

STATISTICAL REPORT FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 14, 2021

8:30 Worship Attendance = 75 8:30 Jr Church = 7 (5 kids/2 helpers)
10:30 Worship Attendance = 59 10:30 Jr Church = 13 (7 kids/6 helpers)
Total Sunday Attendance = 174 Wednesday Connection Groups = 112

Financial Giving Breakdown General Fund

Loose \$1,100.00
Envelopes \$2,962.00
Total General Fund \$4,062.00

G.F. offering needed for budget & mortgage payment = \$7,685.16

Designated Giving

Paw Packs \$200.00
CCDR \$1,250.00
Total Designated Giving \$1,450.00

Total Offering: \$4,062.00 + \$1,450.00 = \$5,512.00

Current Connection Center Debt = \$674,173.76

Upcoming Events and Reminders:

- 3/21: CWS Blanket Sunday
- 3/22: Happy Helpers 10 am to fill eggs, lunch to follow
- 3/23: Cub Scouts 6:00 pm
- 3/24: Promise Kids **Zoom meeting at 6:00 pm**
Promise Kids **meeting in person at 7:00 pm**
Connection Youth 7:00 pm
Adult Connection Groups 7:00 (details on reverse side)
- 3/25: Rooted Home Group Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 3/26: Lenten Lunch & Parking Lot Service at ULC at noon
- 3/27: Men's Prayer Group meets at 8:00 am
Sacrificial Breakfast 9 am

Big Spring Inter-Church Council Lenten Lunches and Parking Lot Service will be at noon on Friday March 26th at BS United Lutheran Church parking lot. A box lunch will be provided to each person after the service. Come, stay in your car, and tune to Radio 87.9 for the service.

Newville First Church of God

March 21, 2021,

8:30 & 10:30 am

A Worship Celebration

FROM THE ASHES

• embracing the full life of God •

Musical Prelude - A Time of Preparing to Worship

Song of Worship:

"Here I Am to Worship"

video

A Prayer of Thanksgiving

Message Series: "FROM THE ASHES"

Message: "O Lord, It's Hard To Be Humble"

Pastor Andrew

Text: Philippians 2:3-8 and John 13:1-17

Song of Worship:

"Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord"

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Prayer of Sending

Musical Postlude - A Time of Reflection

Did you ever sit by a fire, take a stick and play with the ashes?

What fires in your life have left you feeling like you are setting in the ash pile? **You are invited to join each Sunday through April 4th** as Pastor Wayne shares the Easter series titled **"FROM THE ASHES, Embracing the Full Life of God"**. Come to learn how God can help pull you from the ashes of life to a fuller life with Jesus!



The Paw Packs will resume their monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 6 at 6:30 pm. We look forward to getting together again and welcome anyone new who would like to learn more about this community ministry.

Norma Dexter will celebrate her 101st birthday on March 29th! Please help us to shower Norma with love, prayers, and best wishes by sending Norma a card at her address:

100 Green Ridge Lane, Apt 108, Newville, PA 17241.



Promise Kids Wednesday Night Clubs have two options to learn about God!

Promise Kids **meeting by ZOOM at 6:00 p.m.**

Promise Kids **meeting in person at 7:00 p.m.**

At **6 pm**, Promise Kids **Zoom** will be offered to any families who wish to participate virtually. [Email](#) or [phone Katie Kane](#) to receive Zoom link.

From **7-8 pm**, Promise Kids Clubs will **meet in-person** at the church. Mask guidelines and health precautions will be in place. [Questions? See Katie Kane.](#)

You can reach Katie at 717-448-9218 or katie@tcp.church

Adult Connection Groups and Locations

Prayer & Bible Study: In Person in Library & FB Live Stream

Study on the Sermon on the Mount led by Pastor Wayne

Bible Connection: Meet in classroom on right of Sanctuary

A Study on the Apostles led by Robert Cormany

Men's Connection: Meet in the Sanctuary

Mysteries of Heaven led by Jeff Miller

Ladies Connection: Meet in classroom left side of Sanctuary

Bible study on Proverbs and Parables

With the regathering of our Connection Groups, for the safety of yourself and others, please continue to distance in your seating in the sanctuary and especially in small classrooms. We still encourage you to wear a mask, if possible, when entering the church and moving around the building. Wearing a mask is also encouraged when seated in the smaller class areas. We appreciate your cooperation in these safety precautions.

Welcome Back

Our sympathy is extended to the family of *Raymond Slavin* who passed away unexpectedly on March 11th. Please keep the family in prayer.



Easter Egg Hunt Donations - Lots of donations of *individually wrapped candy, stickers, small trinkets, coins and prizes* are needed for the annual Easter Egg hunt which will be held on April 3rd (rain date April 10th). Donations may be placed in the designated box in the Cafe. Please have your donations to the church by **TODAY, Sunday, March 21** so that the eggs may be filled by volunteers. *Any questions, see Katie Kane.*

Happy Helpers News: We will be meeting on Monday, March 22 at 10 am in the All Purpose Room. This is not our regular meeting date or time. We will be meeting to fill Easter eggs for the children's egg hunt. Everyone is invited to help. Lots of hands will be needed to fill all the eggs. After our work is done, bowls of delicious soup purchased at the Women's Ministry soup sale will be served. Please sign up in the Welcome Center, or call if you think you will be helping so that we can plan accordingly. [Questions contact Sheri Houser: 717-776-5632](#) or [Ron Houser: 717-377-4444.](#)

The **CONNECTION YOUTH RETREAT** is scheduled for April 23-25, at Camp YoliJwa, Doubling Gap, PA. The cost is \$75 per person (Checks payable to NFCOG). All interested Youth need to register by April 11th. See the youth web page on our church's website for more details or contact Shawn at shawn@tcp.church or 856-689-7736. *Financial help is available if needed. We want all students to be able to attend. Contact Shawn.*