We Need Your Help!

Now that you've had your new photos taken, we'd also like to make sure your contact and family information is current and complete for our church directory. If you've had a recent change to your address, phone numbers, email, or family members, and have NOT notified the Church office, please contact Emily Cantin in the front office at communications@northwoodpc.org.

Children's Bulletins

Children's Bulletins for ages 3-6 and for ages 7-12 are available in the Narthex.



Nursery Care Available

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



Large Print Hymnals & Bulletins

Large print hymnals and bulletins are located in white binders with in the racks outside of the main sanctuary double doors. If you need assistance locating one of these, please ask an Usher.

Restrooms

Restrooms are located in the hallway across from the kitchen. Hand Sanitizers are conveniently located at each exit.



Transportation Ministry

Northwood provides transportation for those who need it to and from the 11:00 AM worship service. Call the church office, 796-8090, before

Rides Available noon on Fridays to reserve a seat on the van.







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

ANNOUNCEMENTS- March 11, 2018

WELCOME GUESTS!

Loyal to His Church 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 on **March 18th** 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!

Composer Weekend with Joel Raney!

Please join us March 18th during all 3 worship services! At 4:00pm in the sanctuary, there will be a very special concert featuring Joel Raney which will include our adult choir, children's choir, piano solos & duets, and handbells. This is a free concert and you will not want to miss it! Bring friends and get there early for a good seat! For additional information, call or email Stephanie Carson:727-796-8090 or email stephanie@northwoodpc.org

Northwood Photo Group

Please join us for our regular monthly meeting of Northwood Photo Group, 7pm Tuesday, March 13, in rooms 13-15 here at Northwood Presbyterian Church. If you're interested in photography, you're invited, whether you're a beginner or expert! Questions? Contact David Lawrence at david@primeimagesinc.com or Curtis Krueger at curtis.krueger@gmail.com

"Forgiveness" Sunday Evening Lenten Study

A Sunday evening Lenten study will be offered every Sunday Evening from 6:30-7:30 in room 6 of the Education Building. The book used will be "Forgiveness-A Lenten Study" by Marjorie Thompson. You may purchase your book for the study online or call Cindy Huffman at 727-409-8727 if you would like a book ordered for you. Join us as we prepare our hearts for Easter!

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

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**

Think on These Things An Intelligent, Imaginative, Hospitable, Reading Group

The Think on These Things monthly reading group, led by Pastor Paul will meet on Monday, March 19 from noon to 1:15 in rooms 13 and 15. The theme for the group is "Engaging books a thoughtful Christian ought to read. This month we are reading *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*, a marvelous fantasy novel for children (and for adults!) by C. S. Lewis. People are welcome to bring a lunch or snacks. For more information, contact Pastor Paul Means at 727-796-8090 or paul@northwoodpc.org

Children's Ministry 4th Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, March 31st at 10:00 AM, the children's ministry will hold an Easter egg hunt here at Northwood in rooms 7, 9, & 11. All children 5th grade and younger, and their families, are in invited to attend! Children will be divided into Egg hunt groups by age. Be sure to invite a friend, there will be plenty of eggs to find!

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



Youth Ministry



This Week in the Life of Our Youth:

Sunday, March 11:9:30Confirmation Class #7Sunday, March 11:9:30Worship & Sunday SchoolSunday, March 11:5-6:30 PMYouth GroupMonday, March 12:11-5:00 PMSt. Pete Beach & Art Tour

Wednesday, March 14: St. Pete Beach & Art NO H.S. Bible Study

Thursday, March 15: 5-7:00 PM Escape Room

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Friday, March 16: 7-10:00 PM Game Night

Saturday March 17: 12-2:00 PM St. Patty's Pup Party

Upcoming Spring Break Events

- Confirmation Breakfast March 24th
- Confirmation March 25th
- Movie Night on Monday, March 26th
- Paintball on Thursday, March 29th (youth must pre-register)
- Youth Easter Party & Egg Hunt March 30th

Volunteers Needed:

- Middle School Summer Trip June 24-29 (1 male volunteer w/CDL)
- High School Summer Trip July 15-21 (1 male volunteer)

We are also in need of adult volunteers to help out in April for the youth game nights which are held on Friday nights from 7-10:30 pm here at Northwood . If this is something that you might be interested in , please contact Vanessa Celotto at youthdiretor@northwoodpc.org.

Thanks!

Shine On!

Children's Ministry

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!

King's Kids

King's Kids will continue 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.

VBS June 4-8

Parents, save the date for Vacation Bible School. More details to come. Justine Ruisz, Director of Children's Ministry