

NORTH STREET NEWS

We are happy that YOU have joined us for worship here at North Street Christian Church. We are a "Bible kind of Church and a Jesus kind of people" - at least that's what someone said about us recently. Our goals are to keep it real in worship and to be genuine in our everyday faith walk. We have an adopted saying - it is "love God, love people" and we got that from Jesus' answer when He was asked about the greatest commandment. We strive to live it out! Hey, "THANKS FOR COMING TODAY!"

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Family Dedication - Today at The Gathering for Worship at 10:15

The following children and their families will be recognized by the fellowship of NSCC this morning: **Jadyn Grace Tack**, daughter of Ashley and Josh Sherman, born on November 9, 2012; **Noah William Eckert**, son of Matt and Lacey Eckert, born on August 11, 2013; and **Jackson Anthony Blumling**, son of Anthony and Jessica Blumling, born on August 23, 2013.

Please join us in prayer for these children and the families.

What are parents committing themselves to during Family Dedication?

There are five crucial commitments that you as a parent must make in order to raise your children up to love the Lord:

- *The Commitment of STEWARDSHIP* - Psalm 127:3 - Your children are a gift from God and an opportunity for God to reveal himself and his grace to a fallen world.
- *The Commitment of DEDICATION* - I Samuel 1:28 - As parents, are you willing to encourage your child to find their primary identity as a child of God and not of your earthly family? Do you view your children as belonging to the Lord?
- *The Commitment of LEADERSHIP* - Exodus 20:12 - Parents are called the primary disciplers in their home. Do you teach and model for your children how to grow in their relationship with God?
- *The Commitment of MARRIAGE* - Matthew 19:4-6 - Is the husband/wife covenant seen as the primary earthly priority in the home? Do you commit to honor and protect your marriage?
- *The Commitment of help from the CHURCH* - Hebrews 10:24, 25 - The church is not the primary teacher of God's word to your children, but we are here to help. Are you plugged into the church community and are you pursuing relationships which will give you advice, encouragement, correction and love?

What this dedication does not accomplish?

- Salvation of your children - Salvation is only through faith which leads to obedience, (Ephesians 2:8-9) and must be chosen by your child for himself/herself. Baptism of your child- Scripture is clear that the waters of baptism are only for those who have already chosen to place their faith in Christ.



Jadyn Grace Tack



Noah William Eckert



Jackson Anthony Blumling

SR CITIZEN NEWS Oil Creek and Titusville Railroad Trip Thursday, October 17



The Senior Fellowship of NSCC will head to Titusville, Pa. on Thursday, October 17 departing NSCC at 9:00 a.m. The group will board the Oil Creek and Titusville Railroad Line at 11:00 for a three-hour fall foliage round trip tour from the Perry Street Station to Rynd Farm and back. Tickets are \$15.00 per person for the train ride. We will enjoy an early dinner in Franklin, PA. as we travel back to Butler. See Kathi Huber for more info.



CONGREGATIONAL CARE AND FELLOWSHIP

There will be a CCF meeting on October 8 @ 6:30pm in the library. If at all possible please plan to attend as we will evaluate this past years activities and look ahead to 2014. Thanks and see you there, Doug Emmett.

FALL WOMAN'S RETREAT

A fall woman's retreat will be held on Saturday, October 26th from 9:30 - 2:30 at North Street Christian Church. Join us for a time of relaxation, reflection and renewal. Lunch will be served! Please R.S.V.P by October 23rd. Contact Diana Bowman to sign-up at 724-287-7345, or call the church office at 724-282-7700



Sunday 6 9:00 Sunday School 10:15 The Gathering	Monday 7 6:00 Worship Team Rehearsal 6:30 End Times In Chronological Order 7:00 Freedom	Tuesday 8 6:30 CCF Meeting in the Library	Wednesday 9 6:00 Children's Ministry 6:30 Youth Group	Thursday 10 7:00 Young Adult Group	Friday 11	Saturday 12 5:00 Community Meal
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*ALL FOOD and DRINK is limited to the kitchen and dining areas of our facilities. Thank you for your cooperation.

