

Heralds of Harmony Concert

"The Heralds Live" concert is scheduled for Sunday, November 13, 2016. This Bay area group was recently ranked a Top 10 chorus in the world! This is men's a cappella music at its finest. Northwood church has tickets available for \$20 from the music staff, choir members or at the church office. The concert is at 3:00 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, Dunedin. A plus for us, our music ministry keeps half the ticket cost!

Sympathy

We extend prayers and Christian sympathy to Melanie Brown upon the news of the death of her mother, Inez Kramer, on Friday, September 30. There will be a memorial service held for Inez at First Presbyterian of Safety Harbor on Sunday, November 6 at 4:30 P.M.



Sympathy

We extend prayers and Christian sympathy to John Makal upon the news of the death of his father, Eugene "Genoa" Makal, on Friday, September 30.



Sing the Christmas Cantata

Would you like to sing in the Christmas Cantata without the full Chancel Choir commitment right now? Consider singing the Christmas Cantata. We begin rehearsals on Wednesday evening, October 12. The first half hour of choir rehearsal will be cantata rehearsal, so you stay from 7:30-8:00 and then you are free to go. We will do that each week until the cantata which will be presented in worship in both traditional services on Sunday, December 18. It is a beautiful cantata called "Morning Star". All voice parts wanted! Contact Stephanie Carson, Stephanie@northwoodpc.org.



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

ANNOUNCEMENTS- October 9, 2016

WELCOME GUESTS



We invite you to participate in the many opportunities for worship and service here. To learn more about our church we have our Discovering Northwood class **Sunday, November 20 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 or Tracy Donovan at communications@northwoodpc.org or the church office 796-8090. 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.

—Around Northwood—

Fun! Friends! Friday!

Ren Crew 2nd Friday Fellowship will meet on October 14 at 10:30 in rooms 9 & 11. The theme for this year is "Windows to the World." Pastor Paul will share experiences about his recent trip to the Grand Tetons and Yellowstone National Park. Following the program we will enjoy lunch at Carmel Café. Come join us as we share fun with friends, old and new. If you have any questions please contact Pastor Paul at 796-8090 or paul@northwoodpc.org.

Night on the Towne is BACK!



Come join us for Northwood's version of a talent show **NEXT 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.

Wonderful Wednesdays at Northwood Return

WAY Dinners and program series are October 12, 19, 26, November 2, 9 & 16. The dinner is 6:00-6:40 and is followed by a program led by our pastors and guest speakers, "The Church in Mission" from 6:40-7:15. Reservation forms are located in the folder outside of the kitchen. Sign up by tomorrow for all 6 meals to get the discounted price! See reservation form for more information. Don't forget to invite a friend and use orange reservation side to reserve their free first meal!

Women's Retreat

SAVE THE DATE- January 20-22, 2017. Join the women of Northwood at the annual Women's Retreat at Cedarkirk. You won't want to miss this amazing weekend of fellowship, games, crafts, and canoeing. Enjoy the great outdoors while staying in air-conditioned lodges. More info coming soon!

Blanket Sunday is November 6

It's that time of year again. Please be thinking about picking up new or setting aside gently used blankets and suitcases that we can give to help meet the needs of the migrant farmworkers this winter. Once again, the blankets and suitcases will be donated to Beth El Ministries. Please contact Sue Miskiewicz with any questions or for pickup of these items at 727-799-6767 or susan.miskiewicz@yahoo.com. This is a wonderful ministry and is a blessing to the people supported by Beth-El. The workers and their families use the blankets in creative ways, such as; room dividers for privacy, along with the typical use of a blanket for providing warmth. Thank you for sharing the love of Jesus in this way!

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).

Northwood Photo Group



This month we will be discussing "The Decisive Moment" in photography at our monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 11, in rooms 13-15 here at Northwood Presbyterian Church. Everyone is invited, beginner or expert! Questions? Contact David Lawrence at david@primeimagesinc.com or Curtis Krueger at curtis.krueger@gmail.com.

Youth Ministry

Sun, Oct 9: Sunday School 9:30-10:30 A.M.

Youth Group 5:00-6:30 P.M.

Wed, Oct 12: Bible Study 6:15-7:15 P.M.

Fri, Oct 14: Game Night 7:00-10:00 P.M.

Sun, Oct 16: Sunday School 9:30-10:30 A.M.

Youth Group 5:00-6:30 P.M.

Wed, Oct 19: Bible Study 6:15-7:15 P.M.

No Youth Events Friday, October 21 or Sunday, October 23 due to Cedarkirk All-Church Retreat.

*Jon Drawdy, Director of Youth & Family Ministries
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Women's Ministries

Women's Circles

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

Tuesday, October 11, 9:30, Rooms 5 & 7

Tuesday, October 11, 1pm, member home

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

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

Children's Ministry

King's Kids

If you would like to join us, we have space and would love you to participate in King's Kids on Wednesday afternoons 4:00-5:45. Children ages 3yrs (must be potty trained) - 5th Grade. Contact Justine Ruisz for more information.

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