) with a gift this Christmas! Visit the Christmas tree display in the main lobby & choose a resident to bless! Gifts should be returned by Sunday, December 15.

Kids Christmas Program takes place on Sun, December 22 during the second service. Any kids who are interested in participating should attend Kids Church each week during the month of December to practice. A Christmas celebration will be held in the Kids Church Room following the Christmas program.

Join the Kids Ministry Volunteer Team!

We have a spot for you to help out once a month in our Kids Ministry:

Kids Sunday School Teacher (Sun at 9:15am)
Kids Sunday School Helper (Sun at 9:15am)
Rainbows Helper (Wed at 7pm)
Sunday School Check-in Host (Sun at 9:15am)
Kids Church Coordinator (open Jan 1)

Email Artel at kids@nla.today to help out once a month in one of these spots!

STEPHEN'S LEGACY

This ministry aids members of our church & community who are in crisis. Our team is ready to assist with health needs, home or car repairs, financial aid, meals, & transportation.

Need a hand up? For more info, see:
Angie Kline, Dave Mickley, Wayne Esbenshade, Carolyn Brown, John Quinn, Wendy Wagner, Ray Mummert, & Mark Hinkle.

Glory Bound Motors We repair cars & provide car care training to anyone who needs it on **Thursdays** from 6:30-8:30pm at Wayne Esbenshade's home garage, located at 5024 W Canal Rd, Dover, PA. See Wayne or Dave Mickley to make an appointment or stop by just to learn! Teens & adults welcome!

Donate Today! Simply write "Stephen's Legacy Donation" on the memo line of your check & drop it in the offering.

Prayer takes place in the Sanctuary weekdays Monday-Friday, 8am-10am, and in Room 10 on Wednesdays, 6pm-7pm.

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