

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*

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

NCF House churches seek to walk together in the gospel as we:

- Welcome - Bring, join, share the blessing of God's love here
- Nurture - Grow the faith of members
- Share our words and witness for our neighbor
- Love - Live in love with one another
- Proclaim - Proclaim the Gospel of Christ's finished work on the cross

House Church Vision:

- Discern the presence of God together
- Grow the kingdom of God together in love
- All members are welcome with the love of God
- Love the neighbor - Love one another as the measure of the Holy Spirit

House Church Mission:

- Proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ
- Love the neighbor - Love one another as the measure of the Holy Spirit
- Grow together as a house church in mission
- Make the world better than we found it
- Live and participate in what God is doing around the world
- Connect with community and the wider world

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, 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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Email & Website: _____ ncfstl@ncfstl.org; www.newcityucity.org
Get the Mobile App: _____ Text NCFStLouis to 206-859-9405
New City Podcasts: _____ Google Play Music, Apple iTunes
Listen to sermons online: _____ www.newcityucity.org
Weekly church email: _____ send email address to kcavin@ncfstl.org
For a copy of the church directory: _____ 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



Sermon Text

Revelation 14:6-13

Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people. ⁷And he said with a loud voice, "Fear God and give him glory, because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water." ⁸Another angel, a second, followed, saying, "Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great, she who made all nations drink the wine of the passion of her sexual immorality." ⁹And another angel, a third, followed them, saying with a loud voice, "If anyone worships the beast and its image and receives a mark on his forehead or on his hand, ¹⁰he also will drink the wine of God's wrath, poured full strength into the cup of his anger, and he will be tormented with fire and sulfur in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb. ¹¹And the smoke of their torment goes up forever and ever, and they have no rest, day or night, these worshipers of the beast and its image, and whoever receives the mark of its name." ¹²Here is a call for the endurance of the saints, those who keep the commandments of God and their faith in Jesus. ¹³And I heard a voice from heaven saying, "Write this: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on." "Blessed indeed," says the Spirit, "that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them!"

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Stand Up And Give Him The Praise

Call to Worship: Psalm 92:1-5 (ESV)

It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to your name, O Most High; ²to declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your faithfulness by night, ³to the music of the lute and the harp, to the melody of the lyre. ⁴For you, O Lord, have made me glad by your work; at the works of your hands I sing for joy. ⁵How great are your works, O Lord! Your thoughts are very deep!

Hold To God's Unchanging Hand

Wamilele Mungu

Your Name

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Baptism for Zoe Rachel and Anya Elise Presler

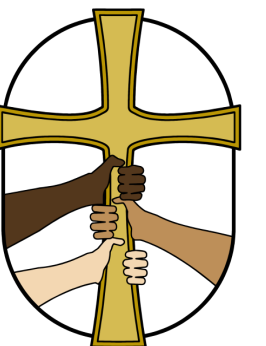
Dedication for Ezekiel Falloon

Offering and Announcements

Sermon: Barry Henning

Grace Greater Than Our Sin

The Lord's Supper



What's Happening At New City Fellowship...

Church Meeting on May 7

Next Sunday, May 7, the service will be shortened to include a congregational meeting. During this time, we will be electing the members of the pastoral search committee. This will take place immediately following the service. Children will remain in BPS and Kid's Bible Time until the end of the meeting.

Firm Foundation Tutoring Volunteers Needed

Firm Foundation Tutoring, a ministry of New City/Restore St. Louis, is looking for volunteers to teach, tutor, assist, and drive kids in June or July during our summer program. We have opportunities to fit a variety of times and talents.



Scan the QR code to sign up or contact Kristen at 314.278.6960 or kristen@ncfstl.org for more information.

Team Ministry Class

What really makes a team function for the sake of the gospel? How can the church be equipped to do ministry as the body - as teams functioning well? We'll talk about team building and vision and planning and how we, on a practical level, move things forward together. This is critical for us as the people of God!

So, join the Team Ministry Sunday School class starting Sunday, May 7th!

Congregational Care

We want to be intentional about meeting the needs of our congregation. If you have a need which prohibits you from participating in any aspect of worship or other church activity, **contact Tony Thompkins: tony@ncfstl.org**

If you are in need of prayer, send requests to ucprayer@ncfstl.org and specify whether you would like it to be prayed for publicly in the Friday email or privately.

If you are struggling to have enough food, to pay your bills, or make financial decisions, please don't struggle alone. If you belong to a house church, share your need with your HC leader. If you don't belong to a house church, **reach out to any deacon or email: ucdeacons@ncfstl.org**

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



For more information or to request a meeting, contact Andrew Stern, Director: andrew@ncfstl.org, 314-280-4397

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

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

children

Kids' Bible Time is our program for kids ages Kindergarten through 3rd grade. **It will take place in the cafeteria during the sermon.** Parents should drop off and pick up their kids in the children's ministry foyer, above the nursery hall. To stay up-to-date on events and special announcements, please make sure you are subscribed to the children's ministry newsletter. If you do not currently receive these emails, contact Marianne Dean.

For more information contact Marianne Dean: mdean@ncfstl.org

youth group

Middle and High School Youth Groups have a combined Sunday School class from 9am-10am in the Youth Room. High School meets Mondays from 7pm-9pm. Middle School meets Thursdays from 6:30pm-8:30pm. Volunteers are still needed if you'd like to get involved in building relationships with our young people.

For more information contact Otto Scott: otto@ncfstl.org