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North Street News

North Street Christian Church Pastor Bob Huber and Pastor Jeff Miller Church Office 724-282-7700 By faith Moses, when he became of age, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God than to enjoy the passing pleasures of sin, esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt; for he looked to the reward. Hebrews II: 24-26

Today's Message: Moses: A Man Who Said Yes to God

WORSHIP I BEGINS TODAY 8:00 a.m. Sunday Mornings

If you prefer simple and traditional worship, join us on Sunday mornings at 8:00. Along with messages from Pastor Bob and Pastor Jeff, various men of NSCC will preach each month. The Lord's Supper is also remembered each weekly.

The speakers for January are:

January 3 – Pastor Bob Huber; January 10 – Doug Emmett; January 17 – Dave Klutinoty and January 24 – Dennis Muir. There will be one worship on January 31 as it is a fifth Sunday. Worship leaders include Jon Ray, Andy Bilowich and Terry Lutz. Accompanists include Matt Eckert; Jessie McIntyre and Kim Gaiser.

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



CHRISTINA WICK AND KYLE FISHER SERVING THE LORD IN GUATEMALA

Please continue to pray for Christina Wick and Kyle Fisher as they are spending much of their Christmas Break serving in an orphanage in Guatemala. They

are ministering to neglected and abused boys ages 4 – 14. Both Christina and Kyle are students at Waynesburg University. They will return to the U.S. on January 7.

FREEDOM

Living in freedom from the penalty of sin is a reality. Yet the presence and power of sin is also a reality! Do you struggle with ongoing sin? Do you find yourself living under condemnation for past sin experiences? Are you a slave to habitual sinful behavior? Too many broken relationships and hurtful experiences in your life? Ever get depressed because you are oppressed? If so, join us the first, second and third Mondays of each month as we discover TRUE FREEDOM – as promised and prescribed by the God in His Word! Join Pastor Bob each Monday at 7:00 at Legacy 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 II SERMON SERIES BEGINS TODAY MOSES – A Man Who Said YES to God

Pastor Bob will begin a 12-week sermon series today. The series is entitled, Moses: A Man Who Said YES to God. The name Moses brings contrasting thoughts and perhaps even emotions. Moses was a valiant, brave and strong leader. He took steps for a nation that began with his sheer single trust in God – that He would keep His Word as promised. Moses could also be described as being not so secure, reluctant, desirous of knowing the outcome before taking the first step toward obedience kind of guy. Interestingly – Moses, an ordinary man, through it all became an extraordinary leader, because in the end, he said "YES" to God—time and time again. The messages are entitled: A Man Who Said YES to God; God's Providential Hand; Set Aside for God's Use; The Deliverer, part 1 and 2; The Messenger, part 1 and 2; The Leader, part 1 and 2; Facing Failure; Anger's Bitter Fruit; Say Yes.

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 1st 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.

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 the first three Mondays of each month. Eric has a daughter, Amber, and a son, Shane. He also has one grandson, Isaiah. 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.

OPENING SOON: NEWLY REMODELED CHRISTIAN EDUCATION ANNEX!



MEN WHO PRAY-MEETS THE LAST MONDAY EVENING OF EACH MONTH

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

TEACHER FIRED AFTER HER OFFER TO PRAY FOR SICK STUDENT CALLED "BULLYING"

A Christian teacher fears she may never work again after she was sacked for offering to pray for a sick pupil. Olive Jones, 54, said she had been made to feel like a criminal, and claimed that Christians were being persecuted due to 'political correctness'. Mrs. Jones, who taught children not well enough to attend school, said that after she raised the topic of prayer during a visit to a 12-year-old's house, the girl's mother lodged a complaint. Just hours later, said Mrs Jones, her boss told her she would no longer be working for Oak Hill Short Stay School and Tuition Service, in Nailsea, Somerset, Great Britain. She said managers had ruled her comments could be perceived as "bullying." Mrs. Jones had told the girl and her mother that there were people praying for them. She said: "I asked the child if I could pray for her." She looked at her mother, who said, 'We come from a family who do not believe,' "so I did not pray." Mrs. Jones said of her dismissal, "I've been left devastated. I don't know if I will be able to go back to teaching in the same role. It would be very difficult." A spokesman for North Somerset Council, said: "A complaint has been made by a parent. This complaint is being investigated." From Church Leaders Intelligence Report

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES RESUME 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".

