

North Street News

North Street Christian Church
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*Lord, You have been our dwelling place
 in all generations. Before the moun-
 tains were brought forth, or ever You
 had formed the earth and the world.
 Even from everlasting to everlasting,
 You are God.
 Psalm 90: 1, 2*

Today's Message

MOSES:
 A Man Who Said YES to God
God's Providential Hand
 Pastor Bob

Today's Schedule

8:00 Worship I
 9:30 Sunday School
 10:15 Worship II

Serving Today

Greeters

Worship I:
 Terry Hartman
 Worship II
 The Seavers

Nursery

Worship I:
 Kathy Twerdok

Sunday School: Joan Cole &
 Kathy Twerdok

Worship II:
 Michelle Zang & Brooke
 Rhodaberger

The Lord's Supper

Worship I:
 The Hubers
 Worship II:
 Kathi Huber

Offering

December 31, 2009
 General - \$ 3,210.00
 Designated - \$ 7,100.00
 Building Fund - ~~\$60,440.00~~
 Total \$70,750.00

January 3, 2010
 General - \$5,128.00
 Designated - \$ 135.32
 Building Fund - ~~\$ 256.00~~
 Total \$5,519.32

Last Week at NSCC

Worship I 41
 Worship II 139
 Total Attendance 180

LET THE CHURCH RISE

TOTAL TO DATE IS:
 \$475,806.23

**ONE WORSHIP
 GATHERING
 ON JANUARY 31ST
 Sunday School at 9:00
 Worship at 10:15
 Fellowship Time to
 Follow**

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES RESUME THIS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13TH AT 6:30

This is a great opportunity to jump on board if you haven't already.

PIONEER CLUB:

Preschoolers and Kindergarten - Led by Debbie Croup and Sharon Bartley
Grades 1-2 - Led by Michelle Cousins
Grades 3-4 - Led by Andrea Cranmer
JR HIGH GROUP - Led by Matt and Beth Ferguson and Jeff Miller. We will be finishing the book of Revelation, picking up where we left off in chapter 17. Following this study, we will be diving into "Becoming a Contagious Christian" - at Legacy
ADULTS: Truth Project led by Dennis Muir - in the Auditorium.

SOME FAST FACTS

In the next hour, 46 teenage girls will have abortions.
 In the next hour, 1,370 of our youth will take an illegal drug.
 57% of all illegal drugs are sold on school campuses.
 The stress of school keeps 68% of students awake at night, with 20% of them at least once a week.
 In the next 30 minutes, 29 kids under age 18 will make a serious attempt at suicide.
 100,000 ten-year-olds get drunk at least once a week.

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR OUR YOUTH

SISTERHOOD OF NSCC

If you yearn for a deeper fellowship with God, please come join us. Our next tea will be Thursday, January 28th at 7 p.m. at Legacy House. We have planned a time of devotions, fellowship and an opportunity for you to reach out to others. "O God, You are my God; early will I seek You; my soul thirst for You; my flesh longs for You in a dry and thirsty land where there is no water." Psalm 63:1

BUTLER BIBLE INSTITUTES OFFERS WINTER CLASSES

4 Classes To Be Offered/Begin in February and March

Through Butler Bible Institute hosted right here at North Street Christian Church you can earn a 30-Hour Certificate in Biblical Studies or a 60-Hour Certificate in Biblical Theology. The purpose of the institute is to assist the local Church in providing trained leaders for kingdom ministry. For-credit fees are \$25 per credit hour plus cost of text book. Auditing fee is \$10 per course plus textbook. Classes to begin soon are as follows:

The Return of Christ (102) taught by John Gumper and assisted by Gretchen Miller. The 13 sessions begin Tuesday, February 2nd, meeting at Legacy from 12:30 – 2:30 p.m.

The Gospel According to John taught by Bob Ogden. The 13-week course begins Thursday February 4th, meeting at Legacy from 6 – 7 p.m.

The Book of Romans 101 (chapters 1-5) taught by Jeff Miller. The 7 week class will begin on Monday February 8 and meet at Legacy from 12:30 – 2:30.

Old Testament Survey 101 taught by Bob Huber. The 12 week course begins Wednesday evening March 10th, meeting in the Library from 6:45 – 7:45 p.m.

You can sign up for Butler Bible Institute Classes by contacting Bob Ogden, founder of the institute. Bob can be contacted at 724-283-3413 or randjogden@zoominternet.net.

NORTH STREET MEN'S BREAKFAST

January 16 at 8:00

All men and boys of NSCC are invited to join us for breakfast and a message from the Word on the third Saturday of each month. This month's speaker is Eric Eury. Eric will be sharing his testimony and the way God put it on his heart to help those struggling with addictions. Prior to receiving Christ, Eric had experienced the same kind of struggles and wanted to use his experience to help others. He started a program at NSCC called Absolute Authority which bloomed into Pressing On and he also helps with Freedom which meets at NSCC on Monday evenings. Come and hear more at the breakfast to be held at Michael's Restaurant on 422 West next door to Trader Horn. The cost is \$7.49 per person which includes a buffet breakfast and drink. Ordering from the menu can be arranged.

MARANATHA

What if you learned you had just 30 days to live? How would your life be different? Is it possible to make the most of every day, right now? Join us for "30 Days to Live," as we meet several brave people facing life-threatening illnesses. Once you hear their stories, and experience Gods truth, you'll never look at life the same. Please come and join us at Legacy on Tuesday at 6:30 for the 2nd part in a four part series. This study is open to everyone and all ages as we can all grow in Christ and learn a little more about ourselves, as we encounter God as if we only had, 30 Days to Live.

