

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)

Comment/question/keyword:

Please contact me:

- I want to learn more about becoming a Christian.
- I recently received Jesus as my Savior! What do I do now?
- I would like to take the next step into membership.
- How can I get more involved in ministry here at Friends?
- Other: _____



WELCOME TO FRIENDS

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 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.



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



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

Get Connected



Check out www.noefc.org for information about our ministries and Sunday morning sermon audio (also available on CD).



Like us on Facebook! [/northolmstedefc](https://www.facebook.com/northolmstedefc)

Engage with our posts during the week and view a live stream of services.



We encourage everyone to be involved in a home growth group or discipleship class. Visit [noefc.org/adult-discipleship](http://www.noefc.org/adult-discipleship) for more.

Construction and Parking

****EMERGENCY EXITS****

The rear doors of the Sanctuary are designated as emergency exits only.
In case of emergency, exit to the right through the construction area and out the new double exit doors.

Please contact the church office if you would like a tour of the new construction.

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](http://www.noefc.org).

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Amazing Grace



A TORTURED LONER
PASTOR GEOFF SCHULTZ
Luke 8:26-39



April 07, 2019

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FRIENDS

This Morning

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:** The Easter Experience (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)

This Week

Sunday	4:00 pm 5:00 pm 6:30 pm	Good Friday Praise Dance Rehearsal (S-4/5) SonSeekers & Little Seekers Musicals Adult Volleyball (FLC)
Monday	9:00 am 7:00 pm	MomEase (S-4/5, Tots & Preschool) Well Women Fitness (FLC)
Tuesday	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	Synago (Sanctuary) Moms in Prayer (S-2)
Wednesday	8 & 9:15 am 10:30 am 6:15 pm 7:00 pm	Well Women Fitness (Metroparks/Mall) Wednesday AM Growth Group (S-4/5) STAND Youth Group (Youth Room) Club FX (FLC), Club 56 (Music Room) Adult Classes (S-2/3, S-4/5) Prayer Meeting (Sanctuary)
Thursday	6:30 am 11:30 am	Thursday Morning Prayer Group (S-4/5) Silver Friends (FLC)
Friday	9:30 am	POWER Prayer (offsite)
Saturday	8:00 am 9:30 am	Men's Breakfast (FLC) Easter Band Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Church Office Hours: Monday–Friday, 9:00 am–4:00 pm

For a full, detailed list of our weekly events visit noefc.org/calendar

Giving

General Budget YTD	\$204,860.24
General Offerings YTD	\$181,543.76
GENERATIONS Commitments	\$1,019,595.00
Fulfilled Commitments	\$951,547.64

CELEBRATE // CONNECT // CARE

OUR MISSION IS *Loving people to life in Jesus Christ!*

Let's focus our prayers as a congregation on God's Word for ourselves, our families, and our church. We invite you to pray **Luke 8:26-39** throughout the week, especially:

- For those in our community oppressed by spiritual dark forces—*Found People Find People*
- That the people of Jesus would foster deliverance and healing in his name—*Saved People Serve People*
- That we would be bold in telling others what God has done for us—*Alive People Worship Jesus*

Prayer by Name

Hope Burke	Marcia Cole	Cosme Family	Dixon Family
Carrie Junkins	Kobelka Family	Tom Krucek	Dick McClement
Matt Reese	Marian Sturgeon	Margaret Thoennes	Bill Todl
Selah Beth Urso	Mary Weigle	Mark Weston	Donna Winne

Upcoming Events

KIDS CHOIR MUSICAL DOUBLE FEATURE // Tonight @ 5 pm // The Little Seekers will open with "The Praise Parade," as they teach us to praise the Lord with our entire being. Then, the SonSeekers will present "Star Quest," an intergalactic adventure through the farthest reaches of space, where they will help us to memorize God's Word through fun and song. Make some "space" in your schedule to be blessed by our kids!

GAME NIGHT FUNDRAISER // Friday, April 26 @ 7 pm // Our STAND Youth Group will be hosting a family-friendly Game Night to raise support for their summer mission trip to Canton. The night will be packed with board games, trivia, Minute-To-Win-It challenges, Mario Kart tournaments, Family Feud, cake walks, snacks, and more! Tickets cost \$10/adult or \$5/child, and can be purchased in the FLC starting today!

NIGHT OUT FOR LITERACY BANQUET // Saturday, April 27 @ 6 pm // We invite you to help bridge the education gap in Cleveland's Slavic Village by attending the annual Night Out for Literacy Banquet, which includes dinner, live music, auction, and raffle. Tickets can be purchased from Angeline Labrado at the table in the FLC. Come and support this program's 40-year legacy!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD // Donations for this year's packing party are now being accepted! Stop by one of the Welcome Centers to pick up the monthly donation item list. Donations can be placed in the box located next to the Welcome Center south of the Sanctuary (office side).

LOST & FOUND // If you have lost Bibles, sunglasses, winter wear, or other items over the past months, please stop by the church office to check the Lost & Found box. Any items not claimed by **April 15** will be donated to local charity.

Connect Card

April 7, 2019

(Please fill out and place in offering plate)

Name(s) _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Address _____

Which service did you attend?

9:15 11:00

I am a: Guest

Regular Attendee

Connect with us!

This card is designed to help us connect with you better, whether you are a first-time guest or have been attending for many years.

We want you to engage with our church in a way that encourages you and provides opportunities for you to grow and serve in our life and ministry together.

If you provide your email address, you may get an average of one to two emails per week about events at NOEFC, but we will not share your information with any other organization without your consent.