

# Welcome!

## We are glad you chose to worship with us today!

If you would like to know more about New City Fellowship, stop by the Info Desk to ask questions, learn about our ministries, or fill out a visitor card. *If you'd like to be added to our weekly email contact Kathryn Cavin: [kcavin@ncfstl.org](mailto:kcavin@ncfstl.org)*

## Our Mission

New City Fellowship exists to seek the establishment of God's kingdom rule in the lives of people from every ethnic group by discipling the nations in the reconciling Gospel of Jesus Christ through a clear proclamation of salvation by grace through faith in Christ alone and by doing Spirit-led deeds of justice and mercy.



New City Fellowship 2022



House Church Ministry

**Get Connected!** Become part of a house church to know the joy of walking with each other through the ups and downs of life. **House churches are where the primary care for the body takes place.** Groups meet on different nights of the week in different locations around the city. Pick up a copy of the **HOUSE CHURCH BROCHURE** in the foyer for meeting times and locations, or contact Jim Ward for more information: [jward@ncfstl.org](mailto:jward@ncfstl.org), 314-726-2302 x257.

Worship Service and Livestream at 10:30 am  
Francophone service at 10:30 am in the Auditorium  
Adult Ed Classes at 9 am

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For a copy of the church directory: \_\_\_\_\_ [kcavin@ncfstl.org](mailto:kcavin@ncfstl.org)



Please reserve the parking lot behind the gym for those in our congregation that have a physical need for accessible parking close to the building. Able-bodied people may also park at the school across the street.

## Baptisms

If you are interested in scheduling a baptism or to arrange to meet with a pastor contact Kathryn Cavin: [kcavin@ncfstl.org](mailto:kcavin@ncfstl.org)



# Sermon Text

## John 6:1-15

After this Jesus went away to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, which is the Sea of Tiberias. <sup>2</sup>And a large crowd was following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing on the sick. <sup>3</sup>Jesus went up on the mountain, and there he sat down with his disciples. <sup>4</sup>Now the Passover, the feast of the Jews, was at hand. <sup>5</sup>Lifting up his eyes, then, and seeing that a large crowd was coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread, so that these people may eat?" <sup>6</sup>He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he would do. <sup>7</sup>Philip answered him, "Two hundred denarii worth of bread would not be enough for each of them to get a little." <sup>8</sup>One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, <sup>9</sup>"There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish, but what are they for so many?" <sup>10</sup>Jesus said, "Have the people sit down." Now there was much grass in the place. So the men sat down, about five thousand in number. <sup>11</sup>Jesus then took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated. So also the fish, as much as they wanted. <sup>12</sup>And when they had eaten their fill, he told his disciples, "Gather up the leftover fragments, that nothing may be lost." <sup>13</sup>So they gathered them up and filled twelve baskets with fragments from the five barley loaves left by those who had eaten. <sup>14</sup>When the people saw the sign that he had done, they said, "This is indeed the Prophet who is to come into the world!" <sup>15</sup>Perceiving then that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, Jesus withdrew again to the mountain by himself.

## Restore St. Louis

Jesus tutors children, teaches them how to work as teenagers, heals them when they are sick, and visits them if they go to jail; he feeds them, and he cares for them when they get old. Jesus is doing all these things through his people through the ministries of Restore St. Louis--the outreach arm of New City Fellowship. We would love to show you what the Lord is doing through us and share ways you can get involved. Scan the QR code to email Andrew Stern!



Workday  
Health Connection  
The Freedom School  
Firm Foundation Tutoring  
Harambee Youth Training  
Umetulisha Food Program  
Inside Out Prison Ministry



# New City Fellowship

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APRIL 14, 2024

Awesome God

## Call to Worship: Romans 5:6-8 (ESV)

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. <sup>7</sup>For one will scarcely die for a righteous person-- though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die-- <sup>8</sup>but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Brule en Moi

Great Are You Lord

Yahweh Se Manifestera

I Speak Jesus

**\*\*Dismiss Nursery and BLAST Volunteers**

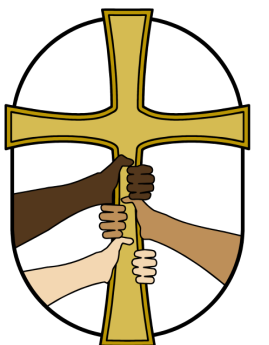
**Prayer and The Lord's Prayer**

**Offering and Announcements**

**Sermon: Noel Sengele**

*In Christ Alone*

**The Lord's Supper**



# What's Happening At New City Fellowship...

## Lower Lot for Accessible Parking Only

Please note that the lower lot by the gym is only for accessible parking. Those parking in that lot are required to have a state or church issued placard on their car. Please contact the church office if you require accessible parking and need a church issued placard.

