

Appreciation Reception

On Sunday, January 28th from 9:45 to 11:15, the deacons will be hosting an "Appreciation Reception" for all of those that have helped serve the deacons during the past year. Please join us for cake and punch as we thank you, the congregation, for helping the Northwood deacons.

Composer Weekend: Sing with Composer Joel Raney!

We need extra singers to augment our choir. Here's an opportunity to work with one of the country's best known church composers.

- Wednesday evenings beginning 1/31 for 40 minutes (7 weeks total) we rehearse our Joel Raney music.
- March 17, 9:30-12:00 (followed by lunch) Joel Raney comes to work with the choir and shape his music for our concert.
- March 18, Mr. Raney participates with the choir in worship that morning.
- March 18 ó concert at 4:00 PM that afternoon.
- Totally free ó no cost to you!

Please join us! Call or email Stephanie Carson: 727-796-8090

stephanie@northwoodpc.org

KIRKIN' O' THE TARTAN

This year will be on Sunday, February 18th the same day we celebrate Northwood's 40th anniversary. Members of the Dunedin High School Pipe Band will be with us. If you would like the honor of carrying a tartan in procession at one of the services, speak with Justine Ruisz or Tom Huffman.

Nursery Care Available

Infants and toddlers are provided care in our excellent nursery during the entire Worship Service and during the Sunday School hour.

Transportation Ministry



Rides Available

Northwood provides transportation for those who need it to and from the 11:00 AM worship service. Call the church office, 796-8090, before noon on Fridays to reserve a seat on the van.



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NPC Guest Wi-Fi Now live streaming our 11:00 service
on northwoodpc.org.



LIVE STREAMING



ANNOUNCEMENTS- January 21, 2018

WELCOME GUESTS!

We invite you to participate in the many opportunities here for you. If you are interested in membership or simply learning more about our church, please join us today for our Discovering Northwood Class at 10:45 to Noon in Room 4 of the Christian Education Building. Our Pastor, Chris Curvin, will share with you about ways to be involved at Northwood!

Annual Congregational Meeting

January 28th at Noon

The meeting starts at Noon in the Sanctuary. Annual Reports will be distributed with information from the Session, Deacons, Ministry Teams and church staff and others. The Nominating Committee will present the following below for election at the Annual Meeting:

Elders

(Class of 2020)

Cookie Roffey

Louise Navarro-Mylin

Vickie Mills

Mike O'Leary

Will Parker

Deacons

(Class of 2020)

Jay Basinger

Eleanor Cicerchi

Dennis Rasmussen

(Class of 2018)

Earle Lusk

Nomination Committee

Richard Evans

Bill Martin

Bailey Shields

The members of the 2018 nominating committee are:

Ray Spigarelli, Fred Drew, Carl Corrello, Bailey Shields

Garage Sale Thank You!

"The Annual Miracle" as Pastor Chris calls it, was just that. Our grand total was \$13,581.14 for the Music Ministry thanks to your generosity and your families, neighbors and friends. We especially want to thank our department chairpersons, Susan Curry, Carol Rathmell, and all those who donated so much time moving, sorting, pricing, selling, and cleaning-up. The success of the sale belongs to you and we thank you! To God be the Glory!

Please send articles for all publications to Emily Cantin at
Communications@northwoodpc.org.

Scout Sunday

Northwood Celebrates Scouting Programs in our Community! On February 11, Northwood invites all scouts, leaders and family members to all 3 worship services for Scout Sunday. This church hosts close to 150 scouts and their families on this campus each week, as a part of Northwood's commitment to ministering to the youth of our community. On this special Sunday, those involved in Scouting programs within Northwood and our community will assist and lead parts of each worship service. All Scouts are encouraged to come in full uniform. Plan to be a part of this time on Sunday, February 11th, as we highlight the impact of scouting in our community.

Northwood's own Boy Scout Troop 413 will be offering a Pancake Breakfast on this Sunday after all 3 services.



Children's Ministry

King's Kids

King's Kids will resume on Wednesday, January 17th and then run through Wednesday, April 4th. This is our Wednesday program for children ages 3 through 5th grade. It runs from 4:00 to 5:45 p.m. throughout the school year. This is a mid-week program to help build friendships in a Christian environment, and strengthen faith, bringing children closer to God.

Cedarkirk Spring Bash 2018

Children grades 3rd-5th are invited to this overnight camp at Cedarkirk on April 13-14th. If you are interested in sending your child, please contact Justine. More info to come!

*Justine Ruisz, Director of Children's Ministry
childrensministry@northwoodpc.org*

Church Photo Directory

Space is filling up! Be sure to sign up soon.

Remaining photography dates are:

January 24 (1:00- 8:00 P.M.) January 27 (10:00 A.M.ó 5:00 P.M.)
January 25 (10:00 A.M.ó 5:00 P.M.) February 6 (1:00- 8:00 P.M.)
January 26 (1:00- 8:00 P.M.)

Without you, our new church directory will not be complete!



Shine On!

Youth Ministry

This Week in the Life of Our Youth:

Sunday, January 21:	9:30 AM	Worship and Sunday School
Sunday, January 21:	9:30 AM	Confirmation Class #1
Sunday, January 21:	5-6:30 PM	Youth Group
Wednesday, January 24:	6:30-7:30 PM	High School Bible Study
Friday, January 26:	7-10 PM	Game Night
Friday, January 26:	(TBD)	Young Adult Movie Night

Volunteers Needed:

We are in need of adult volunteers to help out in **February** for Youth Game Nights which are held on Friday nights from 7-10:00pm here at Northwood. If this is something that you may be interested in, please contact Vanessa Celotto at youthdirector@northwoodpc.org. Thanks!

Donations Needed:

If you have any old video game consoles, video games, DVD players, karaoke CDs, or art supplies that you don't want/need anymore, then we'd love to use them in the youth room!



Support Kids' Corner Preschool

Please consider supporting Northwood Presbyterian's Kids' Corner Preschool this year. They have a Target Registry for items they would like to enhance their classes. You can find their wish list online at www.target.com/gift-registry/gift/kids'corner. Items can be dropped off to the church or school office. Any questions?

Contact Angie Miele Surowiec at (727) 723-7679 or email at: schooldirector@northwoodpc.org. Thank you for your generosity!

Dinner for 6-7-8

What is it? A group of 6-7-or 8 folks who get together monthly for four months for a potluck dinner on a rotating basis hosted by a couple or one or two members from the group.

How do I get involved? Sign up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. If you were part of a group last fall, you will automatically be included.

This is a marvelous way to get to know fellow members and regular guests of Northwood Presbyterian Church on a relaxed informal basis.

It's a great program! Join us! You'll be glad you did!

For more information call **Linda Diamond at 727-796-3751**