

# THE THRESHER

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## Make-ups

Club Members are encouraged to make up meetings at the above clubs, to promote fellowship and increase attendance. If you are traveling out of the area, ask JIM or BECKY to locate a club for you in your area of travel.

Rotary Club of Welsh website:  
[www.welshrotary.org](http://www.welshrotary.org)

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Today's Program  
Emily Daigle  
**New Life Counselling**

# THE HARVEST

Emily Daigle will present today for New Life Counseling.

One statistic states that 22% of women abort because they don't have counseling. New Life Counseling believes you aren't a statistic - you're a woman, a human. One with real difficulties and real heartaches. It doesn't matter where you fall on the spectrum of motherhood. We believe we have the resources and people to support you and give life to either you or your future child.

The mission of New Life Counseling is to compassionately minister to the spiritual, physical, emotional, mental and financial needs of women during and after a pregnancy, to provide scientific facts interlaced with scriptural truths regarding growth and development of the unborn child, abortion, adoption, parenting, and sexual integrity throughout life to all who enter our doors as we promote the sanctity of life from the moment of conception through the love of Jesus Christ and extend His mercy and healing for those broken by past hurts and abortion. The New Life Counseling staff provides basic pregnancy services to young ladies who find themselves in an untimely pregnancy.



Oak Grove tomorrow  
Be There!!!

## Rotary Disaster Relief Benefits War-Ravaged European Region

All donations to our Disaster Response Fund from 3 March to 30 April 2022 have been prioritized for use providing humanitarian aid to regions that are supporting Ukrainian refugees or other victims of the war.

Thanks to the generosity of donors around the world, we raised more than \$15 million in contributions that are already helping provide people with essential items such as water, food, shelter, medicine, and clothing.

So far, 421 disaster response grants, totaling \$13.6 million in 30 countries, have been awarded to support people affected by the war. The Rotary Foundation will continue to use the donations for humanitarian aid in and around Ukraine, and districts can apply for these grants until 31 December 2022.

Donations made to the Disaster Response Fund after 30 April will be available to all communities around the world that need assistance recovering from disasters.

Now through 31 December 2022, districts can apply for grants to provide relief such as water, food, shelter, medicine, and clothing to refugees or other people affected by the crisis. Districts should work closely with local officials and groups to ensure that the funding will meet a specific community need. During this same period, other districts can apply for \$25,000 grants, and districts can combine disaster response grants for frontline countries to fund larger projects and shipments.

Rotary districts that border Ukraine and the district in Ukraine may apply for grants of up to \$100,000 each from the Disaster Response Fund. Eligible districts include:

- District 1911 (Hungary)
- District 2231 (Poland)
- District 2232 (Belarus and Ukraine)
- District 2240 (Czech Republic and Slovakia)
- District 2241 (Republic of Moldova and Romania)