

# Experiencing God's Transforming Presence @



## WELCOME! ARE YOU NEW?

Whether you are just visiting or looking for a church home, we want to say, "Thank you!" for visiting us. We encourage you to fill out our yellow connection card or go online to our "[Ways to Connect](#)" page and fill out our online form. We'd love to get to know you and help you get to know us!

## ABOUT NLV

New Life Vineyard Church exists to help people to *experience the transforming presence of God*. We do this by *Connecting* to Christ and Others, *Growing* into Christian Maturity, *Serving* others, and *Going* out into our community to make a positive difference. We value love, acceptance, and forgiveness in all relationships. You matter to God, and you matter to us!

**WI-FI NETWORK PASSWORD:** NLVGuest

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- **Sun Worship:** 10:00 AM
- **Wed Morning Prayer:** 8:00 AM (Zoom)
- **Wed Youth:** 6:00-8:00 PM
- **Sat Men's Bible Study/Breakfast:** 7:30 AM

## WHAT TO EXPECT

We're a "come as you are" kind of church. Most of our family come dressed casually. Our music is contemporary but also contemplative. We encourage people to have fun celebrating God's goodness. We welcome clapping, raising of hands, and saying, "AMEN!". Our celebration services aren't meant to be a show, but rather a group of people all celebrating an audience of One - our great and awesome God!

## CHILDREN

We invite the kids to join in for our weekly Children's ministries. We dismiss the children to their classes after the second song of worship on Sunday.

## JR/SR HIGH STUDENTS

Our VineyardYOUTH group meets Wednesdays from 6:00-8:00 PM here at the church in addition to special events throughout the year. Pastor Dan also teaches Sunday mornings every other week.

## MEN & WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Our Men & Women's ministries provide ways for people to connect with God and each other. Throughout the year we schedule a variety of [events](#) such as retreats, breakfasts, a fish fry, and more.

## NEW LIFE VINEYARD CHURCH

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## THIS WEEK @ THE VINEYARD October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Thank you for joining us in-person or online for the 10:00AM worship service today! Our online services are available via [Facebook](#), [YouTube](#), or our [Website](#).

## VineyardWOMEN'S Discovery & Discussion

Join the VineyardWOMEN'S **Discovery & Discussion** study of *6 Women of the Bible* - Tuesdays from 6:30 to 7:30. There's no study book, no homework, and no ongoing commitment. Just come when you can. Next Tuesday, Tara Applegate will be presenting on the unnamed women of the Bible. Childcare is provided.

## WHISPERING PINES THANKSGIVING BASKETS

The annual "filling of the baskets" is back! Each year we fill laundry baskets with all of the fixings for a full Thanksgiving meal to then distribute to those at Whispering Pines who would benefit from this gift. Plan to take home a basket and shopping list starting Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>, and return them filled by Nov 20<sup>th</sup>.

## 1 CORINTHIANS BIBLE STUDY

Pastor Larry is leading a Bible Study through 1 Corinthians on Sunday mornings. They meet from 8:45-9:30 AM before service. This time slot allows those serving on Sunday mornings to be a part of the group.

## GUATEMALA MISSION TRIP

This is the **LAST DAY** to get involved with the January 6<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> trip to Guatemala. Contact [Pastor Larry](#) for registration or to get any questions answered.

## DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

This is your early warning that Nov. 6th is the end of Daylight Savings Time. Plan to roll your clocks back an hour and get that extra hour of sleep next Sunday. Then come into church extra refreshed and ready to worship!

## PRAYER AND GIVING

If you would like prayer for any reason, you can reach us at [prayer@midlandvineyard.com](mailto:prayer@midlandvineyard.com).

Tithes and offerings can be placed in the offering baskets, lobby lock-box, sent [online](#), or through the mail (1014 E. Ashman St, Midland, MI, 48642).



# WE ARE VINEYARD

October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022

James Applegate

**We Are Vineyard**

**Believe Your Beliefs & Doubt Your Doubts**

**James 1:2-8**

James 1:2-8, “Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything. If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you. But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord. Such a person is double-minded and unstable in all they do.”

There is \_\_\_\_\_ in the trial. Vs. 2, “Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds,”

There is \_\_\_\_\_ in the trial. Vs. 3-4 “because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.”

\_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ from scripture:

Your trial will be used by God to do something \_\_\_\_\_ in your life.

The good that comes from our trial is a \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of our faith,

This is the end goal we are to be \_\_\_\_\_ for: vs. 4 “mature and complete, not lacking anything.

God is faithful to \_\_\_\_\_. 5 “If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you.”

When we \_\_\_\_\_ in the truth of God, it will drive us to the \_\_\_\_\_ of God and we will \_\_\_\_\_.

Any way in which we can come to a deeper understanding and belief in God, when we pursue it \_\_\_\_\_, it is ASKING!

When we “ask” wholeheartedly, God is a \_\_\_\_\_! Vs. 5

We don’t receive wisdom or growth in faith when we are \_\_\_\_\_. Vs. 6-8

Double minded is the picture of someone who is divided in their \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

They aren’t ACCEPTING, they are “EXCEPTING”.

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## WAYS TO CONNECT

For a more information on all the ways you can connect at New Life Vineyard Church, visit [midlandvineyard.com/waystoconnect](https://midlandvineyard.com/waystoconnect).