

NCC E-Blast

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OUR VISION & WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU.

Our Vision... LOVE, MEND, TRAIN, SEND includes the Great Commandment, Great Commission, and the Great Companion (Holy Spirit).

Mending. It's a word that describes a very important element of our vision statement.

Here at NCC we take seriously the person of the Holy Spirit. We understand that one of the many titles for Holy Spirit is "Healer". We find numerous examples throughout scripture of God healing people.

Our desire is to see healing opportunities each time we come together. It doesn't matter if it's Sunday School, or

Monday night bible studies, or Life Groups. We shouldn't expect God to show up and touch our lives on Sundays or conferences only.

We now have our very own inner healing ministry titled "Abundant Life Ministry". This ministry provides the ministry receiver with the opportunity to be set free from strongholds and bondages.

It's all about freedom! The Apostle Paul says in 1 Corinthians 3:17 *"Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom."*

I want to invite you to come to NCC with an expectant heart. Expect God to meet your needs. Expect God to use you to bless someone. Together, we can see our vision experienced!

Our Services

Sunday Mornings

- Praise & Worship Practice
7:45-9:00am
- Sunday School 9:00am
Teacher Mike Folsom
Teacher Danny Copeland
Prayer w/Latasha McCoy
- Covenant Café
8:30-10:20am
- Pre-Service Prayer
10:25-10:30am
- Main Event Service 10:30am
- Children's Church –
After worship

Wednesday Nights

- 3:30pm After School Youth
- 6:45pm Youth Ministry
- 6:45pm Adult Life Groups
- Children's Ministry

Prophetic Dreams – by Nancy Stacey

Pastor Dave has invited me to produce a short article each week for our E-Blast. God is bringing dreams to the forefront, so we want to keep dreams data before our eyes...

When we awake with a dream, we need to record it on a device and on paper. Giving our dreams a title, helps us locate them when the Holy Spirit reminds us of

them. As you record your night vision, tell what you remember and what you think the dream might have to do with.

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One dream of mine in February 2008, in scene #2, I wrote in my journal: "I had hung up two

Bible Verse of the week...

Acts 2:17

*"And it shall come to pass in the last days, says God,
That I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh;
Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
Your young men shall see visions,
Your old men shall dream dreams"*

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garments of mine. Someone was meeting me to usher me out of this building.

The person who met me reminded me of Joel Osteen. He was about his age and stature and demeanor. He was escorting me back to a car." I believe this dream denotes the day that I will step out of yard work days into the ministry days of my life.

Perhaps the Joel Osteen type man represents Pastor David! The car represents a mode of

transportation. God will always see that we reach our destiny!

"He brought me forth into a large place; He was delivering me because He was pleased with me and delighted in me."

The Lord lives! Blessed by my Rock; and let the God of my salvation be exalted." -Psalms 18:19 & 46

Life Groups-Wednesdays at 6:45pm

Life Groups are the life blood of New Covenant Church! It's where real relationships happen.

The End of Me

Led by Elder Todd Trebony.

Come and see for yourself why Kyle Idelman's book "The End of Me" is a bestseller! As the Life Group leader and teacher, Todd uses a variety of teaching methods including a weekly fun video presentation, work-book and lively discussion. This one of a kind class meets on the right side on the Adult Education Wing behind the sanctuary.

Dreams Workshop

Led by Nancy Stacey, and Co-led by Jill Trebony and Catherine Brown.

Did you know that the Lord used dreams to communicate and get the attention of His leaders? Did you also know that He still uses dreams to speak to His Body?

Come and see for yourself what all the excitement is regarding dreams and how Holy Spirit uses our dreams in a variety of ways!

This class is located in Room 8.

Remember Our Family In Prayer...