ADULTS: Truth Project led by Dennis Muir

CLASS LOCATIONS WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN NEXT WEEK'S NORTH STREET NEWS

NSCC Butler Church League Basketball Games

This week Junior High games will be at 6 p.m. Monday, January 4th and at 6 p.m. Thursday, January 7th.

The **Senior High** games will be at 7:40 p.m. Thursday, January 7th and at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, January 9th.

All games are played at the Cubs Hall at 113 South McKean Street.

Record: Jr. Hi Boys – 2 Wins & 2 Losses; Sr. Hi Boys – 2 Wins & 2 Losses.

Worship I Greeters: Pastor Bob Nursery: Diane Bowman & Kathy Twerdok Communion Prep: The Hubers

Sunday School Nursery: Kathy Twerdok & Joan Cole

SERVING TODAY

Worship II Greeters: The Seavers Nursery: Kelly and Emily Huffman Communion Prep: Kathi Huber

NSCC UPDATE				
Attendance:				
December 20, 2009		186		
December 24, 2009		Full House—Count Not Available		
December 27, 2009		178		
	General	Designated	Building	Total
December 20th	\$5,973.00	\$650.00	\$1,214.00	\$7,252.00
Christmas Eve	\$8,022.31	\$130.00	\$7,642.31	\$8,022.31
December 27th	\$5,060.70	\$2,295.00	\$2,912.00	\$10,267.70

LET THE CHURCH RISE TOTAL TO DATE IS: \$415,110.23

ONE ANOTHER MINISTRY

Helping to Meet the Needs of "ONE ANOTHER"

CAR NEEDED: Paula Bauer is looking for a cheap but dependable vehicle. She has been without a car of her own for about 4 months. If you have or know of a vehicle that may be available, please contact Paula Bauer.

VAN NEEDED: The Guzman family is looking for cheap dependable transportation. Needs to seat 7. Contact Pastor Bob if you have a lead on a vehicle for the Guzman's.

BOYS CLOTHES AVAILABLE : Becky Harris has some Boys Clothing (size 12 months) available for someone who needs them. Contact Becky in you know of a need.

OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2010

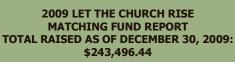
Offering envelopes for the new year are available on the table at the rear of the auditorium. The envelopes are not numbered, therefore the boxes are not labeled with the names of givers.

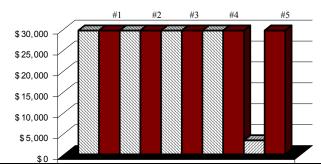
Chank Your My family and I would like to thank our family at North Street for the gifts and prayers that have been given to us since the passing of our dear sweet Wife, Mother and Gravvy, Chervyl Martin. We love you all!

Donley Martin and Family

2010 GREETERS AND COMMUNION PREPARERS NEEDED

We are putting together the 2010 roster of greeters and communion preparers. 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.





WHAT'S UP THIS WEEK January 3rd—January 9th Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Take time to encourage a shut-in this week:: 8:00 Worship I 6:00 Jr. Basketball 6:00 Jr. Basketball 5:00 Community Dinner 6:30 Maranatha at 9:00 Sunday School Game 7:00 Sr. Basketball Game Leoacv Game William Eicholtz 6:00 Worship 6:30 Elders Meeting 10:15 Worship II 7:40 Sr. Basketball 133 S. Duffy Rd. Rehearsal in the Library Game Butler, PA 16001 **7:00** Freedom

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