

December 1, 2013

NORTH STREET NEWS

We say WELCOME to North Street Christian Church and invite you to join us in sincere worship unto God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Our coming together on the first day of the week is an ancient tradition begun by the earliest Christians as they gathered together dedicating time for prayer, for fellowship, for proclamation and for participation in the Lord's Supper. All of this was and is because JESUS CHRIST rose from the dead and ascended into Heaven. As we await His return, we gather weekly to worship Him as Savior/Lord.

TODAY :
*Experiencing God's Faithfulness/
 Galatians 4:4*

THE CHRISTMAS EXPERIENCE SERMON SERIES STARTS TODAY! SMALL GROUP STUDY OPTIONS

The Christmas Experience is a series of six messages and small group video studies that examine the Christmas Story in detail. In each segment, the life of a person from the Bible is magnified, displaying just how God used him/her for His own specific purposes. Those participating in The Christmas Experience study will also be able to also find themselves in the Christmas Story, as they learn that what happened then changes everything now!

If you want to take our Christmas sermon series a step further – you have the opportunity to meet with a few other believers to go deeper into God's Word. The six Christmas Experience studies focus on God's TIMING, God's FAVOR, Our FAITHFULNESS, Christ's HUMILITY, Our GREAT JOY and God's SOVEREIGN LOVE.

SO HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO GO DEEP – just show up or give a shout to your group leader. The groups are as follows:
 SUNDAYS at 7:00 p.m. beginning DECEMBER 1 – John and Donna McIntyre/863 Evans City Road/724-234-4100
 TUESDAYS at 7:00 p.m. beginning DECEMBER 3 – Dave and Terri Klutinoty/1060 Whitestown Road/724-789-9758
 FRIDAYS at 6:00 p.m. beginning DECEMBER 6 – Bob and Kathi Huber/Legacy Ministry House at 232 West North Street/724-841-5808 or 724-285-5315



- December 8 - Experiencing God's Favor/Luke 1:26-38
- December 15 - Experiencing God's Peace/Matthew 1:18-25
- December 22 - Experiencing God's Plan and Purpose/Luke 2:1-7
- December 24 - Experiencing God's Joy/Luke 2:8-10
- December 29 - Experiencing God's Love/John 1:1-14



NORTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH SR. FELLOWSHIP

Invites YOU and YOUR GUEST to our "THANKCHRIST" Luncheon.
That's our Get Together Between THANKSgiving and CHRISTmas.
Wednesday, December 11th at Noon
Come and Join us for a Holiday Turkey & Ham Feast
For Reservations Call 724-282-7700 by December 9th

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE for LADIES at LEGACY HOUSE

 **Hot Soup & Snacks,
 Homemade Desserts,
 Good Company! Friday, December 13
 12:00 - 4:00** 

<u>Sunday 1</u>	<u>Monday 2</u>	<u>Tuesday 3</u>	<u>Wednesday 4</u>	<u>Thursday 5</u>	<u>Friday 6</u>	<u>Saturday 7</u>
8:00 Chapel Hour 9:00 Sunday School 10:15 The Gathering 7:00 The CHRISTmas Experience at McIntyres	6:00 Worship Team Rehearsal 7:00 Freedom	7:00 The CHRISTmas Experience at Klutinoty's	6:00 Children's Ministry 6:30 Youth Group	6:30 Y. A. G.	6:00 The CHIRSTmas Experience at Legacy	

Y.A.G.

This year for thanksgiving our Y.A.G family got to share a meal together here at North Street. I love sitting down for a holiday meal with family. When we eat good and enjoy each others company it sparks thoughts of all I have to be grateful for. If you are in your 20s and you haven't checked out Thursday nights, you need to. It's a blessing to see young adults who want to better understand who Jesus is.

Y.A.G --- Thursday nights 6:30 God >Everything



Y.A.G. Schedule
Thursday Dec. 5 Bible Study
Thursday Dec. 12 Bible Study
Thursday Dec. 19
Epic Christmas Party
Thursday Dec. 26
Post Christmas nap, no YAG

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS

Our Children's Ministry for kids K- 6th grade meets on Wednesdays from 6:00 -7:30. The Children's Ministry schedule for December is as follows:

December 4 – BOY NIGHT/GIRL NIGHT

December 11 – LESSON BY MR DAVE KLUTINOTY

December 18 – PAJAMA NIGHT – Christmas Stories by Grandma Miller

December 25 – Christmas Break

TWO REMINDERS: 1.) Practice for our special Christmas song for Christmas Eve begins this week! 2.) There is a parent's meeting at 5:15 this Wednesday, December 4. During the meeting Paul Throm will show a movie and serve a pizza supper to the kids while their parents are in the meeting.



NSCC Youth

CHRISTmas, the most wonderful time of the year!

Dec 4th - Christmas Lesson

Dec 11th - Christmas Lesson

Dec 18th - Christmas Party

Dec 25th - No youth group, Christmas Day



Serving Today

Chapel Hour at 8:00

Communion Preparation:

Kim Gaiser

Greeter:

Joan Cole

Nursery:

Kathy Twerdok

Sunday School at 9:00

Nursery:

Kathy Twerdok & Joan Cole

The Gathering at 10:15

Communion Preparation:

The Huber's

Greeter:

The Convery's

Nursery:

Joan Cole & Michelle Cousins

Children's Church:

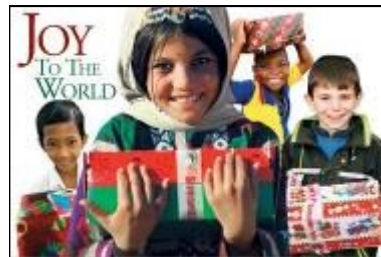
During The Gathering at 10:15

Room 303-305

Ages 4yrs - 2nd Grade

CHRISTmas Shoebox Success!

We want to say "THANK YOU" to everyone who prepared Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes. On Sunday, November 24 we prayed over them and for the children who will eventually receive them – thank you Lyric for voicing the prayer for us! We thank everyone who donated funds to ship the boxes prepared by our Children's Ministry. We thank Bridget for heading it all up and for delivering the boxes to the distribution site on Monday, November 25. In total the people of North Street Church donated 116 boxes and over \$450.00 in additional help to ship the boxes. It was a CARLOAD for sure!



Offering Report

General	\$ 4,870.38
Designated	<u>\$ 5,507.00</u>
Total	\$10,377.38
Building Fund Total	\$ 217,580.41