

New Life News



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NEW LIFE & LITTLE BETHANY WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday Worship Times

Little Bethany - 8:45 a.m.
New Life Lutheran 10:00 a.m.

Holy Communion:

Little Bethany ~ First Sunday each month
New Life ~ First and Third Sunday each month

Coffee Fellowship:

Cancelled until further notice

Sunday School

Kids Power in Christ at NLLC
9:00 a.m. Sept-May

Youth Group at NLLC

Check the Youth Page

WELCA/Bible Studies:

Cancelled until further notice

NEW LIFE CIRCLE BIBLE STUDY

1:30 pm Tuesday, September 8th - CANCELLED

LITTLE BETHANY WELCA BIBLE STUDY

2:00 pm Tuesday, September 8th - CANCELLED

YOUTH YARD GAMES AT EAST PARK

11:00 am Sunday, September 13th

NLLC COUNCIL MEETING

6:30 pm Wednesday September 16th

FIRST COMMUNION INSTRUCTION

11:15 am Sunday, September 20th

3:30 pm Sunday, September 23rd

YOUTH ZOOM BINGO

7:30 pm Sunday, September 27th

ACT PRACTICE TESTING

8:30 am - 2:00 pm Tuesday, September 29

FIRST COMMUNION SUNDAY

10:00 am - Sunday, October 4th

CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION

6:30 pm Tuesday, October 6th, Wednesday October 7th,
OR Thursday October 8th

SERVICE GROUP LEADERS

September Gary & Kari Johnson
Brandon & Hillary Langfeld

October Joe & Lori Tillman
John & Diane Kunze

Office Manager Hours

(Please note change in office hours)

Tuesday - 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Wednesday - 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Thursday - 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

NLLC Committee Members

* Bold are just to help differentiate each individual and their contact information.
(If you are on this list and your information is incorrect or missing please contact Patrice in the office)

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Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Grace and peace to you in the name of our gracious God: the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.



It had been a glorious summer for me, working, camping, and recreating in the great outdoors. I wasn't of age yet, but I was old enough and trusted enough to work a job and exercise some pretty significant freedoms—and, I was loving it! Out there, I thought I'd seen God in the magnificent blazing sunsets and the vast prairie landscapes. It seemed like I'd heard him as the unhindered winds that made the grasses whisper with his holiness. It was so intense, yet so peaceful; so empowering, yet so humbling.

Then came the end. Summer was over. I returned to the routine of classrooms and homework. It was not so easy to find God in the weary pages of English grammar and the wearing memorization of the periodic table for chemistry. Even the big kick-off event at church for the youth seemed a bit under-whelming.

Then came Sunday morning. I was starting my second year of teaching third-graders at Sunday School. Of course, it was in the basement which was lacking good light and painted so bland. It noisy and confining; the kids were giddy and showed little attention. It was chaotic, as the first day of Sunday School usually is. Needless to say, sensing God, there, wasn't so easy. . .

Not until one bedraggled third grader—the only one who had seemed to have been paying any attention, the one who seemed an outsider, a loner, amidst all these reuniting friends, the one person who seemed in most need of a friend, grabbed my hand—simply because I had acknowledged her attention with eye contact and an appreciative smile—She grabbed my hand, and with all earnestness asked, in a frail, whispery voice, “Are you an angel?”

A little shocked, I smiled again, and began to shake my head, trying to say “no.” But, as I prepared to say the word, I was arrested by the girl's transfixed face which seemed to be begging for an affirmative answer. I thought to myself—maybe here and now, for this young girl, I am some sort of an angel, a ministering servant of our great God. Could it be?

I paused a little bit longer searching for a proper answer. And, she waited for an answer. Then, half-guiltily, half-dumbfoundedly I said, “Maybe, . . . maybe I am a little bit of an angel—but no more of an angel than you are being for me right now. Maybe we are angels for each other.”

That seemed to be what she needed to hear that day. It was, definitely, what I needed to hear, what I needed to experience that day. Yes, God can be found out there in the sunsets and the prairies, in the mountains and the lakes, and in all the other delights and majesties of God's creation—but all of that is just the periphery of God's presence. His true presence and greatest majesty is found when we touch each other and affirm one another, when we care enough to love as God loves—when we are some sort of angel, the servant of God, for and to one another.

I personally would like to thank all the teachers out there, whatever it is and wherever it is that you teach. You are, in a very special way, touching the hearts and lives of so many—even when they don't seem to be paying attention, even when it seems so terribly chaotic. Thank you!
And, thank you to the students who, in turn, touch them.

