

HYMN NOTES:

The opening hymn today was written in 1996 (both music and text) by Northwood member, Garry Justice. Garry is a valuable member of the bass section of Chancel Choir. He was inspired to create this hymn to help those in his former church learn and understand the basics of the Apostles' Creed at their newly created contemporary service. Certainly, appropriate for Trinity Sunday, this paraphrase of the Creed can give us a fresh look at the basics of our Christian faith.

The middle hymn (#456) although published in 1987, is new to Presbyterian hymnals. It is an anonymous Swahili hymn from (depending on the source) Kenya or Tanzania. It is written in traditional African format with a refrain, call and response stanzas, refrain. The refrain is sung twice each time, with the 'leader' part of the stanzas by the soloist.

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by



Jackie & Jerry Koski
In Memory of
Our Dads



Friends of Northwood

Flower orders & donation costs for flowers ordered for worship are made using the "2014 Flower Reservation Chart" on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. Thank you to those providing flowers each week in Honor/In Memory of someone or an anniversary/birthday!

PLEASE REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL.

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS TO....

- Sunday, June 15th:** Preston Caccamise, Stephanie Carson, Jean Swintek
- Monday, June 16th:** Margaret Mawhinney, Tyler Tonelis
- Tuesday, June 17th:** Pat Hurst
- Wednesday, June 18th:** Doug Shierling
- Thursday, June 19th:** Dane Phillips
- Friday, June 20th:** Jimmy Birch, Katie Birch, Judi Cella, Claire Hamilton
- Saturday, June 21st:** Buddy Brown, A.J. Hatch, Joanna Kumar, Heather Papolos, Connie Zaccari



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

ACOLYTES:

- (8:15) Isaac Jeffre
- (11:00) Kylie Crossley



GREETERS:

- (8:15) Lorrie Janusik & Bob MacFall
- (11:00) Jan Hewlett & Elaine Cornillaud



Greeters & Ushers

USHERS:

- (8:15) Bob & Barb Moler, Linda Feller, Ellen Stoup
- (9:30) Kim, Morgan & Lindsey Peterson
- (11:00) Steve & Dawn Winder, Carol Rathmell, Ed Puschmann

VAN DRIVER: Cynthia Lawrence

EDUCATION MINISTRY FOR ALL AGES

8:15 AM CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

We will not meet at 8:15 during the summer.

9:30 AM CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

3 Yr. Olds-5 Yr. Olds Room 3
Teachers: Stephanie & Andy Strelcheck, Diane Musto

1st-5th Grades Room 8
Teachers: Kathleen & Todd Pope

11:00 AM CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

We will not meet at 11:00 during the summer.

Please plan ahead and prepare for the celebration of the Sacrament of Communion on the first Sunday of the month. It is a prayerful time for giving thanks and confessing our sins, renewing our commitment to God, and hearing the Word proclaimed. Parents, if you wish for your children to receive communion please have them remain with you in the worship service on Communion Sundays. If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact elder Jackie Koski (jackieandjerry@verizon.net), Chair of the Worship Team.

9:30 AM ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

SERENDIPITY

NOTE: We are on summer break. Classes will resume in September. See you then!

TCI (Today's Christian Issues)

TODAY: TCI is now on summer hiatus. Have a joyful summer and remember to check church publications in August for plans for the Fall semester. We look forward to welcoming you back on Sunday, September 7.

11:00 AM ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

EXPERIENCING GOD

NOTE: Summer is upon us and our class is taking a break. We will see you again in September!

WOMEN'S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

Beth Moore will lead us through the study of scripture to discover the transforming power of freedom in Jesus Christ! Beginning Wednesday, June 18th at 6:45 p.m., the 10-week study will be DVD and small group. Each person buys one workbook for \$16.00. Bring friends! Sign up by contacting Pam Means: Email: psm260@gmail.com Call/Text:386-0747

**Welcome To
Northwood Presbyterian
Church**

A Stephen Ministry Church

June 15, 2014



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Order for the Public Worship of God
June 15, 2014
Trinity Sunday
8:15 & 11:00 AM Worship Services

WE GATHER

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

PRAYER OF PREPARATION Vicki Phillips (11:00)

OPENING VOLUNTARY arr. Michael Burkhardt
“Faith of Our Fathers”

(Acolytes symbolically bring in the light of Christ & then take it out into the world.)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

(Please complete the bulletin insert, “FRIENDSHIP SHEET,” and place it in the offering plate later in the service.)

