

—Upcoming Events continued—

Kid's Corner Registration

We are getting ready to hold registration for the 2016-2017 school year. In-house registration (currently enrolled students and siblings and church members) will begin **February 8th**. Public registration will begin **February 15th**. The registration fee is waived for church members, but they must be active church members. There is a \$15 supply fee for all 2, 3 and VPK students. The updated prices are on our website.



Renaissance Crew 2nd Friday Fellowship

February 12 at 10:30 in rooms 9 & 11 Bob Meier will present an entertaining program entitled "Is It Valentine's Day or St. Valentine's Day?: A Naughty but Nice Look at This Celebratory Day." Everyone is invited to bring their favorite valentine cards and memorabilia that they have enjoyed over the years. Following the program we will enjoy lunch at Beef O Brady's. Come join us as we share fellowship and laughter together. If you have any questions please contact Pastor Paul at 796-8090 or paul@northwoodpc.org.

Composer Weekend— February 27-28

Composer, pianist, and extraordinary musician, Joseph M. Martin will be with us here at Northwood the last weekend of February. Our singers will have the privilege of working with Mr. Martin on Saturday as we prepare anthems for Sunday morning and a Sunday afternoon concert of his music at 4:00 p.m. It would be safe to say that his music can be heard in hundreds of churches every Sunday morning as he is the most prolific composer of sacred music in the world—writing under many pseudonyms. Joseph is a world-class pianist and brings humor and wit to the stage as he presents his music. Mark your calendars—you will not want to miss this!



ANNOUNCEMENTS—January 31, 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, March 13** 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.

—Upcoming Events—

Annual Congregational Meeting & Potluck Lunch

Today at Noon

Today is the Annual Congregational Meeting and Church-wide Potluck. The Meeting starts at 12:00 pm and the Potluck lunch will follow. At the 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.

Elders

(Class of 2018)
Bob Meier
Tracey Birch
Ray Spigarelli
Keith Nadig
Stephen Cantin

Deacons

(Class of 2018)
Cynthia Lawrence
Lynn Propst

Nominating Com.

David Hamilton

Memorial Com.

Denise Cernansky
Loisanne Bilka

Fresh Brewed Bible Study



February 5, 10:30 A.M.– Noon in Room 5. Chapters 6 & 7 from *One Simple Act*, by Debbie Macomber and remember this is our **Valentine Cupcake Tea** celebration, so bring something to share if you'd like. Cupcakes, tea sandwiches, scones, etc. Mostly finger foods, but we will have plates and plastic ware. Call Sally Uhler, (727) 796-7563, if you have any questions. All ladies are welcome.



Annual Pancake Breakfast

It's that time of year again– **Sunday, February 7th** is Scout Sunday. Northwood's own Boy Scout Troop 413 will be preparing and serving our delicious Annual Pancake Breakfast. Come hungry for food and fellowship! Donations will be accepted to benefit the troop. Troop 413 thanks Northwood Presbyterian for their support.

Blood Drive– Sunday, February 7 9:00 A.M.– 12:00 P.M.

All donors will receive a OneBlood fleece blanket and a wellness check up including blood pressure, temperature, iron count and cholesterol screening.



Ash Wednesday Service



Our Lenten study begins on Ash Wednesday after our first Wonderful Wednesday Dinner on **February 10th**. Dinner is at 6:00 pm and the Ash Wednesday Service begins at 6:45 pm in the Sanctuary.

Wonderful Wednesdays– Invite a Friend

Join us for our Wednesday night dinners! This series is a great way for you to introduce a friend to Northwood. If you invite any friends who are new to Northwood, their first dinner will be free! Sign them up on the pink First-Time Guest reservation form. The dinners are **February 10, 17, 24, March 2, 9 & 16**.

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

Youth Upcoming Events



- Sunday, January 31:**
Youth Group 5:00-6:30 pm in youth room
- Friday, February 5:**
Game Night 7:00– 10:00 pm in youth room/gym
- Sunday, February 7:**
Youth Group 5:00-6:30 pm in youth room
- Friday, February 12:**
Game Night 7:00– 10:00 pm in youth room/gym
- Sunday, February 14:**
Youth Group 5:00-6:30 pm in youth room
- Friday, February 19:**
Game Night 7:00– 10:00 pm in youth room/gym
- Sunday, February 21:**
Youth Group 5:00-6:30 pm in youth room
- Friday, February 26:**
Game Night 7:00– 10:00 pm in youth room/gym
- Sunday, February 28:**
Youth Group 5:00-6:30 pm in youth room

Troy Harris, Director of Youth & Young Adults
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Children's Upcoming Events

Easter Egg Hunt

Join us Saturday, March 12 at 10:00 a.m. for our 2nd Annual Easter Egg Hunt. Children birth-5th grade and their families are invited to hunt for eggs and then share in a time of fellowship.



Spring Bash 2016

Children 3rd-5th grades are invited to Cedarkirk, April 15-16. If you are interested in sending your child(ren) or for more information contact Justine Ruisz.

VBS

Vacation Bible School will be June 20-24, if you are interested in helping please let Justine know.

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