# North Street News

North Street Christian Church Pastor Bob Huber and Pastor Jeff Miller Church Office 724-282-7700 And they said to one another, "Did not our heart burn within us while He talked with us on the road, and while He opened the Scriptures to us?" Luke 24:32

#### Message: Tending the Fire of Your Heart—Anybody Can Buy Religion



### TENDING THE FIRE OF YOUR HEART Summer Sermon Series

Concerning two followers of Jesus on the Road to Emmaus following Jesus post-resurrection appearance to them, the Scripture says, "And they said to one another, "Did not our heart burn within us while He talked with us on the road, and while He opened the Scriptures to us?" (Luke 24:32)

A fire in your heart is a Scriptural concept. Fires need tending – if they are to burn steady. Throughout the summer of 2010 Pastor Bob will be presenting a new sermon series entitled, TENDING THE FIRE OF YOUR HEART. The series will focus on the pure, personal, spiritual fervor in the life of a true believer.

Observation says that too often Christians like us are *running to and* fro chasing after every new wind found in evangelicalism. On with the next new trend, on to the next conference, reading the next Christian book with extraordinary claims! When that becomes the mode of operation, we can go from a bon fire to a flicker – in a short season, even in a moment's time. We spiritually become a mile wide and an inch deep!

The goal of the series is to settle our spirits to find the slow holy burn of knowing God assuredly. Sermon titles are: Anybody Can Buy Religion, Up On God's Altar, A Slow Holy Burn, In Relationship With God, The Fire of God In You and Staying Close to the Fire. Join us at either the 8:00 Chapel Hour or the 10:15 Gathering for Worship for Tending the Fire of Your Heart.

### NORTH STREET MEN'S BREAKFAST THIS SATURDAY JUNE 19 at 8:00 a.m.

All men and boys of NSCC are encouraged to this month's Men's Breakfast. Those present will enjoy a good home cooked hot breakfast and a great time of fellowship. Pastor Bob is this month's speaker and he will speak about The spirit of A Man. The message will address the real man inside. Proverbs 20:27 says, "The spirit of a man is the lamp of the LORD, searching all the inner depths of his heart." And Romans 8:16 says, "The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children." North Street Men's Breakfasts are held the third Saturday of each month. SIGN UP TODAY at the Welcome Center in the Christian Education Annex or see PB.

### SISTERHOOD OUTING June 24th 10 a.m

Ladies,

Summer is finally arriving. We have an activity planned for Thursday, June 24, 2010 at 10 a.m.— an outing at Moraine. A day of relaxing and enjoying the great outdoors.

We would like to invite you to join us for a day of summer fun. Bring the kids, a picnic lunch, your relaxing duds, swim suit, outdoor games, and lawn chair or blanket to the North Shore of Moraine. We'll relax, visit, play, have a devotion, swim and have a picnic as we enjoy God's creation. More details will follow.

## TEAM THAILAND DEPARTS MINISTERING IN NORTHERN THAILAND JUNE 9 – 22

The team got off without a hitch on Wednesday June 9 at 12:30 from the Pittsburgh International Airport! Carl's and Andrea's passports both arrived on Monday! The group met at Legacy for a group huddle and devotions before departing for the airport. They were encouraged to let their mission adventure begin the second they walked out the door – not simply striving toward their destination but enjoying the journey – meeting every divine appointment with



joy. Upon departure they were smiling, happy and pumped up – ready to travel and serve the Lord with gladness! Arrival in Chiang Mai was/is Friday morning at 9:20! (That would be Thursday evening at 10:20 our time.) An update will be shared during both Chapel Hour and The Gathering for Worship at 10:15.

Group members are: Lauren Baker, Andrea and Tyler Cranmer, Carl Divers, Kathi Huber, Toby King, and Ryan McIntyre.

#### LADIES BIBLE STUDY — "LOVING WELL" — BY BETH MOORE June 2010

Are you loving well? Some people are a joy to love, some are difficult to love, and we all have to deal with some people who are humanly impossible to love. In all those relationships one truth endures: We will never be able to love others well until we have been loved well. And only God can ultimately give us the complete love we so desperately need.

Ladies please join Sam Tait on Tuesday mornings in June at 9:30 at the Legacy House for Beth Moore's DVDS Bible study "Loving Well."

Please see Sam Tait with any questions you may have about the study.

#### **HELP WANTED!!**

Aide for Shepherd of My Heart Preschool

An opening is available for the position of preschool aide for Shepherd of My Heart Preschool three days a week, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. If you have a heart for children and are interested, applications are available at the Welcome Center. For more information, contact Pastor Jeff at 724-282-7700.

#### NSCC TEEN CAMP-OUT July 1st—July 5th

### **BECOMING LESS**



Discover the adventure that awaits you at this year's NSCC Teen Camp-Out. The primary goal is to share the word of Jesus Christ to non-believers and to grow the faith of believers as we experience the beauty of God's creation. We encourage all teens, 7th graders through 12th (and just graduated) to be a part of this year's vibrant ministry. Younger campers may attend with PARENT supervision.