May we all keep all teachers, school administrators and staff, and all those who are students in our prayers as they enter this new and hugely challenging school year.

Take care and God bless!

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Randy

A Teacher takes a
hand, opens a mind,
and touches a heart.

“Education
is not a **PROBLEM**.
Education
is an **OPPORTUNITY**.”

Lyndon B. Johnson

Heart of a Servant

Give me the heart of a servant,
Tender and faithful and true.
Fill me with love, then use me, O Lord,
So that the world can see You.



**New Life Lutheran Church
Unapproved Minutes
August 19th, 2020**

New Life Lutheran Church Council met at 6:05 pm on August 19, 2020 at NLLC in Rothsay MN. Present were: Mike Heidecker, Jessi Christ, Brenda Balken, John Reber, Jessica Nelson, Steph Olson, Randy Whitehead, Renae Frosli, Patrice Ziegler, Gayla Western and Lorin Hansen.

The meeting opened with devotions from Randy.

1.0 Approval of Agenda: Jessi made a motion to approve the amended agenda, Brenda seconded it, motion carried.

2.0 Approval of June 2020 Council Minutes: Jessi made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 2020 meeting, Brenda seconded it, motion carried.

3.0 Treasurers Report: Brenda made a motion to approve the treasurer's report, Jessi seconded it, motion carried.

4.0 Ongoing Business

4.1 Technology update: John was looking into an Ipad for the church to record sermons and for streaming the church services in the future. Jessi made a motion to request funds from the foundation to purchase an Ipad and any accessories that may be needed for it. Brenda seconded it, motion carried.

4.2 Parking lot: There was some discussion about using a cold patch for the parking lot, the property committee is going to continue to work on a solution.

4.3 Defibrillator: The Rothsay Fire Department gave the church a check for \$344.00 and we will purchase the replacement equipment.

4.4 Meatball supper: John made a motion for an indefinite postponement of the meatball supper. Brenda seconded it, motion carried.

5.0 New Business

5.1 Correspondence:

The Insurance company sent a letter regarding the claim on the Sunday School door. Patrice called them and cancelled the claim.
World Hunger - donation request
Wilkin County 4-H on World Safety - donation requested
Guitar center pro called for the Worship/Music Committee

5.2 Upcoming events:

Sept. 13th – Rally Sunday - postponed
Sept. 20th & 23rd – First Communion Classes
Sept. 29 – Practice ACT testing
Oct. 4th - First Communion Sunday
Oct. 6th – ACT testing
Oct. 7th & 11th – 3rd Grade Bible Class
Oct. 25th – Confirmation Sunday – Questionnaire is being sent out to the families

5.3 Committee meeting expectations: Mike mentioned to still have monthly meetings with your committees, so you can report back to the council. This is important to keep things running smoothly.

5.4 Custodial review and job description: The executive committee would like to meet with janitorial staff to discuss the updates to the job description. It was discussed someone representing the SMART team would like to be involved to

discuss proper training for staff during the pandemic.

5.5 Constitutional update: Need to work on including both cemeteries into the constitution. John asked Patrice to look for a copy of the constitution and send it to him.

5.6 Church lawn care: It was discussed to have a checklist of expectations on what needed to be done with the lawn. Patrice will type it up and Lorin will give it to them.

5.7 Quote for emergency light batteries: Lightspeed Electric gave us a quote to replace the emergency light batteries which amounted to: \$487.75, for replacement of 19 batteries and the labor to install. John made a motion to go ahead with the above mentioned, Jessi seconded it, motion carried.

5.8 SMART Team update & survey results: Patrice gave the council copies of the survey results. Looking over the results nearly 70% of congregants were not ready to return to indoor worship. The SMART team is recommending postponing indoor worship until mid-October, council agreed. A letter will be included in the monthly newsletter on our continued plan for New Life Lutheran Church during this pandemic.

6.0 Pastor's report: Summary of the report given to council. Worship services (18) between online and both church parking lot services. Two funerals and three baptisms. Looking at postponing confirmation instruction until mid October when we have more information about how things are locally. Recommends going forward with the First Communion instruction and 3rd Grade Bible instruction as plans for these will be outdoors. Also addressed that the SMART Team has met and will continue to meet and prepare a plan for when the church can safely return to indoor worship.

7.0 Youth Director's report: A couple of the youth met with Jessica in the parking lot on Aug. 16 and decorated parking lot spots with chalk. No one had signed up yet for a youth gathering at Randy's on Aug. 23rd. Looking forward to plan youth events for September. Continues to reach out to the youth on Snapchat, Instagram and Facebook.

