



### Night on the Towne is BACK!

Yes, it's true. Northwood's version of a talent show is coming back on Saturday, October 15th. Mark your calendars and plan on being amazed at the sheer talent of your fellow Northwoodians. The show will start at 7 PM and run till about 9 PM. During intermission there will be a delectable assortment of desserts and drinks provided by the Kitchen Krew. There is no cost to attend and you don't need to sign up. Just show up and have a great time. If you have any questions contact Jim Warren at 727-215-0733.

### Calling All Crafters!

Do you crochet, knit or sew? We need you! Do you have yarn, fabric, notions? We need your stuff! The Women of Northwood make prayer shawls, lap robes, baby caps, dresses for Haiti, walker caddies, and just about anything. If you want to help, or if you know people who would benefit from these articles, stop by on October 25 at 9:30am in room 14. Questions? Contact Evelyn Towns (785-3743 or puson@aol.com).



### Can Tab Donations

Many of you bring your aluminum can tabs to church to add to the collection of tabs for the 23 Shriners Children Hospitals across the U.S.A. The Shriners maintain these hospitals for providing excellent loving caring for children with all expenses paid. They sell the tabs collected and use the funds to buy wheelchairs, crutches, etc as well as for crafts to keep the children busy as they recover from surgery, etc.



To participate in this project all you need to do is to take the tab off a can of soda, soup, etc and place them in a safe spot. Then bring them to church and put them in the basket by the entrance nearest the church office. When there is enough we bring them to the Shriners in Tampa. So please continue to take a few seconds to remove tabs and bring them here. Thank you for your support!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS- September 18, 2016

### WELCOME GUESTS



Loyal to His Church

We invite you to participate in the many opportunities for worship and service here. 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](http://www.northwoodpc.org).

## *—Around Northwood—*

### Congregational Meeting

A meeting of the Congregation will be held TODAY, the purpose of which is to elect two members of the congregation to serve on the Church Nominating Committee. Current members of the Nominating Committee are current Ruling Elders, Bailey Shields and Ray Spigarelli and church member, David Hamilton, who was elected by the congregation this past January. The two candidates willing to serve, who will be placed in nomination to be elected to the Nominating Committee, are Melanie Brown and Fred Drew.

### Discovering Northwood Class



To learn more about our church we have our Discovering Northwood class next **Sunday, September 25 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](mailto:chriscurvin@northwoodpc.org) or Tracy Donovan at [communications@northwoodpc.org](mailto:communications@northwoodpc.org) or the church office 796-8090.

### Our Sympathy

We extend prayers and Christian sympathy to Donna Elwood upon the news of the death of her father.

## Sunday Bible Study

The Sunday Bible Study group will be studying Paul's life and teachings, to see how his call and his decision to accept the call can help us as we grow in Christ. The study book we will use is, "Paul: His Life and Teachings," by Jack Kuhatschek. This is a discussion-based class facilitated by Cindy Huffman. We meet in Rooms 12 & 14 on Sunday evenings, 6:30 - 7:30. All are welcome to join: males and females, singles and couples. Please contact Cindy at (727) 409-8727 if you have any questions or would like to order a book at \$9 each.



## Celtic Encore

A number of folks from Northwood have registered for next year's 9-day trip to Scotland/Ireland with Joseph Martin. There is not a firm deadline to register, but there are certain benefits for signing up this month including a \$100 discount. There will be opportunity to sing in St. Giles Cathedral (Edinburgh), St. Patrick's Cathedral (Dublin) and in Derry in Northern Ireland. (Know that you don't have to be in the choir to go on the trip.) We will visit Edinburgh, Belfast, Derry and Dublin September 2-10, 2017 with an optional 4-day extension to Killarney, Shannon and the Ring of Kerry September 10-13, 2017. See Tom Huffman for a flyer and paperwork with all the details.



## Office Angels Needed

Our church office is in need of a few "Angels". Office Angels commit their time, once a week, to helping in the office. They help those who come in for assistance, answer the phones and help with other office tasks. Don't worry, we will train you! We have an opening on Monday afternoons (12:30-4:00), and Wednesday mornings (9-12:30). Please contact Tracy Donovan if you are interested or have any additional questions! (727) 796-8090 or [communications@northwoodpc.org](mailto:communications@northwoodpc.org).

**Please send articles for all publications to Tracy Donovan at [Communications@northwoodpc.org](mailto:Communications@northwoodpc.org).**

## Children's Ministry

### King's Kids

King's Kids will officially start back on Wednesday, September 21<sup>st</sup> from 4:00-5:45.



*Justine Ruisz, Director of Children's Ministry*  
[Childrensministry@northwoodpc.org](mailto:Childrensministry@northwoodpc.org)  
796-8090/ Cell- 727-641-8140

## Youth Ministry

**Sunday, Sep 18:** Youth Group 5:00-6:30 P.M.  
**Wednesday, Sep 21:** Bible Study 6:30-7:30 P.M.  
**Friday, Sep 23:** Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M.  
**Sunday, Sep 25:** Youth Group 5:00-6:30 P.M.  
**Wednesday, Sep 28:** Bible Study 6:30-7:30 P.M.  
**Friday, Sep 30:** Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M.

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

## Women's Ministries

### **Bible Study:**

Who Is Jesus?, the Presbyterian Women's Bible study for 2016/2017.

**Monday, September 19, 7pm, rooms 5-7**

The Girl's Still Got It, by Liz Curtis Higgs

**Friday, October 7, 10:30am, rooms 4-6**

Who Is Jesus?, by Judy Yates Siker, the Presbyterian Women's Bible study for 2016 - 2017.

**Tuesday, October 4, 9am, rooms 5-7**

**Monday, October 10, 1pm, member home**

**Tuesday, October 11, 9:30am, rooms 5-7**

**Monday, October 17, 7pm, rooms 5-7**

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