

GROW+SERVE GROUPS



FALL
2024

September 8 -
December 15



WHAT IS A GROW+SERVE GROUP?

The mission of New City Church is to be an inclusive, gospel-centered, community of lovers of Jesus Christ, who connect people to God, grow together, serve the city, and extend God's Kingdom.

Grow+Serve groups are the primary spaces in which people who are being connected to the God revealed in Jesus are growing in their love for God and one another, serving the city that God loves, and ultimately extending God's Kingdom.

CONNECTING PEOPLE TO GOD

GROW TOGETHER



SERVE THE CITY

EXTEND GOD'S KINGDOM

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

ATTENDANCE CARD: Sign up on the Attendance Card on Sunday. Drop it in the Offering Basket as it comes around during the service.

ONLINE: Sign up on the church's website: NewCity.LA
Click on the "Grow+Serve Groups" link and fill out the form.



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WHAT DO THE GROUPS DO IN A MEETING?

- 1 LEARNING TOGETHER:** Group dialogue is either based on a book or theme in the Bible, a book participants read together, or guides that follow the sermon series.
- 2 SHARING & PRAYING TOGETHER:** The groups will spend time getting to know and praying for one another.
- 3 PLANNING TO SERVE:** Each group will discern together how they will serve together.
- 4 HAVING FUN TOGETHER:** Groups are encouraged to organize fun activities for participants that don't break the bank.

WED
7 PM

X-POSITION

We seek to deepen our spiritual connection as a group and live social justice-rooted lives.

Location: Zoom meeting with monthly in-person fellowship gathering

Time: Mondays at 7:00 pm on Zoom. Monthly in-person starts earlier.

Grow Portion: Read and discuss books related to Social Justice with our Christ-centered view, share praises and struggles, provide prayer-centered support.

Serve Portion: Environmental service projects (Tree People)

Leaders: Natalie Burke, Cameron Church

Email: xposition@newcitychurchla.com

FRI
6:30 PM

A.Y.F - ADULTS/YOUTH/FAMILIES

This group is open to everyone. We share a meal together, learn together, and encourage and pray for one another.

Location: In-person fellowship gathering twice per month around Altadena and Glendale Areas

Time: Friday at 6:30 PM

Grow Portion: Varies between spiritual practices, scripture study, and sermon study.

Serve Portion: TBD

Leaders: John Fox, Wayne Lee

Email: ayf@newcitychurchla.com

FRI
7:00 PM

DOWNTOWN MIXED

We are a very mixed group - in terms of age, ethnicity, gender, etc. - that seeks to grow together through study and fellowship.

Location: In person at the church office (Zoom option available if needed)

Time: Every Friday at 7 PM

Grow Portion: Sermon-based Bible study discussion, sharing of our stories, planning our Serve project, and praying for each other. We enjoy game nights and potlucks, as well as celebrating each other's milestones.

Serve Portion: We have served in a variety of ways: leading chapel service at URM, planning Welcome Home parties for people who have experienced homelessness who are moving into new apartments, leading sing-alongs at a nursing facility, passing out resources in Skid Row, and managing the Angel Tree project at Christmas.

Leaders: Anne Serene, Gloriana Chung, Keith Jones

Email: downtown@newcitychurchla.com

FRI
7 PM

SAN FERNANDO VALLEY (SFV)

A diverse group of people from the Valley and beyond. We laugh together, worship together, study together, and pray together. It's a good time and we have good snacks.

Location: Group members' homes, usually in Northridge, CA (In person)

Time: Fridays at 7 pm

Grow Portion: Sermon discussions

Serve Portion: TBD. In the past, we have supported East LA Young Life, Angel Tree, Hope of the Valley Rescue Mission (now called Hope the Mission).

Leaders: Becca Stark, Andrew Hudson

Email: SFVgroup@newcitychurchla.com

SAT
10 AM

B.A.S.I.C. ~ BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST

We are siblings from other parents brought together in Christ with no color lines. A great group for people who want to meet on Saturday mornings.

Location: In person at the church office (Zoom option available if needed)

Time: Saturday mornings at 10 am

Grow Portion: Sermon-based study, sharing, and praying.

Serve Portion: Run a jacket drive

Leaders: Lida Parent, Matthew Lemafa, Philip Bell