8.0 Office Manager's report: The Annual Sprinkler check was moved to another date. Blessing of back packs was brought up and discussion of what would be the best way to accomplish this. Thoughts of sending out a video online for the parents and students to do together. Patrice mentioned her hours may be changing due to distance learning.

9.0 WELCA: They met and are requesting to start quilting again with certain guidelines in place. Dar Rose and Elaine Balken will be the two heading it up. They will have no more than 5 people quilting at a time and abide to the church guidelines. Council gave their approval on this request.

10.0 NLLC Foundation report: No update

11.0 Committee reports:

Worship & Music – No report

Education – A lady in Fargo has some free curriculum that the committee is looking into.

Youth – See 7.0

Evangelism & Mission/Family Life & Social Concerns – No report

Church Property – Lorin reported that the switch was not working that operates the automatic front door. Also he insulated a refrigerator line. Also that the LP was down to 35% and the summer fill is at \$1.05 and we have a 1000 gallon tank. It was approved to fill up to the budgeted amount of \$525.00.

Stewardship – Committee would like to know the numbers of online giving; as they are hoping to get more members using the online giving features that the church has set up.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:50pm with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,
Brenda Balken



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Dear Fellow Members of New Life Lutheran Church,

Grace and peace to you in the name of God: the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We hope this letter finds you well in body, mind, and spirit.

We recently conducted a survey of congregational members concerning the COVID-19 virus and gathered our congregation's responses. After studying the survey results and considering several other factors, it has been decided to postpone reopening the church building for indoor worship services until at least mid-October. The leading factors guiding this decision are that:

- Nearly 70% of the respondents answered that they were not ready to return to indoor worship at this time.
- The significant challenges and added expenses of safely adhering to guidelines issued by county, state, and national health entities concerning churches meeting and worshipping indoors during the pandemic.
- A high percentage of our members are in the high-risk category as far as susceptibility to COVID-19.

In the meantime, we will continue to offer online worship (updated on the website weekly) and in-person parking lot/outdoor worship services. This means Rally Sunday has been postponed until a later date, and the Meatball supper is postponed indefinitely. The New Life SMART Team, Council, staff, and volunteers will continue to prepare the church facility for a safe return to indoor worship and other indoor activities while monitoring the COVID-19 situation and the evolving government guidelines.

The SMART Team is planning to conduct another survey Oct 1st - 10th to assess the comfort level of congregational members concerning the return to indoor, in-person worship at that time. We will continue to develop the government required plan for safely opening our facility for indoor worship. We anticipate results from the school opening for in-person instruction will have an impact one way or another on people's perceptions. The next survey will also include questions for parents regarding Sunday school. We ask that you please be on the lookout for the survey, your input will be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance.

In addressing concerns and suggestions brought up by members in the previous survey, the New Life Council, SMART Team, and staff are:

- Preparing for online ZOOM and outdoor Bible studies
- Preparing for online devotions for adults, families, and children (we are looking for volunteers of all ages to help prepare and produce these).
- Purchasing and learning software to record worship services, Bible studies, and devotions on DVDs for distribution to those without internet access.
- Focusing on making the website easier and more accessible.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your kind attention!

Take care, stay safe, and God bless! Yours in Christ,
The New Life Church Council
The New Life SMART Team
Patrice Ziegler (New Life Office Manager)
Jessica Nelson (Youth Director)
Pastor Randy Whitehead



8:45 am at Little Bethany Lutheran Church

10:00 am at New Life Lutheran Church
(Tune in your radio to 101.3, online bulletins available at newlifeparish.net)

Please feel free to bring a lawn chair to sit outside, you can also bring an umbrella or canopy for shade.

Feel free to wave or yell "Hello" to others while practicing social distancing and maintaining 6 feet away from those not in your immediate household. Masks are not required but are encouraged if you are sitting outside of your vehicle.

First Communion Classes

Typically children have received first communion during 5th grade at New Life. But, if your child has been showing interest in communion and you think they are ready to begin receiving it earlier, we welcome you to join us during one of our classes. This year these classes will be held outdoors and you will need to pre-register your child so that we can adhere to state and local guidelines. You can register by calling the church office at 867-6557.



Only **one** class will need to be attended, either:

Sunday September 20th at 11:15am or

Wednesday September 23rd at 3:30pm

First Communion will be taking place during the parking lot/outdoor worship at New Life Lutheran Church on October 4th, 2020.

