

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 Table to ask questions, learn about our ministries, or fill out a visitor card to be personally contacted.

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.



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.

Get Connected!

FYI

Worship Service and Livestream at 9:00 AM
French service at 11:00 AM in the auditorium

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For a copy of the church directory: _____ ehedlund@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.

Baptisms—if you are interested in scheduling a baptism or to arrange to meet with a pastor contact Emily Hedlund: ehedlund@ncfstl.org, (314) 726-2302.



Sermon Text

Genesis 6:1-9, 12-14

When man began to multiply on the face of the land and daughters were born to them, ² the sons of God saw that the daughters of man were attractive. And they took as their wives any they chose. ³Then the Lord said, "My Spirit shall not abide in man forever, for he is flesh: his days shall be 120 years." ⁴The Nephilim were on the earth in those days, and also afterward, when the sons of God came in to the daughters of man and they bore children to them. These were the mighty men who were of old, the men of renown. ⁵The Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intention of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. ⁶And the Lord regretted that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him to his heart. ⁷So the Lord said, "I will blot out man whom I have created from the face of the land, man and animals and creeping things and birds of the heavens, for I am sorry that I have made them." ⁸But Noah found favor in the eyes of the Lord. ⁹These are the generations of Noah. Noah was a righteous man, blameless in his generation. Noah walked with God.

¹²And God saw the earth, and behold, it was corrupt, for all flesh had corrupted their way on the earth. ¹³And God said to Noah, "I have determined to make an end of all flesh, for the earth is filled with violence through them. Behold, I will destroy them with the earth. ¹⁴Make yourself an ark of gopher wood. Make rooms in the ark, and cover it inside and out with pitch.

Genesis 9:8-10

⁸Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, ⁹"Behold, I establish my covenant with you and your offspring after you, ¹⁰and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the livestock, and every beast of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark; it is for every beast of the earth.

New City Fellowship

TODAY IN WORSHIP

SUNDAY, JULY 4, 2021

Eshe Oluwa

Call to Worship: Colossians 3:1-4 (ESV)

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. ³For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

Be Thou My Vision

God Great God

Je benirai l'Eternel

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

This is the Air I Breathe

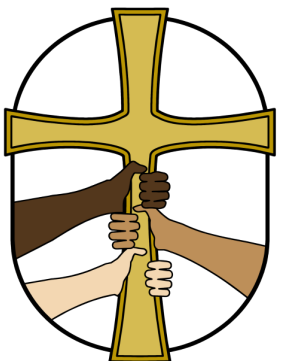
Offering and Announcements

Ministry Moment—InsideOUT

Sermon

Cornerstone

The Lord's Supper



What's Happening at New City Fellowship ...

Judy Drozda Memorial Service

Our dear sister Judy Drozda went home to be with the Lord at the age of 88 on November 20, 2020. You're invited to join us in celebrating her life! Judy was an active member of New City and loved everyone here. **The service will be held Saturday, July 10th at 10:30 am at NCF University City, 1483 82nd St.**

For more information contact Robbie Hagen: rfhagen71@gmail.com

InsideOUT Prison Ministry

InsideOUT Prison Ministries partners with churches, individuals, secular and religious organizations and groups to spread two messages: **All humans are equally created in the image of God AND All humans need Jesus Christ to fulfill their destiny and flourish!** We spread these two messages to men and women who have been caught up in the prison industrial complex. We also spread these two messages to the men and women who partner with us, because those who have NEVER been in jail or in prison need the EXACT SAME Gospel as those who have! We are currently looking for volunteers to help with letter writing and Bible studies.

For more information contact Marshall "Book" Robinson: book@ncfstl.org

Care For Our Congregation

The deacon team at New City is here for you! If you are struggling to have enough food, to pay your bills, or make financial decisions - please stop struggling alone. We want to come alongside you. If you belong to a house church, share your need with your HC leader or deacon. If you don't belong to a house church, please contact the office and we'll get you connected. The deacons are here to share God's resources together as family!

For more information contact: ucdeacons@ncfstl.org or (314) 726-2302 x243

NCF Sunday Morning Worship Services

As a church we will follow local and CDC guidelines. A large section of the gym is open seating and no mask requirement (though of course people are free to wear masks if they want to). Another section of the gym is restricted for social distancing and wearing masks. In addition, we have a livestream service available in the cafeteria where only folks with masks and social distancing are able to attend. Kids Outdoor Bible Time will continue to meet outdoors under the overpass and all kids and volunteers will continue to wear masks. Thank you to all children 3 years of age and over, and their volunteers, for continuing to mask. If you have any questions, the deacon at the Welcome Table will gladly assist you!

Our chief goal is to allow as many of the people of God as possible to safely return to worship and fellowship.

Children's Ministry Seeks Volunteers

Children's Ministry is currently recruiting volunteers for the 2021/2022 school year starting this August! We need both Sunday School teachers who will serve every Sunday (but never have to miss church!) AND Children's Worship volunteers who will serve once per month. If you'd like to help, please fill out a yellow volunteer card today at the children's ministry table.

For more information contact Marianne Dean: mdean@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.



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

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

infants, kids & teens

baby & preschool

During the sermon portion of the worship service we provide staffed preschool rooms for babies who are crawling through children 4 years of age (or beginning kindergarten). The nursery rooms are located at the top of the stairs from the foyer. You can register your child before the service at the "Baby & Preschool Sign Up Table." Parents are free to spend time in the nursery rooms with volunteers if they believe it will help their little one adjust to new surroundings. We are excited to welcome them!

Parents - please do not send kids to the nursery without you! Older siblings can NOT drop off children - drop off must be done by a parent or responsible adult.

A room has been provided for nursing mothers up the stairs in the foyer and to the far end of the hallway as you turn left. The sermon will be streamed to speakers there. Water and snacks are available.

For more information contact Amy Jensen: ajensen@ncfstl.org

children

New City Children's Ministry Team is committed to offering both in-person and virtual options for the discipleship of our children. Because of the on-going challenges of keeping children and volunteers safe amidst Covid-19, adjustments and changes to our programs happen often. Please make sure you are subscribed to the weekly children's ministry emails to receive updates, opportunities, and timing. If you do not currently receive these emails, contact Marianne Dean.

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

teens

Middle and High School Youth Groups mid week meetings will resume in the fall. Contact Otto Scott for information on summer events.

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