

New Life in Christ Church Invites you to:

*Joy Has
Dawned*

Composed and Arranged by
Lloyd Larson

Presented by the
Adult Choir & Orchestra

Sunday Evening
December 22, 2022
6:00 p.m.

The birth, death and resurrection of Jesus is the fulfillment of God's plan for the redemption of man. Each year the celebration of His birth takes place throughout the world.

Like the angels, our response is very often expressed through song. Every corner of the globe has songs to celebrate the birth of Christ.

Join us for an evening of carols that express the Christmas message. It is an eternal message for all. It is a message to be embraced by all. Joy has dawned upon the world. And that is something to celebrate!

**New Life In Christ Church
11925 Burgess Lane**

(behind Spotsylvania Towne Centre)

(540) 786-4848

www.nlicc.org

You are invited to:

*A Christmas Eve
Candlelight Service*

A Service of Lessons and Carols

Presented by:

The Adult Choir, Orchestra and Soloists

with

Pre-service music by the *Sanctuary Handbell Choir*



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*F*oretold by prophets,
*A*nnounced to shepherds,
*R*ecognized by wise men,
*G*iven by the Heavenly Father.

*Join with us
in this celebration
of our Savior's birth*

**Tuesday Evening
December 24, 2024
6:00 p.m.**

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PCA SINGLES OF NORTHERN AND CENTRAL VA



*Join for fellowship, games, and
good food!*

DECEMBER 31ST 7PM

1010 Roberts Ct Fredericksburg, VA 22401

RSVP & Food Sign Up

Mission Statement



Join the GroupMe



*Questions? Contact Grace O'Hara
(540-642-6564 or geohara99@gmail.com)*

Thank you for the Poinsettias for our Christmas celebration



In Memory of...

Jennifer Haber
Jimmy Harless
Mary Kay Schmidt
Sgt. Edgar F. Bell (Brother)
Margaret Lockwood (Sister)
Samuel Capitano Sr. (Father)
Charles & Rose Capitano (Grandparents)
Joseph & Helen Schifano (Grandparents)
Don Carlson
Cyril & Wilma Sedlak (Grandparents)
M. G. & Mildred Fulks
Don & Wilderine Noack
Jean & Dutch Craye'
Bill Lundy, Ken Hamilton, Ruth King
Afton King, Fred Lundy
Pastor Douglas Kittredge
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Geoffrion
Mr. & Mrs. Archie Platner
Mr. & Mrs. Warren Kittredge
Pastor Doug Kittredge
Erika Johnston
John Lorei
John Cooke
Riley O'Hara
Ramon & Blanca Morales
Enrique Maldonado
Deborah Rakestraw
Stan Roberts
James & Priscilla Roney
Howard & Delia Schroeder
Tom & Mary Torgersen
Delores Trampe
Charles Pepper
Ossie & Audrey Schmidt
Dr. George P. Tryfiates
Rev. Fr. Anthony Morfessis
Mia Ethridge
Pat Williams (Wife)
Warren & Margaret Kittredge
Charlie & Jackie Geoffrion
Doug Kittredge)
Fred & Polly Whitman

Given by...

Jonathan & Veronica Allison
Michael Berkeley
Michael Berkeley
Debbie Burnett
Debbie Burnett
Josephine Capitano
Josephine Capitano
Josephine Capitano
Kathi Carlson
Brian Cross
M. R. & Judy Fulks
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Diane Hall & Charde' Oakley
Beth Hamilton
Beth Hamilton
Mary Jane Kittredge
Mary Jane Kittredge
Mary Jane Kittredge
Mary Jane Kittredge
Leaman Family
Lorei Family
Lorei Family
Austin & Charde' Oakley
O'Hara Siblings
Ricardo & Cynthia Perez
Ricardo & Cynthia Perez
James Rakestraw
Eileen Roberts
John Roney
Stan & Beth Schroeder
Stan & Beth Schroeder
Paul & Michele Trampe
Paul & Michele Trampe
Pano & Laurie Tryfiates Family
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Verbosky Family
Robert Williams Sr.
Whitman Family
Whitman Family
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In Honor of...

Josephine Capitano (Mother)
Hayley, Hannah, Tessa, Bekah, & Evan (Grandchildren)
George & Nanette Giddens
Edwin & Edith Wise (Parents)

Given by...

Sam & Lisa Capitano
Charles & Susan Havasy
Larry & Barb Plating
Christine Fulcrod



IMPORTANT CHANGES to ONLINE GIVING

If you currently use Tithely for your online giving, or would like to give online, this is a CRITICAL update. Tithely will be unavailable for giving, starting January 1. You can begin to use our new giving platform immediately.

Introducing Pushpay!

We are happy to announce that we will begin using PUSHPAY for online giving at New Life In Christ Church.

