

9 am Worship; July 31st, 2022

This Week's Calendar

New 8 week Series

"Diving Deep, Finding Humility"

Week Four Theme—Worthy of Jesus

Praise Songs

Today Is the Day

Because of Your Love

Welcome & Greeting

Lesson for the Lambs

Offering

Song of Devotion

Hosanna (Fraser)

Time for Prayer

Meditation "Claiming"

Scripture Philippians 2: 12

Closing Song

Glorious Day

Announcements

Benediction

TODAY	9:00	Contemporary Worship Service
	11:00	Traditional Worship Service
	6:00	Youth
MON.	9:00	Fit for Christ
	11:00	Tai Chi --- <i>at the park</i>
	11:00	Bible Study with Pastor
	6:30	Praise Team
TUES.	4:00	Silver Sneakers
WED.	8:30	Silver Sneakers
	9:00	Fit for Christ
	11:00	Child Care Board
	7:00	Choir
THURS.	10:00	Tai Chi – <i>Township Park</i>
	4:00	Silver Sneakers
FRI.	8:30	Silver Sneakers
	9:00	Fit for Christ
SAT.	10:00	Yarns of Love
	4:00	Fundraiser

NEXT SUNDAY: *Youth; Food Pantry Envelopes; Ministry Fair*

This Week

Series description:

OUR FACEBOOK PAGE:

Every Wednesday at noon, we post the mid-week motivational message. Please read these and be blessed. Feel free to like, comment, or share. (If you want to receive the message by email, just call the church office and let us know).

PRAYER REQUESTS:

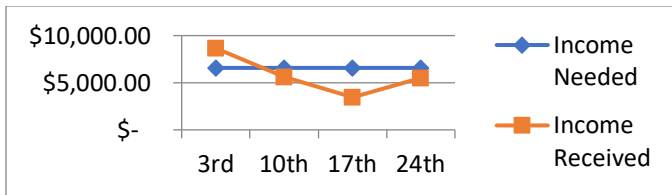
Can be sent to prayers@newleafumc.com

Philippians opens with the apostle Paul expressing gratitude and hope, "being confident" that God who "began a good work" in Philippian believers would also "carry it on to completion." (Phil 1.6) Turns out this isn't easy or automatic! A bit later we are told to "continue to work out [our] your salvation with fear and trembling."

It's easy to allow "Christian" to be a title. It's tempting to work enough to reach a "good place" and then work only to protect it. *Philippians brings into relief a humbling truth: Christ came to MEND, APPEND OR UPEND what we try to DEFEND. Our character.* He died to prove that love was his only motive, and rose from the dead to prove he has the power to overcome anything. He lives to invite us to surrender self, discover humility, and experience the pure joy of a relationship with him as our Savior.

Last Week's Stewardship Report

Total Attendance (inc. live stream): 244



ELECTRONIC GIVING



New Leaf offers electronic giving at <https://newleafumc.com/donate>, click the Donate button where you can set up both recurring and one-time contributions. Or, if you prefer, see Melinda in the office for an authorization form.

We thank you for your continued support.

GIVING BY TEXT

Giving by text is an easy and powerful way to give in a matter of seconds. Send a text message to 883-361-3682. It's simple and secure.

SERVING TODAY:

Junior Church: Karen Jepson 9 am
Deb O. 11 am

Our Praise Team
Lesson for the Lambs Debby T.

YMCA AT NEW LEAF SILVER SNEAKERS CLASSES:

Wednesday & Friday 8:30 am
Tuesday & Thursday 4:00 pm

In the Event Center

(Call 997-5321 for more info)

TAI CHI: Monday & Thursday 10:00 am
Conneaut Township Park

New Leaf United Methodist Church

110 Gateway Avenue Conneaut, Ohio 44030
Church: 440-593-2525

Website: <https://www.newleafumc.com>

E-mail: office@newleafumc.com

[Prayers: prayers@newleafumc.com](mailto:prayers@newleafumc.com)

Pastor Russ Ham

Upcoming Events

AUGUST POT LUCK:

We will be having a pot luck after service on August 21st at noon. Sign-up sheets at the back tables for what you will bring to share with everyone.

COOKIES FOR D-DAY:

We are in need of cookies for the volunteer lunches for D-Day Conneaut, which is August 13th -21st. The cookies can be delivered to the D-Day administration building (283 Buffalo Street) or dropped off to Jean Woods and/or Georgia Woods. The cookies should have NO frosting and store bought cookies would be ok as well. Thank You. Jean Woods (440-645-8521) or Georgia Woods (440-645-9629).

D-Day Volunteers Needed:

D-Day is looking for people to volunteer as bus narrators. If you enjoy talking to others and would like to promote the Community as well as D-Day, this may be the thing for you! There will be a script provided. This would involve all 3 days, Aug. 18th, 19th, and 20th. You would start when the buses begin running (around 9 am) and end when the Battle begins (around 3 pm) or whenever the buses stop taking people down, depending on traffic. If you feel called to do this, see Steve Rzeszutek or email him at:

steve_rzeszutek@yahoo.com.

4:12 ARMY HEADING TO THE FEST, AUGUST 7TH:

Join us to hear some of the most popular Christian Bands— We The Kingdom, Crowder, Phil Wickham, Micah Taylor— and play outdoor games and eat fair food at the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe. This all day concert is free! We'll leave the church at 10:30 am. Bring a portable chair and any food you don't want to buy!

JUNIOR CHURCH:

Children in Grades K to 5 are invited to be a part of JUNIOR CHURCH during the 9 am and 11 am Worship Services. July 31st lesson is: *Auto B. Good: Patience.*

MEETERS, GREETERS, AND SEATERS:

Will be having a meeting in the event center at 9 am on August 13th.

MINISTRY EXPO:

Will be in between services the three Sundays of August 7th, 14th, and 21st. Be ready to represent your group at one of these Sundays. (7th is for ministries; 14th is for small groups. And the 21st is for questions, etc).