***HYMN** “Creed” Garry Justice
arr. Arthur Goetz/Marian Justice

Christ - ians_ join to sing, Sing like the heav'n - ly hosts.____
I be - lieve in God. He is my heav'n - ly Fa - ther.
He was by Pi - late scourged, then He was cru - ci - fied.____
5 I say that I be - lieve in the Ho - ly Ghost.____

Sing of the Trin - i - ty: Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost.
Cre - a - tor of the heav'ns, And Cre - a - tor of the earth.
To the tomb was borne, on the third day He rose a - gain.
9 And in the Church that is ho - ly and u - ni - ver - sal.

Sing of the saints' com - mun - ion, And of for - giv - en sin. Tell.
I be - lieve in Je - sus, God's on - ly be - got - ten Son. He.
He did as - cend to hea - ven And sits at God's right hand. From
13 In the saints com - mu - nion, And of for - giv - en sin. The.

all the world what you be - lieve, Then go out and in - vite them
was con - ceiv'd by the Ho - ly Ghost, And of Vir - gin Ma - ry
there He'll come with pur - pose true to judge the quick and
bo - dy's re - sur - rec - tion and ev - er - last - ing

16 *(last time only)*
in. A - - men. A - - men.
born.
dead.
life.

WE CONFESS

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Together)

God of grace, love, and communion, we confess that we have failed to love you with all our heart, soul, and mind; and to love our neighbor as ourselves. We ignore your commandments, stray from your way, and follow other gods. Have mercy on us. Forgive our sin and raise us to new life that we may serve you faithfully and give honor to your holy name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***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.”

ANTHEM “Almighty Medley” arr. John E. Coates

Refrain: *Almighty, Most Holy God, faithful through the ages.
Almighty, Most Holy God, Glorious, Almighty God!*

*The beasts of the field, the birds of the air are silent to call out Your name.
The earth has no voice, so I have no choice but to magnify God unashamed.
Let the rocks be kept silent for one more day.
Let the whole world sing out, let the people say, Refrain*

*Immortal, invisible, God only wise, In light inaccessible hid from our eyes.
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise. Refrain*

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity. Refrain*

FAITH SHARING WITH THE CHILDREN (8:15 & 11:00 am Children's church is on break through August. Children over three may remain with their parents in worship.)

WE UNITE IN PRAYER

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.”

WE SHARE

CALL TO OFFERING

MUSICAL OFFERING “Listen, God Is Calling” Anne Krentz Organ
(based on the tune of the middle hymn, #456)

***DOXOLOGY** HYFRYDOL
Praise we bring to God the Father, praise we bring to God the Son,
Praise to God the Holy Spirit, praise to you, the Three in One.
Trinity of love inspire us, may we always strive to be
One in love and one in worship—children of eternity.
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***PRAYER OF DEDICATION & DEDICATION OF FATHER'S DAY ALTERNATIVE GIFTS**

WE HEAR THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING (page 1) Genesis 1, Selected Verses (NRSV)

HYMN #456 “Listen, God Is Calling” NENO LAKE MUNGU
Ally Wolf, Leader *(Please Remain Seated.)*

SCRIPTURE READING (page 812) Matthew 28:16-20 (NRSV)

SERMON “Knowing God in Three Ways” Chris Curvin, Pastor

WE GO OUT TO SERVE

***HYMN #295** “Go to the World!” SINE NOMINE

***BENEDICTION**

CLOSING VOLUNTARY “Fanfare on SINE NOMINE” Michael Helman
(based on the tune of the closing hymn, #295)

(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.*

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LET THE COUNTDOWN BEGIN

PRAISE SONG

“Our God Saves”

“We Won't Be Shaken”

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

VIDEO— “Fatherhood”

MEET & GREET WORSHIP CONTINUES

“Lean On Me”

“Your Love Feeds My Soul”

SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS IN PRAYER

CALL TO OFFERING OFFERTORY

“New Doxology”

VIDEO SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 28:16-20 (NRSV)

MESSAGE

“Knowing God in Three Ways”

Chris Curvin, Pastor

SONG OF DEDICATION

“We Believe”

GOD'S BLESSING TO YOU

Sermon notes...

that Ignite Action!