Pushpay allows for simplified giving through a variety of ways, including mobile and on line.

By the end of December, we will move all mobile and online giving to Pushpay.

Why This Change?

Our online giving is important part of giving at New Life in Christ Church and we appreciate every person who uses it. We wanted this change because we believe that Pushpay offers a better product for you as a giver and the church as whole.

Better integration:

Pushpay better integrates with church financial software, saving the church time and money so we can better focus on our mission.

Better transparency:

*Givers can check online statements easier
Log into [Pushpay.com](https://pushpay.com) and see your giving history!*

Better Products:

We believe PushPay offers an improved church management system for the ministries of our church

Making the Change to PUSHPAY



Instructions for Changing to PushPay

It is very simple. To give online by Pushpay

1) Scan the QR code and follow the instructions there. It should be simple.



2) You can also use this URL in your browser:
URL: <https://pushpay.com/g/nliccva>

3) You can install the PushPay App.






4) Or you can text "Give" to (877)566-7559

Once you start using Pushpay, you no longer need to use Tithely anymore. After December 31, we will no longer be able to accept gifts by Tithely.

In mid-December we will update our website with the new Pushpay giving link.

If you have questions, please direct them to our Bookkeeper, Michelle Trampe. We are excited about this easy way to give and think you will like it too!

NEW LIFE IN CHRIST
————— **CHURCH** —————



Women's Saturday Bible Study

Meets Twice Monthly on Saturdays



Beginning January 11th

9:00am on 2nd Saturdays

10:30am on 4th Saturdays (following breakfast)
in Room 217

RTS Charlotte Women's Study



Romans, Part 2

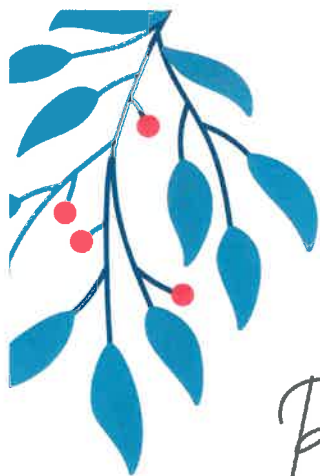
by Michael Kruger



No need to have been a part of Part 1 last winter, we
will do a recap of Romans 1-7 for the first lesson.
Scan the QR code below to find the course outlines.



Questions? Contact Joy O'Toole
magistratrium@gmail.com



Women's Bible Study



Weekly on Wednesdays

Beginning January 8

9:30-11:30am

in Room 217

LifeChange Study

Isaiah:



Paintings of the Holy and Symphonies of Hope

Order your book by scanning the QR code below and complete the first lesson prior to the first class.



Questions? Contact Gale Puffenberger or Mary Shaffer
hpuffen@aol.com or mrsshaffer2@gmail.com





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Starting Thursday 6:30 pm January 16 at New Life in Christ

Contact Church Office at (540) 786-4848 | nlicc@nlicc.org

or Craig Cuddy @ (239) 565-7349 | cuds4@aol.com

Dinner included (no cost) | Please let us know you plan to come!

For Reflection and Discussion
Week of December 22, 2024
“The One Who Spoke With Authority”
Matthew 7:28-29

1. Reflect on Matthew 7:28-29.

What amazed the crowds who heard Jesus?

What was it that originally made Jesus compelling to you?

Is Jesus still compelling to you?

2. Reflect on how Jesus lived. How does His integrity, humility, and love stand out from other leaders today?

What, in your opinion, is the relationship between these things and authority?

3. Reread the Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5-7). See questions 4 and 5 for things to look for as you reread it.

4. Are there parts of the Sermon on the Mount that you find especially compelling?

Or, that you find especially challenging?

5. How does Jesus' authority differ from that of the religious leaders in His day?

6. Sinclair Ferguson recently said, "The greatest threat to Christmas isn't secularism or consumerism but our own boredom with the most thrilling story ever told." How can we guard against spiritual apathy during this season?

How does church attendance help you keep perspective during this time? Do other things help you keep your focus?

Consider your own interest or boredom as you read and study the below passages.

7. Read John 1:1-14. What do verses 1, 3, and 14 show us especially? Can you think of reasons to praise Jesus from these verses?

8. Read Isaiah 9:6-7. Can you think how any of these terms ("Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace") might deepen your understanding of Jesus' authority and mission?

9. Read Matthew 8:23-27. How do Jesus' miracles—like calming the storm—demonstrate His authority?

10. Read Romans 1:4. How does the resurrection prove Jesus' authority as the Son of God? In what ways does this truth encourage you to trust Him more fully?

11. If Jesus speaks with authority, we need to consider whether we are under His authority. Are there areas you need to surrender to His power and control?

12. What decision will you make today to know more about Jesus? Will you commit to reading His life in the Gospels, joining a study, or trusting Him more deeply?