## **Undefeated!**

Vacation Bible School Sports Camp

We are excited to be preparing for the 2015 VBS Sports Camp to be held June 15-19 from 9 a.m. to Noon at Presbyterian Church of Palm Harbor. If you would like to help, please consider donating some of the needs listed below! Donated items can be placed in the collection box by the Noah's Ark table.

### Non Perishable Items

- 600 Small Bottled Waters, 8=10 oz (24pk @ Aldi for \$2.49)
- 120 Chewy granola bars (no peanuts)
- 120 Popsicles
  - 7 Gallon Boxes of Goldfish crackers
- 120 cups Trail mix (no peanuts)
- 120 cups Popcorn
  - 4 24 Quart cans Gatorade Mix (\$8.38 each at Wal-Mart)

### Non-Food Items

- 10 Rolls of paper towels
- 8 Bags of Sand (to weigh down basketball hoops)
- 1 Basketball hoop & stand to borrow for the week

### Perishables

We are in need of monetary donations for perishables to be purchased the week before VBS. These items include apples, bananas and cheese sticks. Please put donations in an envelope marked VBS and place it in the collection plate or safe.

# Get Involved!

### **Office Angels Needed**

We are in need of volunteers to assist in the church office during the week. Weekdays are split into two shifts—9-12:30 and 12:30-4. We have openings for Monday afternoon, Wednesday afternoon, every other Friday morning, and substitutes. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Katie Pacana at 796-8090. Duties include answering phones, assisting with the food pantry, sorting mail, and other administrative duties.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS—April 19, 2015 WELCOME GUESTS

We invite you to participate in the many opportunities for worship and service here. We invite you to our Discovering Northwood class **May 17, 2015 in** 

**room 4** of the Christian Education Building **from 10:45AM-12:00PM** to learn more about our church. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the pastor, Rev. E. Chris Curvin, at ChrisCurvin@Northwoodpc.org or Membership Coordinator, Katie Pacana, at Katie@Northwoodpc.org. Both Katie and Chris can be reached at 796-8090.

## **Upcoming Events**

### 2016 Honduras Mission Trip, July 24 – July 31

Today at 2:00 p.m. in room 5, the Honduras Team is excited to host an informational meeting to share about Northwood's mission trip to Honduras in 2016, and to get an idea of the number of people who are interested in going. If you have any questions please contact Pastor Paul at 796-8090 or paul@northwoodpc.org.

### **The Puppet Ministry**

We you enjoyed the Bible lessons from the puppets last Sunday and for those of you who attended the Easter Egg Hunt. We are meeting for our last time until the end of summer on Monday, April 27th from 6-6:45pm in room 15 to select the next puppet skit which will be this fall. We need more help, so please join us on the 27th.

### **Bible Study Fellowship**

This fall Harborside Christian Church will host both a men's and a women's Bible Study Fellowship class on Revelation. Men, join us Tuesday, April 21 at 7 pm in Room 225 for an information and registration night. Contact: Joseph Rocheleau 727-902-4328. Two welcome classes for registration for women will be Thursdays, April 23 and 30 at 9:30am in room 225. Contact: Marlene Moore 727-448-2815 or Mary Duffey 727-733-3672. Pre-registration is required for these studies which begin Monday, September 14 at 7pm for men and Thursdays, September 17 at 9:30am for women. There is no cost and all materials will be furnished. There is no children's program for either class.

### **Meals on Wheels**

The Northwood Meals on Wheels group needs help the 1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesdays of the month! We start at 10:30 am and deliver from Palm Harbor to SR 580. If you think you'd like to get involved, contact Nancy Johnson at 727-366-7705 or njohnso1472@gmail.com.

# Upcoming Events, Cont.

# **NPC Children's Summer Music Camp Who:** Children rising into 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade

What: Summer Music Camp

When: August 17-21; M-F, 9-12:00; Performance Friday, 8/21, 6:30 PM

Where: NPC sanctuary

**Cost:** \$30

Cast: Limited to 20 children! Sign up soon to hold your spot!

Auditions: June. You will know your part and/or solo before camp beains.

- Youth Help Needed: With snack, sound, lights, kid control, game help, poster board, etc.
- Contact: Stephanie Carson: Stephanie@northwoodpc.org: 796-8090

### **Building Renovation Pledge Update**

Campaign Goal: \$80,000.00 Pledged to Date: \$63,393.00. Pledges Received \$43,177.00 Non-Pledged Gifts Received to Date: \$14,249.53 Total Gifts to Building Renovation to Date: \$57,426.53 Unpaid Pledge Balance: \$20,216.00

### **Online Giving**

If you are interested in setting up online giving, visit the "Giving" link to the secure portal at www.northwoodpc.org or call the Church Office. For your convenience, gifts can be processed as credit card or echeck transactions. Additionally, you may make a one-time gift or set your contributions up for automated processing on a schedule that you select. Participation in the offering on Sunday morning is an act of worship and we wish to include those who choose to give online. If you so choose, you will find laminated cards in the Narthex that can be placed in the offering plate to say "My gift this week was made online." Thank you for your continued and faithful support of the ministry and mission of Northwood Presbyterian Church.

### **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 2015 will be \$25.00 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. do so just write "per capita" on the memo line of your check or mark an envelope accordingly. Thank you for your gift.

# **Youth Events**

Sunday, April 19: Youth Group 5-6:30 P.M. Friday, April 24: Game Night 7-10 P.M. Sunday, April 26: Youth Group 5-6:30 P.M.

### Sunday School:

Join us for combined middle/high school Sunday school at both 9:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.

### Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast, May 10th:

This is to support the Youth Mission Efforts. We will need cooks, servers, and many helpers. Please plan on helping with our fundraiser.

### **Attention Graduating Seniors:**

Please submit your pictures and post graduation plans to Katie Pacana by April 30th. Pictures can be dropped off in the office or e -mailed to Katie@Northwoodpc.org.

### Save the Date:

Youth Mission Week: Monday, June 8 - Friday, June 12. Daily local mission work and fun with your friends from church.

> Troy Harris, Director of Youth & Young Adults troyharris1962@yahoo.com, 727-366-7762

## **Children's Ministries**

### Kina's Kids:

Our end of the year King's Kids party on April 29<sup>th</sup> will take place from 4:00-5:30. Parents please sign up on the Noah's Ark bulletin board to bring a dish to share.

### **VBS Sports Camp:**

Registration is open!!! Please go to northwoodpc.org and sign up for Sports Camp. June 15-19 from 9:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M. Northwood is grateful that Presbyterian Church of Palm Harbor is going to host this amazing camp!

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