

1. You shall have no other _____ before me	6. You shall not _____
2. You shall not make or worship _____	7. You shall not commit _____
3. You shall not take the _____ or the _____ in vain	8. You shall not _____
4. Remember the _____ day and keep it holy	9. You shall not tell _____ against your neighbor.
5. Honor your _____ and _____	10. You shall not _____ other people's stuff.

newLife THRIVE YOUTH CORNER
CHRISTIAN CENTER

“Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, The fruit of the womb is a reward. Like arrows in the hand of a warrior, So are the children of one’s youth. Happy is the man who has his quiver full of them; They shall not be ashamed, But shall speak with their enemies in the gate.” Psalms 127:3-5 NKJV

We are so thankful that the Lord has blessed our body with an abundance of children. Three of our youth just graduated, but will continue to participate in youth events over the summer before they transition to their next step in life. We also have recently welcomed seven new youth into our youth group who will be entering 7th grade and many of who just attended their first church camp. Change can be scary but change also has a way of shaking up some things and keep the leaders and other youth on our toes. We are happy that we’ve got the opportunity to pour into the lives of these young people and have faith that each seed that has been planted will continue to be watered as the youth each grow in their relationship with the Lord.

“As a result of your ministry, they will give glory to God. For your generosity to them and to all believers will prove that you are obedient to the Good News of Christ. And they will pray for you with deep affection because of the overflowing grace God has given to you. Thank God for this gift too wonderful for words!”

2 Corinthians 9:13-15 NLT

529 North Walnut Street
Celina, OH 45822



The Connection

Volume 22 Issue 13

June 29, 2022

WORSHIP CENTER

7015 Havemann Road
Celina, OH 45822

OFFICES & FAMILY CENTER

529 North Walnut Street
Celina, OH 45822

Phone: 419-586-1095

Email: atmoffice@atmintl.org

Check out our Audio and Video Podcasts or Live Stream our services at:

nlcc-celina.org

Non-Profit Org. US Postage
PAID
Celina, Ohio
Permit #39
Address Service Requested



Everyone is welcome to join us at Bryson Memorial Pool in Celina for a great meal and fellowship, along with swimming if you choose. We ask that everyone bring

your own meat to grill, buns, and the following dish to share, according to your last name: **A-L Large Side Dish/Salad, M-Z Large Dessert/Fruit.** Drinks and table service will be provided by the church. You may want to bring a lawn chair for a more comfortable seat as well.



Tickets for this amazing concert at the Mercer County Fair can be bought at the church office. Grandstand tickets are \$30 and Track seats are \$40.



Join us for this Community Worship Service at the lake! Plan to bring a lawn chair and we encourage you to wear your New Life shirts!



YOUTH: We will be meeting at the Lowe's. Please bring a snack/ side to share and a change of clothes!



Contact a youth leader today about items you may want to donate to the youth for the world's largest yard sale! Please visit 115 E. Anthony St. for the sale.

GETTING TO KNOW YOU

Elizabeth Shefbuch

Let me introduce you to Scott Novitzke, Sr., who was born in Burlington, WI. Coming from a devout Catholic family, Scott held various positions in the church, including that of an altar boy. Scott had three brothers (two of whom are deceased), and two sisters. Scott's father was a contractor, and the family moved around a lot, which gave Scott many interesting opportunities, such as: When he was only 10 years old and living in New Orleans, he was hired to dive down into the water and remove barnacles from the bottoms of yachts! At age 11, he had three paper routes, and one day when he went to a customer's home to collect speechless to find Peyton Manning!



Some of the states that Wisconsin, Michigan, Besides that, for about a wife (who have 6 children also traveled all over the surprising that Scott, in his driving service, called "Any-Time Rides". Scott hires himself out for people needing rides to just about any place and any time of the day or night. The local police departments and hospitals also call him for rides for their patrons.

To hear this lively, active man talk, you wouldn't know that he had Hodgkins Lymphoma at one time, a crushed foot, a heart attack, collapsed lungs, congestive heart failure, and other health concerns. He credits God for seeing him through it all, and for continuing to see him through his health ordeals. Scott enjoys helping other people, golfing, fishing, enjoying time at the Moose (where he was named "Moose of the Year" in 2021). He's also very proud of his Associate degree from DSM.

Scott and his dog, Minnie, moved to Celina in 2017. After checking out other churches, he says that what cemented the deal for him with wanting NLCC for his church was when Marc Evers gave him a hug on his very first day here. Scott had been feeling down, and that hug was exactly what he needed. So you never, never know the impact that you are making in someone else's life. Getting to know Scott could be a major impact on your life as well!

Scott has lived in are: Indiana, and Louisiana. year and a half, he and his and 15 grandchildren) U.S. in an RV. So it isn't retirement, now has a

SERVANTS OF CHRIST

Steve Long

Jesus our Lord told us that; "He didn't come to be served, but to serve, and to give His Life a ransom for many." God also tells us to, "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus." The Kingdom of God is different than the kingdom of this world! In God's Kingdom the way to be great is to learn to be a servant of all. The principle of His Kingdom is, the way up is down, He must increase, I must decrease. To be like Jesus sounds wonderful, and we cry out for that, until we realize it involves suffering, and putting others before ourselves. God's Kingdom has none of the

to see them excel in His Kingdom. He longs for a Bride that looks and acts like Him, for the glory of His Father.

A worldly mindset has no place in the Church, what's in it for me, what can I get out of it, an obsession for control and to manipulate, it is all about self-promotion. I've seen many whose heart has been to act out and display their "anointing," or to demand a title.

The person who is too big to do little things is too little to do big things!

This soon leads to disqualification. The question should be, can I serve well? The person who is too big to do little things is too little to do big things! As a pastor when people would come to me and

vain ambitions we see in the world's kingdom. The world rebels at the thought of brokenness, surrender, submission, and obedience to a master other than self. We admit servant hood is not the natural man's response to life! To be a true servant of our God, we must have the mind of Christ. A servant of Christ endeavors to be humble and obedient to the Father, like Jesus who always did the will of His Father who sent Him. His heart was to seek the well-being of others, He wanted

ask what they could do in the church, I usually would say, "We need some one to clean the restrooms." That's not being mean, it is helping qualify them for leadership. Jesus exemplified to His disciples that servant leadership begins with a towel and not a robe. I believe God is looking for servants who love Him and love people. Servants who reach out to the rejected, the lonely, the despised, and the hopeless. Servants say, "Here I am Lord use me."

DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES

Discipleship 1: On Break, 5 - 7 pm

Discipleship 3: On Break, 8:00 - 9:15 am

