

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS TO...

Sunday, August 8: Dick Evans, Audrey Nower, Kim Peterson
Melanie Schulz

Tuesday, August 10: Pat Gravatt, David Hamilton,
Kelly Brinkman Miller, Ben Cernansky

Wednesday, August 11: Norm Phillips, Ivan Becker

Thursday, August 12: Mark Bonfiglio

Friday, August 13: Madelyn McCutcheon

Saturday, August 14: Shawn Davis, Mason Tighe



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



Friends of Northwood



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) Claudia Alwood & Jenny Carlstedt
(11:00) Barbara Forsyth & Barbara Bozenski



USHERS:

(9:00) Cynthia & David Lawrence
(11:00) Sue Miskiewicz & Polly Brown

*"As God's chosen ones,
holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with
compassion, kindness, humility,
meekness and patience.*

Colossians 3:12

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 vickilee33@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

CITYLIGHT BACK TO SCHOOL SCHEDULE

8/6 - 8/15

FRIDAY 8/6

10:00 AM - BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY AT LENNY'S
7:00 PM - 10:00 PM - GAME NIGHT IN THE GYM

SUNDAY 8/8

9:00 AM - INDOOR CONTEMPORARY SERVICE
10:05 AM - SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 AM - INDOOR TRADITIONAL SERVICE

MONDAY 8/9

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM - BUSCH GARDENS
PASS & SIGN UP REQUIRED

WEDNESDAY 8/11

6:00 PM - 7:30 PM - CITYNIGHT

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Follow the link to view our weekly email:

<https://mailchi.mp/db6d08f80c57/citylightupdate-6515199>

Welcome To Northwood Presbyterian Church

*A Stephen Ministry Church
Organized February 19, 1978*

August 8, 2021

"Not Ashamed"
Chancel Choir Men

by Dan Forrest

I'm not ashamed to own my Lord, or to defend His cause,
Maintain the honor of His Word, the glory of His cross.

Jesus, my Lord, I know His name, His name is all my trust.
He'll never put my soul to shame, nor let my hope be lost.

I know that safe with Him remains, protected by His power,
What I've committed to His hands, until my final hour.

Then He shall own my lowly name before His Father's face,
And in the New Jerusalem appoint my soul a place.

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
August 8, 2021
11th Sunday after Pentecost
11:00 AM Worship Service

WE COME TO WORSHIP

OPENING VOLUNTARY "Air" J.S. Bach
(Suite #3)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Chris Curvin, Pastor

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: May the glory of the Lord endure for ever, may God rejoice in all God's works.

People: **I will sing to God as long as I live, I will sing praise to my redeemer while I have being.**

Leader: May our meditations be pleasing to God, for we rejoice in God.

People: **Give thanks to God, O my soul! Let all people praise God!**

*HYMN #14 "For the Beauty of the Earth" DIX
(stanzas 1,4,5)

**For the beauty of the earth, for the glory of the skies,
For the love which from our birth over and around us lies:
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.**

**For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child,
Friends on earth, and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild:
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.**

**For thyself, best gift divine to the world so freely given;
For the great, great love of thine, peace on earth and joy in heaven:
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.**

CALL TO CONFESSION Paul Means, Associate Pastor

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(Together)*

In Christ's name we confess our plight, O God. We are poured out like water and our strength is dried up. Like sheep, we have gone astray, following our own whims and desires. We have followed the dead-end paths of our own seeming self interest. Rescue us from poor choices, or at least help us to bear their consequences. Forgive us in Christ's 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.**

ANTHEM "Not Ashamed" Dan Forrest
(see front cover)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORDS PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CALL TO OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY—#606

**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.**

OLD HUNDRETH

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN #693 "Though I May Speak/The Gift of Love" GIFT OF LOVE

**Though I may speak with bravest fire,
and have the gift to all inspire,
and have not love, my words are vain,
as sounding brass, and hopeless gain.**

**Though I may give all I possess,
And striving so my love profess,
But not be given by love within,
The profit soon turns strangely thin.**

**Come, Spirit, come, our hearts control;
Our spirits long to be made whole.
Let inward love guide every deed;
By this we worship, and are freed.**

WE GROW IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READINGS Colossians 3:12-14 (NRSV)
1 John 3:11-18 (NRSV)

SERMON SERIES On the Edge of Tomorrow
Sermon #1 "Clothe Yourself with Love"
Chris Curvin, Pastor

WE GO OUT TO SERVE

*HYMN #729 "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"
**Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart, in my heart;
Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart.**

**Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart, in my heart;
Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart.**

**Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart;
Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart.**

**Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart;
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart.**

*BENEDICTION

CLOSING VOLUNTARY "A Mighty Fortress" Helmut Walcha

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

Stephanie Carson, Music Director
Mark Prater, 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

PRAISE SONG

"Great Things"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAISE SONG

"My Testimony"

SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS IN PRAYER

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Oceans"

SCRIPTURES

Colossians 3:12-14

1 John 3:11-18

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SONG OF DEDICATION

"One Thing Remains"

GOD'S BLESSING TO YOU

Sermon notes...

that Ignite Action!