



For all teenagers in Grades 6-12.
 Find us on Facebook at: The Nest-NBCC Youth.
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Youth Group:

- HS Group – tonight, 6:00-7:00 PM – at NBCC
- Youth Group – December 6th, 6:00-8:00 PM
- Saturday, Dec. 9th – Canton Akron Food Bank Volunteer 8:00-11:00AM. Sign up!
- Wednesday, Dec. 13th – Movie Night 'Holy Night' (Chosen TV) in theaters! (\$10 per person) Sign up!
- Sunday, Dec. 17th – Christmas Caroling after church. Sign up!
- MS Group – Sunday, December 17th, 6:00-7:00 PM – at NBCC
- Christmas Eve Dinner Party – Friday, December 22nd, 6:00 PM-12:00 AM – at NBCC

REMINDERS (continued)

- Excellent refrigerator, stove, dishwasher, and microwave (above stove model) – cheap to a good home – see Dave or Jill Mottice (Gilliland)
- **Jenna Lowry's address** – Lowry, Jenna Nicole, C-1244 Lafierre Loop, Fort Liberty, NC 28307
- **Missing** (please return to the church office) – church building key that is reserved for rental use

SHOUT-OUTS

- Deacons and Wednesday Bible Study for decorating the church
- Thanks to all who brought food to Dick Zellers memorial service – we had more than enough
- All the new volunteers for nursery and toddler ministries – thank you
- Zach Flack for cutting and trimming the trees

FALL GAMEPLAN:

- November – trim park and parsonage trees – completed – thank you Zach Flack

Mark Your Calendars and Pray!!

December 17 Kids Singing
 Donations to We Care Prison Ministry due today (bar soap, Dermacil lotion/cream)
 Christmas Caroling after church – a light snack/lunch will be provided before we go

December 24 Christmas Eve Service 6:00 PM

Online giving is available...visit our website: www.newbaltimorecc.org.

Last Week's Attendance: 134 **Offering: \$ 10,300** Budget: \$ 5,660
 YTD Giving +/- budget: \$ 2,503 12% Given to Missions: \$ 31,693



December 3, 2023

Reason for Hope: Hope is Come



We're Glad You Came! We Prayed For You!

A Special Word to Our First-Time Visitors

We don't believe it's a coincidence that you're with us today. So please don't let this be the last time you visit. Come see what God has in store for you. In Jesus' Love, Pastor Ken

Senior Pastor, Ken Baker 330-206-2339 Associate Pastor, Dan Kenyon 419-706-5163
 Youth Pastor, Joel Szymanski 330-546-3239

"Love God, Save Souls, Grow Believers, Serve All!"

"To make more people more like Jesus!"

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Today at New Baltimore Community Church

9:45 AM Worship Service
 11:15 AM Sunday School (adults & teens)
 – adult study – 1 John
 Membership Class

Our Mission: Making More and Better Disciples of Christ
 Move Up, Move In, Make Room for Our Friends!

Order of Worship

Opening Prayer
Worship in Song
Sermon

Meditation and Prayer
Closing Songs
The Blessing (parents pick up children)

The Blessing: here, we raise our hands, like a high-five, to bless the church and the world around us
 (Numbers 6:24-27, Luke 24:50)

Full-length Nursery (0-2), Preschool (2-K), and Kids' Church (K-5th) are available

Praises:

- Riley Hannen (17), Cheryl Karabinus' grandson, gained 50 lbs.
- Kris Fey – feels called to a mission trip to Colombia – hear her story this Sunday
- Dave Mottice's successful heart surgery (11/21)
- 400 folks at Marlboro's Christmas in the Square
- 4 professions of faith at Lake (11/16)

Prayer Requests:

- Riley Hannen (17), Cheryl Karabinus' grandson – chemo for brain cancer
- Dave Mottice – recovering from open heart surgery (11/21)
- Judy Deterling on the loss of her loving husband, Denny (11/15)
- Nancy Frank – recovery from knee replacement (11/9)
- War and unrest in Israel, and the Palestinians
- Health
 - Kathy Fierstos – fell again – in Windsor Medical Center, 1454 E. Maple, North Canton, 44720 (send her a card)
 - Cancer – Linda (Sherry Lowry's sister), Keith (Lidia DeGrange's friend), Riley (Cheryl Karabinus' grandson)
 - Aging – Shut-ins – Margaret Haines, Darryl Harper (COPD), Irene Harris, Linda Husvar, and parents: Bill Ellison, Carol Fey

Join Us This Week

- Today:** Pastor Dan preaching – begin series on Hope
 Communion, Advent Sunday
 Youth HS Group 6:00-7:00 PM – at NBCC
- Tuesday:** Prayer Fast (skip a meal or two) – pray for revival for us and our nation
 Celebrate Recovery 6:30-8:00 PM
- Wednesday:** **Sunday announcements, sign-ups, and bulletin items due by 12:00 PM**
 Youth Group 6:00-8:00 PM – grades 6-12
 TeamKID 6:30-8:00 PM – ages 4 through 5th grade
 Adult Bible Study 7:00 PM – Matthew
 Movie Night 7:00-8:30 PM – “The Insanity of God”
- Saturday:** Live Nativity 5:30-6:30 PM – at Calvary Chapel, Massillon
- Next Sunday:** Pastor Dan preaching
 Baptism Sunday – see us ASAP if you want to tell the world you are following Jesus
 No Second Sunday Evening Worship
 Live Nativity 5:30-6:30 PM – at Calvary Chapel, Massillon

Welcome to our Visitors: Cory, JR, Katie, Denise

NEW

- **Communion Sunday:** Today we confess our sin and remember Jesus' sacrifice for us through the symbols of His body (bread) and blood (cup). We partake of the bread as we are led, and the cup together in unison. Communion is open to all true believers in Jesus who are making things right with Him (confessing sin). Our men (elders and deacons) will serve the congregation in this order: 2 will start at the back middle section, 2 at the front middle section, and 2 at the east and west sides. Another will serve the nursery and lobby. Bless you all and praise to the Lamb who was slain! Thank you to our kids who pick up the communion cups. **Gluten-free wafers and pre-packaged options are also available. The communion bread is dairy-free.**
- **Sound Team Help Needed** – we are looking for 4 new sound team members in order to ease up on the schedule – if able to help out, see sign-up sheet
- **Blessing Tree** – the Deacons and Heartfelt Blessings are requesting donations of hats, gloves, scarves, mittens, and coffee for the Haven of Rest – please drop your items at the tree located in the church entrance as you enter – thank you

REMINDERS (continued on reverse)

- **Live Nativity** – we are doing it again this year with our worship team leading – December 9-10th, 5:30-6:30 PM, at Massillon Calvary Chapel (8151 Stuhldreher St.)
- **Baptism** – December 10th – if you'd like to be baptized, fill out a baptism application by following this link: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSciUd4aFoLdAwR_GhciTaj4zuqSvF2AY2ogHeLZpyjJ0MKQdQ/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0
- **Christmas Caroling** – December 17th, after church – a light snack/lunch will be provided before we go – what a great time to show Jesus' love to our shut-ins – Lord-willing, we will have 3 teams to sing to: Irene Harris, Linda Husvar – Alliance, Darryl & Dorothy Harper, Wilda Schuch – New Baltimore/Louisville, Kathy Fierstos – North Canton – see sign-up sheet
- **We Care Prison Ministry** – help us bless 500 ladies in prison with bar soap and Dermacil lotion, due by 12/17 – Susy and Lindsey go to this prison weekly for Bible study – place your donations in the box in the church office – see the bulletin insert or Susy Becher for details – financial donations can be made at any time
- **All children's/teens' workers** – nursery, helpers, and teachers – if you have not done a background check in the last 5 years, you need to fill out the forms – this is at no cost to you – thank you for serving and helping us be above board!