BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS TO... Ann Briggs, Jackson Krueger, Julie Bryant



Sunday, July 13: Monday, July 14: Friday, July 18: Saturday, July 19:

Wednesday, July 16: Georgia Rounding, Nancy Rodewald, Ava Catlin *Thursday, July 17:* Richard Zirk, Diane Bolton Jimmy Krueger, Morgan Peterson Kristen Bonnier

If you see someone whose birthday is listed and you haven't seen them in church recently, give them a call!

Lorrie Janusik, William Warren

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by



Flower orders & donation costs for flowers ordered for worship are made using the "2025 Flower Reservation Chart" on the bulletin board across from the kitchen, or you may send your information directly to communications@northwoodpc.org Please remember to mark "flowers" and the date on your \$30 donation. Thank you to those providing flowers each week In Honor/In Memory of someone or an anniversary/birthday!

FAITHFULLY SERVING NORTHWOOD CHURCH TODAY

GREETERS:

(9:00) Ann & Spencer Briggs (11:00) Carol & Conrad Trunzo

USHERS:

(9:00) Nancy Turner & Georgia Rounding (11:00) Patty Martin & Cindy Whiteside



COFFEE SERVERS:

(9:00) Marie Ziegler & Susan Hassel (11:00) Edna Bartolucci & Lois Harber

But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, "You of little faith, why did you doubt?"

Matthew 14:30-31

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Presbyterian Women, led by Patty Martin and Sue Miskiewicz

The Presbyterian Women's Sisters in Christ Circle is taking a break over the summer and will resume their meetings on Tuesday, August 12th at 10:00 am. They will begin a new 9 month study, "Finding Resilience, Joy, and Our Identity in Jesus Christ" by Rhashell D. Hunter in September. Study books will be available in early August and can be purchased for \$5.00. For more information about how you can be involved, contact Patty Martin at bill.martin2@verizon.net or Sue Miskiewicz at susan.miskiewicz@yahoo.com.

Fresh Brewed.

Fresh Brewed meets on the first Friday of the month at 10:30am in rooms 5&7. Our next meeting will take place August 1st. If you have any questions, please contact Louise Mylin at LVNM1@hotmail.com or 727-787-9868.

Biblical TakeAways, led by Emily Sutphin & Earle Lusk

The adult Sunday School/Bible Study will be taking a break during the summer. We will resume after Labor Day, September 7th.

Youth Sunday School, led by Dylan Cantin

The youth Sunday School meets every Sunday morning at 10:00am in the youth room. During this time, we will discuss the scripture and message and incorporate worship elements like music into our hour.

Our Mission Statement: "Come! Grow! Go!"

We COME to Christ in worship and fellowship together.

We GROW spiritually as we commit our time, talents and finances to Him.

We GO out in mission and service in the name of Christ, empowered by the Holy Spirit.

Church Staff Contact Information

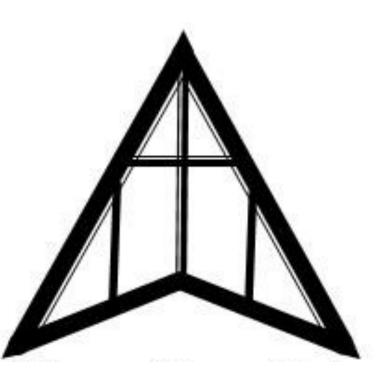
Staff members are available to answer any questions you might have regarding church related programs through our office phone system. Provided below are the phone extension numbers for our staff. If you don't see a phone extension, other information is listed. If you call the church office when the lines are busy or the office is closed, you will be prompted to use the Dial By Name Directory **OR** the staff member's extension number to leave a message. The church number is still 796-8090.

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July 13, 2025



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Order for the Public Worship of God July 13, 2025 **5th Sunday after Pentecost** 11:00 AM Worship Service

WE COME TO WORSHIP

OPENING VOLUNTARY	"Processional"
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WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chris Curvin, Pastor

Paul Means, Associate Pastor

Albert Zable

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

- Leader: We draw near to the one, true God who rules over all nations. People: Righteousness and compassion exalt a nation, but sin and oppression bring misery and shattered dreams. Leader: Bless the Lord your God for the good land He has given you.
- People: We will celebrate the goodness of God and proclaim the good news that in Jesus Christ we have been set free.
- All: Let us worship God!

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

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

*HYMN #667

"When Morning Gilds the Skies" LAUDES DOMINI

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (together)

Almighty and gracious God, your word reminds us that apart from vou, we can do nothing. Yet we confess that too often we live as though we are self-sufficient, leaning on our own wisdom, chasing our own way, and forgetting the One who gives us breath. In your mercy, for give us. Teach us again to trust your guidance, to rest in your care, and to walk humbly with you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #581 GLORIA PATRI 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

ANTHEM "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" Duet, Dylan Cantin & Taryn Lumia

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father; there is no shadow of turning with thee. Thou changest not; thy compassions they fail not. As thou hast been thou forever wilt be.

Refrain: Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning, new mercies I see. All I have needed thy hand hath provided. Great is thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in their courses above *join with all nature in manifold witness* to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. Refrain Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide, strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow: blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! Refrain

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORDS PRAYER

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.

CALL TO OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY #606	OLD HUNDREDTH
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;	
Praise Him, all creatures here below;	
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;	
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.	

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

*HYMN #834	"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"	PRECIOUS LORD

WE GROW IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READINGS 1 Samuel 13:1-15 (NRSVUE) Matthew 14:22-33 (NRSVUE) SERMON "What Are You Walking On?" Eli Jeffre, Summer Ministry Intern WE GO OUT TO SERVE *HYMN #8 "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" MELITA (stanzas 1.3) Eternal Father, strong to save, whose arm has bound the restless wave who bade the mighty ocean deep its own appointed limits keep: O hear us when we cry to thee for those in peril on the sea. O Holy Spirit, who did brood upon the chaos wild and rude, and bade its angry tumult cease, and gave, for fierce confusion peace: O hear us when we cry for thee for those in peril on the sea. *BENEDICTION CLOSING VOLUNTARY "Celtic Alleluia" Fintan O'Carroll Soloist, Taryn Lumia Christopher Walker

You are invited to reflect on the worship service during the closing voluntary. If you must leave before the end of the service, please respect those who remain and leave quietly.)

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

Please ensure all electronic devices are on silent during the service.

Stephanie Carson, Music Director; Timothy Gay, Guest Organist





ignite is a contemporary worship service at 9:00 that delivers the message of Jesus Christ through Powerful Music, Media & Scripture Based Sermons.

WELCOME

MEET & GREET

PRAISE SONG

"Goodness of God"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAISE SONG

"At the Altar"

SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS IN PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Abandoned"

SCRIPTURES

1 Samuel 13:1-15 (NRSVUE) Matthew 14:22-33 (NRSVUE)

SERMON

"What Are You Walking On?" Eli Jeffre, Summer Ministry Intern

SONG OF DEDICATION

"Good, Good Father"

GOD'S BLESSING TO YOU

Taryn Lumia, Director of Contemporary Music

Sermon notes...

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