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## NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH OF MILWAUKEE

Julius R. Malone, Pastor-Teacher



# She is clothed with strength and dignity, Proverbs 31:25

# MAY 11, 2025

## Services:

8:45 AM	Sunday School
9:45 AM	Communion
10:00 AM	Morning Worship Service
6:30 PM	Wednesday Night
	Prayer Meeting On Zoom

# NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH

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# SERMON NOTES

## Motto

- There are no great men. There is a great God who uses men.
- The world has yet to see what God can do with a church totally committed to Him.

### Mission Statement

• To make disciples of Jesus Christ who will make disciples of Jesus Christ.

# Goals For 2025

- Read through the Bible (Preferably in a Different Translation)
- Learn How to Rest in the Sovereignty of God
- Learn How to Listen to God
- Learn How to Enjoy Your Journey
- Stay Filled with the Holy Spirit of God -Recognize, Repent, L Return When You're Not Filled
- Continue to Pray for Revival at the New Testament Church of Milwaukee
- Continue to Select and Practice Obeying Seven Scriptures (James 1:22)
- ♦ Avoid Procrastination
- Everyone Involved in a Ministry
- Treasure your moments with those whom you love
- Practicing the Sabbath Day principle: Work six days and rest one day (Exodus 20:9-10)

# Theme For 2025

• Trust and Obey (Proverbs 3:5-6; John 13:17)

# **ORDER OF SERVICE**

# SERMON NOTES

Presenter:

- Communion
- Praise & Worship
- ♦ Announcements
- Altar Prayer
- Song Before Message
- Sermon Message
- Benediction
- Offering—the Lord loves a cheerful giver!

## Permanent Memory Verses

- Ephesians 5:18
- Galatians 5:16-17
- John 2:5
- 2 Peter 3:18

Memory Verses for May 2025

May 4: Mark 6:31, NKJV May 11: Ephesians 5:18, KJV May 18: Romans 8:9, NKJV May 25: Galatians 5:22-23, NKJV

# Recommended Book for May: Daniel

**Radio Schedule:** JOY 1340 AM & JOY 98.7 FM: Mon thru Fri: 1:15 pm, 6:15pm & 10:30pm, and online: JOY 1340.com Internet: www.newtchurch.org — Listen to Sunday messages anytime at our web site.

TV Schedule: Living By The Word, Sundays, Channel 24 at 9:30AM

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Mark Your Calendar:

Praise, Prayer & Bible Study meets on Wednesdays, 6:30pm-8:00pm via ZOOM. Go to www.newtchurch.org, scroll down, and click the Wed night prayer icon for the zoom link.

#### **Recommended Book for May: Daniel**

Things for which to look as you study the book of Daniel:

- 1. The purposes for the book of Daniel.
- 2. Observe the references to the sovereignty of God and to Jesus Christ.
- 3. Observe the displays of the glory of God in the book of Daniel.
- 4. Observe Daniel's descriptions of the four world empires.
- 5. What were the factors contributing to the fall of Babylon?
- 6. What are some of the characteristics of Daniel's prayer regarding the nation of Israel (Daniel 9)?
- 7. What lessons do we learn from Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, Abednego, and Nebuchadnezzar?

#### \$2,000.00 NTC - Student of the Year Scholarship for

**Graduating Seniors -** The application can be located on the New Testament Church website (www.newtchurch.org). Once on the website, click on the Student of the Year Scholarship Application link. The Leadership Essay Topic is "The Sovereignty of God." How do you plan to apply the lessons learned on Resting in the Sovereignty of God during your daily living as a college student? (Daniel 4:35) The **application deadline is Sunday, June 8, 2025.** 

#### Marriage Enrichment Ministry

- The Renewal of Marriage Vows will be held at the Hilton Garden Inn this year! We invite all married couples to *An Evening of Elegance*, "Celebrating the Covenant of Marriage" on Saturday, June 21, 2025 at 5:00pm. The cost is \$135 per couple. Sign up will begin May 4th in the lobby. Suggested attire: after five. Any questions, please see Tommy or Desiree Hoard.
- The Website Ministry is recruiting members to be a part of our team. You don't need to be tech-savvy, just a willingness to spread the Gospel using technology. If you are interested in learning more, contact Ministry Leaders: Dewayne Edwards at Dedwards1994@yahoo.com or Elder Rick Norris at Rnorris992@gmail.com.

# Staying Filled with the Holy Spirit of God

In Ephesians 5:18, "Be filled" translates the one Greek verb πληροῦσθε (*plērousthe*). The basic verb is πληρόω (*plēroō*, *Strong's 4137*). "Be filled" means "to be under the control of."

The Greek verb *plērousthe* is in the imperative mood, which means a command. *Plērousthe* is in the present tense, which means continuous action in the presence. *Plērousthe* is plural which means every born-again believer in Christ. *Plērousthe* is in the passive voice, which means the subject is receiving the action performed by the verb.

Let us pray daily for grace to yield to the Holy Spirit, and let us stand on these words: "*And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit*" (Ephesians 5:18, KJV).

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Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord. **Ephesians 5:19** 

# **Trust and Obey**

#### Verse 1

When we walk with the Lord in the light of His Word, What a glory He sheds on our way! While we do His good will He abides with us still, and with all who will trust and obey.

#### Chorus

Trust and obey, for there's no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obev.

#### Verse 2

Not a shadow can rise, not a cloud in the skies, but His smile quickly drives it away; not a doubt nor a fear, not a sigh nor a tear, can abide while we trust and obey.

#### Verse 3

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share, but our toil He doth richly repay; not a grief nor a loss, not a frown nor a cross, but is blest if we trust and obey.

#### Verse 4

But we never can prove the delights of His love until all on the altar we lay; for the favor He shows and the joy He bestows are for them who will trust and obey.

