

Children's Ministry

Summer Sunday School Teachers Needed:

Please contact Justine if you can help one Sunday during the summer months to teach Sunday school. We need help with 3s - 5, Kindergarten - 2nd and 3rd - 5th grades.

VBS is going to be a Rock Solid Adventure with Cave Quest

VPK - 5th grade (15/16) children are invited on this awesome adventure June 20-24 from 9:00-12:00. Registration is open for all! **Sign up by June 3!**

June 5th All VBS Staff Meeting

Re "Questing" all helpers with VBS, youth and adults, please attend this informational meeting on June 5th at 10:45-12:00, in rooms 4-7. Please let Justine Ruisz know if you are unable to attend.

VBS Donations- Items to be collected:

- 50 wooden clothes pins
- 16 boxes Rigatoni dry noodles
- Glow in the dark stickers of bugs or shapes
- ~~40 Paper towel tubes~~ ✓
- Glow in the dark paint- all colors

Non-perishables:

- 10 cases of bottled water
- 7 2L Diet Soda, mixed flavors
- 8 2L Regular Soda, mixed flavors
- 6 Large bags of potato chips, variety
- 6 Large bags of corn chips (Doritos, etc)
- 2 Large bags of M&M's, Costco-size
- 8 Bags of snack-size chocolate candy
- 7 Gallon boxes of Goldfish crackers
- 4 Boxes of Chex Cereal, variety of flavors
- 75 Individual pkgs cookies
- 75 Individual pkgs chips
- 2 bags of pretzel sticks
- 3 bags of pretzel rods

(Aldi- round container of 45)

- 10 Cans of vanilla frosting
- 10 boxes of ice cream cones
- 6 packages of Peel n Pull Twizzlers, fruit flavor
- 10 bags of campfire size marshmallows
- 3 Large containers of raisins

Non-Food Items:

- 14 rolls of paper towels
- 1500 Paper or Styro-foam plates
- 1000 snack-size paper plates
- 200 portion cups
- 1050 paper cups
- ~~1050 napkins~~ ✓
- 1 large box of mixed plastic cutlery (Costco- for lounge)

Monetary Donations:

If you wish to make a monetary donation for the perishable food items that will be purchased please put your donation in an envelope marked VPB and place in the collection plate. Thank you for your support!

Donated items can be placed in the collection box in front of the Noah's Ark table. More donation lists to come.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS – May 29, 2016

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.

—What's Happening—

Blood Drive

There will be a blood drive next Sunday, June 5 9:00 A.M.-12:15 P.M. All donors will receive a FREE OneBlood T-shirt and a wellness checkup, including blood pressure, temperature, iron count, pulse and cholesterol screening! Plus all donors will receive a special offer from Crayola Experience—Purchase one admission ticket and receive a 2nd admission FREE.

Deacons' Hurricane Ministry



Hurricane Season begins June 1. Go to www.baynews9.com, click on "Weather," and under "Hurricane Center" find all the information you need to prepare. If evacuation is necessary, we need volunteers to share their homes. If you are willing, please contact Sue Miskiewicz at (727) 799-6767 or email her at susan.miskiewicz@yahoo.com, and type in the subject "Hurricane Request." Please include your name, address, phone number and how many you can accommodate.

Women's Bible Study

One Simple Act, Discovering the Power of Generosity, by Debbie Macomber on **Friday, June 3**, 10:30am, rooms 4-6
NOTE: This group will not meet in July. The Presbyterian Women's Bible study groups are on summer hiatus. Watch church publications for information about the 2016-2017 study of Who Is Jesus? by Judy Yates Siker. These studies will start in September. Questions? Contact Patty Martin (813-855-0851 or bill.martin2@verizon.net).

[Alternative Gift for Father's Day](#)

Father's Day is June 19. Are you challenged to find the perfect gift for a very special guy? Consider an Alternative Gift! The women of Lydia Circle will be in the narthex before and after each worship service **Sunday, June 5 and June 12** with the opportunity to honor a great guy with a contribution to Church World Service. For as little as \$5, Church World Service will send a blanket, tools, seeds, or water purifying equipment to someone in need. What a wonderful way to celebrate dad! Questions? Barbara Englehart 791-4648 or waspfifi-nella@yahoo.com

[All-Church Retreat](#)

Join us at Cedarkirk on **Oct. 21-23, 2016** for an amazing week-end of fellowship, games, crafts, canoeing and campfire with sing-along and s'mores. Enjoy the great outdoors while staying in air-conditioned lodges! Info can be found on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. Sign up early for best choice of rooms!

[Adult Bible Study \(Sunday Evening\)](#)

Join us for a Bible Study tonight, 6:30-7:30 p.m. in Room 12. We will look at the thread of God's love that runs through the Bible and how the stories relate to us today. The study book we will use is "The Story of Scripture" by Robbie F Castleman. The class will run through July. If you have any questions contact Cindy Huffman, leader of the class, at 727-733-8726.

[Church Office Schedule for June and July](#)

During the months of June and July, the Church Office will be open Monday-Thursday from 8:30-4:00 p.m. Regular office hours will resume in August. Calls to the office on Fridays will be handled by the voicemail system and returned on Monday. If there is a pastoral emergency, the system will provide the phone number needed to reach Pastor Chris or Pastor Paul. We thank you for your cooperation as we adopt this temporary schedule.

[Youth Upcoming Events](#)

- Sunday, May 29:** Youth Group 5:00-6:30 P.M. in the youth room.
- Friday, June 3:** Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M. in gym
- Sunday, June 5:** Youth Group 5:00-6:30 P.M. in the youth room.
- Friday, June 10:** Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M. in gym
- No Youth Group June 12**
No Game Night June 17
Music Camp June 12-17
- Sunday, June 19:** Youth Group 5-6:30 P.M. in the youth room
- VBS Youth Guides June 20-24**
- Friday, June 24:** Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M. in gym
- Middle School Mission Week June 27-July 1**
No Youth Group June 26
No Game Night July 1

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[Parking Lot Closure](#)

Tomorrow, **Monday, May 30**, access to the parking lot from SR 580 and Landmark Drive will both be closed while we have the parking lot resurfaced. Sorry for any inconvenience.

[Men's Breakfast](#)

Men of Northwood you are invited to a Men's Breakfast at Trinity Presbyterian Church this Saturday, June 4 at 8:30 a.m. All you need to bring is your appetite and conversation! If you have any questions please contact Pastor Paul at 796-8090 or paul@northwoodpc.org.