North Street News

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Then Moses and Aaron did so; just as the Lord commanded them, so they did. And Moses was eighty years old and Aaron eighty-three years old when they spoke to Pharaoh.

Exodus 7: 6,7

Today's Message: Moses: The Deliverer

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 31ST—ONE WORSHIP GATHERING SUNDAY SCHOOL AT 9:00—WORSHIP AT 10:15
REMODELED FACILITY WILL BE OPEN FOR TOURS FOLLOWING THE MEETING

THAILAND TEAM ONE DEPARTS SOON

Pastor Bob Huber, Dale Riemer, Andy Bilowich Head Out on February 15

Three veteran Thailand sojourners, PB, Dale Riemer and Andy Bilowich depart for Chiang Mai, Thailand on Monday morning February 15. The route will take them from Pittsburgh to Chicago to Tokyo to Bangkok to Chiang Mai, arriving Wednesday morning the 17th. While there, the group will work side by side with and encourage all involved with the ministry of Barnabas and Martha Seangsirikhun. Besides working with the Chiang Mai Church, which now meets on the same property as the Seangsirkhun's home, the group will visit many of the Hill Tribe Churches in the mountains to the north. Pastor Bob will address the Thai and Hill Tribe Pastors who have been recruited and trained by Barnabas. Presently the ministry is working to complete the Church building in Hui Ko, an Ahka village, and is also raising funds to build a larger Church building in Nuang Kiew, a Lahu village. Funds are being received for these projects presently. Team I will return on March 2. THAILAND TEAM II will depart in June under the leadership of Kathi Huber and Ashley Tack.

\$1,196.00 RAISED FOR HAITI RELIEF

NSCC received a special offering to help in the recovery of the Christianville Mission in Gressier, Haiti. The offering totaled \$1,196.00 and a check was mailed to the ministry on Tuesday. We thank all who contributed to help those in the relief effort.

12th ANNUAL HEALTHY HEART LUNCHEON

Thursday, February 18 at Noon

ALL Senior Citizens (55+) are invited to the 12th Annual Healthy Heart Luncheon on Thursday, February 18th. A healthy and delicious fare of soup, salad and other goodies will be shared. Please contact Barbara Carson at 724-283-2472 or Mary Stevenson at 724-2834812. Transportation can be arranged. To be added to the Senior Citizen mailing list, please contact the Church Office at 724-282-7700.

VALENTINES DAY LUNCH AT NSCC/SUNDAY FEBRUARY 14

All Singles, Widows, Divorced, Male & Female, Teens-Elderly

Psalm 84: 1,2 How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord Almighty! My soul yearns, even faints for the courts of the Lord; my heart and my flesh cry out for the living God. Better is one day in your courts than a thousand elsewhere.

The holidays can be an especially tough time for single people. Our emotions can hinder God's blessing in our lives because we allow them to be a wall between Him and us instead of a stepping stone. The Bible says that our heart and flesh cry out for the living God. He is the only thing that can heal a heart poisoned by grief, loneliness, depression, insecurity, impurity, guilt, anger, etc...

Come on Valentines Day following second service for a time of prayer and a spaghetti lunch.

Looking for volunteers to help with food, set-up and clean-up. If you are interested, please call Michelle Cousins at 724-283-9156 or Tammy King at 724-968-2099. A sign-up sheet will be placed in the rear of the auditorium for anyone interested in attending.

BUTLER BIBLE INSTITUTES OFFERS WINTER CLASSES

4 Classes To Be Offered/Classes Begin Soon

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. Classes to begin soon are as follows:

The Return of Christ taught by John Gumpper and assisted by Gretchen Miller. The 13 sessions will meet Thursdays beginning February 4th in the Library 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 in the Library from 6 – 7 p.m.

<u>The Book of Romans 101</u> (chapters 1-5) taught by Jeff Miller. The 7 week class will begin on Monday February 8 and meet In the Library 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.

If you would like more details, please contact Bob Ogden at 724-283-3413 or randjogdedn@zoominternet.net, John Gumpper at 724-283-9082, or one of the pastors at 724-282-7700.

TEAM THAILAND PEPPERONI ROLL SALE

Team Thailand will be selling Pepperoni Rolls after both services on Sunday, February 7th. The cost is \$3.50 each or 5 for \$15.00. You can pre-order them at the table by the front door or from any of the team members. Thanks for all your support.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE AND FELLOWSHIP

Meets Tomorrow, Jan. 25th at 6:00 p.m. in the Library

Everyone who takes communion to elderly and shut-ins, and anyone who desires to participate in this ministry, please come at 6:00 p.m. for a meeting in the Library. This is primarily a service performed by the men or couples. It is a much needed and rewarding ministry. Interested? Come and find out. The rest of the group and those who want to help out please come by 7:00 p.m. It is going to be a really exciting year, so please try to be there. Doug Emmett

SISTERHOOD EVENTS AT NSCC

If you yearn for a deeper fellowship with God, please come join us. Our next tea will be this 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. Other events are:

Saturday, Feb. 20th—Afternoon of "Fun & Games" Thursday, March 18th—Evening Tea "Going Green" Saturday, April 24th—"Dining Out"

"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



LOVE GOD, LOVE PEOPLE—HERE AND NOW!

