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	Please keep this request confidential (ministry staff only).
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	l want to learn more about becoming a Christian.
	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?
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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.





Friends Café: Join us between services in the Family Life Center for fellowship and refreshment. As our guest, please enjoy a complimentary beverage and snack as you enjoy meeting others and learning about us!

Get Connected

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



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

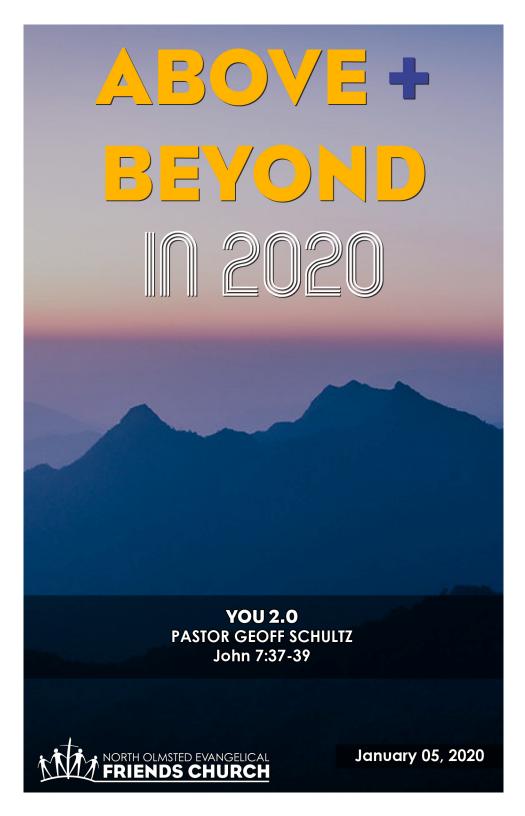
We encourage everyone to be involved in a home growth group or discipleship class. Visit noefc.org/adult-discipleship for more.

Adult Discipleship Classes

Make time to grow in your walk with Jesus through new adult classes starting this week (all in the conference room). Visit <u>noefc.org/adult-classes</u> to learn more about how we categorize our classes to help you on your journey.

- ◆ THE LIFE OF JOSHUA // IN DEPTH // Sundays @ 9:15 am // From Moses' assistant to military leader to prophetic elder, Joshua shows us the blessings and challenges of a life lived in faithfulness to God.
- ◆ COLD-CASE CHRISTIANITY // IN CONTEXT // Sundays @ 11 am, Wednesdays @ 10:30 am // Examine the evidence for Jesus' resurrection with the same tools used by homicide detectives investigating cold cases.
- ◆ RE:SOLVE // IN CONTEXT // Wednesdays @ 7 pm // Instead of new year's resolutions, what if we looked to God's Word and the power of the Holy

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FRIENDS

This Morning

8:45 am – Sunday Morning Prayer Group (Upper Room)

<u>Awaken - 9:15 am</u> – Family Room (Children's Wing) | Children's Sunday School (Children's Wing): Nursery, Age 0-18 mo. | Tiny Tots, Age 19 mo. - 3 yrs. | Pre-K, Age 4 yrs. - Pre-K | Grade K | Grades 1-2 | Grades 3-4 | Adult Class: The Life of Joshua (Conference Room)

10:15 am - Friends Café (FLC)

Thrive - 11:00 am - Family Room (Children's Wing) | Children's Classes (Children's Wing): Nursery, Age 0-18 mo. | Tiny Tots, Age 19 mo. - 3 yrs. | Pre-K, Age 4 yrs. - Pre-K | Kids Church, Grades K-4 | Club 56, Grades 5-6 | Youth Discipleship Classes (Upper Room), Grades 7-12 | Adult Class: Cold Case Christianity (Conference Room)

This Week

Monday	7:00 pm	Well Women Fitness (FLC)
Tuesday	6:30 pm	College-Age Bible Study (Upper Room)
	7:00 pm	Moms in Prayer (Conference Room)
Wednesday	y 8 & 9:15 am	Well Women Fitness (Metroparks/Mall)
	10:30 am	Wednesday AM Growth Group (Conference Room)
	6:15 pm	STAND Youth Group (Upper Room)
	7:00 pm	Club FX (Children's Wing)
		Club 56 (Children's Wing)
		Prayer Meeting (Adult Classroom 1, former Music Rm)
		Adult Class—Re:Solve (Conference Room)
Thursday	7:00 am	Thursday Morning Prayer Group (Conference Room)
	11:30 am	Silver Friends (FLC)
	7:00 pm	Overcomers Outreach (Upper Room)
Saturday	8:00 am	Men's Breakfast (Conference Room)
	9:00 am	Christmas Clean-up

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

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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 **John 7:37-39** throughout the week, especially:

- That we would take our needs to Jesus—Growing People Change Within
- For God to use us to reach and bless others—Found People Find People
- That we would continue to glorify Jesus in the Spirit—Alive People Worship Jesus

Prayer by Name

John Biedka Phyllis Baker Cassie Bartos Hope Burke Marc Chokan Nadine Dubowski Gerry Freed Brynn Henfling Manfroni Family George Mason Marleana Karoly Tom Krucek Dick McClement Tom O'Brien Raenette Powell Becky Raczkowski Pat Savage Dave Swartz Bill & Maria Todl Linda Wiant

Upcoming Events

COLLEGE-AGE BIBLE STUDY // Tuesdays beginning January 7 @ 6:30 pm //
How do we honor God with our choices in life when the world pulls us a different way?
"Say Drugs and Book & Polls Confronting Culture with a Biblical Worldview" is eight ween

"Sex, Drugs, and Rock & Roll: Confronting Culture with a Biblical Worldview" is eight weeks of fellowship, worship, and conversation with other 18-to-24-year-olds in the Upper Room. For more information, contact Pastor David at pastordavid@noefc.org.

SILVER FRIENDS WHITE ELEPHANT LUNCH // January 9 @ 11:30 am // Seniors, join us for a hot bowl of soup, great fellowship and a lot of fun! Bring a white elephant gift to exchange. To RSVP, write "SF" on your Connect Card or call Margie Metz at 440-779-0784.

MEN'S BREAKFAST // Saturdays beginning January 11 @ 8 am // Jesus told his followers to "make disciples of all nations"—but what does that really mean? Join with other men to explore our role as "makers" in God's Kingdom. We meet each Saturday morning in the conference room to help one another to grow in our walk with Jesus and one another. For more information, contact Pastor David at pastordavid@noefc.org.

CHRISTMAS CLEAN-UP // January 11 @ 9 am // Lend a hand as we pack up the church's Christmas decorations and begin a new season of ministry. For more information, contact Adrianne Nolan at adrianne@noefc.org.

VOLLEYBALL // Sundays beginning January 12 @ 4 pm // Join us Sunday afternoons in the FLC for open volleyball. High school and adults, all skill levels welcome. For more information, text Scott Glazer at 440-725-0315.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR 2020 // The Children's Ministry team is looking for new people to serve as teachers, helpers, check-in desk attendants, and more! For more info,

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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