

Next to each abbreviation write the name of the book from The Bible.

 Num.	 Lev.
 Matt.	 Prov.
 Gen.	 Gal.
 Rom.	 Phil.
 Ps	 Ex.
 Rev.	 Song
 Eccl.	 2 Thess.



As we are quickly approaching summer, we want to highlight some important events going on the next few weeks at Thrive! There are several Wednesday evenings where we will not have youth group due to the team trainings. Those dates are May 28th, June 11th, and June 18th. To make up for those nights where we won't have our regular youth service, we are planning several bonfire / game nights out at the church. These two fun events will be on May 30th and June 4th, at 6:30 pm, and we plan on scheduling a few more soon! We will have volleyball games, football, spikeball, a bonfire, and more, so make sure you're there and not missing out on the fun! Also, on June 4th, we plan on welcoming the new 7th graders to youth! Finally, we of course have our annual summer camp on June 29th -July 2nd, so make sure you sign up for that if you haven't already!







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June 11, 18, 7:00 pm This will be the final level of leadership training. Team members are expected to attend, but these trainings are open to all. Teamology classes will be during our regularly scheduled Wednesday services.



## June 11, 9:30 - 11:30 am

There will be a Discipleship 2 class for men starting on June 11, at the Worship Center. If you are interested, contact Pastor Doyle for more information.



## **Band of Brothers** Golf Outing June 14, 2 pm (T-Time)

If you like playing golf and eating BBQ, then you will want to join in on this fun adventure held at Northmoor Golf Club. There is a sign up sheet at the Welcome Center Desk. See Dave Thompson or Jeff Monfort for more information.



**VBS 2025** June 22 - 26 6pm - 8:30 pm Registration is now open for kids ages 3 through entering the 7th grade. Pray about being a volunteer. Sign up on New Life's Facebook Group.



#### June 25 Due to VBS this week, there will be no evening service.



## June 29 - July 2

Be praying for our youth and youth leaders as they prepare for summer camp again this year at Cross Oak Camp and Retreat Center in St. Marvs. For more information, contact your youth leaders.

### WORD FROM DENNIS CRAMER Pastor Jason

To New Life: This is a church and a school and a hospital.

When I go to churches, every church sort of stands for something. Every church sort of has its own personality. Every church has its own message. And clearly, this church is about the healing and the restoring of the person. People have come here from other places, and they were a mess, and the anointing, the presence, the purpose of this work, what it's here for, is to bring wholeness to the individual. Many of you came here a mess. You weren't anywhere near whole, but the presence of God, everything about this church, its culture, produces wholeness in the individual. You were made whole, you continue to be whole, and there's a lot of

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decades, because you were founded by a stable apostle, and now you have stable elders, and you are a stable people. So, when you came here, you signed up for stability, and you've gotten stability for years. You've been made whole by the spirit of God that's on this place. The purpose of leadership is to protect and provide. Their job is to protect you and to feed you. That's what elders do. You are a protected people and a well-fed people, and you need to understand what you really have here. There's a lot of churches that come and go. They're not stable. They have controversy in their leadership. Their doctrines are off the wall, but this church is consistent. You can be confident in it. You will be protected, and you will be fed....You are the product of a stable environment.

## **DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES**

**Discipleship 2 Class for Men** June 11, 9:30 - 11:30 AM



#### PERU MISSION Tom Sanford

God's Kingdom is vast...and growing! Pastor Jason and I had the blessing of visiting and teaching our brothers and sisters in Tarapoto. It was a short trip, only 7 days in country, but it was definitely impacting! We are thankful for the church faithfully praying while we were gone.

the Baptism of the Holy Spirit!

> We visited their church events on Saturday and Sunday and we were again able to pray over people in great ministry time! Pastor Jason shared a phenomenal message on spiritual obedience in the Kingdom of God with Pastor John Linares translating. We

On Tuesday, May 6,

we flew out and were in Lima, Peru for a day. Then on Thursday and Friday evenings we taught

Destiny classes to the that San Pablo celebrated. students in San Pablo Ministry School. Pastor Jason taught Spiritual Authority (in the air conditioned classroom, no hard feelings at all...), and I taught the Doctrine of Baptisms (D-1) in the open air sanctuary. We finished teaching Saturday with a 5 hour stretch! Through translators, we each had about 10 hours of teaching time and we were able to in the next year. If you have pray with them, while a couple desired and received recommend it!



There were lots of fun games and delicious food.

Another great benefit to traveling to Tarapoto, is the AMAZING regional dishes that they cook. In most restaurants you saw the fresh fruit they cut up; there was less sugar in each meal yet still delicious, and the portion sizes were incredible. There are multiple trips coming up not traveled to Peru, I highly