*Bob & Rachel Mobley
Bill Cramp
Mary Murphy
Alice & Mack Castleberry
Dewayne Hardeman
Dorothy Young
Wade Marshall
Irene Cason*

Monday Nights at 6:45pm

Men's Bible Study

Room 8

"Unlocking destiny's from the courts of Heaven"

Led by Pastor Dave, Mike Folsom & various guest speakers

Women's Bible Study

In the Oasis

"A Woman Who Does Not Quit"

(5 Habits from the book of Ruth) – 6 Week Study held in the Oasis and led by Pastor Alli

Quote of the week:

*"Life with God is not immunity
from difficulties, but peace in
difficulties."*

-C.S. Lewis

Pastor's Corner

Senior Pastor Dave Allen

We had an amazing weekend here at NCC! We kicked it all off at 9:00 Saturday morning with our 3rd annual Prayer Workshop. Latasha McCoy did an outstanding job putting this event together. From the speakers to the snacks and decorations, everything went smoothly and best of all, God's presence was experienced with all of the anointed material as it related to

"The Making Of A Prayer Warrior!"

I also want to thank Pastor Alli and our One Youth Ministry at NCC for getting all of the sukkah's out of the shed and set up as well as the tables, chairs and the stage for Sunday's *Feast of Tabernacles*. So many of you helped behind the scenes setting up and tearing down to make sure that everything was ready and in place! Mable Moore even had coffee ready and waiting for us in time for Sunday School! Thank you for all that you do.

This is that time of year when we focus on what we are thankful for. Yesterday's teaching regarding Sukkot was all about acknowledging God's abiding and sheltering presence over us.

From a prophetic perspective, we see through eyes of faith that Yeshua (Jesus) is coming again, and we eagerly await His return.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Harrison Brown 10/17

Josef Copeland 10/15

Samantha Duncan 10/15

Annie Brooks 10/16

Thank you Bob and Nancy Stacey for cutting down the tree stamp at the mailbox. It looks great!

Song of the Month

"You Are Amazing"

By: Lincoln Brewster

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O3gbJGByIOE>



Taking Care Of The Temple Of The Holy Spirit

1. Physical rest: Give your body time to rest and recover. Although studies will say that our bodies need such and such amount of time to rest, what matters is we give our bodies ample and good quality rest periods. We should not oversleep, and neither should we lack sleep. We should give our body just enough rest, proportional to what we do with it.

You should know when to stop working because your body has some limits. Lifting weights that are too heavy, working for far too many hours, and doing things beyond your physical capacity might cause over fatigue. Do make sure to take care of your body so that you can do more for God.

2. Get exercise: Yes, exercise is crucial. Avoid a sedentary lifestyle, because not only do you gain weight and a larger waistline, but you also expose yourself to dangerous health conditions such as heart disease, obesity and a weak immune system. Build those muscles – you'll be able to do more for the Lord when you reach out to help others, too.

3. Proper nutrition: No, this doesn't mean spending your hard-earned money on all those health supplements. Rather, it's about choosing the right food to eat. Did you know that God actually wanted us to eat vegetables (see Genesis 1:29-30)? This isn't about doctrine. It's about choosing to eat what's good for you.

4. Don't use it for sin: Because our bodies belong to God, we should not use it in committing sin. Romans 6:13 says "Do not let any part of your body become an instrument of evil to serve sin. Instead, give yourselves completely to God, for you were dead, but now you have new life. So use your whole body as an instrument to do what is right for the glory of God."

5. Worship God: Rest in the Lord's presence. This is beyond physical and emotional rest – it's about us spending time with God, who heals all diseases. Enjoy His presence daily. Rest in His love, and trust in His goodness to take care of you. Claim His promises and believe His Word. Remember, by Jesus' stripes, we are healed (see Isaiah 53:5).

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Serving Hands at NCC ~ Sunday, October 15th Communion Sunday

Welcome Center:

Annie Brooks

Greeter

Gwen Gaines

Communion Servers:

Danny & Joann Copeland

Jim & April Walton

Mike & Judy Folsom

Altar Ministry:

Vince & Deidra Curtis

Brenda Crowe

Charlene Carpenter

Latasha McCoy

Ushers:

Jim Walton

Two Copeland

Daniel Gaines

Elders:

Pastor Dave Allen

Mike Folsom

Todd Trebony

Jim Walton

Vince Curtis