#### Verse 5

Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at His feet, or we'll walk by His side in the way; what He says we will do, where He sends we will go-never fear, only trust and obey.

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#### **Attention Flock 4, Let's FELLOWSHIP!**

Sunday, May 18th, after morning service at Bandero County Restaurant, N96 W16865 Cumberland Ct., Menomonee Falls. Please RSVP to Mary Edwards at (414) 899-9307 or Tracey Mitchell (414) 368-7625 by May 10th. Thank you Elder Edwards, Deacon Mitchell and Deacon Randolph.

#### **NTC Evangelism Ministry**

- James 5:20b ... "He who turns a sinner from the error of his way will save a soul from death and cover a multitude of sins." The NTC Evangelism Ministry will have a Zoom meeting on Tuesday, May 20, 2025 at 7:00pm. The zoom contact information is (312) 626-6799 and the passcode is 570 460 7049# or please contact Min. Roosevelt McKinney at (414) 630-5648 for the zoom link. All are invited to join us and your participation and prayers are appreciated. Proverbs 11:30, NLT says "He who wins souls is wise."
- The next meeting for the Ministers' Class with Pastor Malone will be Thursday, May 29, 2025. Everyone is Welcome!
- Baptism Celebration is Sunday, July 27th. The Potential New Members - Baptism class is required to be taken before Baptism. The next classes are **Sunday**, May 18 and July 13. Contact the Church Office at ext. 204 or 203 to sign up to be baptized.
- NTC Annual Church Picnic Volunteers The

NTC Picnic Ministry is looking for volunteers to help with this year's picnic that will take place on Saturday, July 26, 2025. Volunteers are needed to help in the following areas: food, servers, set up, clean up, games, and other areas. Questions, contact Pastor Cifax.



Sign up in the church lobby or use the QR Code.

#### **Employment Opportunity:**

NTC is recruiting for 2 Facility Service Technicians; We are looking to hire one 1st shift full-time person to work Mondav-Friday, between 7AM-4:00PM, and one 2nd shift parttime person to work Monday-Friday between 3PM-8PM. Applications are available in the Church Office. Questions, contact Deacon Hinton at (414) 365-1690.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

### May Sunday School Schedule:

## Adult Sunday School (8:45-9:30am):

#### May 4: Healing the Lame Man (Acts 3:1-11)

**Objective**: Understand the significance of the healing miracle and its implications for faith, reflecting on how miracles can strengthen belief.

#### May 11: Peter's Second Sermon (Acts 3:12-26)

**Objective:** Analyze the themes of repentance and restoration in Peter's second sermon, acknowledging their relevance to contemporary faith practices.

### May 18: Persecution Begins (Acts 4:1-22)

**Objective:** Explore the concept of boldness in faith, examining how the apostles faces opposition and how this can inspire our own responses to challenges.

### May 27: Community and Prayer (Acts 4:23-37)

Objective: Recognize the significance of prayer and communal support in the early church, highlighting its role in promoting unity and resilience in faith.

#### **Choose a Small Group Discussion Team:**

Minister Anthony Edwards & Minister Tommy Hoard (co-ed group) - Room LL122

Minister Mark Bruce, Minister Kevin Scroggins & Minister Ivory Peoples (co-ed group) - Fellowship Hall

Minister Sharon Green & Minister Dorothy Valentine (women only group) - Conference Room 221

Minister Chris Hinton & Minister Eliot Washington (men only group) - Room LL105

## May: Youth Sunday School

Title: Being King, Ephesians 4:32 Teacher: Angela Peavy Room LL121

#### Nursery 9:45am-11:45am

Ages: Infants - 5yrs

Contact Crystal Herd Young for more details at (414) 349-2587. **Room LL104** 

## Youth Bible Study

Saturday, **May 17th**, in the gym, 5:00-7:00PM Study: Book of John 6

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Thank You:

Dear Pastor Malone, Pastor Cifax, Pastor Hopgood, Minister Joe Malone, and New Testament Church, Thank you for your prayers, phone calls, cards, and encouraging words during the death of my husband, Warren Johnson. A special thanks to Pastor Malone for your visit, prayers, and support. Shalom, Lillie Johnson and Family

Dear Pastor Julius R. Malone, Flock 8, Deacons, and NTC Family, The family of Fred Reed would like to extend their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to those who offered prayer, support, and condolences during this difficult time. Your kindness and thoughtfulness has been a great comfort. We are deeply grateful. Please continue to keep our family in your prayers. May God bless you all. Andrea Reed & Family

#### Pastor Malone, Pastor Cifax, & NTC Family,

Thank you for your prayers, cards, and calls. They were very comforting to me after the passing of my precious grandson, Chauncey Jr. Please continue to pray for me and my family. **God Bless you all! Althea, DeAvion, and Chauncey Sr.** 

Pastor Malone, Pastor Cifax, Elder Jordan, Flock #2, Grieving Ministry and New Testament Church Family, All my family members and I want to thank you for your prayers, cards, support and all expressions of kindness shown to us during our times of bereavement since the beginning of the year. We appreciate and greatly value your compassion, sympathy and thoughtfulness! May God's abundant blessings be with you all! The Morse, Dickerson, Deloney, Robinson, Smith, Bradley & Wynn Families Shalom!

### **Convergence Resource Center**

Walk to Win, Saturday, May 17, 2025, Kops Park, 86th & Concordia Ave., 3-mile walk. On-site registration: 9am, walk starts: 10am. Pre-registration online cost is \$25 and includes a *walk to win* t-shirt. Can't walk? . . . Sponsor a walker! Learn more & sign up at: www.convergenceresource.org.

*Have you moved?* If you have moved or changed any of your contact information, please call the church office at (414) 365-1690, ext 204. Thank you!