

Church Directory-

If your information has changed since the last directory, please contact our office manager Kathleen to update it for the next directory. Thank you.



Attention all women! Women Ministries invites you to attend our annual Advent Night on Thursday November 29 at 7PM. The event will be held at the church. Bring a friend! A sign-up sheet is in the narthex.

Youth Group- There will be no Youth Group on Sunday, November 25th because of the holiday weekend. Enjoy your Thanksgiving!



Financial Update-



The tithes and offerings giving for 2018 have been strong and we are only a few thousand behind the budget projections for the year. Unfortunately, there have been unanticipated expenses and through the middle of November expenses have exceeded giving by \$2896. Thank you for your continued faithfulness in support of our ministries.

Wrapping Party- Tomorrow (Mon. 11/26) at 7PM Women Ministries could use some help wrapping towels (about 140!) to be used by CCO as Christmas gifts for many of the residents. If you are available to help for an hour or two please let Bonnie or Mary Lynn know.

NORTHBROOK NEWS November 25, 2018

THIS WEEK

Today Nov 25	9:15 am 10:30 am 1 pm	Adult Sunday School Worship <i>Greeter: Donna Nelson</i> <i>Usher: David Dwight</i> <i>Reader: Mary Lynn Dornfeld</i> Good Neighbor Church
Mon	7 pm	WM Wrapping Night
Tues	7:30 pm	Choir practice
Wed	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study
Thurs	7 pm	WM Advent Night
Sat	9 am	Decorate the Church
Next Sun Dec 2	9:15 am 10:30 am 1 pm	Adult Sunday School Worship <i>Greeter: Debbie Poterek</i> <i>Usher: Charlie Poterek</i> <i>Reader: Chuck Gundlach</i> <i>Communion Servers:: Pastor Jose, Debbie & Charlie Poterek, Betty Olson</i> Good Neighbor Church
LOOKING AHEAD		
Dec 4	7:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Dec 5	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study



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)

Volunteers for Children’s Ministry-Praise God our nursery and children’s ministry is growing. In response to God’s faithfulness we are hoping to put together a rotation of volunteers to assist Loreto in the nursery once every 4-6 weeks (2 adults are needed in the nursery for child safety). We are also hoping to have a similar rotation of volunteers to help teach kid’s church once every 4-6 weeks as well. Please contact Pastor Jose if you desire to help these ministries. joseg.northbrookcov@gmail.com



Covenant World Relief -

Covenant World Relief supports relief-type efforts around the world. During the past year, 1.5 million dollars have been distributed to 100 projects in 26 countries over 5 continents. The four most supported areas were water projects, disaster relief,

refugee care and women’s empowerment.

Last Sunday was CWR Sunday. We have an opportunity to support the work as a church. Please make checks payable to NORTHBROOK COVENANT CHURCH and write CWR or Covenant World Relief on the memo line. You can put checks in the offering through December 9.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

You are invited to purchase one or more poinsettia plants in honor or memory of a loved one(s) this Season.

The plants will decorate the sanctuary.
Cost is \$13.00 per plant.

Order forms are included as bulletin inserts or can be found at the Welcome Center.

(Make checks payable to the church, mark “flowers” and place in the offering basket)



Please join us before service for Sunday School at 9:15. Here’s a summary of what’s happening in **November**: Jim Martins will be leading a verse by verse discussion of the book of Acts. Come learn about the struggles and triumphs of the early church.

Sunday Night Small Group

No small group tonight. We are going on hiatus for a bit. We will resume meeting on Sunday, January 6th. Please note we are doing a service project for Seniors at Cornerstone on December 2nd.

Women’s Bible Study - 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



Covenant Harbor Winter Camp

Registration opens on November 15 for Jr./Sr. High Winter Camp 2019 for February 15-17, 2019! Register online at covenantharbor.org for \$159 per student which includes meals, lodging, program and activities!

Mark Your Calendars– We will be doing Christmas decorating “Deck the Halls” on Saturday, December 1st from 9-11 a.m.

We will take down the decorations on Saturday, January 12th from 9-11 a.m. Please plan to help beautify the church.



Celebration of Worship

Prelude

Choral Introit

"Thanksgiving"

Opening Hymn

"We Gather Together"

#99

Welcome & Announcements

Songs of Praise & Worship

"Give Thanks"

"Lion and the Lamb"

Our Church at Prayer

Jose Gonzalez

Our Offerings to God

Choral Anthem

"Soon and Very Soon"

Scripture

Mary Lynn Dornfeld

Daniel 7:9-14

Hymn of Preparation

"Praise and Thanksgiving"

#93

(Children are Dismissed for Sunday School)

Message

Jose Gonzalez

"King Forever"

Closing Hymn

"Jesus Comes with Clouds Descending"

#768

Benediction

Postlude

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OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

Monday-Friday

9-2pm