WORSHIP NEWS/PREACHING SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY

WORSHIP I

February 7—Pastor Jeff Miller

February 14—Pastor Terry Lutz February 21—Dan Smith of Pressing On

February 28-Terry Hartman

WORSHIP II

February 7—Moses: The Messenger/PB

February 14-Moses: The Messenger/PB

February 21—Pastor Jeff Miller February 28—Doug Emmett

THE FEBRUARY MEN'S BREAKFAST WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY FEBRUARY 20 IN THE CHURCH DINING ROOM AT 8:00. DOUG EMMETT WILL BE THE SPEAKER. GREG SIMPSON AND CREW WILL BE COOKING.

CHOSEN PEOPLE MINISTRIES/ RABBI JEFF KIPP TO SPEAK AT NSCC

Sunday March 14/Israel, the Church and the Last Days

Pastor Jeff Kipp spoke here at NSCC last Easter when he shared the message, Christ in the Passover. On Sunday March 14 he will speak at both the 8:00 and 10:15 Worship gatherings to deliver a message entitled "Israel, The Church and the Last Days". During the Sunday School Hour he will share his testimony – What's a Nice Jewish Boy Like You Doing in a Church Like This! Get ready to be blessed!

FLOWER DONATIONS

Every year we give the congregation the

opportunity to donate flowers in memory/in honor of loved ones. If you are interested, a sign-up sheet is in the rear of the auditorium. There are many open dates. For more infor-

mation, contact Kim Gaiser or call the Church Office at 724-282-7700.

TERRORIST CELLS NOW OPERATING IN THE CHURCH—BEWARE!

Latest news reports are that five terrorist cell groups have been operating in many of our churches. They have been identified as: Bin Sleepin, Bin Arguin, Bin Fightin, Bin Complainin, and Bin Missin.

Their leader, Lucifer Bin Workin, trained these groups to destroy the Body of Christ. The plan is to come into the church and to work within the church to discourage, disrupt, and destroy.

However, there have been reports of a sixth group. A tiny cell known by the name Bin Prayin is actually the only effective counter terrorism force in the church. Unlike other terrorist cells, the Bin Prayin team does not blend in with whoever and whatever comes along.

Bin Prayin does whatever is needed to uplift and encourage the Body of Christ. We have noticed that the Bin Prayin cell group has different characteristics than the others. They have Bin Watchin, Bin Waitin, Bin Fastin, and Bin Longin for their Master, Jesus Christ to return.

NO CHURCH IS EXEMPT! However, you can spot them if you've bin lookin and bin goin.

NSCC Butler Church League Basketball Game

There are three games this week. The Junior High team will play 6:00 p.m. Monday, January 25th and 6:00 Thursday, January 28th; the Senior High team will play 8:40 p.m. Thursday, January 21st. 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.



CANCER PATIENTS FROM THE BUTLER COMMUNITY NEED YOUR HELP TO GET TO THEIR MEDICAL TREATMENTS AND APPOINTMENTS.

Road to Recovery

Road to Recovery, an American Cancer Society program, needs kind people to volunteer their time and use their own cars to drive patients to and from their appointments. Schedules are flexible. For more information, contact Erin Vero at 412-919-1117 or erin.vero@cancer.org. If you, or someone you know, needs help getting to and from your treatment appointments, the American Cancer Society can help! Contact the American Cancer Society at 1-800-227-2345 and request a ride with the Road to Recovery program!

OFFERING: January 17, 2010

General - \$ 5,198.00
Designated - \$ 1,970.00
Building Fund - \$ 610.00
Total \$ 7,778.00

LET THE CHURCH RISE TOTAL = \$476,846.23 SERVING TODAY

• Today's Greeters:

Worship I: Terry Hartman Worship II: The Seavers

• Nursery Helpers:

Worship I: Kathy Twerdok Sunday School: Joan Cole & Kathy Twerdok Worship II: Joan Cole & Josh Croup

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• Communion Preparers: Worship I: The Hubers Worship II: Kathi Huber

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY:

• Worship I: 71

• Worship II: <u>144</u>

• Total: 215

WHAT'S UP THIS WEEK January 24th—January 30th

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8:00 Worship I 9:00 Sunday School 10:15 Worship II	6:00 Congregational Care Meeting 6:00 Worship Rehearsal 6:00 Jr. Basketball Game 7:00 Freedom	6:30 Maranatha at Legacy	6:30 Pioneer Club/ YBICs/Legacy	6:00 Jr. High Basketball Game 7:00 Sisterhood Tea at Legacy 8:40 Sr. High Basketball Game	а	re time to encourage shut-in this week: Fran Hilliard 200 Lincoln Ave. Apt. 415 Butler, PA 16001