

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS TO...

Sunday, June 27: Vicki Krueger, Joe Flaherty, Mauricio Estavil, Kayla Dabbs

Monday, June 28: Gary Granata

Tuesday, June 29: Michael Cromwell


Wednesday, June 30: Alvin Bushnell

Thursday, July 1: Tom Golec, Laura Gajentan, Carissa Johnston, Caitlyn McCutcheon

Friday, July 2: Aly Tobiassen

Saturday, July 3: Pam Wood

If you see someone whose birthday is listed and you haven't seen them in church recently, give them a call!





The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by

Babs Bailey
In Loving Memory of my Parents
Roy & Mary Frances Bailey

Terry Steele
In Loving Memory of My Father E. A. Steele


Flower orders & donation costs for flowers ordered for worship are made using the "2021 Flower Reservation Chart" on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. During this time when we are not meeting for in person worship, please send your information directly to communications@northwoodpc.org. Please remember to mark "flowers" and the date on your \$30 donation. Thank you to those providing flowers each week In Honor/In Memory of someone or an anniversary/birthday!

FAITHFULLY SERVING NORTHWOOD CHURCH TODAY

GREETERS:
 (9:00) Ann & Spencer Briggs
 (11:00) Sue Miskiewicz & Earle Lusk

USHERS:
 (9:00) Nancy Turner & Ben Nesmith
 (11:00) Jerry Koski & Roger Snay



"Love your neighbor as yourself"

Matthew 22:39

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION


ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Wednesday Bible Study, led by Cindy Huffman
 Cindy Huffman will be leading a study of the prophet, Jeremiah, featuring the book by Matthew S. Harmon. If you'd like to join the Wednesday Bible Study or need a study book, please email Cindy Huffman at lu-cindy1@aol.com and she will forward you the Zoom link.

Experiencing God Class, led by Vicki Krueger
 Experiencing God Class will not meet during the summer. We will meet again starting in September. Please contact Vicki Krueger via email at vick-ilee33@aol.com if you have any questions.

Fresh Brewed, led by Louise Mylin
 Fresh Brewed will not meet during the summer and will resume in the fall.

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL CHRISTIAN EDUCATION



FRIDAY 6/25
 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM - GAME NIGHT IN THE GYM
 10:00 PM - 12:30 AM HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE COSMIC BOWLING
 SIGN UP BY WEDNESDAY 6/23

SATURDAY 6/26
 9:45 AM CONFIRMATION MEETING WITH SESSION

SUNDAY 6/27
 9:00 AM - INDOOR CONTEMPORARY SERVICE - CONFIRMATION SUNDAY
 10:00 AM - CONFIRMATION RECEPTION, NO SUNDAY SCHOOL
 11:00 AM - INDOOR TRADITIONAL SERVICE
 7:30 PM - YOUNG MEN'S VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY

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

THURSDAY 7/1
 7:30 PM - PARENT HANGOUT AT SEADOG CANTINA - SEE FLYER

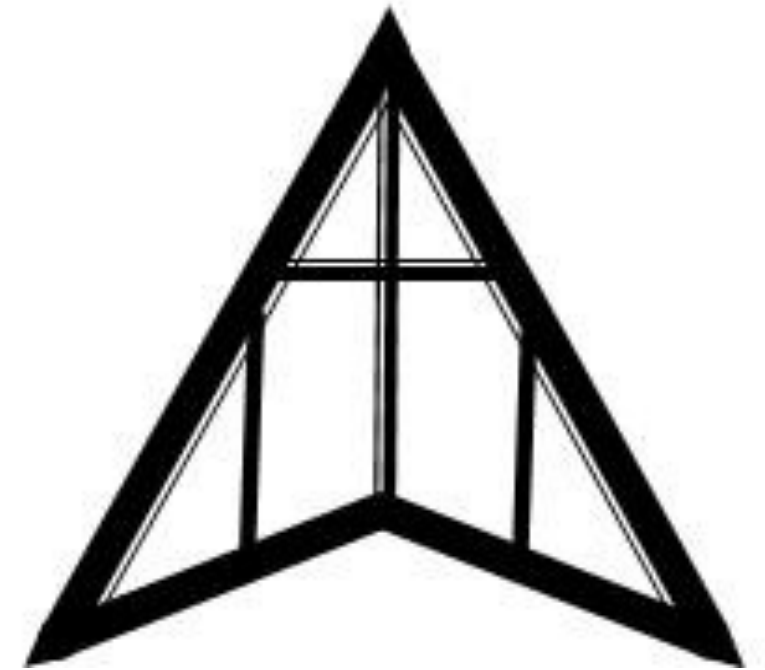
FRIDAY 7/2
 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM - GAME NIGHT IN THE GYM

SUNDAY 7/4
 9:00 AM - INDOOR CONTEMPORARY SERVICE, NO SUNDAY SCHOOL
 11:00 AM - INDOOR TRADITIONAL SERVICE
 7:30 PM - YOUNG MEN'S VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY

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Welcome To
Northwood Presbyterian Church
A Stephen Ministry Church
Organized February 19, 1978


June 27, 2021



Come, Grow, Go!

