

# Welcome!

## Our Mission

New City Fellowship exists to seek the establishment of God's kingdom rule in the lives of people from every ethnic group by **discipling** the nations in the reconciling Gospel of Jesus Christ through a clear proclamation of salvation by grace through faith in Christ alone and by doing Spirit-led deeds of justice and mercy.



SCAN ME

Scan the QR code to the left to see more information about the current house churches. Learn the Leaders, days, times and places! Fill out the form at the bottom and they will contact you!



HOUSE CHURCH  
MINISTRY

**Worship Service and Livestream** at 10:30 Am

**Francophone Service** at 10:30 AM in the Auditorium

**Adult Education Classes & Blast 9** at 9:00 AM

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Listen to Sermons Online: [www.newcityucity.org](http://www.newcityucity.org)

## Contact the Pastors

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Please reserve the parking lot behind the gym for those in our congregation that have a physical need for accessible parking close to the building. Able-bodied people may also park at the school across the street.

## Baptisms

If you are interested in scheduling a baptism please scan the QR Code, click the link, fill out the form and we will contact you!



# Sermon Text

## Sermon Title: Vision Casting

18 Where there is no prophetic vision the people cast off restraint, but blessed is he who keeps the law.

Proverbs 29:18

18 My joy is gone; grief is upon me;  
my heart is sick within me.

19 Behold, the cry of the daughter of my people  
from the length and breadth of the land:

“Is the Lord not in Zion?

Is her King not in her?”

“Why have they provoked me to anger with their carved images  
and with their foreign idols?”

20 “The harvest is past, the summer is ended,  
and we are not saved.”

21 For the wound of the daughter of my people is my heart wounded;  
I mourn, and dismay has taken hold on me.

22 Is there no balm in Gilead?

Is there no physician there?

Why then has the health of the daughter of my people  
not been restored?

Jeremiah 8: 18-22



# New City Fellowship University City

JANUARY 4, 2026

*Blessed Be Your Name*

Call To Worship **Psalm 18: 1-3, 31-36 (ESV)**

1 I love you, O Lord, my strength.  
2 The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer,  
my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge,  
my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.  
3 I call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised,  
and I am saved from my enemies.

31 For who is God, but the Lord?  
And who is a rock, except our God?—  
32 the God who equipped me with strength  
and made my way blameless.  
33 He made my feet like the feet of a deer  
and set me secure on the heights.  
34 He trains my hands for war,  
so that my arms can bend a bow of bronze.  
35 You have given me the shield of your salvation,  
and your right hand supported me,  
and your gentleness made me great.  
36 You gave a wide place for my steps under me,  
and my feet did not slip.

*God Great God*

*You Are God Alone*

*Faithful is Our God*

*Yahweh Tobelemi*

**Testimony Share and Lord's Prayer**

**Offering**

**\*\*Dismiss Nursery Volunteers**

**Announcements**

**Sermon: Sam Ivey**

**The Lord's Supper**

*Living He Loved Me*

**Benediction**

# What's Happening At New City Fellowship...

## Giving, Infants, Kids & Teens



### NCF U CITY UPCOMING EVENTS

**BLAST and Baby & Preschool Training | January 18 | 9:00 AM**

**Prayer & Plates | January 28 | 6:00 PM**



### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SUNDAYS, 9:00 AM

#### **Always Reconciling**

Class Led by Jim Ward & Herman Armstrong

NCF Cafeteria | 9:00 AM

Last class for 2025 on 12/14, class to resume 1/18

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY DAY & TIMES



#### **Study of Hebrews**

Wednesdays | 9:15-11 AM

Nursery Hall

Contact: Kathy Woodard (kathyw169@gmail.com)

## COMMUNICANTS CLASS

Open to students 4th-6<sup>th</sup> grade



We'll be offering a Communicants class for children who have made professions of faith and are ready to take communion. This class is designed to help kids understand the basic tenets of our faith to ensure they are ready to become full communing members and to assist parents in helping them take this next step in their relationship with God. If you believe your child is ready to take this class, please be sure to register them so we can plan accordingly. Classes will begin 1/25/26 starting at 9:00AM. Scan the QR code to register or to ask any questions!



## GriefShare®

A GriefShare grief support group for people grieving the death of a loved one is starting soon. Please join us here at New City University City beginning February 4th at 7:00 PM.

At GriefShare you'll watch a weekly video with counsel and insights from respected grief experts and relatable personal stories—followed by a time of sharing and support. Session topics include what's normal in grief; how to handle difficult emotions; and what to do with regrets, questions, and worries.

For more information, contact Sam Ivey, visit [griefshare.org](https://griefshare.org) or scan the QR code.



#### Check Designation

Please ensure checks are designated to New City Fellowship **University City**.



### New City Fellowship University City Online Giving

Scan the QR code to be directed to our online giving site, from there you can give to New City and our various ministries.



## Babies & PRESCHOOL

We provide care, Bible teaching, and songs for babies through preschoolers in the upstairs nursery rooms during the sermon. Parents can sign children in at the nursery desk during the service break and sign them out after communion. To receive updates, contact Bea Adiputra to join the parent email list.

**For more information contact Bea Adiputra: [badiputra@ncfstl.org](mailto:badiputra@ncfstl.org)**

## Blast AND BLAST 9

BLAST is for kids K-5th grade. Leaders take them to the 3rd floor when dismissed, and parents pick them up there after the service. Subscribe to the children's ministry e-newsletter for updates.

**To sign up for e-newsletters or more information contact Ali Grimshaw: [agrimshaw@ncfstl.org](mailto:agrimshaw@ncfstl.org)**

#### Youth Group

Youth Group is held on the first and third Sunday of every month from **12:30-2:30**. Youth ages 14-18 are welcome. Youth group is seeking new furniture for the youth room! Couches, rugs etc etc. please contact Susan or Reuel if you would like to donate.

**For more information text or call Reuel at 314-574-9543 or Susan at 314-303-0800**