Meatball Supper Postponed Indefinitely

Teachers Needed

We are looking for volunteers to donate 2 - 5 hours a month to be music leaders, Sunday school teachers, or Sunday school subs for the 2020-2021 year!

If you are interested please contact Steph Olson, Hillary Langfeld, Missy Amundson, or the church office.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of volunteers to run the sound equipment on Sunday mornings for the months of August and September and readers to pre-record readings for Sunday services. Training is available for those willing to run the sound. Please contact the church office (867-6557) to sign up for a future Sunday! We appreciate your willingness to help keep our church running.

Seeking Donations

WELCA is in need of the following to finish baby, kids school, & health kits for the October pick up:

New Items

- ◆ Notebooks - 70 pages, wide ruled (4 notebooks per 1 kit)
- ◆ Pens (5 per kit)
- ◆ Erasers, 2.5 inches
- ◆ Toothbrushes

New or Used Items

- ◆ Bath towels, about 52"x27" prefer dk colors
- ◆ Sheets, any size or condition
- ◆ Sleepers 6 months - 2 years (2 per kit)

Donations can be dropped off at the church.

God Bless,
WELCA Committee



Circle Meetings

**TENTATIVE DATES -
SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

Little Bethany WELCA
Cancelled until further notice

NLLC WELCA MEETING
Cancelled until further notice

*Grow Old Along with me
The Best is Yet To Be*

The following is a list of our members who are either in a nursing home or are homebound. If you are nearby and have a few minutes to spare, most of them would love to have you stop by and say Hello. You can always call ahead and see if a visit would be welcomed.

- Berdella Sogn ~ 394 Woodland Dr. #109,
Fergus Falls. (Phone 998-7262)
- Debbie Faulkner ~ 1131 Mabelle Ave. Room B-209
Fergus Falls (Pioneer Care)
- Lonny Western ~ 117 E Hilltop Dr. Fergus Falls
(218-739-5613)
- Delores Lerbakken ~ Rosewood on Broadway,
1351 N. Broadway, Fargo, (701-277-7999)
- Gilman Nord ~ 215 E. Skogmo Blvd. Apt. 13 Fergus
Falls, MN 56537
- Phyllis Balken ~ 1315 S. Mable Ave.
Fergus Falls, MN 56537 (218-998-9974)
- Eleanor Opsahl ~ 215 E. Mill Ave. #101
Pelican Rapids, MN 56572
- Donna Nord ~ 2401 11th St. S #109
Moorhead, MN 56560

If you know of someone who should be on this list,
please call Patrice at the church office at:
(218) 867-6557.

New Life Women of the ELCA,

Officers & committee members met on August 17th at the Rothsay Park to discuss a plan for proceeding with our Lutheran World Relief projects.

The plan we have decided to try is meeting each Wednesday starting August 26th from 10am - 2pm in the church fellowship hall with only 5 women present each week. In order to keep this working plan please call Dar Rose (867-1176) or Elaine Balken (867-2352) to reserve your space. Top priority will be tying quilts, but assembling other projects is possible if there has been enough supplies gathered.

- Janice Rudh, Sec.

Dear Friends in Christ,

While the past few months have been challenging for all of us, we are blessed to have a God that loves us, and we are blessed to have each other. While we'd love to be together, it's important now that we're apart. It should come as no surprise that our offerings are down since we haven't been able to worship in our building. We'd like to take the time to ask you to consider other offering options at this time:

Online: Simply visit newlifeparish.net and click "Online Giving." Or you can donate through the ShareFaith app. If you want to give but need assistance, please call the Church office and we'll connect you with someone who can help.

In Person: Our Parking Lot services include an Offering Bucket, or you can drop off your offering at the Church during regular hours.

Finally, thank you. Whether you give a lot or a little, or offer your support through your time or your presence in worship and prayer, you are a valued part of our congregation and of God's creation. We are all in this together, and for that we can be thankful.

Blessings, and have a great summer.

