

Children's Ministry

VBS is going to be a Rock Solid Adventure with Cave Quest

VPK - 5th grade (15/16) children are invited on this awesome adventure June 20-24 from 9:00-12:00. Registration is open for all! **Sign up by tomorrow!**

VBS Donations- Items to be collected:

- 50 wooden clothes pins
- 8 boxes Rigatoni dry noodles
- Glow in the dark stickers of bugs or shapes
- ~~40 Paper towel tubes~~ ✓
- Glow in the dark paint- all colors

Non-perishables:

- 8 cases of bottled water
- 7 2L Diet Soda, mixed flavors
- 8 2L Regular Soda, mixed flavors
- 4 Large bags of potato chips, variety
- 6 Large bags of corn chips (Doritos, etc)
- 2 Large bags of M&M's, Costco-size
- 7 Bags of snack-size chocolate candy
- 5 Gallon boxes of Goldfish crackers
- 4 Boxes of Chex Cereal, variety of flavors
- 75 Individual pkgs cookies
- 75 Individual pkgs chips
- 2 bags of pretzel sticks
- 2 bags of pretzel rods (Aldi- round container of 45)
- 10 Cans of vanilla frosting
- 8 boxes of ice cream cones
- 6 packages of Peel n Pull Twizzlers, fruit flavor
- 10 bags of campfire size marshmallows
- 3 Large containers of raisins

Non-Food Items:

- 8 rolls of paper towels
- 48 Paper or Styrofoam plates
- 925 snack-size paper plates
- 200 portion cups
- 1050 paper cups
- ~~1050 napkins~~ ✓
- 1 large box of mixed plastic cutlery (Costco- for lounge)

Monetary Donations:

If you wish to make a monetary donation for the perishable food items that will be purchased please put your donation in an envelope marked VPB and place in the collection plate. Thank you for your support!

Donated items can be placed in the collection box in front of the Noah's Ark table. More donation lists to come.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS – June 12, 2016

WELCOME GUESTS

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.

—What's Happening—

Welcome Mr. Les Burrows!

We welcome our guest organist today, Mr. Les Burrows. Mr. Burrows was for many years organist at the Pasadena Presbyterian Church in St. Petersburg. Tom Huffman is in Leesburg for the Fellowship Music Workshop Week.

Fellowship Workshop (Music Camp)

This week thirty-seven youth and adults from Northwood will be participating in the annual Fellowship Music Workshop in Leesburg FL. It begins today and runs through Friday noon. It is a week filled with music making, worship, fun and fellowship. We meet and work with nationally known and highly skilled leaders in diverse areas like choral singing, handbells, praise band and organ. Much of the reason that so many of us are able to attend is your generous support of the annual garage sale. That money helps to underwrite a good portion of the cost of the week. We all come away with sharper skills and usually deep friendships from folks that gather each year for this event. There is a free concert on Friday morning at 10:00 that is open to the public where we present highlights of our week's work. You are welcome to attend. With notice in advance to Tom or Stephanie, you may eat lunch with the group at the cafeteria for \$10.00 following the concert. Call Tom Huffman if you need details (727 409 8726).

Sunday Transportation

During the months of June and July, please call Cynthia Lawrence to be put on the list for Sunday van pick-up. 727-410-6900.



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

Calling all Chefs and Bakers!

Do you have a favorite appetizer that you love to make and share? Do you bake the best brownies ever? Then you have been called to help provide snacks for the VBS workers. During the week of June 20th-24th we will have over 80 adults and youth at church providing loving care for up to 200 children. We pay these adults by the gifts they receive giving to the children and by keeping their tummies full.

We are seeking donations of:

- Fruit and veggie trays
- Cheese and cracker trays
- Baked goods (homemade or store bought)
- Sodas - 2 liter (Regular and Diet)
- Chips and Dip
- Appetizers
- Finger food
- Pretzels
- Meatballs
- Etc.

Please contact Marcy Kemerer if you can help (marcykem07@gmail.com or (727) 455-2583). Let her know what you can bring. If dropping off soda, chips or pretzels this can begin on Sunday June 19th & just mark it for VBS Staff and place in the kitchen. Thanks so much! Our adults and youth are most grateful!

Alternative Gift for Father's Day

Father's Day is June 19. Are you challenged to find the perfect gift for a very special guy? Consider an Alternative Gift! The women of Lydia Circle will be in the narthex before and after each worship service **TO-DAY** with the opportunity to honor a great guy with a contribution to Church World Service. For as little as \$5, Church World Service will send a blanket, tools, seeds, or water purifying equipment to someone in need. What a wonderful way to celebrate dad! Questions? Barbara Englehart 791-4648 or waspfifinella@yahoo.com

Kids' Corner Preschool Position Openings

Kids Corner Preschool here at Northwood is seeking an experienced VPK Teacher starting in August. Candidate must be fully credentialed to teach VPK. We are also seeking a lead two year old teacher. This candidate must have experience, 40 clock hours and a CDA. Both positions are part-time from August through May, and follow the public school calendar. Competitive salary to be determined based on educational credentials and experience. Please send resumes to Laura Woodard at ljcw57@hotmail.com.

Youth Upcoming Events

No Youth Group June 12

No Game Night June 17

Music Camp June 12-17

Sunday, June 19: Youth Group 5-6:30 P.M. in the youth room

VBS Youth Guides June 20-24

Friday, June 24: Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M. in gym

Middle School Mission Week June 27-July 1

No Youth Group June 26

No Game Night July 1

Friday, July 8: Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M. in the gym

Sunday, July 10: Youth Group 5-6:30 P.M. in the youth room

Welcome Director of Youth & Family Ministries, Jonathan Drawdy!

Jonathan Drawdy was born in Tampa and grew up in Palma Ceia Presbyterian Church. While there he was part of both the choir and the youth group at the church. Jon attended college at Mercer University in Macon, Georgia. He graduated with a Degree in Economics and a minor in Christianity. He is an Eagle Scout from Troop 4 in Tampa and a Service Scholar, a service based honors program at Mercer University.

Jon has spent the past two summers working with the youth group at Palma Ceia Presbyterian Church. While working there he led mission trips for both the middle and high school youth groups. He has also been on a mission trip in Europe working to build houses in both Armenia and Georgia.

Jon is excited to work with the Middle School and High School students at Northwood Presbyterian Church. He hopes to create an environment in which we can foster trust, respect, and kindness while developing relationships and having fun. Jon desires to center his teaching of youth upon the bible, and on a love for Christ. He believes in preparing youth for the challenges that they face on a daily basis by giving them a spiritual foundation on which to grow their faith.