

North Street News

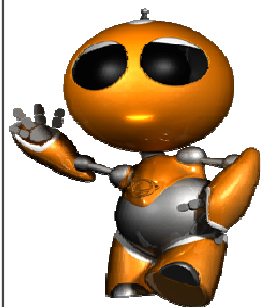
North Street Christian Church
Pastor Bob Huber and Pastor Jeff Miller
Church Office 724-282-7700



"For some time ago Theudas rose up, claiming to be somebody. A number of men, about four hundred, joined him. He was slain, and all who obeyed him were scattered and came to nothing. After this man, Judas of Galilee rose up in the days of the census, and drew away from many people after him. He also perished, and all who obeyed him were dispersed.
Acts 5: 36, 37

Today's Message: Living Strong—A Desire for Fellowship

DayCamp Begins Tomorrow!



A bus will leave the church daily at 9:30 to go to Armco Park at Slippery Rock for a **Space Operation—A Close Encounter with God's Word** for kids 6-13 years old. After a day of crafts, recreation, lunch and Bible lessons, the bus will return to the church at 3:30. Everything is free, including transportation. So far, we have 88 kids registered. They will be going through BASIC TRAINING

B—Book of Books—The Bible is uniquely God's Word

A—Absolute Authority—The Bible must be the foundation of our thinking in every area.

S—Salvation Story—The Bible tells us how to spend eternity with our Creator.

I—Incredible Impact—From art to music to changed lives, the Bible has had an incredible impact on our world.

C—Cadet Challenge—Learn it, live it! We need to study the Bible daily in order to learn more about our Creator and His commands.

Please come at 9:00 tomorrow, the bus will leave about 9:20. Come early, especially the first day. We need to make sure everyone is registered and permission slips signed.

We may need transportation for some of the students. The bus holds about 70 people. If you have a van and would be willing to transport some of the kids, please contact Pastor Jeff. For more information call Pastor Jeff at 724-282-7700 or e-mail him at jeff@bloodbot.com.

RUSS MITCHELL IS GUEST SPEAKER SUNDAY AUGUST 16

The Mitchells Join Us Until August 25th



OC International
One Challenge. Reaching the world together.



The Mitchell Family

Russ and Cathy and kids are here only until August 25th when they return to their ministry in Bucharest Romania. The Mitchells are staying at the Highlands Apartments, provided through our Missions Department and contact with a personal friend of Russ and Cathy's. The Mitchells will be helping us this week at DayCamp and Russ will be our guest speaker next Sunday, August 16th. We say thanks to all who have brought gift cards and certificates for the Mitchells to use while in Butler.

The Mitchells serve the Lord in Bucharest Romania with OCI International. OC International is an interdenominational faith mission in structure, interchurch in ministry, and international in vision.

OCI believes that whole nations can be reached for Christ! With more than 500 missionaries, OC is involved in evangelism, discipleship, leadership training, church growth, missions, and support services. The vision is found in healthy churches working together to reach all nations. The mission is to mobilize godly and effective church leaders to reach all nations. The strategy is using research, motivation, and training, to mobilize Christian leaders to reach their nations and beyond. www.onechallenge.org

SISTERS-IN-CHRIST OF NSCC

Women are needed in all areas of ministry. Whether you are a prayer warrior or you like to write notes of encouragement, or visit, or do the dishes after a church dinner, or make phone calls, or plan a get together, or invite others into your home or...get the picture? All women, seniors in high school and older, are welcome to come find out about the Sisterhood Of NSCC on August 19th at 7 p.m. at Legacy House. Come and enjoy an evening of fellowship.

SHEPHERD OF MY HEART PRESCHOOL

Open House August 30th



The Shepherd of My Heart Preschool Open House will immediately follow our Worship Gathering Sunday, August 30th. This special event is an opportunity for Preschool parents and members of our congregation to meet the teacher and preschool aides, as well as the enthusiastic and dedicated people behind the scenes—the Preschool Board Members and the Principal.

Preschool starts September 8/9. There are 5 students enrolled in the Tuesday/Thursday class and 11 students in the Monday/Wednesday/Friday class.

If you would like to learn more about the Preschool or enroll your child, please pick up a brochure in the rear of the auditorium or in the Church Office.

During our renovations, the Preschool has been used for the nursery. To get ready for the school year, we will need some people to stay after church August 23rd to help move the nursery out of the preschool. See you there!