The NLLC Stewardship Committee

John Reber, Tammy Moen-Lankow, Kristen Heidecker, Bruce Brenden

NEW LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

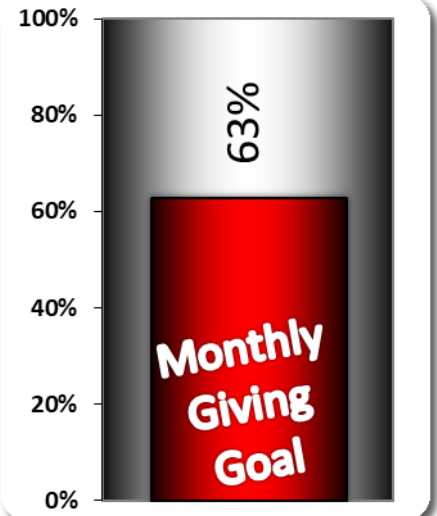
July 2020

July Income	\$15,469.01
July Disbursements	(\$15,327.02)
July Less in/out Income	(\$ 460.00)
July Net Loss	(\$ 318.01)

August 2020 Giving Outlook

Week	Giving
2-Aug	2,838
9-Aug	2,675
16-Aug	3,491
23-Aug	898
30-Aug	
e-giving	

Goal:	15,820
Total:	9902.23



63%

Little Bethany Donations

The council had a request on information for members to make a donation to the church. Your treasurer contacted Midwest Bank and received the following information: any member may set up their own account to make a transfer to Little Bethany Lutheran Church. Similar to any other bill payment they may already have set up with their banking institution.

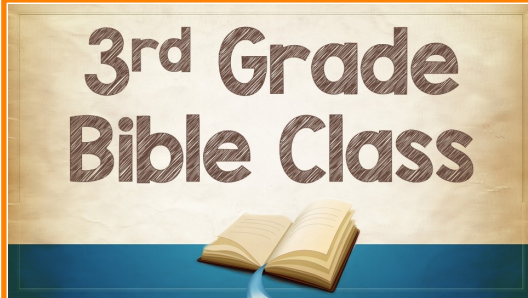
So it's your choice to do this and it might be helpful for you and your church. Just think, no more forgetting to write a check, no more postage, no more envelopes, and you are maintaining the financial health of your church.

That should give you a warm fuzzy!?!

There is also an offering bucket in place during our Sunday morning parking lot services at 8:45 am.

Thank you,
Steve Froslic
Treasurer
Little Bethany Lutheran Church

Rally Sunday is
POSTPONED
until a later date.



October 7th at 3:30pm
or
October 11th at 11:00 am

Only **one** class is needed to attend for instruction. This year classes will be held outdoors and you will need to pre-register your child so that we can adhere to state and local guidelines.

You can register by calling the church office at 867-6557. Bibles will be handed out to students during our parking lot/outdoor service on October 25th.

Confirmation Orientation

7th & 8th Grade students & parents
October 6th, October 7th, **OR** October 8th
at 6:30 pm

Pre-register for orientation, 6 family units maximum per session, masks required.
Zoom attendance available per request.

Please feel free to contact Pastor Randy, or the church office with any questions.

Pencil In On Your Calendars

Youth yard games at East Park

September 13th
11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Watch the youth Facebook page for
any updates!

You are always welcome to come and
"sit with" Jess during worship every
Sunday, bring or own lawn chair.

Youth Zoom Bingo

September 27th
7:30 pm

Come prepared for fellowship, fun,
& bingo with prizes!



Zoom ID for all meetings:
792 8196 4844

Password:
NLLC youth



September

*New Life Lutheran Church
Little Bethany Lutheran Church*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 10am WELCA Quilting	3	4	5
6 8:45am Worship at LB 10am Worship at NL	7 	8	9 10am WELCA Quilting	10	11	12
13 8:45am Worship at LB 10am Worship at NL 11:00am Youth Yard Games @ East Park	14	15 	16 10am WELCA Quilting 6:30pm Council meeting	17	18	19
20 8:45am Worship at LB 10am Worship at NL 11:15am First Communion instruction	21	22	23 10am WELCA Quilting 3:30pm First Communion Instruction	24	25	26
27 8:45am Worship at LB 10am Worship at NL 7:30pm Youth Zoom	28	29 8:30am ACT Practice Test	30 10am WELCA Quilting			

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

The following is a list of birthdays as listed in our church records for this month. If your name should be on the list and isn't (or is on the list and shouldn't be), please call the church office.

