

# NCC Connection 11/06/25

Good afternoon, Church Family.

When we think about goals for living, we want to do more than just survive. In Matthew 16:21-28, Jesus lays out to His disciples the difficulties He will face on His way to the cross. Because of Christ's victory, we each have purpose to live out the commands and the calling given to us. Along the way, walking in the Spirit, we set goals, strive to achieve them, and then re-set our goals for the next step.

Here are a few things going on this week:

- Thank you to all who helped in making our 2025 Autumnfest a success, and a special thanks to Angela Beekman for organizing it. What a great team! Nearly two hundred kids and parents enjoyed the event. See pictures below.
  - A big thank you to the deacons for bringing in some technical expertise to fine tune the sound system in the auditorium. The sound quality in both the auditorium and livestream has been improved. Also, in the MPR new, permanent speakers were installed and the sound board was tuned as well.
  - Pastor Kerry will be preaching from Mark 1:1-28 this upcoming Sunday – The Most Unusual Servant.
- Last call, guys: Men's Bible Study – A new Men's Bible study will begin November 10th at 6:00pm at NCC. The study will be covering Vince Miller's book, The Book of James – A Bible Study Guide. Visit the website for book ordering information.

Blessings on your week!

Dustin, Dan S., Lonnie, and Dan J.

