NEW LIFE FELLOWSHIP

The Life Line

MARCH 2021

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
02—Karen Schmidt 06—Jacob Bjorlie 19—Rebecca Neidlinger 03—Jane Cudworth 11—Jan Broschat 22—Aliyah Neidlinger 05—B & D Finneman 16—Verna Gleason 30—Breck Ehlers 06—Jim Cudworth 19—Sam Hanson				S. Hanson J. Denny Beauclairs	Good 2 Friday Ser. 7PM F.R.E.E. Int. B. Hoffarth	FaHoCha Teen Challenge D. Schoepp
Resurrection 4 Day! Brkfst. @ 8:30 AM Serv. 9:30 AM	J. Bjorlie Pastor Kapelle H. Ehlers	Prayer 10 AM 6 Bible Study 1 PM J. Schmidt D. Smaaladen	Bible Study & 7 Youth 7:00 PM Arlene Ehlers H. Messner	G. Twete C. Bergstad A. Johnson	9 J. Neidlinger J. Tangedal	10 C. Douglas L. Dahl J. Parker
POTBLESS 11 Serv. 10:30 AM	K. Modesto S. O'Neill S. Walters	Prayer 10 AM 13 Bible Study 1 PM A. Gleason L. Stangeland	Quarterly 14 Mtg. 7:00 PM V. Enstad C. Bjornson	15 J. Schweiger V. Gleason J. Beckstrand	16 Shelby Beecroft L. Hoffarth	W. Prior Pastor D. Banja E. Jorgenson
Doug Eccles 10:30 AM & 6:30 PM	B. Finneman B. Lent D. Barclay	Prayer 10 AM 20 Bible Study 1 PM Gospel 4 Asia B. McKelvey	Bible Study & 21 Youth 7:00 PM J. Cudworth J. Ness	J. Pearce C. Ahl S. Chiang	X. Gleason A. Ehlers W. Halverson	24 Impact Min. Int. D. Benson T. Trelfa
25 Serv. 10:30 AM Compassion Int. Sunday	J. Wentz P. Bjorlie B. Wegener	Prayer 10 AM 27 Bible Study 1 PM WillGo, Inc N. Swenson	Bible Study & 28 Youth 7:00 PM J. Yri A. Weis	29 K. Rickford O. Gleason J. Messner	30 L. Alfson J. Stangeland	

President Abraham Lincoln signed a proclamation on March 30, 1863, calling for national humility, fasting, and prayer, and for other purposes.

'Whereas it is the duty of nations, as well as of men, to owe their dependence upon the overruling power of God, to confess their sins and transgressions, in humble sorrow, yet with assured hope that genuine repentance will lead to mercy and pardon; and to recognize the sublime truth, announced in the Holy Scriptures and proven by all history, that those nations only are blessed whose God is the Lord:

'And, insomuch as we know that, by His divine law, nations like individuals, are subjected to punishments and chastisements in this world, may we justly fear that the awful calamity of civil war, which now desolates the land, may be but a punishment, inflicted upon us, for our presumptuous sins, to the needful end of our national reformation as a whole People? We have been the recipients of the choicest bounties of Heaven. We have been preserved, these many years, in peace and prosperity. We have grown in numbers, wealth, and power, as no other nation has ever grown. But we have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand which preserved us in peace, and multiplied and enriched and strengthened us; and we have vainly imagined, in the deceitfulness of our hearts, that all these blessings were produced by some superior wisdom and virtue of our own. Intoxicated with unbroken success, we have become too self-sufficient to feel the necessity of redeeming and preserving grace, too proud to pray to the God that made us!

'It behooves us then, to humble ourselves before the offended Power, to confess our national sins, and to pray for clemency and forgiveness of sins.

Now therefore in compliance with the request and fully concurring in the views of the Senate, I do by this my proclamation designate and set apart Thursday the 30th day of April, 1863 as a day of national humiliation, fasting, and prayer. And I do hereby request all the people to abstain on that day from their ordinary secular pursuits and to unite at their several places of public worship and their respective homes in keeping the day holy to the Lord and devoted to the humble discharge of the religious duties proper to that solemn occasion.

All this being done in sincerity and truth let us then rest humbly in the hope authorized by the divine teachings that the united cry of the nation will be heard on high and answered with blessings no less than the pardon of our national sins and the restoration of our now divided and suffering country to its former happy condition of unity and peace.



COMPASSION SUNDAY—April 25

Compassion Sunday is an opportunity for you to meet the needs of children in poverty and help to change their lives forever. On this special day, you'll be joining thousands of others in speaking up for those in need.

New Life will participate by presenting a video from Compassion International and give you the opportunity to sponsor a child through their program.

In response to God's call to care for the poor, *Compassion* gives hope to the hopeless, meeting practical needs and sharing the good news about Jesus.

Compassion connects one child with one sponsor to help the child achieve his or her God-given potential. Sponsors help connect the children to the local church, write and receive letters, pray for and encourage them, and may even visit their children.

Every sponsored child is linked with a Christ-centered church in his or her community. *Compassion* partners with over 8,000 evangelical church partners in 25 countries around the world.

Info at compassion.com.

(There are obviously many other ministries to be involved with if you prefer another option.)



GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

7:00 PM

Join us for an evening of praise and worship!

RESURRECTION SUNDAY

Breakfast @ 8:30—9:15 AM

(Men & boys...plan to be at the church at 7:15 to prepare breakfast. Let Pastor Jeff know if you plan to help.)

Service @ 9:30 AM

Quarterly Business Meeting
Wednesday, April 14—7:00 PM
Anyone who is a regular attendee of NLF is welcome to attend and vote on issues.

Evangelist Doug Eccles Sunday, April 18 10:30 AM & 6:30 PM New Life Fellowship Doug, and his wife, Laurie, are passionate about souls! They are heavily involved in International Evangelism, taking healing and the power of the Holy Ghost to the nations. Doug and Laurie have taken the Gospel to over 40 countries. Doug and Laurie know personally the power of the Holy Ghost and bring that power with them as they minister around the world.



The Bible Book of the Month is...Ephesians! Paul is encouraging the Ephesians to mature in their faith. So after laying out profound theological truths in the first half of the book, Paul made his purpose clear: he expected that this community of faith would walk in accordance with its heavenly calling (Ephesians 4:1). Are we doing the same?

Congratulations, Hannah and Caleb!



Hannah Ehlers has been named a candidate for the US Presidential Scholars Program. The program was established in 1964, by executive order of the President, to recognize and honor some of our nation's most distinguished graduating high school seniors. Hannah is one of only ten candidates across the state representing

Hannah is one of only ten candidates across the state representing North Dakota Class B schools. Way to go, Hannah!

Hannah's parents are Howard and Candi Ehlers, and her grandma is Arlene Ehlers.

Caleb Parker is the winner of the Lake Region Home-

school Group's National Geographic GeoBee!
(Because of COVID restrictions, no state or national competitions were held.)

Caleb is the son of Jason and Jennifer. Proud grandparents are Alan and Leslie Gleason and great grandma Verna Gleason.



Worship Services: Service 10:30 AM
Wednesday Bible Study/Youth 7:00 PM

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