Ministers: All Members of the Church
 E. Chris Curvin, Pastor
 Paul Means, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care & Mission

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Order for the Public Worship of God
June 27, 2021
5th Sunday after Pentecost
11:00 AM Worship Service

WE COME TO WORSHIP

OPENING VOLUNTARY “For the Beauty of the Earth” Michael Helman
Celestial Ringers

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Chris Curvin, Pastor

MINUTE FOR MISSION—Cedarkirk Spencer Briggs

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: O give thanks to God, call on God’s name, make known God’s deeds among the peoples!

People: Sing to God, sing praises to God, tell of all God’s wonderful works!

Leader: Glory in God’s holy name. Let us worship God.

*HYMN #623 “I’ve Got Peace Like a River” PEACE LIKE A RIVER

I’ve got peace like a river; I’ve got peace like a river;
I’ve got peace like a river in my soul.
I’ve got peace like a river; I’ve got peace like a river;
I’ve got peace like a river in my soul.

I’ve got joy like a fountain I’ve got joy like a fountain;
I’ve got joy like a fountain in my soul.
I’ve got joy like a fountain; I’ve got joy like a fountain;
I’ve got joy like a fountain in my soul.

I’ve got love like an ocean; I’ve got love like an ocean;
I’ve got love like an ocean in my soul.
I’ve got love like an ocean; I’ve got love like an ocean;
I’ve got love like an ocean in my soul.

I’ve got peace like a river; I’ve got joy like a fountain;
I’ve got love like an ocean in my soul.
I’ve got peace like a river; I’ve got joy like a fountain;
I’ve got love like an ocean in my soul.

CALL TO CONFESSION Paul Means, Associate Pastor

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(Together)*

God of compassion and mercy, look with favor upon us as we confess our sins. Our faith is weak in the face of crisis. Our hope collapses when we are threatened or maligned. We seek our own safety and abandon those you love. We speak much and risk little. But you, O God, have given your promise that you will never forsake us. Forgive our failure to take you at your word. In Jesus name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #581 GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Garry Justice & Vickie Mills

ANTHEM “The Lord’s Prayer” arr. Shirley W. McRae
Celestial Orff Ensemble

*Our Father, who art in heaven; hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done; hallowed be thy name.*

*On earth as it is in heaven; hallowed be thy name.
Give us this day our daily bread; hallowed be thy name.
And forgive us all our debts; hallowed be thy name.
As we forgive all our debtors; hallowed be thy name.
And lead us not into temptation; hallowed be thy name.
But deliver us from all evil; hallowed be thy name.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, the glory; hallowed be thy name.
Forever and ever, Amen. Hallowed be thy name.*

CONFIRMATION CLASS 2021

*Drew Bryant
*Claire Cantin
*Delaney Pope
Brianna Adkisson, Nikki Bonfiglio, Julie Bryant, Meaghan Caccamise,
Alexis Cole, Hannah Gipson, Aidan McDermott,

**will receive the Sacrament of Baptism*

CALL TO OFFERING AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*DOXOLOGY—#606 OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*HYMN #757 “Today We All Are Called to be Disciples” KINGSFOLD

(stanzas 1,4)

Today we all are called to be disciples of the Lord,
to help to set the captives free, make plowshare out of sword,
to feed the hungry, quench their thirst, make love and peace our fast,
to serve the poor and homeless first, our ease and comfort last.

May we in service to our God act out the living word,
and walk the road that saints have trod till all have seen and heard.
As stewards of the earth may we give thanks in one accord
to God who calls us all to be disciples of the Lord.

WE GROW IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READINGS Matthew 22:37-40 (NRSV)
Acts 9:10-22 (NRSV)

SERMON “The Wonder of a Turning Point”
Chris Curvin, Pastor

WE GO OUT TO SERVE

*HYMN “I Have Decided to Follow Jesus” FOLK MELODY
FROM INDIA

I have decided to follow Jesus,
I have decided to follow Jesus.
I have decided to follow Jesus,
no turning back, no turning back!

Tho no one join me still I will follow,
tho no one join me still I will follow.
Tho no one join me still I will follow,
no turning back, no turning back!

The world behind me the cross before me,
The world behind me the cross before me
The world behind me the cross before me,
no turning back, not turning back!

*BENEDICTION

CLOSING VOLUNTARY “Te Deum” Marc Charpentier

**Congregation will stand. If standing is difficult for you, feel free to remain seated.*

Stephanie Carson, Music Director; Linda Pointer, Guest Organist

IGNITE

ignite is a contemporary worship service at 9:00 that delivers the message of Jesus Christ through Powerful Music, Media & Scripture Based Sermons.

COUNTDOWN

WELCOME

CHILDREN’S HANDBELLS

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

Celestial Ringers

PRAISE SONG

“The River”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Cedarkirk—Spencer Briggs

CHILDRENS ORFF

“The Lord’s Prayer”

Celestial Orff Ensemble

CONFIRMATION RECOGNITION

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SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS IN PRAYER

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

“Less Like Me”

VIDEO

“Moving Backward”

SCRIPTURES

Matthew 22:37-40

Acts 9:10-22

MESSAGE

“The Wonder of a Turning Point”

Chris Curvin, Pastor

SONG OF DEDICATION

“What a Beautiful Name”

GOD’S BLESSING TO YOU