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.





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

Church Office:	_ 1142 Hodiamont Ave, 63112; 314-726-2302
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



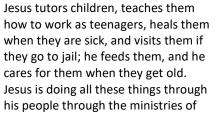
Sermon Text



John 1:35-51

The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples, ³⁶ and he looked at Jesus as he walked by and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God!" ³⁷The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. ³⁸ Jesus turned and saw them following and said to them, "What are you seeking?" And they said to him, "Rabbi" (which means Teacher), "where are you staying?" ³⁹He said to them, "Come and you will see." So they came and saw where he was staying, and they stayed with him that day, for it was about the tenth hour. ⁴⁰One of the two who heard John speak and followed Jesus was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. ⁴¹He first found his own brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which means Christ). ⁴²He brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, "You are Simon the son of John. You shall be called Cephas" (which means Peter). ⁴³The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." 44 Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. ⁴⁵ Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." ⁴⁶ Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." ⁴⁷ Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no deceit!" ⁴⁸ Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw vou." ⁴⁹ Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" ⁵⁰ Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, 'I saw you under the fig tree,' do you believe? You will see greater things than these." ⁵¹And he said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man."

Restore St. Louis



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

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!





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House Of Faith

Call to Worship: Isaiah 55:1-3 (ESV)

"Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. ²Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. ³ Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

Arise My Soul Arise

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He Will Hold Me Fast

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

There Is A Lifting

Offering and Announcements

Sermon: Jeff McGee

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

The Lord's Supper



What's Happening At New City Fellowship...



For more information contact Bea Adiputra: badiputra@ncfstl.org





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 newsletter. If you do not currently receive these emails, contact Ali Grimshaw.



Church Prayer Meeting: January 24th

NCF will be holding a church prayer meeting on Wednesday, January 24 from 7-8pm in the cafeteria. We hope to see you there!

RSVP to Bea Adiputra, badiputra@ncfstl.org by Sunday, Jan. 22 if you need childcare. Childcare will only be provided if you have RSVPed by Sunday or before.

Free Tax Service

The Metro St. Louis Community Tax Coalition is offering free tax filing at our church office: 1142 Hodiamont Ave. This is for anyone in the community who needs assistance filing their taxes. Appointments are required. The dates are Saturdays from 9am-noon on:

> January 27 February 3, 10, 24 March 9, 23, 30 April 6

To sign up call 314-502-9185 after Jan. 16th or use the QR code.

The Freedom School Job Opening

The Freedom School is a mission school seeking to provide Christian education to all who desire it, without concern for cost. Our goal is to shine the light of Christ into the dark corners of our city to bring hope to families and their children who are ill served and marginalized. We are looking for a full time preschool teacher for our 4 year old class, 7:30 am to 3:30 pm on schooldays. This position needs to be filled **immediately**, with the hopes that the teacher will continue through May. Pay is negotiable based upon experience. Benefits available.

If you are interested, please contact Angie Yarbrough at ayarbrough@tfsstl.org

Job Opening: Assistant Director of Workday Ministry

Workday is inviting applicants for the position of Assistant Director. The Assistant Director will be responsible for recruiting and coordinating volunteer teams to implement construction projects for the ministry. The Assistant Director will aid with management of interns and budget management. Experience in construction management along with strong written and verbal communication skills are required. Experience in a nonprofit and/or ministry setting is preferred. This is a full-time position. More information can be found at www.workdaystl.org. Restore St. Louis seeks to hire individuals who represent the communities in which we serve.

To apply please send a cover letter, resume, and three references to Molin Ray, Workday Director at Mray@ncfstl.org

Black History Month Celebration: Save the Date

Please reserve February 24th, 5PM for the All Site New City Fellowship Black History Month Celebration. We will celebrate how God has moved in history to preserve African Americans. It will be held at the U-City site: 1483 82nd Blvd., Saint Louis MO, 63132. See you there!

Want to Impact One Child This Year?

Firm Foundation Tutoring, a ministry of New City Fellowship/Restore St. Louis, is looking for volunteer tutors to work one-on-one with the same student one evening a week for approximately 15 weeks between mid-January and early May. Tutors choose the time and place

(Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday at the West End or South City location) and receive training. To sign up, use the **QR code**.

For more information, contact Kristen Flores at kristen@ncfstl.org or 314.278.6960

Prayer Corner

This section of the bulletin is for the purpose of communicating congregational prayer needs and to ask you to keep this list with you throughout the week ahead in order to pray for these things.

God wants us to take time to ask, seek and knock so that He can give, help us find, and open doors for us! So please, let's join in prayer together this week!

- The search for a new pastor and the Pastoral Search Committee
- Guidance and blessing from the Lord about youth ministry and children's ministry and finding the right leaders for those ministries
- The Lord's blessing on, and work among us in this interim period

Guess Who's Coming to Play Event

Families with children of any age, this event is for you! Sign up to host a playdate or meal at your home, or be a guest at the home of a church member. Families with similarly-aged children will be paired up. Sign ups are due Jan 28th.







Infants, Kids & Teens

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.



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

For more information contact Ali Grimshaw: agrimshaw@ncfstl.org

Middle and High School Youth Groups have a combined Sunday School class from 9am-10am in the Youth Room. 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