Activities include a canoe trip at Cook's Forest, swimming, fishing, fireworks at Grove City, movies on campus, volleyball, and games. Devotions will be led by "Becoming Less".

The NCSS Teen Camp-Out this year will be held over the 4th of July weekend. In the past Christian Ed as well as private sponsors have funded this ministry. I am calling out to my family for help. Every year we have six or so kids that can not pay the camp fee, so I am looking for six people to give \$55. dollars to sponsor a kid. We additionally

need funds to rent the camp (\$675.), Buy food (\$300), and funds to do the adventures. Thank you to all who have volunteered helped in the past, and all who have volunteered already to help out this year. Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center in the Christian Education Annex. We also thank those who have already made donations.

In Him, Terry Hartman



#### TEAM MEXICO UPDATE

Sponsors Needed for Remaining 57 Square Feet /\$25 Per Sq Ft

In just one month, TEAM MEXICO will depart for San Antonio, Texas and then onward to Acuna, Mexico. The primary mission is to build an 11x17 house for a poor family. Airline tickets are purchased. The house deposit is made. There are 57 square feet of the 187 sq. ft. house yet to be sponsored. That is a total of \$1425.00! See Pastor Bob with your donation of \$25 per square foot or place a gift in today's offering. If writing a check, make it payable to North Street Christian Church and on the memo line write Mexico House. Thank you for your generosity.

Team Mexico members are Matt Eckert, Michael Schmaldienst, Donald Wiseman, Jon Ray, Bonna Ray, Kathy Twerdok, Toby King, Michelle Cousins, Sherry O'Donnell, Ariana O'Donnell, Charity O'Donnell, Eric Wick, Kim Wick, Christina Wick, Kyle Fisher, Tyler Cranmer, Austin (Cowboy) Cranmer and Bridget Pierce.

#### **Sunday Morning Worship at NSCC - What to Expect -**

8:00 - Chapel Hour is designed to be simple and traditional. During this time of worship it is typical to sing traditional hymns led by a worship leader with accompaniment on the piano or keyboard. On occasion a new song or chorus may be sung and other instruments may be used. The Lord's Supper is served weekly and the offering is received. Chapel Hour lasts approximately fifty-five minutes.

10:15 - The Gathering for Worship strives to lead worshipers in authentic, whole-hearted praise of the Lord. The songs which are chosen are meant to invite worshipers to enter into His presence in spirit and in truth. Various music styles and instruments are used. The serving of the Lord's Supper and the receiving of the offering is included. The Gathering for Worship lasts approximately ninety minutes.

**Preaching At NSCC** – At NSCC we believe that the Bible is worth preaching. A fundamental goal in our preaching is to *let the Word speak*. The exposition of the Scripture is held high. Preaching primarily focuses on the developed sermon series of our pastors which typically last from three to twelve weeks. Even in topical series, the goal is to *say what the Bible says*. The sermon series are designed to be substantial, and faith-building. The avoidance of devotional flimsiness is evident in the preaching and development of the sermon series at NSCC.

| ATTENDANCE: June 6, 2010      | NDANCE: June 6, 2010 OFFERING: June 6, 2010 |                  | OFFERING: May 30, 2010 |                  |
|-------------------------------|---|------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| Chapel Hour 62                | General -                                   | \$ 4,247.00      | General -              | \$5,371.47       |
| The Gathering for Worship 139 | Designated -                                | \$ 960.00        | Designated -           | \$ 140.00        |
| Total 201                     | Building Fund -                             | <u>\$ 170.00</u> | Building Fund -        | <u>\$ 685.00</u> |
| 10001 201                     | Total                                       | \$ 5.377.00      | Total                  | \$6,196.47       |

#### **SERVING TODAY**

TODAY'S GREETERS: NURSERY HELPERS:

The Gathering for Worship: Chapel Hour: Jessy McIntyre Sunday School: Kathy Twerdok

The Gathering for Worship: Kathy Twerdok & Tyler Smith

Chapel Hour: Kathy Seaver

The Gathering for Worship: Debbie Croup

Saturday

8:00 Men's Breakfast

5:00 Community Meal

#### WHAT'S UP THIS WEEK June 13-June 19 Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday 6:00 Worship Rehearsal 6:30 Board Meeting **CHURCH OFFICE IS** 8:00 Chapel Hour 6:15 Softball Game-Field 1 9:00 Sunday School **7:00** Freedom 8:00 Elders Meeting CLOSED 10:15 The Gathering for Take time to encourage a shut-in today: Worship Marilyn Snyder 120 Weswood Manor

THE NEXT MEN'S BREAKFAST IS JUNE 19TH AT 8:00—CHURCH DINING ROOM Pastor Bob will share a message entitled: "The spirit of A Man".

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