

# How to Use Interactive EBulletins

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**You can also fill in sermon notes on your phone by downloading NMC's app. Just search Nappanee Missionary Church in your app store.**

# WEDNESDAY NIGHT ADULT ELECTIVES STARTS THIS WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

## **Foster and Adoptive Family Support Group**

6:45-8:00 PM, Courtyard Commons, Pastor Marty Graverson

Are you a foster or adoptive parent? This is the place for you. Come and be encouraged as we discuss the joys and challenges of parenting foster and adoptive children. Be filled as we set our focus on the kingdom-view calling.

## **Growing a Healthy Family Tree**

7:00-8:00 PM, GH 222, Pastor Kevin Moore

We all want a family that has strong faith, incredible memories, love and laughter. But how do we get that? How do we grow a family tree that bears the fruit we want and our family needs?

## **Bible Track: Faith, Feelings, and Following Jesus**

7:00-8:00 PM, GH 223, Pastor Jason Rohde

As we look into the Gospels, we will look at the following questions: What kind of faith did the disciples have? How did they follow Jesus during those circumstances? When we face similar situations, how is our faith?

## **714 Prayer**

7:00-7:45 PM, Zoom Only, Pastor Don Rohrer

714 Prayer is back each Wednesday with larger group and small group times of sharing, encouragement and prayer. Zoom room opens at 6:50 PM each Wednesday. Meeting ID: 714-714-7773, Passcode: 407773.

## **Discipleship Life**

7:00-8:00 PM, GH 120 (Heritage Room), James Ellis

We meet as a community of believers desiring to grow through the study of God's Word. We systematically read Scripture through the week and come together to discuss how we can apply it to our lives. Each meeting provides the opportunity to jump in even if you have not attended previously!

## **Oasis Cafe for Women**

7:00-8:00 PM, Chapel, Dorie Clickovich and Dawn Ziegler

Ladies, join us for a time of fellowship and study. Oasis is a place where women can come at any point to engage in fellowship. Book or no book, we want you here! This fall, we are studying *Meant for Good* by Megan Fate Marshman.

## **Revelation Fitness**

7:00-8:00 PM, Aux Gym, Michelle Engbrecht

Jesus and fitness! Workouts designed to be a holy encounter for the body, mind and spirit! This is a safe place for women of all ages and fitness levels to come worship and foster complete wellness!

**ManChurch** *Cruise-In*, 6:00-8:00 PM, Pavilion, Niel Diener

**Worship Choir** 6:45-8:00 PM, Choir Room, Priscilla Daeger

KidMin and Student Ministries will continue to meet  
at the regularly scheduled times and locations.  
**For more information, visit [nmc.church/updates](http://nmc.church/updates)**

# Table Talk is here!

*(No need to cook on Wednesday nights! Yahoo!)*

**Wednesdays, 5:15-6:15 PM**

**Suggested Donation:**

**\$4/individual**

**\$12/family of 3-5 people**

**\$15/family of 6 or more**



**Man Church Cruise-In**  
**Wednesday, September 8**  
**6:00 PM-8:00 PM @ Heritage Pavilion**  
**Vehicle registration @ 5:15 PM**



**The NMC Worship Choir is back!**

Join us Wednesday nights at 6:45 PM  
starting September 8.

Welcome to Nappanee Missionary Church! Please fill out a visitor's card located in the pew pocket or on bulletin tables, or stop by the Ministry Center in the Grand Hall.

## **NMC Needs You to Volunteer**

Have you considered volunteering? Go to [nmc.church/serve](http://nmc.church/serve) to begin the process!

## **Senior Adult Ministry Lunch Cruise**

Seniors, let's set sail together on Lake Wawasee! Join us on a lunch cruise aboard the SS Lillypad in Syracuse, IN! We will meet there on Thursday, September 23, for a noon departure. The cost is \$25/person. Please sign up at the Ministry Center.

## **Coffee Break is Coming!**

Coffee Break, our Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study, begins this Tuesday, September 7, with a morning session (8:40-10:30 AM) and an evening session (6:30-8:00 PM). You are more than welcome to still jump in—just come and we will register you!

## **Texting Opt-in and Opt-out**

You are encouraged to join our texting groups to stay informed of urgent communication, last minute changes, or updates to events at NMC. To opt-in to receive texts, go to [nmc.church/alerts](http://nmc.church/alerts). (If you have done this previously, you don't need to do it again.) To be removed from a texting group, please contact the Church Office at 574-773-7773 or [nmcnews@nmc.church](mailto:nmcnews@nmc.church).


## **Relief Efforts Giving Opportunity**

NMC has two partnerships, Devon Oasis Center and World Relief, who are helping with Afghanistan relief efforts. Devon Oasis works extensively with refugees from Afghanistan and is expecting an influx from that country. NMC has partnered with World Relief in several relief efforts. Please mark your gift accordingly.

**KidMin Mother/Son Skate Night**  
Go to [nmc.church/dynamicduo](http://nmc.church/dynamicduo) for details and registration!



**MOTHER SON**  
**SKATE NIGHT**  
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 6:30PM - 8:00PM  
See us online!!! [nmc.church/dynamicduo](http://nmc.church/dynamicduo)



**Young Adult Ministry is here at NMC!**  
18-24 year olds  
Contact Lydia or Isaac at:  
[LydiaWood@nmc.church](mailto:LydiaWood@nmc.church) or  
[IsaacWood@nmc.church](mailto:IsaacWood@nmc.church)

**18-24 year olds:**  
Connect with other young adults!  
Start by emailing Isaac & Lydia Wood!

Change       Grow       Connect       Serve       Multiply 

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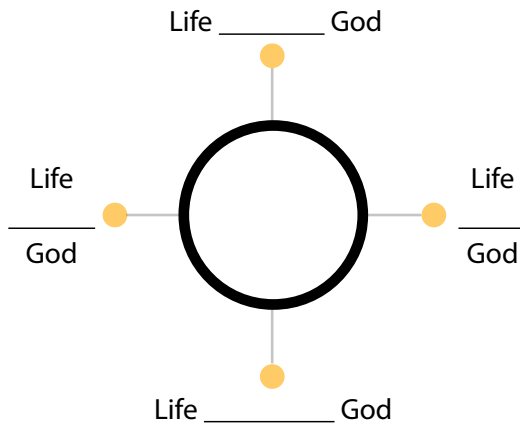
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## 1. *Withness*

September 5, 2021 / John 1:1-5,14, Matthew 1:23, Revelation 21:1-4

One of the mega-themes of the Bible is the very idea of God with us. God never abandoned His creation. He does not dwell in the heavens apathetic and uninvolved in the affairs of humanity. He is God with us, manifested most powerfully through the incarnation of Jesus Christ—Emmanuel. Here's the catch though: God, in his infinite goodness and greatness, has chosen to do life with us, but have we reciprocated? Or have we chosen a potentially more manipulative relationship with God, driven by fear and control?

### Bad posture?



### *Withness*

- *Withness* stems from the \_\_\_\_\_.
- *Withness* is an immutable \_\_\_\_\_ of the Bible.
- Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_ was the perfect representation of *withness*.
- We are invited to embrace a \_\_\_\_\_ of *withness*.

### What could a life with God look like?