



"Don't Let Silence Drown Us"

By: Dr. Chris Brown, MD, MPH, FACP

Drowning doesn't look like what we see in the movies. It's fast. Silent. Often fatal. Recently, the tragic death of actor Malcolm-Jamal Warner brought national attention to water safety. But this is not a new crisis—especially in our community. Black children are more than five times more likely to drown in swimming pools than white children. Black

men are at even greater risk around lakes, rivers, and oceans. We must act.

Here's how:

- Enroll in swim lessons. They reduce drowning risk by 88% in children. Adults can learn too.
- Watch the water. Stay alert. Put your phone down.
- Wear life jackets when boating or fishing.
- Learn CPR. It could mean life or death.
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Our children deserve to splash in the water safely. Our elders deserve to fish and boat safely. And we must equip ourselves with the tools to protect them. This is not just about swimming. It's about survival.

Read more: [NBC News Water Safety](#)

Let's keep our community safe—on land and in the water.

Disclaimer: The information provided in this article is for informational purposes only. It does not substitute professional medical advice, diagnosis, or treatment. Readers should consult healthcare professionals for personalized guidance.

Out of the Box Worship - Thank you!

JOIN US DURING THE MONTH OF JULY FOR



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Thanks to all of you who served in our Out of the Box worship experience in the month of July. Whether you were online or in person, it was a blessing to engage in unique and spirit-led experiences for God to bring healing, hope and laughter to our souls.

Grant Writers Needed

We Win Promo



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The New Salem Mass Choir's Debut album "We Win" is now streaming everywhere! This timeless sound of praise is no longer just a memory — it's right at your fingertips whenever you need a worship boost. Please type in "The New Salem Missionary Baptist Church Mass Choir" to access the album on all streaming platforms. Tap in, sing loud, and remember: We STILL win!

**Click Here to
Listen**

Coffee in the Park



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Are you passionate about making a difference? Do words come naturally to you, and do you find satisfaction in transforming ideas into compelling narratives? If you have a knack for persuasive writing, an eye for detail, and a heart for impact, and have written successful grants, we want you on our team. Contact Rev. Dr. Monica Lowe at mlowe@newsalemcare.com or call her at 614 930-2242 by **August 1st**.

Promiseland Leaders Needed

We are seeking dedicated and passionate individuals to serve as Sunday Leaders in our Promiseland Children's Ministry! The responsibilities are listed on the screen. If you have a heart for children and a gift for leadership, we would love for you to be a part of shaping the spiritual journey of the next generation! For more information and to express interest, email the Director of Promiseland, Minister Brenda Troy, at btroy@newsalemcare.com.



We will continue our next "Coffee in the Park" Conversation Series

is **Saturday, August 23rd at 8:30am** at the Park at Easton. We have partnered with Paris Baguette to offer 10% off of pastries and drinks using the code word "New Salem". The offer is only available on Coffee in the Park Saturdays. For more information about Coffee in the Park, contact **Brother Adam Troy**, Director of Missions and Community Engagement, at atroy@newsalemcare.com.

Pelonia for Kids



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Attention parents of Youth ages 4-14, your children are invited to ride their bikes, trikes or scooters to raise funds for children's cancer research and treatment on Saturday, August 30th at 8:30am at Maloney Park. Scan the QR code to register. For any questions, please call 614-702-7712 or email info@callingallconnectors.org.

New Salem Hospitalization & Bereavement Line



To report a hospitalization or death in the family,
contact the church, at **614 554-6417** or email us at
crt@newsalemmares.com



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This is an important reminder to all New Salem Members. If you need to report a hospitalization or death to the church, please call **614 554-6417** or email **crt@newsalemmares.com**.

Call

Email

**Maturity (Christian Education) Ministry Department
Learning Opportunities**

Bible Sampler registration has been extended until July 30th

BIBLE SAMPLER

Study of the Book of Haggai

August 3rd, 10th & 17th

Instructor: Deacon Rossi Taylor

Scan QR Code to Register



REGISTER TODAY!
August/September Classes
deadline: JULY 27

The Bait of Offense

August 31st, Sept, 7th, 14th & 21st

Instructor: Rev. Dr. Monica Lowe

Scan QR Code to Register



Classes IN PERSON ONLY
IN THE CHAPEL
@ CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH
8:00AM-9:15AM

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The Bible Sampler Series registration for August/September **in Person** is now open. Please scan that QR code or click on the link below register. The classes are the **Book of Haggai**.

The Book of Haggai- After 70 years in captivity, Israel returned home and was suppose to rebuild the temple but got distracted. The foundation was laid but then construction was halted. The Lord sent the prophet Haggai to encourage the people to consider their ways and encourage them to be strong and work. Registrants will engage in the two chapters of this book and learn lessons of how today we can engage in ministry.

Tools needed: Bible (physical or App)

Instructor: Deacon Rossi Taylor

**The Book of
Haggai**

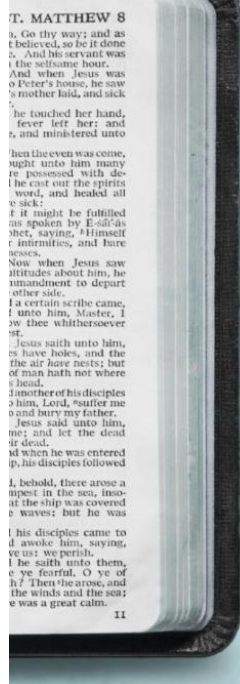
Bait of Offense- Do you or someone you know often take things personal or "feel some kind of way" about a situation? Have you ever been betrayed or felt it? If you answered yes then you may have been offended. Luke 17:1 says, "it is impossible that no offenses should come". Our response to offense determines our future (John Bevere). Offenses have become major obstacles in many believers' lives. The only thing we should take personal is our relationship with Jesus Christ. The goal of this class is to help us walk in victory and maintain healthy relationships with others.

Tools needed: Bible and Book, by John Bevere. Registrants will get more details on book and interactive guide.

Instructor: Rev. Dr. Monica Lowe

**Bait of
Offense**

New Salem ONLINE Sunday School Classes



SUNDAY SCHOOL

All classes are
8am - 9am on
Zoom ONLY



Cleveland-Sims
Intergenerational



Instructors: Deacon Tracy Robinson
and Deacon Rossi Taylor

Couples Divinely
Entwined



Instructors: Deacon Ed and
Sis. Melanie Hill
Deacon Randy and
Sis. Nooriya Marshall

Maximized
Manhood



Instructor:
Deacon Mark Arnold

Woman, Wife
Mother



Instructor:
Min. Brenda Troy

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Join us for our Online Sunday School classes, for all Adults, visit the Cleveland Sims Intergenerational Class, Couples Divinely Entwined for our married couples, Maximized Manhood and Woman, Wife, Mother. Scan the QR Code for zoom link to join a class at 8:00am each Sunday. Our focus class this week is *Divinely Entwined Marriage class*.

Are you a married couple or soon to be? New Salem's Divinely Entwined Marriage Sunday school class is open to married couples, young seasoned and soon to be. Here is the format through August.

Name of class: Couples Divinely Entwined - Marriage Sunday School Class

Time: Sunday 8:00a - 9:00a

Topic of Study: Growing together in God as Married Couples

Current Lesson Focus: Power Couples of the Bible (Jun through Aug)

Audience: Married/or Soon to Be Couples

Format: Traditional Online

For questions regarding any of our learning opportunities contact Rev. Dr. Monica Lowe, director of Maturity (Christian Education) at mlowe@newsalemcare.com or 614 930-2242.

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