

New Covenant Fellowship

January 14, 2024

Love Your Neighbor—An “Other” Way by Renée Antrosio

The Israelites did as Moses had told them and asked the Egyptians for their silver and gold jewelry as well as their clothing. The Lord made sure that the Egyptians were kind to the people so that they let them have whatever they asked for.

—Exodus 12:35-36a



ORDER OF SERVICE

Come Let Us Sing

Welcome (Paige)

Woke Up This Morning

Shelter

Luke 10:29-37 (Sabas family)

Here I am Lord

Love Your Neighbor- An “Other” Way (Renée)

Up to the Mountain

Freely, Freely

Prayer for Renée’s sabbatical 1/15-4/15

Jesus Said

Benediction (Jason Berg)

Love Will Hold Us Together

BENEDICTION

Our Abba, who art in heaven

Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done

on earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts,

as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom, and the power,

and the glory, forever.

Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Peaceful Passing—Jerry Welch went to be with the Lord on Jan 6. Condolences can be sent to Janet and family at 2806 Oakmont Ct, Champaign, 61821. **Ed Napier** passed before the holidays; donations in his memory may be sent to the Eastern Illinois Foodbank in Urbana. Please keep both families in your prayers.

Renée’s Sabbatical—Pastor Renée will be enjoying a sabbatical to the desert January 15-April 15. Please join with us in praying for this to be a time of rest and refreshment for Renee. For all pastoral care please reach out to Associate Pastor Melissa Logsdon at melissa.ncf@gmail.com.

Leadership Team—In our **Jan 8 meeting**, the LT and Board met via zoom to finalize plans for Renée’s Sabbatical and 2024 Budget.

Black Earth Gardens—Mari Hunt Wassink is grateful for each of you and how NCF joined with Black Earth Gardens to cultivate a more equitable food system. Sign up for their newsletter [here](#).

Teddy’s Surgery Update—Paco and Bonnie Zamora are very thankful that Teddy’s aortic valve replacement surgery was successful! They are hoping he will be out of ICU soon as he is in good spirits and getting around. Prayers for continued healing and recovery and for his 3 ½ year old son, Emilio, to adjust to Papa’s limitations when he first comes home. They want to say thank you for the NCF community supporting their family in prayer!

News from the Lobos—Leo and Renee send their **greetings and latest news**.

Financial Opportunity—FreedUp is a 7 week app-based financial program, complete with a workbook and opportunities for small group discussion. Everence is offering a discount code to get this program for \$19 (regularly \$99). Find out more and [register here](#).

Upcoming Events:

Jan 14 Prayer @NCF 9:45-10:15 am

Jan 15-April 15 Renée on sabbatical

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December tithes: \$18,560.62; Family Fund: \$1,025.00; Reparations Fund: \$1,150.00—Thank you!