

Joshua said the people must make a choice between serving idols – and serving God. What else did he tell them?

Find the letters in the circles to fill the blanks.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14												

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7 3 1 1,8 2,3 7 13

4,5 8 11 10 5 4,5 8 6,7 2,3

12 3

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10 3 9,10 11,12 3

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newLife THRIVE YOUTH CORNER

Recently at Thrive, we have been learning about different aspects of Jesus' life on earth. He is the foundation our faith is built on, so it is important that we have a real understanding of who He was and is as our Lord and Savior. As Christians, the world is going to question our faith and ask us how we know Jesus really was the Son of God He claimed to be. One significant proof of this was Jesus' many miracles recorded in Scripture. It was obvious to everyone that He possessed some form of supernatural power as He healed the sick, raised a man from the dead, cast out demons, and so much more. The pharisees claimed that when Jesus cast a demonic spirit out of a man, that He was doing it by the power of the devil. However, we eventually see in John 3, that Nicodemus, one of the pharisees, admitted to Jesus that the pharisees recognized that Jesus' power was from God. If even the pharisees, the people most opposed to Jesus' teachings, had to admit that He was sent by God, that should be proof to us that Jesus truly was the Son of God!

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May 14, 6:00 PM

It's that time of year again for our New Life work day! Meet at the Worship Center at 6 pm. Hotdogs and hamburgers will be provided. All abilities and skill levels are encouraged to come; there is plenty of work to be done! (Rain date - May 21).



**Kerry Kirkwood**

Friday, March 28, 7:00 pm  
Sunday, March 30, 10:00 am

**NOTE: DATE CHANGE!**

We are excited to have Kerry with us again for these two services. Kerry is an author, pastor, prophetic teacher, and overseer of churches nationally and internationally. Come with expectancy and invite your friends and family!



**THRIVE**

**Fundraiser Lunch - March 30**  
Immediately following the service, THRIVE youth will be providing a delicious meal for all. All proceeds will help with camp costs, activities, etc. Mark your calendars and plan to join us for this fun day of enjoying spiritual and natural food!

**GETTING TO KNOW YOU**

Sharon Long

Let me introduce you to an awesome man of God, Dan Stambaugh. He is originally from Columbus, Ohio, but has lived in many other places around the globe, including Ireland, Oregon, Colorado, New Mexico, both Carolinas, Tennessee, Kentucky, Georgia, and back to Ohio. Dan is currently living in Celina. He is a retired chiropractor of 32 years and currently plays guitar and sings for a living. Dan is single, has never been married, and has no children. Before moving to Mercer County, he was active in the Jersey Baptist Church in Johnstown, Ohio,



near Columbus. Dan has been enjoying a vacation was taking with a group of Doyle teaching. His favorite vacation was taking does not have any about his hobbies,

enjoying a vacation was taking does not have any about his hobbies, Dan reports he has recently become addicted to pickleball and enjoys playing the guitar. If asked to serve at church, he would enjoy singing and playing the guitar. He believes one of his strengths is the ability to relate to different types of people and he enjoys making people laugh. Dan describes himself as an outgoing extrovert.

Some other information Dan shared was he likes horseback riding, long walks on the beach, and Salsa dancing..... "Ok, I might have made that last part up," he added! If you haven't met this fun loving guy, make sure you introduce yourself to him at the next service.

**DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES**

**Discipleship 3: March 23, March 30, 8:00 - 9:15 am**  
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**BECOMING BETTER LEADERS & TEAMMATES**

Pastor Justin

Are you a parent? Do you lead a team at work? Do you coach a sport? Do you help teach a class at church? Are you in any role where people report to or look up to you? More than likely, that's everyone reading this article. Do you know what makes you? **A leader.** Here at New Life, we want

you. This is the same content for some of you who went through our latest Destiny School of Ministry Leadership training. You can always attend again if you would like. Bring your manuals with you. Let us know if you plan to attend and if you already have your manual.

to equip our people to be the best leaders they can be. Starting April 5th, we will launch our level 1 leadership training. This is going to be a 9-3 training. Who is invited to this

*Leaders are made, not born*

After the April 5th date, our next leadership class will be held on consecutive Wednesday nights, May 21 and 28, and everyone is welcome. Another Saturday training session will be on

training? All those who are part of a team at New Life. If you're on a team, you should receive a team leader's invitation to attend the training, though we will not turn anyone away who is not part of a team and would like to attend. You can contact the office and let us know you would like to be in attendance so we can have a training manual for

June 7, from 9 a.m. to noon. The final level of leadership training will be on two more Wednesday nights, June 11 and 18. We still want you to attend the Wednesday night training if you usually attend Wednesday nights. We will have a few handouts for you to follow along with. If you have any questions, please contact us at the office.

APRIL 24-26, 2025

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**ATM Conference**

This conference is for anyone seeking a move of the Holy Spirit. The event will be held at Foundation Stone Church in Toledo. General admission is \$20. Check out the QR code to the left for more information. All are welcome to attend.