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& Scripture Based

COUNTDOWN

WELCOME

"Legacy of Joy" Ron Mallory

Celebration Ringers

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION

PRAISE SONG

"Only King Forever"

MEET & GREET

BAPTISM

Declan William McManus

SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS IN PRAYER

For more information and classroom assignments for Children's Sunday School, please see Children's Ministry News on the back panel of this bulletin.

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Come As You Are"

SCRIPTURE

Luke 20:27-38

MESSAGE

Sermon Series: The Christian Wallet #4 "Today Is a Day to Stretch!" Chris Curvin, Pastor

COMMUNION

COMMUNION MUSIC

"You Are Mine" arr. Mark Hayes

SONG OF DEDICATION

"Our God"

GOD'S BLESSING TO YOU

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS 8:15 AM CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

3 Yr. Olds-2nd Grade (16/17 School Year)

Children may remain in service with their family or join us in room 3 for a multi-age Sunday School worship following the anthem.

9:30 AM CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

3 Yr. Olds– Kindergarten, Room 3

Students will start and stay in their classroom for the Sunday school hour with Justine Ruisz & Sydney Blackmore.

1st-2nd Grade, Room 2

Students will start and stay in their classroom for the Sunday school hour with Kelly Makal & Nora Gunderman.

3rd-5th Grades, Room 8

Students gather to worship at the beginning of the service with their teachers, in the front Sanctuary rows, closest to the band. After the Prayers of Joys & Concerns, they will move to room 8 with Tanya & Todd Adkisson.

11:00 AM CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

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Parents, if you wish for your children to receive communion please have them remain with you in the worship service on Communion Sundays. If you have any questions regarding the process, please contact Elder Dawn Winder, Chair of Worship Team.

9:30 AM MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

Middle & High School Sunday School during the 9:30am service will meet in the sanctuary to worship together for the first 30 minutes, then move to the youth room for the lesson with Youth Director, Jon Drawdy.

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

9:30 TCI (Today's Christian Issues) Class- Rooms 9 & 11

We will welcome Javier Izaguirre, Beth-El's Operations Manager, as our class leader. Javier will share news from Beth-El, as well as perspectives he has learned from his own faith journey. Enjoy cookies and coffee while hearing about the miracles God is working in this ministry.

9:30 A.M. Serendipity Class will be combined with TCI class today in rooms 9 & 11.

11:00 A.M. Experiencing God Class in room 15 led by Vicki Krueger.

6:30-7:30 P.M. Bible Study in rooms 12 & 14

Join us this evening as we continue 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. All are welcome to join: males and females, singles and couples. Please contact Cindy at (727) 409-8727 if you have any questions.

Welcome To **Northwood Presbyterian** Church A Stephen Ministry Church

November 6, 2016

CELEBRATION OF THE SAINTS

The following names are from the membership roll of Northwood. November 1, 2015—October 31, 2016

12/11/2015
1/04/2016
1/15/2016
2/10/2016
2/17/2016
2/21/2016
3/06/2016
5/14/2016
6/08/2016
6/08/2016
6/15/2016
7/21/2016
9/06/2016

We also remember this day all those who have lost loved ones and friends that we may without fear, trust those who are dear to us to God's never-failing love.

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 **November 6, 2016 All Saints Sunday** 8:15 & 11:00 AM Traditional Worship Service

WE GATHER

(Let the congregation be silent, and in prayer as the music begins. *Please silence electronic devices.*)

- CALL TO WORSHIP Paul Means, Associate Pastor (based on Hebrews 12:1-2, NRSV) Leader: Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,
- People: Let us also lay aside every weight, and the sin that clings so closely;
- Leader: And let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, People: Looking to Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.
- Amen.

OPENING VOLUNTARY "Legacy of Joy"	Ron Mallory
Celebration Ringers	

(Acolytes symbolically bring in the light of Christ & then take it out into the world.)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

(Please complete the bulletin insert, "FRIENDSHIP SHEET," and pass it toward the *center aisle.*)

*HYMN #326 "For All the Saints" (omit stanza 4)

WE CONFESS

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (together)

Eternal God, in every age you have raised up men and women to live and die in faith. Forgive our indifference to your will. You have called us to speak, but we have been silent. You have called us to do what is just, but we have been fearful. Have mercy on us, your faithless servants. May we grow in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, to the praise of your holy name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #581

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.

*THE APOSTLES' CREED (Together, page 35)

ANTHEM

"Amazing Grace" arr. Thomas Keesecker Celebration Ringers

SINE NOMINE

GLORIA PATRI

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found; was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; *How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!*

Through many dangers, and toils and snares I have already come; 'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me; his word my hope secures; He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun, We've no less days to sing God's praise than when we've first begun.

OUR MINISTRY WITH CHILDREN

(Children ages $3yrs - 2^{nd}$ Grade, are welcome to remain in service with their parents or join us in room 3 for Children's Church.)

WE SHARE

OLD HUNDREDTH

CALL TO OFFERING

MUSICAL OFFERING	"O, How I Love Jesus"	19 th c. American melody
		arr. Larry Shackley

*DOXOLOGY—#606

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

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

WE HEAR THE WORD

SCRIPTURE	READING	Luke 20	0:27-38 ((page 855-856)	
SERMON	Sermon Series: The Christian #4 "Today Is a Day to Stretch		Chris (Curvin, Pastor	
*HYMN #509	"All Who Hunger, Gath	er Gladl	y"	HOLY MANNA	
WE UNITE IN PRAYER AND SACRAMENT					
THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER					
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The pastor offers prayers of thanksgiving to God, remembering God's acts of salvation, and concludes:

And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

ho ly God 1 Ho ly, ho ly, Lord, of 2 Bless ed he and might heav earth pow - er - en and are the Lord. Ho - san name of na in the Ho the high - est of your glo - ry. san na in the high - est high ho - san na in est.

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!

The pastor continues, recalling the names of the saints of Northwood who have died between November 1, 2015 and October 31, 2016. (Please see front cover.)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

MUSIC DU

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN #250

***BENEDICTION**

Today, at communion, we will use portions of what is known as The Great Thanksgiving-that communion liturgy that has been used for centuries in the Christian church. Some portions have traditionally been sung, including the section known as the Sanctus (holy) which is rooted in a text from Isaiah 6:3 and echoed in Revelation 4:8. In the second half of the 20th century much of this rich and historic liturgy was recovered by mainline Protestant churches including Presbyterians. With emphasis on involving worshippers as participants as opposed to spectators, much singable and accessible music has been produced toward that goal. Our hymnal, Glory to God, has included many choices in this regard in the section headed "Service Music", # 551-609. Today we will sing together a setting of the Sanctus to a familiar melody.

The pastor continues the thanksgiving, recalling the institution of the Lord's Supper. The pastor concludes:

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us,

as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND THE SHARING OF THE **CUP: THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE BREAD AND CUP**

(To symbolize our unity in Christ, we hold the bread until the Elders and Deacons are served and then all partake as one body. To symbolize our personal relationship with the Lord, we drink of the cup, as the Spirit leads.)

URING COMMUNION	"In paradisium"	Gabriel Fauré
	from Requiem	arr. Marcel Dupré

WE GO OUT TO SERVE

"In the Bulb There Is a Flower" (Hymn of Promise)

PROMISE

CLOSING VOLUNTARY "Toccata Brevis" Daniel E. Gawthrop

(The closing voluntary is the final act of worship. If you must leave before the end of the service, please respect those who are listening and leave quietly.) Stephanie Carson, Music Director

Tom Huffman, Organist & Associate Music Director

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

HYMN NOTES