VACCINATIONS

Pastor Jason

At times we find it necessary to speak to current events and what is happening in the world so the flock of New Life are fully informed and hear the biblical perspective that the elders have on such matters. Last Sunday, Pastor Bruce spoke in great detail as to our thoughts and feelings concerning the vaccines. We want to be very clear: we are NOT telling you what you should or should not do in regards to the vaccine, we are simply stating that you need to be informed and make a wise and prayerful decision. That said, we have no hesitation letting you know that all of the elders have some major reservations about the production and lack of testing of these vaccines. We have shared concern over the "ingredients" as well as the unknown side effects that could potentially arise. Just this morning, the government "paused" the J & J vaccine due to dangerous cases of blood clotting.

Some of you have taken it already and all of us have family members that have as well. We by no means are trying to instill fear in regards to this vaccine, however, we feel it is our calling to watch over the flock of God and help you choose how to navigate the waters of these troubled times. If you took the vaccine...trust that God will keep you. If you don't take the vaccine...trust that God will keep you! Have faith in HIM!

THRIVE YOUTH CORNER

Parents: Thank you so much for attending our luncheon on Sunday, April 11. We are blessed to be able to work with, and develop your students' spiritual giftings and abilities. It really is a lot of fun to be a youth leader and we appreciate you sharing them, along with your insight into how better to communicate with them.

We heard your feedback in the meeting and will continue to make their youth experience enjoyable as well as spiritually filling. I (Tom S.) remember that my salvation experience was at youth camp and I will never forget how grateful I am that youth leaders cared for me, prayed for me, and developed a spiritual foundation in me. God is SO GOOD!

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May 19, 6:00 pm **New Life Work Day &** Cookout

Come one, come all, for the New Life Work Day. Meet at the Worship Center at 6:00 pm where we will have

hot dogs & hamburgers ready for you! There is work to be done at both locations so be ready and bring the skills! All abilities and skill levels are encouraged to come because there is something for everyone.



May 14 & 16

Denny & Diane Cramer

Denny will be ministering to us on these dates so make sure that you keep them open! You won't want to miss these services and it would be a good idea to invite a friend or two as well.



Can you believe it's time to start prepping for Vacation

Bible School already? Well it is! Sign up today for kids aged 3 through 6th grade at https://vbspro.events/p/ events/newlifechristiancenter or you can find the link on our New Life Christian Center Facebook page. Sign up today as spots are limited! Shirts are available to purchase for \$10 each, and are optional.





Prayer Reminder

Daily

that there is daily prayer in the sanctuary from 7:00 am - 8:00 am Monday through Saturday. If you can't attend, please spend this time with the Lord where you are at.

GETTING TO KNOW YOU

Let me introduce you to Brent and Vicki Beverly. They have been coming to New Life for a few years, and they are a great couple to get to know. You may have seen Vicki's smiling face at the McDonalds drive thru when you would get your early morning coffees or hash browns. She spent a number of years there greeting people. Brent has worked at CAPT in the maintenance department for quite a few years. He has always been a hard worker and knowledgeable with tools. Vicki grew up in San Gabriel, California and has 8 sisters! She was very athletic, loving softball, volleyball, gymnastics, and track

growing up. Her Baptist roots, as the superintendent group i n teenage years, numerous times, pentecostal church



family had strong her grandfather was of their church California. In her Vicki moved and found a she really enjoyed

and pressed into. Brent grew up in Churubusco, Indiana and has 2 siblings and has always had farming in his blood. He didn't necessarily have a churched background though he did attend a Lutheran church near Fort Wayne for a time. The two met each other in 2005 and married in 2011. Brent had a major trial in life right after their marriage where he almost died, but was taken into emergency surgery. Vicki can tell the details of God's faithfulness in their lives. It is an amazing story! Between the two, they have 9 kids ranging from 23-35 and there are 6 grandkids with one on the way. They both enjoy New Life and visiting with the people. If you get a chance, ask Vicki about her story of God's faithfulness with tithing, and ask Brent about raising buffalo! He sure went for a ride! Make sure you get to know these good folks as soon as you can!

DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES

Discipleship 1: May 2, 5 - 7 pm



DESTINY SCHOOL OF MINISTRY

Pastor Justin

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