

ANNOUNCEMENTS—August 23, 2015 WELCOME GUESTS

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September 20 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.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE AT NPC

9:00 AM Contemporary Service 10:30 AM Traditional Service

*During the major renovations of the main restrooms we will be utilizing a simpler worship schedule through September 6. There are alternate restrooms available to everyone in the church office and Family Life Center during the renovation. On Sunday, September 13, we will return to three services—8:15 AM and 11:00 AM Traditional and 9:30 AM Contemporary.

Upcoming Events

Chancel Choir

Chancel Choir begins August 26 with a Strawberries & Cream reception at 6:15 pm followed by rehearsal. Rehearsals are Wednesdays from 7:00 to 8:30 pm. For more information, contact Stephanie Carson, Director of Music at 796-8090.

"Pierced" Auditions

Northwood's youth band will be holding auditions in the sanctuary following the 10:30 service on Sunday, August 30th. Bring your instrument and play something for us (no pressure- just have fun with it!). If you would like to be a part of Pierced but you don't play an instrument we will teach you! Just come to the audition and let us know what you would like to play. We are also looking for more vocalists. If you have any questions please contact Mark Johnston at 727-688-5123.

DINNER FOR 6-7-8

If you enjoy delicious food, great company and meeting new people in a home setting then it's time to sign up for DINNER FOR 6-7-8. The hosts rotate after each dinner with guests providing the side dishes. All are welcome! Sign up today on the sheet across from the kitchen or call Martha Tobiassen 727-669-5517.



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DISCOVERY DAY

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Discovery DAY MISSION OPPORTUNITY

Sunday, September 13 Northwood is inviting everyone to participate in Beth El Shoe Sunday by bringing new or used shoes in good condition for the children, youth & adults of the Beth El Farm Workers Mission in Wimauma, FL. Our goal this year is to collect 400 pairs of shoes!

ALL-CHURCH RETREAT

Join us at the annual Cedarkirk All-Church Retreat on Oct. 16-18, 2015. Rooms are filling up fast, so mark your calendars and sign up TODAY! Information can be found on the bulletin board directly across from the Kitchen. You won't want to miss this amazing weekend!

Youth Events

Friday, Aug. 28-

Game Night- 7:00-10:00 p.m.

Night of Joy, Saturday September 12-Sunday, September 13 \$110 per youth, \$60 per adult (includes hotel and breakfast). Bring money for Saturday dinner, snacks & souvenirs, and Sunday lunch. First come, first served basis, only 23 spots available. Full payment due TODAY, August 23.

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

Children's Ministries

Children's Sunday School

We are so excited to announce that the 9:30 Children's Sunday school is growing. We have so many children that we are now in need of four different age groups. This means we need your help to teach the children! Please contact Justine or fill out the information sheet in your bulletin if you can help teach the children's Sunday school.

King's Kids

Mark your calendars for Wednesday, September 16 from 4:30-5:30 for our King's Kids kick-off party. Parents please sign up on the bulletin board to bring food to share. We look forward to another fantastic year!

Justine Ruisz, Director of Children's Ministry Childrensministry@northwoodpc.org 796-8090/ Cell- 727-641-8140

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