


# January 2025

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			1	2	3 TEEN LOCK IN 6:00 pm-6:00 am →	4
5 Deacon's Mtg 9:00 am	6	7 NEW MEMBER CLASS 6:30 pm	8 Fellowship 5:30 -7:00 pm	9 MENS & WOMENS BIBLE STUDY 6:30 pm	10	11
12 PASTOR INSTALLATION & FELLOWSHIP DINNER	13 Elder's MTG 6:30 pm	14 NEW MEMBER CLASS 6:30 pm	15 Fellowship 5:30 -7:00 pm COUNCIL MTG 7:00 pm	16 AIM HIGH 11:30 am BIBLE STUDY 6:30 pm	17	18 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST 9:00am HY-VEE
19 ANNUAL REPORTS DUE	20	21 NEW MEMBER CLASS 6:30 pm	22 Fellowship 5:30 -7:00 pm	23 MENS & WOMENS BIBLE STUDY 6:30 pm	24	25
26	27	28 NEW MEMBER CLASS 6:30 pm	29 Fellowship 5:30 -7:00 pm	30 MENS & WOMENS BIBLE STUDY 6:30 pm	31	



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## JANUARY MEETINGS

**Deacon's Meeting:** 9:00 am Sunday, Jan 5  
**Family Fellowship:** 5:30 pm Jan 8, 15, 22, 29  
**Elder's Meeting:** Jan 13 at 6:30 pm  
**Council Meeting:** Wed, Jan 15 at 7:00 pm  
**Aim Hi:** 11:30am Thursday, Jan 16

## Important Dates and INFORMATION

**JANUARY 3-4**  
Teen Lock In  
6:00 pm-6:00 am

**JANUARY 7, 14, 21, 28**  
NEW MEMBER CLASS  
6:30 pm

**JANUARY 9, 16, 23, 30**  
Men's & Women's Bible Study  
6:30 pm

**JANUARY 12**  
Pastor Installation  
&  
Fellowship Dinner Potluck

**JANUARY 19**  
Fellowship Breakfast  
Hy-Vee Kitchen 9:00 am

## Sunday, January 12, 2025

### Pastor Installation!

Join us as we officially welcome and install Pastor Brian Mitchell into his role as the leader of our congregation!

## 2024 ANNUAL REPORTS

Year End reports for all NLCC committees and groups will be due **January 19, 2025.** Please submit to the Church office.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**Jan 1:** Tyler J  
**Jan 8:** Gail G  
**Jan 9:** Jeff L  
**Jan 19:** Dave A  
**Jan 25:** Vern S  
**Jan 29:** Kevin B  
**Jan 29:** Brian W

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

**Jan 15: Bob & Diane N**

## THE BIBLE RECAP

Let's start the new year off right by reading and studying God's word together. **The Bible Recap** with Tara-Leigh Cobble is a chronological bible reading plan that puts the chapters and books in time order and takes a full year to complete. For those who would like to participate in reading along, please pick up a copy of the reading plan this Sunday from Pastor Brian. You can also find the plan and other pertinent information and resources online at [www.thebiblecab.com](http://www.thebiblecab.com)



JANUARY SERVING 2025

SUNDAY SERVICE	5	12	19	26	
COMMUNION	Ryan S	Brian M	Gary L	Adam H	
OFFERING PRAYER	Brian M	Gary L	Adam H	Wayne G	
COMMUNION PREP	Grace G	Grace G	Grace G	Grace G	
GREETERS	Jeremie, Becky B	Jeremie, Becky B	Jeremie, Becky B	Jeremie, Becky B	
NURSERY ATTENDANTS	Cindy A	Grace G	Sue H	Cindy A	
SOUND	Anna L	Mason G	Brian M	Anna L	
SLIDES	Marlena S	Sheila S	Mason G	Brian M	
CAMERA	Brian M	Troy S	Anna L	Mason G	
HOSPITALITY TEAM		TEAM: Jolean			
WED NIGHT FELLOWSHIP	1	8	15	22	29
MEAL		Grace, Wayne G	Cindy, Kathy	Jeff, Gary	Sue, Bob
DESSERTS		Diane, Becky G, Kevin B	Beth, Susan, Anna Lee	Linda, Gail, Cindy	Missy, Jolean, Teresa

**MEN'S BIBLE STUDY**  
 BEGINS Thursday, January 9  
 6:30 - 7:30pm (Weekly)  
 Ages 16+

All men are encouraged to attend this bible study to be held Thursday evenings at the church. It will be held simultaneously with the women's study but in a separate room.

Please bring your bibles.  
 (More details to follow prior to start of class).

Friends are welcome to attend.  
 Coffee will be provided. Treats for all are welcome!

\*\*\*Child care will be provided



**6:30 – 7:30 pm January 7, 14, 21, 28**

We are excited to announce a new members class that will begin in January of 2025. This class is designed to enhance your knowledge and understanding of the beliefs of NLCC that are founded in the restoration movement and will be required for all those wanting to place membership with NLCC. See Brian for details or questions.

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY**  
 Begins Thursday, January 9  
 6:30 – 7:30 pm (Weekly)  
 Ages 16+

**Book:** (Book is not required for class).  
**The Cost of Control**  
 by Sharon Hodde Miller

**Short Synopsis:**  
 Why we crave control, the anxiety it gives us, and the real power God promises. Discover the real power God has given us is in Christ and learn about a better way to steward His influence over your life.

\*Child care will be provided

**Beginning January 12 at 9:30 am**

The Book of  
**Acts**

Join our Adult Sunday School Class as we begin our new study in the book of Acts.  
 Please bring your bibles!

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New Life Christian is a family of believers who love the Lord, one another, and do our best to live and reveal the love of Christ to the world around us. We are devoted to the Word of God and claim its joy, power and authority. We know that through Jesus Christ we have forgiveness, fellowship, friendship and peace. We know that we are far from perfect, but we also know that God is at work in our lives and forgives our failures. We know that there are few things that bring greater joy in life than sharing God's Good News of Salvation and making new friends as we come to know Christ better. We know that "church" is not about the things we say or ceremonies or traditions. Instead, we understand that church is all about growing, loving, learning and caring. We know that worship is not supposed to be stuffy and boring but is at its best when it is vital, relevant and even fun. We know that we would love to meet you and share the joy that we have found at New Life Christian Church.