### "Forgiveness" Sunday Evening Lenten Study

A Sunday evening Lenten study will be offered Sunday evenings from 6:30-7:30 in room 6 of the Education Building. The book use will be "Forgiveness-A Lenten Study" by Marjorie Thompson. You may purchase your book for the study online or call Cindy Huffman if you would like a book ordered for you by Cindy Huffman at 727-409-8727. Join us as we prepare our hearts for Easter!

#### <u>Think on These Things</u> <u>An Intelligent, Imaginative, Hospitable,</u> <u>Reading Group</u>

The Think on These Things monthly reading group, led by Pastor Paul, will meet tomorrow, February 19 from noon to 1:15 in rooms 13 and 15. The theme for the group is "Engaging books a thoughtful Christian ought to read." This month we are reading G. K. Chesterton's classic book, *Or*-thodoxy. People are welcome to bring a lunch or snacks. For more information, contact Pastor Paul Means at 727-796-8090 or paul@northwoodpc.org.

Dinner for 6-7-8

**What is it?** A group of 6-7-or 8 folks who get together monthly for four months for a potluck dinner on a rotating basis hosted by a couple or one or two members from the group.

How do I get involved? Sign up on the sheet posted on the

bulletin board across from the kitchen. If you were part of a group last fall, you will automatically be included.

This is a marvelous way to get to know fellow members and regular guests of Northwood Presbyterian Church on a relaxed informal basis.

It's a great program! Join us! You'll be glad you did!

For more information call Linda Diamond at 727-796-3751

### Northwood Photo Group

Please join us for our regular monthly meeting of Northwood Photo Group, Tuesday, Feb. 13, at 7pm in rooms 13-15 here at Northwood Presbyterian Church. If you're interested in photography, you're invited, whether you're a beginner or expert! Questions? Contact David Lawrence at david@primeimagesinc.com or Curtis Krueger at curtis.krueger@gmail.com







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# ANNOUNCEMENTS- February 18, 2018

# WELCOME GUESTS!

Loyal to His Church We invite you to participate in the many opportunities here for you. If you are interested in membership or simply learning more about our church, please join us on **March 18th** for our Discovering Northwood Class at **10:45 to noon in Room 4** of the Christian Education Building. Our Pastor, Chris Curvin, will share with you about ways to be involved at Northwood!

# Kid's Corner Preschool Registration

Registration for current students, siblings, and for the public has now begun for the 2018-2019 school year! You may stop in the preschool office and pick up your registration forms anytime during preschool hours, 9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. If you are interested in a tour of the school, please contact Angie Surowiec at 727-723-7679 or email her at schooldirector@northwoodpc.org.

### We Need Your Help!

Now that you've had your new photos taken, we'd also like to make sure your contact and family information is current and complete for our church directory. If you've had a recent change to your address, phone numbers, email, or family members, and have NOT notified the Church office, please contact Emily Cantin in the front office at communications@northwoodpc.org.

### Composer Weekend: Sing with Composer Joel Raney!

We need extra singers to augment our choir. Here's an opportunity to work with one of the country's best known church music composers.

- Wednesday evenings beginning 1/31 for 40 minutes (7 weeks total) we rehearse our Joel Raney music.
- March 17, 9:30-12:00 (followed by lunch) Joel Raney comes to work with the choir and shape his music for our concert.
- March 18, Mr. Raney participates with the choir in worship that morning.
- March 18 concert at 4:00 PM that afternoon.
- Totally free no cost to you!

Please join us! Call or email Stephanie Carson: 727-796-8090 stephanie@northwoodpc.org

Please send articles for all publications to Emily Cantin at Communications@northwoodpc.org.

### **Birthday Blessings To:**

Sunday, February 18th:Nicholas Cinelli, Charley HanwayWednesday, February 21st:Janet Rosenquist, Gene Weitz, Grace<br/>Thompson, Graham ThompsonThursday, February 22nd:Joanne Inkles, Susan Fuoco, David Johnson<br/>Jane Kirkpatrick, Benjamin Jones

*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

### Jean Swintek In Honor of Diane & Russ Wedding Anniversary

### **Ed Puschmann**

In memory of the 6th Anniversary of his wife Judi's passing





Flower orders & donation costs for flowers ordered for worship are made using the "2018 Flower Reservation Chart" on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. Thank you to those providing flowers each week In Honor/In Memory of someone or an anniversary/birthday!

### **Faithfully Serving Northwood Church**

#### ACOLYTES:

(8:15) Blake Ruisz (11:00) Blake Ruisz



**GREETERS**:

(8:15) Bill and Bunny Bitner (11:00) Sharon Card & Ed Puschmann

#### USHERS:

(8:15) Myrl & Dot Chronister Charlie & Carol Hersh
(9:30) Candy & Rich Spoenlein
(11:00)





# Youth Ministry

#### This Week in the Life of Our Youth:

Sunday, February 18:	9:30 AM
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Sunday, February 18:	5-10:00 PM
Wednesday, February 21:	6:15-7:30 PM
Friday, February 23:	7-10 PM

Worship & Sunday School Confirmation Class #5 Youth Group & Nerf War H.S. Bible Study Game Night

#### Volunteers Needed:

-Confirmation Retreat from March 2nd to 4th (1 adult male volunteer)

-St. Patrick's Day Pup Party on March 17th (1 adult volunteer)

-We are in need of adult volunteers to help out in March for Youth Game Nights which are held on Friday nights from 7-10:00pm here at Northwood. If this is something that you may be interested in, please contact Vanessa Celotto at <u>youthdirector@northwoodpc.org</u>. Thanks!

#### **Donations Needed:**

If you have any old video game consoles, video games, DVD players, or art supplies that you don't want/need anymore, then we'd love to use them in the youth room!



# **<u>Children's Ministry</u>** <u>Cedarkirk Spring Bash 2018</u>

Children grades 3rd-5th are invited to this overnight camp at Cedarkirk on April 13-14th. If you are interested in sending your child, please contact Justine. More info to come!

#### King's Kids

King's Kids has resumed and will continue through Wednesday, April 4th. This is our Wednesday program for children ages 3 through 5th grade. It runs from 4:00 to 5:45 p.m. throughout the school year. This is a mid-week program to help build friendships in a Christian environment, and strengthen faith, bringing children closer to God.

#### VBS June 4-8

Parents, save the date for Vacation Bible School. More details to come. Justine Ruisz, Director of Children's Ministry childrensministry@northwoodpc.org

### VAN DRIVER: Cynthia Lawrence