SERVING TODAY

- **Today's Greeters:** The Mangels
- **Nursery Helpers for Sunday School:** Kathy Twerdok
- **Nursery Helpers for Our Worship Gathering:** Michelle Zang and Mandy Saeler

Take time to encourage a shut-in this week:

Mary Ann Cornelius

YWCA Room 207

120 W. Cunningham St.

Butler, PA 16001

We Welcome Our Visitors— Here at North Street Christian Church There Are No Strangers—Just Friends We Have Not Met.

JUNE—AUGUST Sunday School at 9:00 Worship at 10:15

CAMPFIRE



TEACHING

CAMPOUT REPORT

The NSCC Camp Out for 2009 is now history. Despite lots of rain and mud, nearly 35 people of NSCC had a great time while fishing, swimming, sitting around the fire, playing games, eating, attending morning Bible class and evening Chapel. Most of the off-campus adventures were cancelled or altered because of weather related circumstances. Several campers did manage to get to a local driving range and also were able to visit the Tour Ed Coal Mine where we "learned a lot of amazing facts about mining and energy!" Morning teachers were Terry Hartman and Curt Duffield. Chapel speakers were Pastor Jeff, Chuck Kildoo, Dennis Muir and Doug Emmett. Worship was led by Adam Klutinoty and Ken Nogan. Approximately 50 people of NSCC attended Sunday worship with us. Thanks to all who helped in any way and who attended the camp out. O yea - ask anyone who was there about the "mystery lake monster!" A camp out is being planned for the summer of 2010! AND a canoe trip to Cook's Forest will be planned for a Saturday in September since the river was too high to rent canoes for the camp out.

WORLD VISION CHILD SPONSORSHIP

"The Least of These"

Every **three** seconds
a child dies from hunger or
other preventable causes.



Help save her life.
Sponsor a child today.

The recent economic situation has led to a decline in support for World Vision's child sponsorship program. World Vision is looking for new sponsors to provide for children in East Africa and the Dominican Republic. Matt Eckert will be speaking to the congregation next Sunday about this opportunity to express our Christian love to "the least of these." This week, please prayerfully consider sponsoring a child. Matt will give us more details next week!

LIVING STRONG

T-SHIRTS AVAILABLE TODAY!

See Kathi Huber to get yours.

REGISTRATION UNDERWAY FOR 2009-2010 MAKE SURE YOUR PRESCHOOL SIGN IS IN YOUR YARD!

Help advertise Shepherd of My Heart Christian Preschool by placing your preschool sign from last year back in your yard. Registration for 2009-2010 is now in progress. Informational brochures are available at the rear of the auditorium. For more information, please call the Church Office at 724-282-7700.

Congratulations!



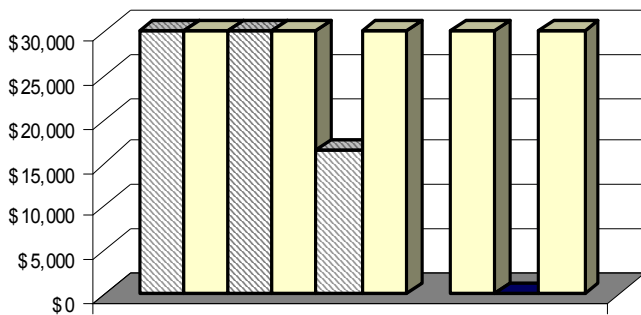
Our congratulations to Kristi and Peter Donaldson on the birth of their baby boy, Reegan James, July 27, 2009.

LOST AND FOUND

A pair of prescription sunglasses were found in church. If you have lost yours, please stop at the Church Office to claim them.

GIVE GENEROUSLY TO MAKE OUR NEXT GOAL! We need \$13,665 to reach third 30K goal!

2009 LET THE CHURCH RISE BUILDING FUND Five \$30,000 Goals Set—Matched as Goals are Reached



OWN A PIECE OF NSCC HISTORY



A solid brass chandelier and stained glass windows are available. Proceeds to support our Building Fund.

For information call the Church Office at 724-282-7700.

LAST WEEK'S STATS

NSCC Attendance: 146 Campout Attendance: 50
Offering Total = \$4,644.00
(General—\$4,014.00; Building—\$630.00)

LET THE CHURCH RISE TOTAL TO DATE IS: \$332,954.80

WHAT'S UP THIS WEEK August 9—August 15

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9:00 Sunday School 10:15 Worship Gathering 7:00 Girls Summer Study at Legacy	6:00 Worship Rehearsal	6:30 Maranatha at Legacy CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED			Modified Hours for Church Office—Please call ahead.	Community Dinner
DayCamp at Armco Park in Slippery Rock 9 a.m.—3:30 p.m.						

LOVE GOD, LOVE PEOPLE—HERE AND NOW!