

Heralds of Harmony Concert

"The Heralds Live" concert is scheduled for Sunday, November 13, 2016. This Bay area group was recently ranked a Top 10 chorus in the world! This is men's a cappella music at its finest. Northwood church has tickets available for \$20. See Tom Huffman at the organ after the service or tickets are available in the church office. The concert is at 3:00 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, Dunedin. A plus for us, our music ministry keeps half the ticket cost!



Sing the Christmas Cantata

Would you like to sing in the Christmas Cantata without the full Chancel Choir commitment right now? Consider singing the Christmas Cantata. We began rehearsals on Wednesday evening, October 12, but you are still welcome! The first half hour of choir rehearsal will be cantata rehearsal, so you stay from 7:30-8:00 and then you are free to go. We will do that each week until the cantata which will be presented in worship in both traditional services on Sunday, December 18. It is a beautiful cantata called "Morning Star". All voice parts wanted! Contact Stephanie Carson, Stephanie@northwoodpc.org.

Wonderful Wednesdays at Northwood

Wonderful Wednesdays at NPC includes a dinner and program series, King's Kids, choir rehearsal and more. Visit Northwood online to see the complete schedule of how you can be involved. Remaining Wednesdays for the dinner and main program are: November 2, 9 & 16. The dinner is 6:00-6:40 and a study on the topic, "The Great Ends of the Church", is from 6:40-7:15. A reservation sheet is located outside of the kitchen and in the pew racks each Sunday. Don't forget to invite a friend and use orange reservation side to reserve their free first meal with us!

Memorial Service

There will be a memorial service held for Inez Kramer, mother of Melanie Brown, on Sunday, November 6 at 4:30 P.M. at First Presbyterian of Safety Harbor.



ANNOUNCEMENTS- October 30, 2016

WELCOME GUESTS



We invite you to participate in the many opportunities for worship and service here. To learn more about our church we have our Discovering Northwood class **Sunday, November 20 in room 4** of the Christian Education Building **from 10:45am-12:00pm**. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the pastor, Rev. E. Chris Curvin at chriscurvin@northwoodpc.org or Tracy Donovan at communications@northwoodpc.org or the church office 796-8090. Each week's sermon is available for you in a printed booklet in the narthex as well as a video on our website at www.northwoodpc.org.

—Around Northwood—

Halloween Candy for Music Ministry



If you have leftover Halloween candy or find some good BOGO deals, the music ministry will gladly accept your donations. We use the candy as incentives in our children's choirs. Thank you for your generosity! Any questions? Contact Stephanie Carson, (727) 796-8090.

Blanket Sunday is NEXT SUNDAY, November 6

It's that time of year again! Please bring in new or gently used blankets and suitcases that we can give to help meet the needs of the migrant farmworkers this winter. The blankets and suitcases will be donated to Beth-El Ministries. Please contact Sue Miskiewicz with any questions or for pickup of these items at 727-799-6767 or susan.miskiewicz@yahoo.com. This is a wonderful ministry and is a blessing to the people supported by Beth-El. The workers and their families use the blankets in creative ways, such as; room dividers for privacy, along with the typical use of a blanket for providing warmth. Thank you for sharing the love of Jesus in this way!

[Our Sympathy](#)

We extend our prayers and Christian sympathy to Mark Johnston and his family upon the news of the death of his mother, Margo Marie Johnston, on Friday, October 14.



[Peacemaking Offering Thank You](#)

Thank you for your generosity in giving \$1,243 to the Peacemaking Offering on World Communion Sunday. These gifts will make a difference in supporting the ministries of the Homeless Empowerment Project and The Haven (the domestic violence shelter of RCS) in Pinellas county and the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) Mission Agency.

[School Ministry Team Members Needed](#)

Wanted: A church member to volunteer to serve the Lord by serving on the Kids' Corner (before & after school) Ministry Team. The team meets (monthly or bi-monthly) at 7:00 P.M. on the second Monday of the month to review budgets, approve activities and give help as needed. If you would be willing to serve on the team or have questions please contact Tracy Donovan (communications@northwoodpc.org) or Loisanne Bilka at (727) 464-1421 or email at billb5143@aol.com.

[Lighting the Advent Wreath Candles](#)



Seeking smiling faces to light the candles on the advent wreath at all Sunday services November 27-December 18, as well as all Christmas Eve services. Would you and a friend or you and your family enjoy taking part in this special Northwood tradition? Call Linda Feller at 727-385-5629 (cell) or email her at lpf1967@yahoo.com to reserve your spot!

Please send articles for all publications to Tracy Donovan at Communications@northwoodpc.org.

[Youth Ministry](#)

Sun, Oct 30: Sunday School 9:30-10:30 A.M.
Youth Group 5:00-6:30 P.M.
Wed, Nov 2: Bible Study 6:15-7:15 P.M.
Fri, Nov 4 Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M.
Sun, Nov 6: Sunday School 9:30-10:30 A.M.
Youth Group 5:00-6:30 P.M.

*Jon Drawdy, Director of Youth & Family Ministries
youthdirector@northwoodpc.org (813) 624-2593*

[Women's Ministries](#)

Tuesday, Nov. 1st 9:00 A.M. Bible Study room 5
Friday, Nov. 4th 10:30 A.M. Fresh Brewed room 5
Tuesday, Nov. 8th 9:30 A.M. Esther-Elizabeth Circle rooms 5 & 7
Tuesday, Nov. 8th 1:00 P.M. Naomi Circle @ Member's Home
Monday, Nov. 20th 7:00 P.M. Lydia Circle rooms 5 & 7
Monday, Nov. 28th 10:00 A.M. Book Club rooms 13 & 15
Tuesday, Nov. 29th 9:30 A.M. Project Day room 14

*Questions? Contact Patty Martin
(813-855-0851 or bill.martin2@verizon.net)*

[Cedarkirk Women's Retreat- January 20-23](#)

Join the women of Northwood for a spirit-filled weekend of fellowship, games, crafts, and canoeing. Enjoy the great outdoors while staying in air-conditioned lodges. You won't want to miss this amazing weekend and our inspirational speaker, Vicki Taylor. Mark your calendars, you will not want to miss it!

[Children's Ministry](#)

[King's Kids](#)

Our mid-week children's program for children ages 3 through 5th grade meets on Wednesdays through November 16th. It then will start back up January 25th through March 29th. This program is designed to help build friendships in a Christian environment and strengthen faith by bringing children closer to God.

*Justine Ruisz, Director of Children's Ministry
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