## Church Prayer Meeting: April 17th

NCF will be holding a church prayer meeting on Wednesday, April 17th from 7-8pm in the cafeteria. Childcare will not be provided.

## Memorial Service for Eddie Jones

A memorial service commemorating the life of Eddie Jones will be held on April 20th at 1pm. It will be located in the NCF U-City gym.

## Pentecost Service on May 19th

On May 19 we'll remember the gift of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost Sunday. To mark the occasion, we're having a worship service that combines all of the New-City Fellowship-St. Louis sites: U. City, West End, and S. City. The service will be held in Ivory Perry Park near the intersection of Union and Delmar Blvds. (in the West End area of St. Louis). A fried chicken dinner will follow the service. You don't need to bring any food or drink, but there will be a way to pitch in financially to help cover the cost of the meal, if you are able.

## Good Neighbor on Mission Mini Conference

Our next Good Neighbor on Mission event will be held on Thursday, May 2 from 6:30-8:30pm at NCF South (3502 Grace Ave 63116). Presented by Mission to the World and Cru Church Movements, this evening will encourage and equip you to build friendships and share the gospel across cultures in your community. The event is free, and is best experienced with a friend or two!



Scan the QR code or click the link in the Friday email to register.

## Designating Checks for NCF U-City

When writing a title check for New City Fellowship University City, please ensure you include "New City U City" or "NCFUC" in the memo line. This is particularly important for bank drafts that are sent to the Hodiament office. That will ensure that the check is designated properly for deposit.

## Elongo Tokoba Update

Thanks to all youth who joined us last Sunday. All youth aged 13-18 are welcome. Our next meeting is April 21st from 12:30 to 2:30 in the gym. Text or call Alison 314 238 6751 with questions.

Merci à tous les jeunes qui nous ont rejoint dimanche dernier. Tous les jeunes âgés de 13 à 18 ans sont les bienvenus. Notre prochain rendez-vous est le 21 avril de 12h30 à 14h30 au gym. WhatsApp Reuel 314 574 9543 avec des questions.

## The Freedom School Job Openings

The Freedom School is hiring for the 2024/2025 school year! The following teaching positions are available:

- Pre K Teacher (full time)
- Elementary Teacher (full time)
- Gym Teacher (part time)
- Health Teacher (part time)

Please contact [gmimms@tfsstl.org](mailto:gmimms@tfsstl.org) for more information.

## Administrative Job Opening

We have an opening to join our administrative team for the New City churches and Restore St. Louis ministries. We are seeking someone to help with bookkeeping and administrative assistant duties. Experience with QuickBooks is preferred. We have full-time or part-time positions available.

Please send a resume to Tony Thompkins ([tony@ncfstl.org](mailto:tony@ncfstl.org)) if you are interested or contact him if you have questions.

# Infants, Kids & Teens

## Wiggle room

The Wiggle Room is located in the Northwest corner of the gym and is a multipurpose space for various New City families and ministries. Families are welcome to use the play area during the service for babies and little wigglers. We ask that you clean up when you leave, and please do not leave your children unattended. Additionally, a special room is available for nursing moms up the stairs in the foyer and to the far end of the hallway as you turn left. There is a speaker to allow you to listen to the sermon, as well as complimentary snacks and water.

For more information contact Bea Adiputra: [badiputra@ncfstl.org](mailto:badiputra@ncfstl.org)

## baby & preschool

During the church service sermon time, we provide care, Bible teaching, and songs for babies, toddlers, and preschoolers in the nursery rooms up the stairs by the foyer. During the break in the worship service, parents can sign in their children at the desk in front of the nursery and sign them out after communion. Contact Bea Adiputra to get on the parent email list to stay updated with special announcements and events.

For more information contact Bea Adiputra: [badiputra@ncfstl.org](mailto:badiputra@ncfstl.org)

## BLAST 9

BLAST is our program for kids ages Kindergarten through 5rd grade. It includes **BLAST 9: small group Bible teaching and projects from 9-10am, as well as big group activities during the sermon. BLAST workers will take the kids up to the 3rd floor when dismissed from the worship service.** Parents should pick up their children from the 3rd floor immediately following the service. To stay up-to-date on events and special announcements, please make sure you are subscribed to the children's ministry e-newsletter.

To sign up for e-newsletters or more information contact Ali Grimshaw: [agrimshaw@ncfstl.org](mailto:agrimshaw@ncfstl.org)

## youth group

Youth Group is held on Wednesdays from 7-8:30pm at the South City site (3502 Grace Ave). Middle school and high school groups meet on alternating Wednesdays.

For more information or to be added to the youth email list contact Roy Hubbard: [rhubbard@ncfstl.org](mailto:rhubbard@ncfstl.org)