FREEDOM NOW MEETS EVERY MONDAY EVENING AT 7:00

Join us each Monday at 7:00 p.m. at Legacy as we discover TRUE FREEDOM – as promised and prescribed by the God in His Word! Join Pastor Bob to find the help you need to be set free. *If you, O LORD, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness; therefore you are feared.* Psalms 130:3-4 *In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace that he lavished on us with all wisdom and understanding.* Ephesians 1:7-9

WORSHIP NEWS FOR JANUARY

Worship I experienced a new start last Sunday January 3rd. Worship was led by Jon Ray and Matt Eckert played piano – Pastor Bob preached. Today Doug Emmett will be preaching with worship being led by Pastor Bob, Kim Gaiser and Missy Grooms. Jessie McIntyre is on piano today. Next Sunday, Dave Klutinoty will be preaching with worship leader being Andy Bilowich and Elaine DeJong on piano. On the 24th Dennis Muir will preach, Terry Lutz will lead and Kim Gaiser will be on keyboard. In Worship I we are encouraging the use of our giftedness as given by the Lord. We sense that we may also be training several men from NSCC to preach and become available to small churches in the area which need someone to proclaim God’s Word from their pulpits. Pray for all who share in the leadership of Worship I.

Worship II has begun a new sermon series entitled Moses: A Man Who Said YES to God. Pastor Bob will preach 12 sermons in all – 7 of them will be preached between now and mid-February when PB will depart for Thailand. Although he will be away only 2 Sundays from NSCC, the remaining 5 messages will be preached after Easter. The messages in this series are:

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| 1/3 Moses: A Man Who Said YES to God | 2/14 Moses: The Messenger |
| 1/10 God’s Providential Hand | 4/11 Moses: The Leader |
| 1/17 Set Aside for God’s Use | 4/18 Moses: The Leader |
| 1/24 Moses: The Deliverer | 4/25 Facing Failure |
| 1/31 Moses: The Deliverer | 5/2 Anger’s Bitter Fruit |
| 2/7 Moses: The Messenger | 5/9 SAY YES |

TO SAVE A LIFE MOVIE HITS THEATERS ON JANUARY 22

New Song Pictures and Outreach Films, in association with *Fireproof’s* Samuel Goldwyn Films, will release the highly anticipated Christian film for teens *To Save A Life* in theaters January 22, 2010. The film is the story of an all-American teen whose world turns upside down after the death of his best friend, and he is forced to make unexpected choices and sacrifices while having the courage and determination to persevere against all odds.

Jim Britts, the screenwriter of the film and a working youth pastor, wrote the script to tell the story of the choices and challenges he sees teens facing today. Britts said “We hope that *To Save A Life* can truly help give a voice to the hurting, and inspire this generation to make a difference in the lives of those around them.” Director Brian Baugh said, “This is a film made with a different approach, a different production value, with a different vision...it looks at real teen culture—as edgy and uncomfortable as it can be at times...with characters and a story that have credibility.”

With 12,000 church leaders and youth seeing the film in pre-screenings, viewers rated the film's quality at 9.0 out of 10 and 9.3 out of 10 for ministry usefulness. The film has also been hailed by leading teen ministries: Josh McDowell called the film “excellent” and “relevant”; Ron Luce of Teen Mania Ministries called the film “important” and “a wake-up call for teens”; and author and veteran youth minister Brooklyn Lindsey called the film “more than a movie—it’s an invitation for teens to be a part of something bigger than themselves.”

NSCC will show the film as soon as it is available on DVD!

NSCC Butler Church League Basketball Game

There is one game this week. The Senior High team will play 7:50 p.m. Saturday, January 16th. All games are played at the Cubs Hall at 113 South McKean Street.



2010 GREETERS AND COMMUNION PREPARERS NEEDED

There are many opportunities to sign up for the roster of greeters and communion preparers for 2010. So far, all the slots for communion preparers have been filled through June for both worship services. We are in need of greeters for Worship I for March, April, May and June.

Most slots are open for both greeter and communion preparer for both services from July through December.

If you would like to serve in this way, please contact Kathi Huber at 724-285-5315 or call the Church Office at 724-282-7700.

Instructions for preparation of communion are available at the Church office.

OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2010

Offering envelopes for the new year are available on the table at the rear of the auditorium. The envelopes are not numbered, therefore the boxes are not labeled with the names of givers.

**Coming to North Street Church
March 5-7, 2010
A Weekend of Spiritual Awakening
RENEW: FRESH WATER, FRESH WIND, FRESH FIRE
Led by Brandon Stephenson and Micah Klutinoty
LORD, I have heard of your fame; I stand in awe of your deeds, O LORD.
Renew them in our day, in our time make them known. . . Habakkuk 3:2**

WHAT’S UP THIS WEEK January 10th—January 16th

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8:00 Worship I 9:00 Sunday School 10:15 Worship II	6:00 Worship Rehearsal 7:00 Freedom	6:30 Maranatha at Legacy	6:30 Pioneer Club/ YBICs/Legacy	Take time to encourage a shut-in this week:: Opal Everton 152 Royal Oaks Dr. Apt. 206 McKeesport, PA 15131		5:00 Community Dinner 7:50 Sr. Basketball Game