

How can we pray for you?

- I would like a pastor to contact me or follow up regarding this request.
- Please keep this request confidential. (Ministry staff only)

I have a comment/question:

I want you to know:

- I received Jesus as my Savior today!
- I would like to take the next step into membership.
- I would like to dive into ministry here at Friends.
- Next Steps Keyword(s): _____



CELEBRATE // CONNECT // CARE

8:45 am – Sunday Morning Prayer Group (S-1)

9:15 & 11:00 am – Nursing Mother's Room (with *Live Stream* of our services, S-1)
Preschool: New/Tot Friends, Age 0-2/Walking (S-11) | Little Friends, Age 3-PreK (S-8)

Awaken - 9:15 am – Children's Discipleship Classes: Kinder Friends (S-2/3)
Grades 1-2 (S-4/5) | Grades 3-4 (Youth Room) | **Adult Bible Study:** Colossians (FLC)

10:15 am – Friends Café (FLC)

Thrive - 11:00 am – Kidz Church, Grades K-4 (S-2/3) | Youth Discipleship Classes:
Club 56, Grades 5-6 (S-4/5) | Grades 7-8 (Music Room) | Grades 9-12 (Youth Room)
Adult Bible Study: Temples of God (FLC)

Construction Updates

****EMERGENCY EXITS****

For Sunday morning services only, the corner rear doors of the Sanctuary are designated emergency exits. The central rear Sanctuary doors are not exits.

The exterior door in the hallway by the Youth Room and preschool rooms is an emergency exit only. Please do not use it for general egress.

If you are able, please consider parking across the street in the Moen front parking lot. **Shuttle service** from/to Moen will drop off and pick up in the church north parking lot for 30 minutes before and after each service.

For ongoing updates, check your email or visit noefc.org.

Prayer by Name

Cosme Family	Marian Sturgeon
Carrie Junkins	Margaret Thoennes
John & Kathryn Kinkus	Denise Webb
Rosemary Meyers	Irene Weston
Matt Reese	Jill White
Don Sabo	

Do you have a prayer request you would like to share with us? Please fill out the *Connect Card* or call/email the church office, so our prayer teams can lift you up in prayer during the week.



Giving

General Budget YTD.....	\$110,309.36
General Offerings YTD.....	\$82,917.86
<i>Generations</i> Commitments	\$1,019,595.00
<i>Generations</i> Fulfilled Commitments	\$910,294.48



WHAT'S EXPECTED OF ME
PASTOR GEOFF SCHULTZ
II Timothy 2:1-7



February 24, 2019

WELCOME TO FRIENDS

OUR MISSION IS LOVING PEOPLE TO LIFE IN JESUS CHRIST!

Let us focus our prayers as a congregation on God's Word for ourselves, our families, and our church. We invite you to pray **II Timothy 2:1-7** throughout the week, especially:

- Be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus—*Growing People Change Within* (v.1)
- Share the gospel faithfully, teaching others—*Found people find people* (v.2)
- Focus on pleasing Jesus—*Alive People Worship Jesus* (v.8)

I'm New

Please stop by our **Welcome Center** to receive a small gift for joining us and find out how you can get further connected in the ministry at Friends.



Two Worship Styles:

Whether you join us for our more modern service at 9:15 (AWAKEN) or our more traditional worship at 11:00 (THRIVE), we know you will be blessed, encouraged and challenged for the upcoming week. Come and be blessed.



Like us on Facebook!

Engage with our posts during the week and even with a *Live Stream* of our services on Sunday.



Want to find out more? Scan the QR code to be directed to the latest Friends Forecast (our monthly newsletter) or visit noefc.org/calendar for a look at all of our upcoming events.



Friends Café: Join us in the Family Life Center between Services (10:15 am) for fellowship and refreshment. As our guest, please enjoy a complimentary beverage or snack, while meeting others.



Website: Check out noefc.org for up-to-date information about our ministries and Sunday morning sermons (*also available on CD*).



Get Connected. We encourage everyone to be involved in a home growth group or discipleship class. For more information, visit us at noefc.org/adult-discipleship.



Hearing Assist Devices are available at the sound booth for your convenience.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FRIENDS

This Week

Sunday	6:00 pm	Adult Volleyball (FLC)
Monday	9:00 am	MomEase (S-4/5, Preschool, Tots)
	7:00 pm	Women's REAL Talk (S-4/5)
		Well Women Fitness (FLC)
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Synago (Sanctuary)
	7:00 pm	Moms in Prayer (S-2)
Wednesday	8 & 9:30 am	Well Women Fitness (Metroparks/Mall)
	10:30 am	Wednesday AM Growth Group (S-4/5)
	6:00 pm	SonSeekers Choir (Music Room)
	6:15pm	STAND Youth Group (Youth Room)
	6:30 pm	Little Seekers Choir (Preschool Room)
	7:00 pm	Club FX (FLC), Club 56 (Music Room)
		Adult Classes (S-2/3, S-4/5, Church Office)
Thursday	6:30 am	Thursday Morning Prayer Group (S-4/5)
	5:00 pm	Women's REAL Talk (offsite)
Saturday	7:00 am	Men's Walk Worthy Conference (offsite)
	9:00 am	Women's Bible Study (S-2/3)

Church Office Hours: Monday–Friday, 9:00 am–4:00 pm
For a full, detailed list of our weekly events visit noefc.org/calendar

STAND Youth Envelope Fundraiser // Envelopes are due! But you can still support our youth group on their summer mission trip to Canton, OH, by stopping by either of the tables near the welcome centers today to pick up an envelope and fill with the indicated donation amount.

Walk Worthy Conference // **Saturday, March 2** // Men's ministry will participate in the Walk Worthy conference in Chagrin Falls. Group registration of \$65 is due TODAY at the table in the FLC (checks payable to NOEFC). Those wanting to carpool to the conference should meet at the church at 6:45 a.m. Saturday.

Women's Retreat // **May 3-4** // Women, be sure to save the date for this year's retreat, which has been moved from the fall to the spring. Keep an eye out for more information and registration details coming soon!

Kids Camp 2019 // **July 28–August 2** // Registration is now open, and if you complete early registration by **March 17**, you get \$100 off! Additionally, if it is on your heart to bless a family in our church, you can donate the cost of registration to our scholarship fund. If you have any questions, or would like to donate to our kids, contact Adam Falkenstein at adam@noefc.org.

Connect Card

February 24, 2019

(Please fill out and place in offering plate)

Name(s) _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Address _____

What service did you attend?

9:15

11:00

I am a: Guest

Regular Attendee

Connect with us online!

Scan the QR code or visit us at noefc.org/iconnect to fill out a digital version of this card and to get even more connected!



This Connect Card is designed to help us CONNECT with you better, whether you are a first time guest or have been attending for many years. Our hope is to engage with you in a way that excites you about the ministries, events and opportunities NOEFC has to offer, and maybe even take that *next step* to participate in a ministry together. In no way will we use your information to *spam* you (we promise!).

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