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| 9/1 ~ Loretta Faulkner | 9/16 ~ Michael Nelson |
| 9/1 ~ Maxine March | 9/17 ~ Lloyd Ouse |
| 9/2 ~ Marlys Carlsrud | 9/19 ~ Daryl Schleeter |
| 9/3 ~ Loken Brandt | 9/21 ~ Maxim Boyce |
| 9/3 ~ Mary Brandt | 9/22 ~ Nita Neuleib |
| 9/4 ~ Dan Tenderholt | 9/23 ~ Jim Boyce |
| 9/6 ~ Steve Froslic | 9/23 ~ Jerry Tenderholt |
| 9/8 ~ Mitchell Fabre | 9/24 ~ Rachel Brenden |
| 9/9 ~ Paul Fosse | 9/25 ~ Tamber Dupree |
| 9/10 ~ Nathan Kroeplin-Oien | 9/26 ~ Eileen Braton |
| 9/13 ~ Patricia Melkert | 9/26 ~ Samuel Whitehead |
| 9/14 ~ Oliver Langfeld | 9/27 ~ Destiny Eckley |
| 9/14 ~ Donald Aksamit | 9/27 ~ Lexie Jensen |
| 9/15 ~ Travis Maras | 9/27 ~ Tom Jensen |
| 9/15 ~ Bonnie Sorum | 9/30 ~ Eric Nelson |
| 9/16 ~ Donald Baumgartner | 9/30 ~ Shiela Sogge |
| 9/16 ~ Gary Erickson | |

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

The following is a list of Anniversaries as listed in our church records for this month. If your names should be on the list and aren't or are on the list and shouldn't be, please call the church office.

- 9/01 ~ Dan & Renae Froslic
- 9/02 ~ Cole & Heather Ouse
- 9/05 ~ Bruce & Kim Brenden
- 9/06 ~ Travis & Stephanie Olson
- 9/06 ~ David & LouAnn Opsahl
- 9/07 ~ Roger & Kathy Bilden
- 9/12 ~ Jeremy & Kari Carlsrud
- 9/13 ~ Al & Sara Shirley
- 9/18 ~ Greg & Deb Erickson
- 9/18 ~ Bill & Barb Nitz
- 9/23 ~ John & Sharon Ackert
- 9/23 ~ Glenn & Tammy Lankow
- 9/23 ~ Wayne & Doris Moen
- 9/23 ~ Darrel & Connie Tollefson
- 9/26 ~ Paul & Lori Jorgenson
- 9/28 ~ Bob & Char Boe

SOUND SYSTEM OPERATORS FOR THIS MONTH



- September 6 -
- September 13 - Nathan Ziegler
- September 20 - Jessica Nelson
- September 27 -

We are always looking for volunteers to run our sound system. If you would like to volunteer, please contact the church office. Training is available.

SCRIPTURE READERS FOR THIS MONTH

- September 6 - Joyce Peterson
- September 13 -
- September 20 -
- September 27 -



We are always looking for volunteers for future readings. If you would like to volunteer, please contact the church office.

Website/Mobile Directory/App

Website: www.newlifeparish.net

Mobile Directory: <https://>

mobiledirectory.lifetouch.com/177579/new-life-lutheran-church

Access Code: **92017**

App: Download **sharefaith** app from google play or the app store. Open sharefaith app Church is

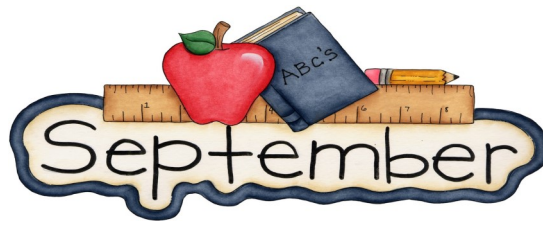


NLLC Rothsay

Find us on **Facebook** at **New Life Lutheran Church**



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September Bible Reading Schedule:	
Sep 1: Ezek 18-19	Sep 16: Dan 7-9
Sep 2: Ezek 20-21	Sep 17: Dan 10-12
Sep 3: Ezek 22-23	Sep 18: Ezra 1-3
Sep 4: Ezek 24-27	Sep 19: Ezra 4-6; Ps 137
Sep 5: Ezek 28-31	Sep 20: Haggai
Sep 6: Ezek 32-34	Sep 21: Zech 1-7
Sep 7: Ezek 35-37	Sep 22: Zech 8-14
Sep 8: Ezek 38-39	Sep 23: Est 1-5
Sep 9: Ezek 40-41	Sep 24: Est 6-10
Sep 10: Ezek 42-43	Sep 25: Ezra 7-10
Sep 11: Ezek 44-45	Sep 26: Neh 1-5
Sep 12: Ezek 46-48	Sep 27: Neh 6-7
Sep 13: Joel	Sep 28: Neh 8-10
Sep 14: Dan 1-3	Sep 29: Neh 11-13; Ps 126
Sep 15: Dan 4-6	Sep 30: Malachi