



Thank you to everyone for the season of leave after the birth of our daughter. Thank you also for all the prayers, well-wishes, cards, and messages sent to us, and all the love and support that we have received from you. This has been a wonderful and blessed season becoming

a four person family and we are grateful to be doing it in such a loving church community. God bless you all!

Pastor José and Kristin González

| NORTHBROOK NEWS February 23, 2020 | | |
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| THIS WEEK | | |
| Today Feb 23 | 9:15 am 10:30 am | Adult Sunday School Worship <i>Greeter: Sylvia Martins</i> <i>Usher: David Dwight</i> <i>Reader: Thomas Cellilli</i> |
| | 1 pm 6 pm 6 pm | Good Neighbor Church Youth Group Small Group |
| | Mon | 7 pm Properties Team Meeting |
| | Tues | 7 pm Leadership Team Meeting |
| Tues | 7:30 pm Choir Practice | |
| Tues | 8:30 pm Worship Team | |
| Wed | 9:30 am Women's Bible Study | |
| Fri | 7 pm Game Night- Fellowship Hall | |
| Next Sun Mar 1 | 9:15 am 10:30 am | Adult Sunday School Worship <i>Greeter: Melissa O'Hara</i> <i>Usher: David Dwight</i> <i>Reader: Herbert Schonken</i> <i>Communion Servers: Dawn Holt Lauber, Jan & David Dwight</i> |
| | 11:30 am | Swedish Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser |
| | 1 pm | Good Neighbor Church |
| | 6 pm | Youth Group |
| | 6 pm | Small Group |
| LOOKING AHEAD | | |
| Mar 3 | 7:30 pm Choir Practice | |
| Mar 3 | 8:30 pm Worship Team | |
| Mar 4 | 9:30 am Women's Bible Study | |



Fight Hunger in Northbrook

If you can donate to the purchase of a bag of groceries, or if you can shop for one, you can help fight hunger in

Northbrook. We need people to help with both aspects to help families with students on free or reduced lunch at our local schools. The more people we have, the more families we can help. Interested? Contact Pastor José:

joseg.northbrookcov@gmail.com or the office at 847-272-8270.

Children's Ministry Event-On **Saturday March 7th**, the Children's Ministry will be shopping to provide Food Packs for the Hunger Free Northbrook Initiative. We will meet at McDonald's in Plaza Del Prado (at the corner of Willow & Pfingsten) for lunch at 12:00pm, and then head to Jewel to shop. This activity encompasses one of our goals for our Children's Ministry program by reaching out within our community to share in the love of Jesus and be His hands and feet. Please let Melissa know if you and your child plan to attend. moharanbcc@gmail.com



It's cold outside! Want to warm up with some friendly competition? Join us in the Fellowship Hall on **Friday, February 28th at 7 p.m.** for game night. All ages are welcome, feel free to bring one of your favorite games. Bring a snack to share!

Like to Pray?

If you would like to pray for specific prayer requests regarding our church please get in touch with Pastor José about receiving these: joseg.northbrookcov@gmail.com Or call the office at: 847-272-8270



Mark your calendars because **March 1st** will be our **annual Swedish Pancake Feed** in the Fellowship Hall after service.

All donations will go towards CHIC fund-raising for the youth. Please sign up at the Welcome Center if you plan on attending so we have an idea of how many will attend. Thank you to the congregation for its continued support.

Adult Sunday School - The Holy Spirit In Our Lives, Church, and World: What is it that the Holy Spirit actually does? In March we will explore Jesus' promise of the Spirit to his followers in the Gospels, the Spirit's work in Acts, and how we can expect to see the Spirit move in our lives. Pastor José will lead our discussion in conjunction with Make and Deepen Disciples' new Blazing Center resources. Join us as we learn more about this wonderful and powerful person and promise!

Women's Bible Study - Bible study meets at 9:30 a.m. in the church library. The bus from Covenant Village leaves promptly at 9:15 a.m. All women of the congregation are welcome.

Sunday Night Small Group- Small Group meets every Sunday at 6 pm in the church narthex. Our current study is Max Lucado's "How Happiness Happens". **We welcome new people to the group.** For information please contact Donna Frownfelter at www.donna.frownfelter@rosalindfranklin.edu or Linda Bender at: lindabender@att.net.



Youth Group is meeting Tonight. See you at 6 pm.



Youth Event- Winter Jam 2020

Winter Jam is coming back to the Chicago-land area this year on **March 13 at the Sears Center in Hoffman Estates!** This is a night of fun with Christian artists including Andy Mineo, David Crowder, Hillsong Young and Free, RED and many more--with special guest speaker Louis Giglio! Tickets are \$15 at the door.

Meetings this Week- A reminder that the Properties Team will meet tomorrow, February 24th at 7 p.m. The Leadership Team will be meeting Tuesday, February 25th at 7 p.m.

Celebration of Worship

Prelude

Call to Worship:

Psalm 27:1,7, 8

Read Responsively

Gathering Song

"Your Grace is Enough"

Welcome & Announcements

Praise & Worship

"What a Beautiful Name"

"Beautiful Savior"

Our Church at Prayer

Our Offerings to God

"I Am Yours"

Solo: Shelby Cellilli

Scripture

Matthew 7:1-29

Thomas Cellilli

Song of Preparation

"Spirit of the Living God"

#276

(Children are Dismissed for Sunday School)

Message

"The Real Deal"

José González

Sending Hymn

"I Need Thee Every Hour"

#449

Benediction

Postlude

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OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

Monday– Friday

9 am—2 pm