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Thank You For Your Ongoing Support! Your generosity keeps us thriving and allows us to share Jesus and make a positive impact in our community and beyond. We invite you to consider the convenience of online giving, available through our website at newlifenorwalk.org. It's a safe, hassle-free, and consistent way to contribute to our church's mission and ministries. You can make a difference with just a few clicks!

Venmo is also a great option @NLLCNorwalk. Your continued support means that together, we're making a positive impact. Thank you for being a part of our community and for helping us grow and serve even more.



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Schedule for this Week

- Sunday 4.28.24 - Worship 9:30 am; Sunday School 10:45 am; Money Matters Q & A 10:45 am
- Monday 4.29.24 - Office Closed; Community Blood Drive 2-6 pm; Girlfriends in God 6:30 pm
- Wednesday 5.1.24.24 - Prayer Team 1 pm; Mid-Week Worship 6:30 pm; Small Group Confirmation Discussions 5:45 & 7:15 pm
- Thursday 5.2.24 - Food Pantry 2 - 7 pm
- Friday 5.3.24 - High School Breakfast at Maid-Rite 7 am
- Sunday 5.5.24 - Worship 9:30 am; 1st Sunday Lunch @ El Maya Mexican Restaurant in Norwalk

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Larry Wilson - friend of Dick & Christie Kobernusz
- Robert Cramer - Reynolds Cramer's dad
- Bill Collins - Sheila Cramer's dad
- Linda Shelton & Rosie Mitchell - Kim Driscoll's aunts
- Erica Axiotos - friend of Reynolds & Sheila Cramer
- Etta Huffy & Karen Prewitt - friends of Krista Place
- Glen Hayworth - Greg Hayworth's uncle
- Rick Wood - friend of Franz & Linda Spad
- Karen Porter
- Marilyn Prier - Rob Prier's mom
- Theresa Prier - Rob Prier's sister-in-law
- Jim Wiskow
- Linda Hecht - Sheila Cramer's aunt
- Lou Taylor - Lance Taylor's mom
- Walker Hein
- Fran Dempsey
- Verlaine Hayes
- Jean Bragg
- Gary Ramquist
- Ernine Larson - Lori Prier's uncle & aunt
- Matt & Laurie - friends of Taylors
- Lannie Rockhold - friend of Russell & Krista Place
- Don Pilling - Nick Pilling's dad
- Lois Smith - Rusty Smith' mom
- Ryan Sievers - friend of the Porter family
- Theron Kobernusz - Dick Kobernusz' nephew
- David Stephens - friend of Amanda Fletcher
- Calyn Thompson - Tommy & Connie Thompson's daughter
- Jamie & Tara - friends of Linnea Stockwell
- Jeanne Spoden - Sheila Taylor's sister
- Donna Wunsch - Lisa Smith's mom

New Life Lutheran Church

April 28, 2024

We Exist: To Grow in Faith and Make Christ Known

A growing church FOR a growing community!

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For Further Study: Genesis 37, Genesis 41 & Genesis 50:20

Welcome Visitors & Newcomers We are absolutely thrilled to welcome you to our worship today! Be sure to stop by our welcome tables where an exciting surprise gift and a warm welcome letter await you. Stay connected with us through social media (@newlifenorwalkia) or by visiting our website at newlifenorwalk.org. Your presence brings us joy because it's a reminder that Jesus is right here with us. We're absolutely delighted that you've chosen to join us today!

Food Pantry Thank you for your incredible generosity in supporting the the Norwalk Area Ministerial Association! This week the pantry served 79 families. At the present time is cereal & hamburger helper. If you're interested in volunteering with the food pantry, please reach out to co-coordinators Leanne Smith & Karen Chapman at norwalkiapantry@gmail.com.

Girlfriends in God has started a new study based on Laura Story's book: "I Give Up". Sessions dates are 4/29, 5/13 and 6/3. All sessions are 6:30 pm at church.

Let's Get Growing! We're kicking off our 11th year of growing fresh produce for the Norwalk Area Food Pantry! Join us for planting days: Saturday, May 18, from 10 AM to Noon and Tuesday, May 21, from 6 PM to 8 PM. Be part of something green! For more details or to volunteer for a fun summer of gardening, contact Kari Murray. Let's grow together!

Noisy Offering Thanks to your generosity, March's noisy offering raised \$693.27 for the Special Olympics of Iowa! April's Noisy offering will be used for scholarships and supplies for Vacation Bible School in July.

First Sunday Lunch All Mission Trip Participants are invited to lunch at El Maya Mexican Restaurant in Norwalk on Sunday, May 5th at 11:45. Amigos, we gotta RSVP for this one for our table reservation. Contact Pastor Nate.

Mother's Day is May 12th. Make plans to start your Mother's Day with us! We'll have special treats, flowers and a blessing of all mothers and of course a specials photo spot just for your family.

Council News Our Council and Executive Committee held their regular April meeting last Tuesday evening. There is a summary of the minutes of this meeting on the desk in the south entrance.

Community Blood Drive Help make a difference in our community. New Life will be hosting another blood drive on Monday, April 29 from 2 - 6 pm. Sign up online using the links from our website: newlifenorwalk.org. If you are currently unable to donate blood but would still like to help out, please contact Anna Lund about volunteering at annalund11@gmail.com.

Silent Auction Thank You! Thank You! With your overwhelming generosity and support, we raised a fantastic \$3,145! These funds are launching our mission trips to Milwaukee, WI, and Spindale, NC. Thanks to you, our kids are set to make a meaningful impact!

Money Matters Elevate your financial wisdom! Join us Sundays through the month of April, post-church at 10:45 AM, for 45-minute power sessions on insurance, investing, wills, and budgeting. Unlock insights with Q & A's led by financial experts:

- April 28: Sean Coen on Budgeting and Planning.
- Don't miss these impactful gatherings designed to enhance your financial health. Ideal for anyone aiming to navigate their finances with confidence.

Vacation Bible School We're getting ready for our favorite week of the year! VBS is set for July 14-17 from 6-8 pm. Our kids will get to experience a fantastic "Jungle Journey" - Exploring Faith Through Adventure. Help us plan by registering your child as soon as possible and encourage your child to invite a friend. Details and online registration are on our website newlifenorwalk.org.

New Member Class Have you been visited for a while and would like to learn more about membership here at New Life? Pastor Mike will be leading a New Member Class on May 19 following worship. He'd love for you to join!

Vision Statement: "New Life will be a congregation that: Actively INVITES and WELCOMES all, demonstrates both desire and evidence of a LIVING FAITH, and has the space to meet the needs of a GROWING church and community."