

Youth Ministry

No Sunday school today. Instead, youth are encouraged to attend the 9:30 Ignite Service in celebration of our new confirmands.

- Sunday, April 9:** Youth Group, 5:00-6:30
Wed, April 12: Bible Study in the Parlor, 6:15-7:15
Friday, April 14: Game Night, 7:00-10:00
Sunday, April 16: No Sunday School or Youth Group for Easter
Sunday, April 23: Youth Sunday, *Pierced* will be providing music along with Westminster Handbell Choir and the Youth Choir. There are many different parts of the service that we are still in need of youth volunteers.
Sunday, April 30: Youth Guide Training for VBS
10:30-12:00 for New Youth Guides
10:30-11:30 for Returning Guides
(Please sign up at www.northwoodpc.org/vbs)
Sunday, May 14: Mother's Day Bake Sale. We are accepting baked goods for sale on Friday evening, May 12, at 7:00 P.M. and Sunday morning, May 14. We also appreciate all the purchases made that day with the proceeds going to support our summer spiritual growth retreat.
Sunday, May 21: Last Sunday School until school starts again in August.

Volunteers are always needed for youth activities! Parents, please sign up for one of our exciting events or projects by emailing either Steve Cantin (scantin13@yahoo.com) or Andy Strelcheck (Strelcheckfamily@aol.com).

Youth Summer Trip: Student Life Rec Camp

***Second deposit of \$100 due Sunday, April 30**

When: July 24th- July 28th

Where: Palm Beach Atlantic University

Cost: The cost is \$300. Reservations are being accepted, based on camp availability.

Questions? Please contact Marcy Kemerer or Stephanie Strelcheck:
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ANNOUNCEMENTS- April 9, 2017

WELCOME GUESTS

We invite you to participate in the many opportunities for worship and service here. Each week's sermon is available for you in a printed booklet in the narthex as well as a video on our website at www.northwoodpc.org.

Coming up!



Lenten Cantata

Today at 4:00 PM



"Sacred Places" by Joseph M. Martin

Choir of 40 voices with flute, clarinet, trumpets, trombone, percussion, organ and piano. Also includes Jubilation Handbell Ensemble and Northwood Youth and Children choirs. This leads us into Holy Week. Please join us! (Free-will offering at the door)

Mark your calendar and plan to join us during this special time!

Maundy Thursday- April 13, 7 p.m.

Joint service with Heritage United Methodist Church
At Northwood Presbyterian Church

Good Friday- April 14, 12:00 Noon

Joint service at Heritage United Methodist Church

Easter Sunday, April 16

8:15 & 11:00 A.M. Traditional Services- Sanctuary
9:30 A.M. Contemporary Service

(Outside, weather permitting; bring lawn chairs or a blanket)

(Childcare is available at all services.)

Please send articles for all publications to Tracy Donovan at
Communications@northwoodpc.org.

Attention Graduating Seniors

Attention all graduates, please submit your graduation picture, a short write up of your accomplishments and plans for after graduation. This information can be dropped off in the office or e-mailed to Tracy Donovan at communications@northwoodpc.org.

Summer Music Camp

When: July 17-21

Time: 9:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M. Monday-Friday

What: We learn a musical and perform it, play music games and have snack.

Who: All children rising into 3rd through those rising into 6th.

Cost: \$35 for the week

Performance: Friday, July 21, 6:45 P.M.

How: Stephanie@northwoodpc.org or 796-8090

Auditions for parts to be announced! **SIGN UP NOW!!!**

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



Lindsey Childs-Kean
Layna's 1st Birthday



Flower orders & donation costs for flowers ordered for worship are made using the "2017 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!

Birthday Blessings To...

Sunday, April 9: Jackie Koski, Julie Giese, Jennifer Johnson, Phoebe Stark
Monday, April 10: Lloyd Kimball, Pat Cheek, Laurie Cinelli
Tuesday, April 11: Steve Sturdevant, Alba Signorelli, Pamela Peters, Babs Bailey, Christopher Parker
Wednesday, April 12: Christopher Schultz, Kaylin Atkinson
Thursday, April 13: Sandra Rasmussen, Dee Bryant, Kasandra Mattson
Friday, April 14: Pokey Smith, Eileen Nelson, Donald Faulkner Jr.
Saturday, April 15: Joseph Stevens, Nick Weidner

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

Order Easter Lilies

Order Easter Lilies now, only \$9 each. Use the order form on the friendship sheet. Purchase a lily to help decorate for the Easter worship services on Easter Sunday in memory or in honor of a loved one. Be sure to attach completed form to payment so we can be sure to include your name in the bulletin. Order forms with payment are due by TODAY!



Memorial Services

We extend prayers and Christian sympathy to Bob Holleman, upon the news of the death of his wife, Nancy Holleman on March 31. There will be a celebration of Nancy's life at Northwood tomorrow, Monday, April 10 at 11:00 A.M. with a reception to follow.

We also extend our prayers and Christian sympathy to Hallie Pelham and her family upon the news of the death of her sister-in-law, Heather Langille. There will be a celebration of Heather's life at Northwood this Thursday, April 13th at 11:00 A.M. with a reception to follow.

One Great Hour of Sharing Offering

Next Sunday, April 16, we will be receiving our One Great Hour of Sharing Offering. This year, 80% of the money received will be divided equally between local ministries, RCS and Thronwell Building Families program, and 20% will go to the Presbytery of Tampa Bay.

Children's Ministry

Worship Preparation Class

This class is designed to help children feel more at home in the worship service. They will learn about the different parts of the worship service and their significance. This class is for children who are currently in 2nd grade or those who are 3rd-5th grade, that haven't been through the class yet. Please contact Justine Ruisz for more information. The class will be held on April 30th and May 7th at 10:30 A.M. in rooms 4 & 6. The children will be presented in service on May 14th.

Vacation Bible School- June 26-30

Registration is now open on our website. www.northwoodpc.org

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