New Covenant Fellowship

January 26, 2025

"Listen, Worship, Feast Together" by Pastor Renée Antrosio

"Nehemiah continued, "Go now and enjoy rich food and sweet wine, and be certain that you send a share to those who cannot provide for themselves, for this day is holy to YHWH. Let no one be sad, for YHWH's joy is your strength."

Nehemiah 8:10



ORDER OF SERVICE

Come Let Us Go

Welcome (Paige Weston)

Praise God for the Body

Prayer (Jubal)

We are Being Built into a Temple

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-12 (Julian & Arlene)

The Lord is With Us (Jim Croegaert)

Teaching (Pastor Renée)

Break Bread Together

Kindle Your Fire

Benediction

Jude Benediction

In you, O Lord our God, we find our joy,

for through your law and your prophets
you formed a people in mercy and freedom,

BENEDICTION

in justice and righteousness.

Pour your Spirit on us today,
that we who are Christ's body
may bear the good news
of your ancient promises
to all who seek you.

Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congregational Meal & Meeting—Today, immediately following service. Rotisserie chicken and vegetarian main dish provided. Please bring a dish to share if you are able.

Research & Writing—For the month of February, Pastor Renée will be working remotely in Texas, focusing on evaluation and extension of the Reparations Pilot Project to more NCF African-American grandchildren and presentations to other congregations. She and Melissa will continue to be in close contact, and she will be available by phone and computer as needed.

Tax Receipts for your charitable donations to NCF in 2024 will be emailed week 1 of February. If you need it before then, or your email has changed, or for any other giving questions, please speak with Paco Zamora.

Upcoming Events:

Jan 27 Songs from Testimonies @Spurlock, 5pm Jan 28 Klezmer Band @Rose Bowl, 7:30pm

Jan 30 Estate Planning: Disabilities 7:00pm

Jan 30 to Feb 28 Pastor Renée at remote research

Happenings Beyond NCF...

This Thursday: Estate Planning for Families with Disabilities webinar January 30 at 7:00pm.

Songs From Testimonies—Jan 27, 5:00 pm, Spurlock Museum Auditorium, free admission. *The Songs From Testimonies* project is based on poems and songs in the interviews with Holocaust survivors from Yale's Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies.

Litvakus Klezmer Band with Sasha Lurje—Jan 28, 2025, 7:30 pm, Rose Bowl Tavern (free admission, \$10-\$20 tip suggested). Musicians from the *Songs From Testimonies* project will perform as the Litvakus Klezmer Band, a critically acclaimed New York-based klezmer collective, founded and led by the clarinetist, vocalist, and composer Zisl Slepovitch.



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