CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

8:15 AM CHILDREN’S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
3 Yr. Olds—2nd Grade (17/18 School Year)
Children may remain in service with their family or join us in room 3 for a multi-age Sunday School worship following the anthem.

9:30 AM CHILDREN’S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
3 Yr. Olds—1st Grade, Room 2
Students will start and stay in their classroom for the Sunday school hour with Chrissy Raborn & Sydney Blackmore.

2nd-5th Grade, Room 4
Students will start in the sanctuary and then move to room 4 with Cassandra Fredriksen & Jane Winne.

11:00 AM CHILDREN’S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
3 Yr. Olds—2nd Grade (17/18 School Year)
Children may remain in service with their family or join us in room 3 for a multi-age Sunday School worship following the anthem.

Childcare for children 3yr-5th grade who attended Sunday school at 9:30 will be in room 2.

9:30 AM MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
The Middle & High School youth are NOT meeting this week for Sunday School. All youth are welcome to worship together in the back row of the Sanctuary at the 9:30 Ignite service.

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

9:30 A.M. TCI (Today’s Christian Issues) Rooms 9-11
TCI will be on summer hiatus from May 27th until September 9th. Have a joyful and rejuvenating summer and return with us on September 12 for new discussions of contemporary issues and their affects on our faith journey.

9:30 A.M. “Defenders” Sunday School Room 10
This class is led by Michael and Sarah Jabosky and it is Bible based class about defending your faith. This class will meet through July in room 10. Please stop by any Sunday, all are welcome.

11:00 A.M. Experiencing God Class
This study will meet today in room 15, led by Vicki Krueger.

12:30 P.M. Bible Study Room 4
"Isaiah, Trusting God in Troubled Times" by Howard Peskett is the book the Sunday Bible study group will be studying this summer. This study will cover how to trust God even when life doesn’t go as we want it to go. For the summer the group will be meeting on Sundays at 12:30 in Room 4. Contact Cindy Huffman 727-409-8727 or email lucindy1@aol.com with questions or if you need a book ordered. Books may be purchased online.

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS TO...

Sunday, June 3:
Marla Laufenberg, David Lawrence

Monday, June 4:
June Arnold, Marcia Hopkins

Tuesday, June 5:
Susan Curry, Griffen Patel

Wednesday, June 6:
Mary Bunch, Cara Marsh, Drew Wassmuth

Thursday, June 7:
Miriam Pen, Melissa Torres, Meagan Jordan, Abby Isler

Friday, June 8:
Lane Michaels, Brianna Adkisson

Saturday, June 9:
Kyle Cody, Bill Lewis, Brenda Shurer, Donna Elwood, Sarah Scales, Nathan Murray

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

FAITHFULLY SERVING NORTHWOOD CHURCH TODAY

GREETERS:
(8:15) Earle Lusk & Ellen Stoup
(11:00) Ken & Martha Tobisien

USHERS:
(8:15) David & Suzanne Hamilton
Mary Duffey & Bob MacFall
(9:30) Candy & Rich Spoonlein

VAN DRIVER: Tom Zureczny

Welcome To Northwood Presbyterian Church
A Stephen Ministry Church Organized February 19, 1978

June 3, 2018

“Room at the Table”
There is room at the table, a place at the feast. There is room for each burden you long to release. Every heartache you carry, each private despair; bring them all to the table, surrender them there.

There is room for the bread that is broken in two. It is offered to all that is broken in you. Simply take it and eat it, and hunger no more. You must only accept it; be fully restored.

There is room for the cup that is filled with the wine. It is offered to you at this table of mine. Come be filled with remembrance of My sacrifice. All your emptiness ended, your thirst satisfied.

There is room at the table so come take your place. Taste the bread of forgiveness, the cup of My grace. Not a meal for the body; a feast for the soul.

O come to the table and you will leave it whole.

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Order for the Public Worship of God
June 3, 2018
2nd Sunday after Pentecost
8:15 & 11:00 AM Worship Services

THE GATHERING
(Let the congregation be silent, and in prayer as the music begins. Please silence electronic devices.)

CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive) Paul Means, Associate Pastor
Leader: All have sinned and fall short of God’s glory,
People: But by the grace of God we are redeemed.
Leader: God made the Sabbath as a gift for us,
People: And Jesus Christ is Lord of the Sabbath.
Leader: There is no other like the Lord our God,
People: Keeping covenant and steadfast love.

OPENING VOLUNTARY “Beautiful” Dylan Cantin, Bassoon

“He makes all things beautiful in His time”
(Acolytes symbolically bring in the light of Christ & then take it out into the world.)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Chris Curvin, Pastor

MINUTE FOR MISSION-VBS Justine Ruisz, Dir. of Children’s Ministry

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST
(Please complete the bulletin insert, “FRIENDSHIP SHEET,” and pass it toward the center aisle.)

*HYMN #108 “Of the Father’s Love Begotten” DIVINUM MYSTERIUM
(stanzas 1,5,6)

CALL TO CONFESSION Paul Means, Associate Pastor
Leader: Although God has given the church the message of reconciliation through Jesus Christ, we fall short of God’s call to be salt of the earth and light of the world. Let us humbly confess our sins before God and one another:

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Together)
God, forgive us. Our communion is not always visible to the world. We do not need each other. We fail to build each other up. Forgive us, so that we may live united in Jesus Christ. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON (Responsive)
Leader: Gracious God, you set us free from a past that we cannot change and open to us a new future. Grant us grace to grow more and more in your image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.
People: For in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven and made new. Amen.

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #581 GLORIA PATRI
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

*THE APOSTLES’ CREED (Together, page 35)

ANTHEM “Room at the Table” David Lantz III
(See front Cover)

OUR MINISTRY WITH THE CHILDREN
(Children ages 4yrs - 2nd Grade, are welcome to remain in service with their parents or join us in room 3 for Children’s Church.)

CALL TO OFFERING

MUSICAL OFFERING “Of the Father’s Love Begotten” Flor Peeters
(based on the tune DIVINUM MYSTERIUM, hymn #108)

*DOXOLOGY #606 OLD HUNDREDTH
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

WE UNITE IN PRAYER AND SACRAMENT

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER
PRAYERS OF PRAISE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER
(together, hymnal page 35)

(To symbolize our unity in Christ, we hold the bread until the Elders and Deacons are served and then all partake as one body. To symbolize our personal relationship with the Lord, we drink of the cup as the Spirit leads.)

MUSIC DURING THE SERVING
“Two Jewish Melodies” arr. Christina Harmon
Avina Malkhei (Our Father, Our King)
Bayom Ha Hu (The Lord Is King)

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING
WE GO OUT TO SERVE

*HYMN #343 “Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life” GERMANY
(stanzas 1,4,5,6)

*BENEDICTION

SUNG BLESSING “May Sunshine Light Your Way” Jay Althouse
(please be seated)
Stephanie Carson, Soloist

CLOSING VOLUNTARY “Postlude” William Mathias (1934-1992)
(You are invited to remain for the final act of worship, the closing voluntary. A closer look is welcomed if you wish to come stand next to the organ console.)

Stephanie Carson, Music Director
Tom Huffman, Organist & Associate Music Director

*Congregation will stand. If standing is difficult for you, feel free to remain seated.

COUNTDOWN
WELCOME
PRAISE SONG
“The Only Name (Yours Will Be)”

MEET AND GREET
“Soul On Fire”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VBS Justine Ruisz, Dir. of Children’s Ministry

PRAISE SONG
“Glorious Day”

SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS IN PRAYER

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

“My Savior, My God”

SCRIPTURE
Mark 2:23-3:6

MESSAGE
“Hopscotch Through a Minefield” Chris Curvin, Pastor

COMMUNION

COMMUNION MUSIC

“I Will Rise”
Arr. Sorenson

SONG OF DEDICATION

“Soul On Fire”

GOD’S BLESSING TO YOU