

# 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, please contact Kathryn Cavin: [kcavin@ncfst.org](mailto:kcavin@ncfst.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



**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 10:30am**  
**Francophone service at 10:30am in the Auditorium**  
**Adult Ed Classes at 9am**

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**For a copy of the church directory:** \_\_\_\_\_ [ehedlund@ncfstl.org](mailto: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. 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), 314-726-2302 x266



# Sermon Text

## 1 Corinthians 3:9-15 (ESV)

For we are God's fellow workers. You are God's field, God's building. <sup>10</sup>According to the grace of God given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and someone else is building upon it. Let each one take care how he builds upon it. <sup>11</sup>For no one can lay a foundation other than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. <sup>12</sup>Now if anyone builds on the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw— <sup>13</sup>each one's work will become manifest, for the Day will disclose it, because it will be revealed by fire, and the fire will test what sort of work each one has done. <sup>14</sup>If the work that anyone has built on the foundation survives, he will receive a reward. <sup>15</sup>If anyone's work is burned up, he will suffer loss, though he himself will be saved, but only as through fire.

## Ephesians 1:4-5 (ESV)

Even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love <sup>5</sup>he predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will.

## Titus 2:14 (ESV)

Who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.

## 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](mailto:andrew@ncfstl.org), 314-280-4397**

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## Call to Worship: Psalm 103:1-6 (ESV)

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name! <sup>2</sup>Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, <sup>3</sup>who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, <sup>4</sup>who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, <sup>5</sup>who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. <sup>6</sup>The Lord works righteousness and justice for all who are oppressed.

Everlasting God (Who Shall I Fear)

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In Christ Alone

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## Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

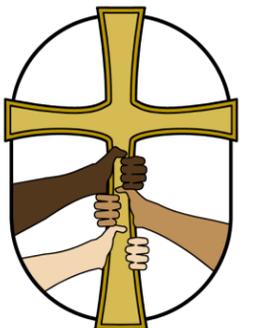
Goodness of God

## Offering and Announcements

## Sermon

What a Beautiful Name

## The Lord's Supper



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

## Church Blood Drive

Join us for a church blood drive in the gym at 82nd with the American Red Cross on Wednesday, Sept. 21st from 2-6pm. You can make an appointment on the Red Cross website or app. Walk-ins are also welcome. We hope you can make it!

*If you are interested, please contact Sarah Katumu: [skatumu@ncfstl.org](mailto:skatumu@ncfstl.org)*

## Congregational Survey

We want to hear your voice! The Succession Planning Task Force has created an anonymous survey for the congregation to fill out. The goal is to help us explore where we currently are as a church and the direction we would like to go. If you prefer a paper version, several will be available during the Sunday services by request. There will be a French version shared soon as well. A summary of the results will be shared with the congregation once we have adequate responses.

[https://slu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_7PBmv5ZiwHxTAUe](https://slu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_7PBmv5ZiwHxTAUe)



## Church Lunch Coordinator Needed

The church is in need of a volunteer to organize the monthly church lunches, held on the second Sunday of each month.

*If you are interested, please contact Tony Thompkins: [tony@ncfstl.org](mailto:tony@ncfstl.org).*

## Work at The Freedom School

The Freedom School is in need of guest teachers (substitutes) and after-school workers. The only qualifications are loving Jesus and loving children!

College students and older are welcome to apply for the guest teacher positions. High school students and older are welcome to apply for the after-school positions (high school students will be accompanied by an adult when working). Pay is \$15 per hour and hours are 3-6pm on school days for both positions.

*For more information, please contact Angie Yarbrough: [ayarbrough@tfsstl.org](mailto:ayarbrough@tfsstl.org)*

## NCF Sunday Morning Worship Services

As a church, we will follow local health guidelines. **Our worship services are currently mask-optional.** A large section of the gym is open seating and another section of the gym is reserved for social distancing. Our chief goal is to allow as many of the people of God as possible to safely return to worship and fellowship.

## Firm Foundation Tutoring

Firm Foundation Tutoring seeks volunteer after-school tutors for one-on-one relational ministry. Tutors work with the same student each week, helping them grow academically, emotionally, socially, and spiritually. Tutors (from high school students to retirees) will receive training and support to equip them in their role (no prior experience needed.) We have openings at both our South City and West End sites on Monday—Thursday.



*To apply, please scan the QR code or contact Kristen Flores: [kristen@ncfstl.org](mailto:kristen@ncfstl.org)*

## 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, **please contact Tony Thompkins: [tony@ncfstl.org](mailto:tony@ncfstl.org)**

If you are struggling to have enough food, to pay your bills, or make financial decisions, please stop struggling 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](mailto:ucdeacons@ncfstl.org)**

## Young Adult Group Meeting

The Young Adult Group will meet on Saturday, October 1 at 6:30pm at the McGee's, 82 E Sherwood Drive, 63114.

**Call Jo at 314-520-1422 with any 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 pick 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 listen to the sermon and complimentary snacks and water.

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

## baby & preschool

We provide care during the sermon for babies who are crawling through children 4 years of age. During the break in the worship service, parents can sign in their children at the desk at the top of the stairs off the foyer and sign them out after communion.

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

## children

Kids' Bible Time is our program for kids ages Kindergarten through 3rd grade. It takes place on the third floor 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](mailto:mdean@ncfstl.org)*

## youth group

Middle and High School Youth Groups have a combined Sunday School class from 9am-10am in the Youth Room. Our Youth Group mid-week meetings will resume after Labor Day. High School will meet Mondays from 7pm-9pm. Middle School will meet 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](mailto:otto@ncfstl.org)*