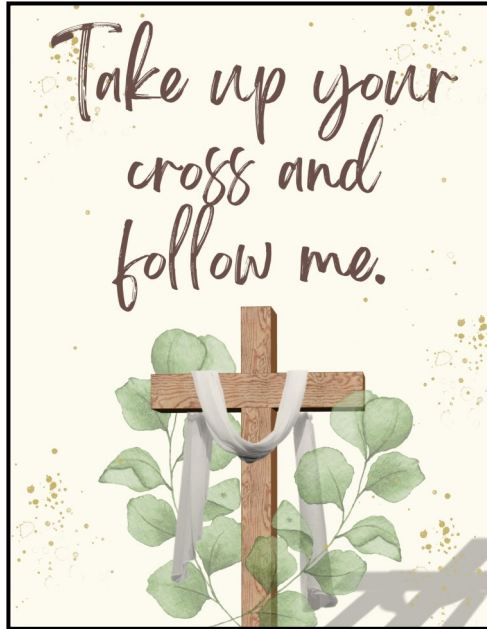


# North Hills Community Baptist Church



**February 23, 2025**

**11:00 a.m. Worship Service**

Rev. Dr. Jeremy Hall, Senior Pastor

Rev. Felicia Zamora,

Associate Pastor of Pastoral Care

Christine O'Neil, Director of Youth Ministries

Emmanuel Berrido, Director of Music

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# Welcome Guests!

We are excited to have you worship with us today! If you are a first-time or returning guest, we would like to connect with you. Please take a minute to either scan the QR Code to the right with your phone camera or complete the “We’re Glad You’re Here” card found in the pew racks, and place the card in the offering plate when it comes around.



## Order of Service

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Felicia Zamora

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Mike Wertz

**SONGS OF PRAISE**    *Gather Us Lord  
Your Name  
Holy Spirit Rain Down\*\**

### PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD’S PRAYER

Rev. Felicia Zamora

**ANTHEM**                      *We Remember*

NHCBC Choir

### OFFERING INVITATION AND PRAYER

Mike Wertz

\* Children are dismissed for children’s church

### AMERICA FOR CHRIST VIDEO

**OFFERING MUSIC**    *Lead Me to the Cross/Crown Him with Many Crowns*

**SCRIPTURE**                      *Mark 8:27—9:1 (Page 999)*

Mike Wertz

### MESSAGE

Rev. Felicia Zamora  
“Take Up That Cross”

### RIGHT HAND OF CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

**CLOSING SONG**                      *The Blessing*

### BENEDICTION

#### \* Children’s Church

Children ages 4 through 2nd grade are invited to children’s church.  
*A snack is provided. Please see an usher with any allergy concerns.*

\*\* Feel free to join the NHCBC Choir in song

# Announcements

## Prayer Request Cards

Prayer request cards are available in the pew racks and in the narthex.

## Mardi Gras Event

March 4, 6:30-8:00 p.m. at Allusion Brewery (3 miles from NHCBC) 1701 Duncan Ave, Allison Park, PA 15101

Pastor Jeremy wants to share a little of his Gulf Coast culture with you, and talk about how Baptists "*might could*" think about lent.

We have reserved a section of couches at Allusion. Jeremy will lead a conversation, there will be authentic KING CAKE from New Orleans.

The bar will be open, and food will be available. All are welcome, members, friends, no age restrictions on this event. *\*If you are interested in Childcare, reach out to Jeremy asap.*

## Ash Wednesday Service

Wednesday, March 5 at 6:30 p.m.

Please note this service will not be livestreamed.

## Save the Date!

NHCBC's Rummage Sale will be back this summer on Saturday, June 21! More details to come soon.

**Sewing machines needed!** Catalyst Youth will be doing a sewing workshop during our regular meeting time on Sunday, March 2 and we are in need of some sewing machines to borrow. If you are willing to lend yours please label the machine with your name and leave it in the Fellowship Hall Annex on or before that Sunday morning. Please have the machine and bobbin already threaded (any color thread is fine). If there are any special instructions for use please leave those as well. You may pick up your machine the following week any time during church office hours or on Sunday. Thank you for helping our students learn some sewing skills!

## This morning we welcome with the Right Hand of Christian Fellowship:

**Barb Elsesser** is happily retired from North Allegheny School District. Barb likes to spend her time reading, gardening, crafting, sewing and traveling.

**Rob Olszewski** is engaged to Beth Kurtz and is a man of many talents. He is involved with many non-profits that help people with disabilities, including Joni and Friends. Rob enjoys hunting, fixing computers, and video production.

# Service Teams

Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025

## Worship and Music:

**Song Leaders:** Jonathan Jones, Tori Kurtz

**Praise Band:** Jonathan Jones (guitar/voice),  
Emmanuel Berrido (keyboard/voice),

## Tech:

**Livestream:** Jami Klingensmith

**Video Tech:** Aurora Clark

## Hospitality:

**Childcare:** Devin Porterfield

**Ushers:** Suzi Hines, Shannon Porterfield

## **Serving next week (March 2<sup>nd</sup>):**

Aurora Clark (childcare), Shannon Porterfield (usher).

**1 more usher needed; please let us know if you can help!**

# Coming Up This Week

**Tuesday:** 10:00 a.m. Bible Study  
5:30 p.m. Pleasant Valley Shelter

**Wednesday:** 6:00 p.m. Prayer Group (virtual)

**Thursday:** 6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal  
6:30 p.m. Connect

**Next Sunday:** 9:00 a.m. Praise Band Rehearsal  
**(March 2<sup>nd</sup>)** 9:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Worship  
12:15 p.m. Deacons Board Meeting  
6:00 p.m. Mission Board Meeting  
6:00 p.m. Catalyst