

Presbyterian Women Bible Study—May 6th, 11:00am

Presbyterian Women are using a Bible study called “*Into the Light: Finding Hope through Prayers of Lament*” by P. Lynn Miller. This is a 9-month study on reclaiming the practice of lament through Biblical study. Study books are available for purchase. The study will be available through livestreaming only on the first Thursday of each month at 11:00 AM and will be led by Chris Curvin. The next study will take place on Thursday, May 6th. Everyone is welcome to join us through livestreaming of the study! If you’d like more information or have any questions, please contact Cindy Huffman at lucindy1@aol.com.

CareNotes Ministry

Are you struggling to cope with grief or chronic illness? Are you overwhelmed with the challenges of care giving? *CareNotes* offer strength, help and healing for those who are hurting and provide a wealth of emotional, health, grief and eldercare support and information. *CareNotes* are also available for teens and children addressing such topics as bullying, social media safety and forgiveness.

You will also find greeting cards if needed. These free resources are found in the racks in the narthex. They are supplied by the Deacons and refreshed by Deacon Eileen Nelson.

Memorial Gifts

If you wish to make a gift to the church in honor or in memory of someone, please be sure to attach the blue Memorial Gifts form to your contribution. Completing the form ensures that we have all the information necessary to properly direct the gift and acknowledge it to both you and the recipient. Forms are located near the memorial book in the Narthex or in the Church Office. Thank you for your assistance.

Restrooms

Restrooms are located in the hallway past the Library and in the hallway across from the kitchen. Hand Sanitizers are conveniently located at each exit.



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NPC Guest Wi-Fi Now live streaming our 9:00 & 11:00 services on northwoodpc.org.



Announcements—April 11, 2021

WELCOME GUESTS!

Welcome to Northwood and welcome to those watching online! We are all learning how to be a new church in this unprecedented time. Let us know of prayer requests by filling out the friendship sheet or through the church website, and seek to give online, by text, by mail or through offering boxes located in the narthex. We are continuing to offer ways to meet on the computer or smart phones through existing programs called **Zoom** and **Microsoft Teams**. Contact our church office at communications@northwoodpc.org if you are interested in how to do all the above or wish to become a member or learn more about us. WELCOME!

NORTHWOOD SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION TIME

NPC members who are high school seniors, college/vocational students or grad students are encouraged to pick up guidelines/applications from Emily Cantin, online, or in the church office now. **Applications must be returned to JoAnne Spigarelli at jspig1@tampabay.rr.com. Applications must be received by June 1, 2021.** Applicants need to be involved in the life of the church (either here or at college/Seminary). This scholarship can only be received twice. We give thanks to the Bakers, Gordons, Wrights and others whose generosity to Northwood was reflected in their last will and testament. Scholarship funds come from interest earned from the following: (1) The Fred and Kay Baker Scholarship Fund, (2) The Walter and Catherine Gordon Educational Endowment, (3) Clarence and Florence Wright Scholarship Fund, (4) Monies received from other sources.

Applications must be received by June 1, 2021

Gifts of Women Sunday-April 18th

Sunday, April 18th is Gifts of Women Sunday, when women are prominent in our worship services. We welcome Paula Salter of St. Andrew Presbyterian of New Tampa. Paula is also the Vice Moderator for the Presbytery of Tampa Bay. She will preach at the 9:00 Contemporary service and the 11:00 Traditional service. Please plan to attend and enjoy the “Gifts of Women.”

Virtual Brown Bag Bible Study

Livestream and Facebook Live—March 25th, 12:00pm

Thursday, March 25th at noon, Pastor Paul will continue the study of the New Testament letter written by the Apostle Paul to the Galatians. Join us as we study God's word seeking by God's grace to grow in faith, hope and love.



[Virtual Online Attendance for 4/11/2021](#)

Livestream from the church website: **Traditional Service—98**

Facebook Live: 430 views between both services **Total Views:** 528
If you have technical difficulties viewing the online services please view in the church livestreaming archives the next day as that is working well. You can call the church office and ask for help you if you are having trouble viewing. We encourage you to ask for help!

[Summer Music Workshop 2021—June 14-18](#)

The Workshop planning committee of the Fellowship is working hard to produce a unique five day experience this summer for adults and youth—both in person and virtual. Adults and youth will be singing together, there will be handbells, daily worship, specialty classes, instrumental ensembles and more, and it will all be done with safety in mind. Northwood will again be supporting those wishing to attend with substantial financial assistance from the garage sale proceeds. If you are interested in attending, please contact Tom Huffman (727) 409-8726 or hufftom@aol.com. If you want more information, especially on the COVID protocols that will be followed, go to the FL Fellowship website at floridafummwa.org. Registration will be opening soon, but don't register on your own. We will register for you and apply the appropriate discounts. Any questions, check with Tom Huffman.

[Window Newsletter Volunteers Needed](#)

The *Window* Newsletter Crew is in need of a few volunteers to help fold once a month. The group meets on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 9:00am in rooms 4 & 6 of the Christian Education building. If you're interested, please contact Emily Cantin at communications@northwoodpc.org.

[Please send articles for all publications to Emily Cantin at \[Communications@northwoodpc.org\]\(mailto:Communications@northwoodpc.org\).](#)

- Any submissions for the bulletin and announcements must be emailed by the Sunday before it is to appear.
- Publications for the *Window* newsletter must be received by the 3rd Monday of the month. (Please limit all announcements to 4 lines.)

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Citylight Schedule 4/11 - 4/18

ALL IN-PERSON EVENTS REQUIRE MASKS

SUNDAY 4/11
9:00 AM - OUTDOOR CONTEMPORARY SERVICE
10:15 AM - 11:00 AM OUTDOOR SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 AM - IN-PERSON INDOOR TRADITIONAL SERVICE
7:30 PM - YOUNG MEN'S VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY

TUESDAY 4/13
7:00 PM - YOUNG WOMEN'S VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY 4/14
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM - CITYNIGHT

FRIDAY 4/16
7:00 PM - 10:00 PM GAME NIGHT IN THE GYM - SIGN UP REQUIRED

SUNDAY 4/18
9:00 AM - IN- PERSON OUTDOOR CONTEMPORARY SERVICE
10:15 AM - OUTDOOR SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 AM - IN-PERSON INDOOR TRADITIONAL SERVICE
12:00 PM - 4:00 PM CONFIRMATION CLASS WORKSHOP
7:30 PM - YOUNG MEN'S VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY

Follow the link to view our weekly email:
<https://mailchi.mp/3651aa47bab4/citylightupdate-6491499>

[Your Giving Matters](#)

For in-person worship, the plate will not be passed, however, offering boxes are located in the narthex. For those worshipping online, your giving matters too. Your continued faithfulness to the mission and ministry of Northwood through your giving is critical as the church's expenses do not stop. Please commit to maintain your regular schedule of giving throughout this time by mailing your gift or using one of the online platforms below for giving electronically:

1. Text NPCHURCH to 73256 and follow the prompts.
2. Visit www.northwoodpc.org and click on the giving tab.
3. Click "Give" under the *ChurchLife app* menu options

[Kids' Corner Preschool—Registration is OPEN](#)



Registration is currently open for the 2021-2022 school year! We have openings in our 2's, 3's, and VPK. Please share the news! You may stop in the preschool office and pick up your registration forms. If you are interested in a tour of the school, please contact the school director, Laura Garcia at 727-723-7679 or email at schooldirector@northwoodpc.org.