### **Per-Capita Apportionment**

Every church shares in the administrative costs of the Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (USA) through the annual per capita assessment. Northwood's per-capita assessment for 2018 is \$30.75 per every active member and confirmed youth (communicant member). Please consider paying this administrative cost above and beyond your annual pledge/offering. You can contribute to the per-capita apportionment at any time during the year. To do so just write "per-capita" on the memo line of your check or mark an envelope accordingly. Thank you for your gift.

### **Hurricane Season Deacons' Ministry**

The Hurricane Ministry of our church's Board of Deacons assists members in need of temporary housing during hurricanes or severe tropical storms. If you are in an evacuation zone and would need housing or if you are able to share your home with members-in-need, please contact Paul Means at paul@northwoodpc.org or 727-796-8090. If emailing, please use the subject "Hurricane Volunteer". Please include your name, address, phone number, email address, number of people you can accommodate, and whether you have pets.

### **Meal Ministry**

When there is a new baby, serious illness, recent surgery or death in the family, a ready-to-serve meal can be welcome. The Northwood Presbyterian Church Board of Deacons Meal Ministry provides a helping hand in such circumstances by providing one or more meals for the entire family. The meals are made or purchased by one or more volunteers from the church. If you would like to serve the Lord by serving others, please contact Eleanor Cicerchi by email at ecicerchi@gmail.com or by phone (607)-382-1781.







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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS-August 26, 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 **Sunday**, **September 30th** for our Discovering Northwood Class at **10:45 in Room 4** of the Christian Education Building.

<u>Nursery:</u> Infants and toddlers (up to age 3) are provided excellent care in our nursery during all worship services and Sunday school hour. Parents are asked to sign in and out when dropping off and picking up your child.



# **Discovery Homecoming Sunday-TODAY!**

Today from 9:00am-11:00am in the Christian Education building rooms 4-7 we will have information about the many educational activities and education programs for all ages here at Northwood! Information about the many opportunities to serve at Northwood will also be available. There will be games and crafts for children in the Family Life Center and there will be a continental breakfast served. If you have any shoes to drop off for Beth-El Ministry, today is the last day! There are tubs located in the hallway to drop off your shoes. Thank you in advance for participating in Beth-El Shoe Sunday and sharing the love of Jesus Christ!















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

- Any submissions for the bulletin and announcements must be emailed by the Sunday before it is to appear.
- Publications for the Window newsletter must be received by the 2nd Monday of the month. (Please limit all announcements to 4 lines.)

### **Children's Ministry**

King's Kids will resume with the kick off party on Wednesday, September 5th in the Christian Education Building Rm 4-7 from 4:00-5:00 p.m. Children ages 3 years (must be potty trained) through 5th grade are invited to come from 4:00-6:00 p.m. to experience a fun Christian environment where they learn songs, a Bible story and get time to hang out with friends and play games. King's Kids will be held Wednesdays, September 12th-November 14th, then we break and start back on January 30th-April 24th. For more information, please contact Justine Ruisz at 727-796-8090 or you may email her at <a href="mailto:childrensministry@northwoodpc.org">childrensministry@northwoodpc.org</a>.



# Justine Ruisz & Jeff Davis

would like to invite the congregation of Northwood to their Wedding
Saturday, September 15, 2018
10:30 a.m.
Trinity Presbyterian Church

2001 Rainbow Dr. Clearwater, FL. 33765

The gift of your presence is welcome!

### "Journey Through"

Starting on September 2nd, we'll be offering an adults Sunday school class from 11:00-11:45 that'll coincide with the youth Sunday school class. It's going to be an awesome opportunity for your family to study the Bible cover to cover and grow together especially since you and your youth will be studying the same topics each week, but in a way that's relevant to each of your lives. Don't have a child in the Youth Ministry program? That's okay! The class is open to everyone and it's the perfect place to study the Bible while building relationships with other members of Northwood.



### This Week in the Life of Our Youth:

• Sunday, August 26: 9:30 AM Worship

Sunday, August 26: 10:30am Beth-El Shoe Counting

Sunday, August 26: 5-6:30pm Youth Night
Wednesday, August 29: 6:30-7:30pm HS Bible Study
Friday, August 31: 5:30-6:30pm MS Bible Study

• Friday, August 31: 7-10:00pm Game Night

#### **Upcoming Events:**

- Saturday, September 8th-9th: Rock the Universe
- Saturday, September 29th, 10am-2pm: Youth Service Day
- Sunday, September 30th, 11:00am: Sunday School Social
- Sunday, September 30th, 5-6:30pm: Donor Thank You Dinner

### **Volunteers Needed:**

- Game Night August 24th (2 adult volunteers)
- Game Night August 31st (2 adult volunteers)

If you're interested in volunteering, please contact Vanessa Celotto at <a href="mailto:youthdirector@northwoodpc.org">youthdirector@northwoodpc.org</a>.

### **Youth Puppeteers Wanted!**

Attention middle and high schoolers! Are you looking for a creative way to serve God and the church? Join Puppets! Beginning Thursday, September 6th, the Puppet Ministry is back in action. It is open to all youth from 6th - 12th grade, no experience necessary. Practices will be held every Thursday evening from 6:30pm - 8:30pm. There will be a sign up on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. Check out our performance today for our Discovery Homecoming Sunday! You may contact our new director, Kelly Tighe, at <a href="mailto:kmakal86@gmail.com">kmakal86@gmail.com</a> or 727 -831-6046.

### **Fun! Friends! Friday!**

The Ren Crew 2nd Friday Fellowship will meet on September 14th at 10:30 in rooms 9 &11. We are a group of adventuresome, young at heart 50+ adults that enjoy sharing fun with friends, old and new. This fall we continue the popular theme "Windows to the World" with Pastor Paul providing the program "Experiencing the Beauty and Grandeur of Yellowstone National Park." Following the program we will enjoy lunch at Red Lobster. Questions? Contact Pastor Paul at 796-8090 or paul@northwoodpc.org.