

Life Together invites you to come play **bocce ball** at Pinstripes on **Friday night October 26th**.

(Think darts but the darts are round.) If you've never played, don't worry. Few have, and the playing field is usually pretty level. Cost is \$10

per person, per hour. Please RSVP by October 19th so we can secure a reservation. To RSVP or for more information contact Pastor Jose: joseg.northbrookcov@gmail.com.

Want to know more about our church? We will hold an inquirer's class on **October 21st and 28th** following the worship service for all who would like to know more about who we are as a church and denomination. Attending does not commit you to anything, but these classes are required for church membership. Childcare and lunch will be provided. Contact Pastor Jose if you are interested joseg.northbrookcov.org (Please note date changes)



Baptism-If you would like to be baptized or have recently decided to follow Jesus, please get in touch with Pastor Jose to discuss baptism--or just so he can hear your story! joseg.northbrookcov.org

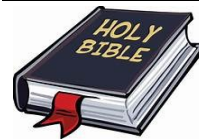
OCC Packing Party- On Sunday October 14th, please join us for our 2nd packing party for OCC right after service. We will have a quick pizza lunch and then begin packing. We had a successful first run on September 23rd with a total of 27 packed boxes! Way to go, crew! Let's see if we can break our record and pack more. If you cannot join us, but would like to help, we will gladly accept any donations (items or money) to complete the packing process (we will have shopping lists available at the welcome center to help guide you as you make purchases. Dollar Tree is a great place to shop for OCC). There is also a box in the Narthex where you can place your purchased items. Each box that is sent costs \$9.00. Thank you in advance for your willingness and generosity. Many children will be blessed by your kindness!



NORTHBROOK NEWS October 7, 2018

THIS WEEK

Today: Oct 7	9:15 am 10:30 am 1 pm 6 pm 6 pm	Adult Sunday School Worship <i>Greeter: Sylvia Martins</i> <i>Usher: Grant Erickson</i> <i>Reader: Thomas Cellilli</i> <i>Communion Set-up: Betty and Bob Olson</i> <i>Communion Servers: Betty Olson, Jan and David Dwight, Grant Erickson</i> Good Neighbor Church Youth Group Small Group: The Daniel Prayer
Tues	7:30 pm	Choir practice
Wed	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study
Next Sun: Oct 14	9:15 am 10:30 am 11:30 am 1 pm 6 pm 6 pm	Adult Sunday School Worship <i>Greeter: Betty Olson</i> <i>Usher: David Dwight</i> <i>Reader: Sylvia Martins</i> OCC Packing Party with lunch Good Neighbor Church Youth Group Small Group: The Daniel Prayer
LOOKING AHEAD		
Oct 16	7:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Oct 17	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study
Oct 19	9:15 am	MOPS B & B



If you would like to **read ahead for next week's sermon**, please read **Matthew 25**.

Email List

If you would like to be put on the email list for newsletter, prayer chain, general information, or anything else, please contact Kathleen at the office (northbrook.covenant@gmail.com)



Youth Group meets tonight at 6 pm.
Hope to see you there!

While we are asking congregants to consider where to serve in the church this year, we are especially in need of **volunteers** in our children's ministry, our nursery, and our youth group. If you have a heart for the formation of our children and for blessing our young families please consider serving with any of these ministries. Please contact Pastor Jose if you are interested. joseg.northbrookcov@gmail.com



Wedding Shower Monday, November 5th at 7:00 p.m.



Ladies, join us for a shower celebrating the wedding of Sarah Dornfeld and Nick Wright that took place in early September 2018. Sarah is the daughter of Mary Lynn Dornfeld. Sarah and Nick are registered at Bed, Bath, and Beyond.

Women's Bible Study will be every Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. The Covenant Village bus leaves at 9:15 a.m. to take the women to the church. Contact Nancy Dahlberg at 847-564-4624 if you have any questions. The email address for Women's Ministries is wm.northbrookcov@gmail.com



Please join us before service for Sunday School at 9:15. Here's a preview of what's coming in **October:**

BLESS: Intentional Evangelism. From the time of Abraham God has blessed his people so that we can bless people who do not know him. Join us as we explore five simple practices you can do with those in your life with the hope of helping them travel further in their journey toward making a faith commitment to Jesus Christ. BLESS is a new approach to prayer and evangelism that's less about downloading information or memorizing scripts, and more about loving our neighbors well, while helping us practice evangelism more effortlessly. No matter where you are on your spiritual journey we invite you to come learn more about how to share your faith as you BLESS others. BLESS is an initiative of Make and Deepen Disciples.

Sunday Night Small Group Come join us every Sunday night at 6 pm in the church narthex. We are studying *The Daniel Prayer* by Anne Lotz Graham, Billy Graham's daughter. Please contact Donna Frownfelter for information (donna.frownfelter@rosalindfranklin.edu).



We are so thankful for the love and support shown by our church family in so many ways - prayers, cards, food, donations to Alzheimers, flowers, visits, hugs and serving for the coffee after his service.

You helped us remember and honor our father's life in celebration, yet provided support knowing that

doesn't mean it's easy to say goodbye from this earthly life.

The Family of Paul Knasel

Allen, Gloria, Debbie & Charlie

The next **CUON Chat** will be Tuesday **October 23rd at 3pm** in the South Village Room. This will be a time to pray for and discuss whatever is on people's hearts concerning life, faith, and our church. While primarily directed toward our congregation at Covenant Village, visitors and curious friends are very welcome.

Celebration of Worship

Prelude

Opening Hymn

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus" #399

Welcome & Announcements

Songs of Praise & Worship

"Everlasting God"

"Wonderful, Merciful, Savior"

Our Church at Prayer Jose Gonzalez

Our Offering to God

Choral Anthem *"Great is Thy Faithfulness"*

Scripture Thomas Cellilli

Mark 6: 19-34

Song of Preparation

"Sanctuary"

(Children Remain in Service Today)

Message Jose Gonzalez

"With Eternity in Mind: Permission for Peace"

Communion

Closing Hymn

"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" #458 v. 1,2,4

Benediction

Postlude

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Vera Vasilenko, Pianist

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

Monday-Friday

9-2pm