Welcome To
Northwood Presbyterian
Church
A Stephen Ministry Church
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September 20, 2020

Ministers: All Members of the Church
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HYMN NOTES:
“Fight the Good Fight” (846)
This hymn, based on 1 Timothy 6:12 and Hebrews 12:1-2, was written in 1863 by John S. B. Monsell (1811-1875). He was born in Derry/Londonderry at St. Columb’s Cathedral in what is now Northern Ireland. (His father was the archdeacon at the Cathedral). Three years ago this month a number of us from Northwood gave an organ/choral concert at St. Columb’s which is the first cathedral built after the Reformation (1633). Monsell was educated at Trinity College in Dublin and became an Anglican priest. He served several churches in England and while watching workmen repair his church in Guildford, he was killed by a falling stone. Congregational singing was a major concern for Monsell. He wrote almost 300 hymns and urged that singing be “more fervent and joyous.”

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Wednesday Bible Study, led by Cindy Huffman
A study of the Book of Matthew meets every Wednesday at 7:00pm through Zoom. The study guide being used is The Immersion Bible Study: Matthew by J. Ellsworth Kalas. If you’d like to join the Wednesday Bible Study or need a study book, please email Cindy Huffman at facindy1@aol.com and she will forward you the Zoom link. All are welcome!

Experiencing God Class, led by Vicki Krueger
If you’d like to join the Experiencing God class virtually via Zoom at 10:30am on Sunday mornings, please contact Vicki Krueger via email at vickilee33@aol.com and she will send you the meeting details each week.

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Citylight Schedule
9/20 - 9/27

SUNDAY 9/20
9:30 AM & 11:00 AM LIVE STREAM CHURCH
10:45 AM - SUNDAY SCHOOL VIA TEAMS
8:30 PM - CHECK IN & TWO ROUNDS OF JACKBOX

TUESDAY 9/22
7:00 PM - CONFIRMATION CHAT VIA ZOOM
7:30 PM - YOUNG WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY VIA ZOOM

WEDNESDAY 9/23
7:30 PM - VIRTUAL CITYLIGHT VIA ZOOM

FRIDAY 9/25
8:00 PM LATE NIGHT JACKBOX VIA ZOOM

SUNDAY 9/27
9:30 AM & 11:00 AM LIVE STREAM CHURCH
10:45 AM - SUNDAY SCHOOL VIA TEAMS
7:30 PM - YOUNG MEN’S BIBLE STUDY VIA TEAMS
8:30 PM - COLLEGE GROUP VIA ZOOM

Follow the link to view our weekly email:
https://mailchi.mp/b871a42bf671/citylight-updates-1404264

Some of the disciples from Caesarea also came along and brought us to the house of Mnason of Cyprus, and early disciple, with whom we were to stay.

Acts 21:16

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS TO...
Sunday, September 20:
Ken Andreassen, Mitchell Johnston

Monday, September 21:
Alyssa Long, Hannah Gipson

Tuesday, September 22:
Steve Lang, Matilde Naider
David Nelson, Rachel Granata

Wednesday, September 23:
Carl Corrello, Phil Ventrella,
Faye Mackie, Tanya Adkisson

Thursday, September 24:
Lou Weislogel

Friday, September 25:
Bob Rath, Leah Dipolito, Cecelia Turner

If you see someone whose birthday is listed and you haven’t seen them in church recently, give them a call!

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by
Terry & Peggy Steele
In Loving Memory of our Mothers
Maxine Steele & Zella Morris

Flower orders & donation costs for flowers ordered for worship are made using the “2020 Flower Reservation Chart” on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. During this time when we are not meeting, for in person worship, please send your information directly to communications@northwoodpc.org. Please remember to mark “flowers” and the date on your $30 donation. Thank you to those providing flowers each week In Honor/In Memory of someone or an anniversary/birthday!

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Order for the Worship of God
September 20, 2020
16th Sunday after Pentecost
11:00 AM Worship Service

WE COME TO WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)
Leader: In God’s providence we live and work and join in families.
People: By God’s hands we receive those things we need.
Leader: We thank you for God the harvest of goodness you supply.
People: For food and shelter, for all our friendships.
Leader: Above all, we praise you for your Son, who shows us mercy.
People: Glory to God for God’s great kindness to us.

OPENING VOLUNTARY

HYMN #846

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CALL TO OFFERING

HYMN #647

CALL TO OFFERING

HYMN #716

GLORIA

COUNTDOWN

WELCOME

PRAISE SONG

“Raise a Hallelujah”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAISE SONG

“Grace Wins”

SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS IN PRAYER

CALL TO OFFERING

VIDEO

“My Love”

OFFERTORY

“Reckless Love”

SCRIPTURE

Acts 21:16 (NRSV)

MESSAGE

Sermon Series

Some Things I’m Most Thankful For Just Now

#1 “Members of Long Standing”

Chris Curvin, Pastor

SONG OF DEDICATION

“Who You Are to Me”

GOD’S BLESSING TO YOU

IGNITE is a contemporary worship service at 4:30 that delivers the message of Jesus Christ through Powerful Music, Media & Scripture Based Sermons.