

Get Involved!

Fresh Brewed

February 6, 10:30am will be our **Valentine Cupcake Tea**. Please bring your favorite cupcake, tea sandwiches or salad to share. We will be studying Chapter 7 (Listen Look Beneath) of our book A Million Little Ways. All ladies are invited as we celebrate an early Valentine's Day. Contact: Sally Uhler 727-796-7563.

Thursday Morning Prayer Group

Come and feel the presence of the Holy Spirit! Join us at the Thursday Morning Prayer Group. We meet at 10:00 am in the Parlor. If you have any questions, please contact Jeanette Holloway at 727-786-9440.

NPC Libraries

This month we are featuring faith-based fictional series in the adult library. Featured items include the Red Glove and Sunrise series by Karen Kingsbury, the Martyr's Song series by Ted Dekker, the Cape Refuge series by Terri Blackstock and many of the Joshua books written by Joseph Girzone. Check it out and get hooked on reading!

Kid's Corner Registration Dates

In House Registration: February 2-6

Public Registration: February 9-12

For more information, see the Window or go online to www.northwoodpc.org/schools



ANNOUNCEMENTS—January 25, 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 on March 22 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.

Annual Congregational Meeting & Luncheon Today at Noon & Lunch to Follow

At the Annual Meeting we will hear reports from the Session, the Deacons and their ministry Teams. We will also be electing new officers, as the Officer Nominating Committee brings its nominations, and consider changes in the pastors' terms of call.

Elders

(Class of 2017) Loisanne Bilka Jerry Koski Allen Hurst Charlotte McQuown Carol Zieres Doug Winder

Deacons (Class of 2017) Lindsey Childs-Kean Cindy Whiteside Carol Bushnell

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Nominating Com.

Patti Martin Dan Jeffre Nate Rodewald

We will also seek to elect the following to the Memorial Garden Board: Janet George, Nancy Johnson, Tammy Shierling.

Join us for our covered dish luncheon following the meeting!

This Month...

Youth Choirs

This would be a great time join the youth vocal choir or youth handbell choir (grades 6-12). Singing begins at 4:50 p.m. followed by handbells from 5:30-6:15 p.m. each Wednesday. Call or text Tom Huffman if you want to join the bell group (727) 409-8726

Attention Youth & Adults

Are you interested in joining the puppet ministry group? We are restarting the program, so no experience is needed-only your enthusiasm and interest in learning! Join us on Monday, January 26th at 6pm. If you are interested and can't attend the first meeting, send an email to kscheuerman@tampabay.rr.com.

Kav Scheuerman & Pam Wood

Coming in February...

Scout Sunday and Pancake Breakfast

Join us Sunday, February 8th for Scout Sunday as we celebrate all Scouting within our church and community! All Scouts are encouraged to attend worship services in full uniform. Northwood's own Boy Scout Troop 413 will be serving up their famous Pancake Breakfast before and after each service. Plan to attend worship with us and come hungry for some pancakes, scrambled eggs and sausage!

W.A.Y. Dinners

See the insert in the bulletin for more information!

Spring Women's Bible Study

Knowing how to pray can change your life! Join us for a five-week study on prayer, using Kay Arthur's study, Lord Teach Me to Pray. We will begin on Tuesday, February 17th at 7:00 p.m. Contact Pam Means to sign up and order a workbook! (386-0747 or psm260@gmail.com)

Ash Wednesday Service

Even if you can't make it to the W.A.Y. Dinner, we invite you to join us for the Ash Wednesday Service held in the sanctuary on February 18 at 6:40 pm.

Youth Events

Sunday, January 25:
Friday, January 30:
Sunday, February 1:
Friday, February 6:
Sunday, February 8:
Friday, February 13:
Sunday, February 15:
Friday, February 20:
Sunday, February 22:
Friday, February 27:

Youth group 4:15-6:00 Game night 7-10 Youth group 4:15-6:00 Game night 7-10

Sunday School

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

> Troy Harris, Director of Youth & Young Adults trovharris1962@vahoo.com, 727-366-7762

Children's Ministries

Worship Prep Class: This is a class for 2^{nd} grade and older who have not taken the class before. Parents save the date for February 15 & 22nd, from 10:30-12. More information can be found in the Window and Monitor or online. For questions please contact Justine Ruisz.

Spring Bash:

Parents your $2^{nd} - 5^{th}$ grader is invited to enjoy an overnight experience at Cedarkirk on March 20-21st. Please sign up on the Children Bulletin Board if your child would like to attend. For more information and details please contact Justine Ruisz.

King's Kids: King's Kids is back!

We need volunteers to help assist with the children during our Wednesday afternoon program from 4-6. Please contact Justine Ruisz if you can help.

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

Financial Matters

Building Renovation Pledge Update Campaign Goal: \$80,000.00 Pledged to date: \$62,293.00. Received \$46,200.53.

2015 Envelopes

2015 Giving/Pledge Envelopes are available in the hall by the kitchen. Boxes are not numbered or labeled; you may take any one. When making "Cash" contributions, please include your name on the envelope to ensure it is accurately recorded. If you wish to set up online giving, go to www.northwoodpc.org and click the "Giving" link to our secure online portal. Thank you for your faithful support.

2014 Contribution Statements

Contribution statements were sent bulk mail the week of January 19. If you happen to have a multiple page statement, it was necessary to send those via regular first class mail. Due to an error in processing, 2014 contributions to the Building Renovation Phase 2 did not print. Those of you who contributed to this fund in 2014 will receive an additional statement (in a separate envelope) detailing your gifts to this fund. If you have guestions, or find anything in need of correction, please call the church office and ask for Linda or Chris. Thank you for vour faithful support of Northwood Presbyterian Church.