YAG

The young adults group is officially underway. We will be starting a series this week called "The New Rules for Love, Sex and dating." There will be four video lessons and four discussion based lessons that go along with this series. If you know anyone in there 20s you are going to want to get them involved in this group.



Wed Night Youth Group

WEDNESDAY NIGHT - 6:30 - 8:00

At the LEGACY
GRADES 7-12

If you are in high school this is the group for you. Come get involved on Wednesday nights. We will eat together once a month, have fun costume nights, play games and most importantly begin to understand Gods Word.

See ya on Wednesday!

THE WORD and LIFE CHANGE

Dwight L Moody said, "The Scriptures were not given to increase our knowledge but to change our lives." Anyone who has ever spent much time in a serious intake of the Word of God would testify that it has the ability to speak as if it were written yesterday and with it comes some sort of transformational power. Now the writer of Hebrews says this about it, "For the word of God is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart." (Hebrews 4:12,13) I want to encourage you, Christian friend, (brand new or age old) to make the effort to have a steady intake of the Word of God. WE NEED GOD'S VOICE IN OUR LIVES EVERYDAY! Let Him speak to you as you hear, read, study, memorize and meditate upon the Bible, God's Word for everyday living.

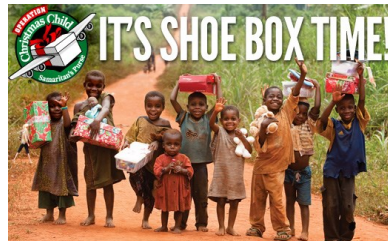
-- Pastor Bob

"The greatest use of my life is to spend it on things (people) that will outlast me. It is better to begin each day thinking victory, and not defeat; to awake to grace, not shame."

Roy E.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Christmas is only 81 days away! If you plan to fill some boxes for Samaritan's Purse, NOW is a good time to begin shopping for the supplies you will need. Flyers and "How to pack your boxes" will be handed out and available today. Christmas boxes will be received on Sunday, November 24 - now that's only 50 days away! Check out the entire ministry at www.samaritanaspurse.org/



FREE - 3 four-drawer file cabinets
call Bob Seaver at
Church Office -
724-282-7700

Sermon Series

October/November

THE CHURCH ON DISPLAY

Taking a Look at the Book of Titus

October 6 - The Big Idea of the Church

October 13 - The People Out Front

October 20 - The People in the Pew

October - 27 The Message We Deliver

November 3 -Practicing What We Preach

MEETING ONE ANOTHER'S NEEDS

Wanted: Rental Home (up to \$600 per month) for a family of 4 with a dog. Family is presently living in a tent. Also an inexpensive automobile is needed. Contact Rose Craig at 724-285-6135.

Wanted: Cheap Car. Contact Caleb Craig at 724-285-6135

Free: Two older type TV's. Also lots of VHS kids movies. See Kathi Huber.

THANK-YOU!

Thank - You for making my Birthday so special with all your cards, notes and phone calls, visits and most of all your prayers. In Christian Love, Mary Stevenson P.S. Thank you Pastor Bob for your kindness to me always. Sincerely, Mary

Serving Today

Chapel Hour at 8:00

Communion Preparation:

Dawna Rhodaberger

Greeter:

The McIntyre's

Nursery:

Kathy Twerdok

Sunday School at 9:00

Nursery:

Kathy Twerdok & Joan Cole

The Gathering at 10:15

Communion Preparation:

The King's

Greeter:

The King's

Nursery:

Joan Cole & Kathy Twerdok

Children's Church:

During The Gathering at 10:15

Room 303-305

Ages 4yrs - 2nd Grade



Basketball Begins

Practice Starts *October 19th* at Family First Resource Center

Boy's 10:00 a.m.

Girl's 1:00 p.m.

Any Question Call: Dave Klutinoty at 724-789-9758 or Jim Riemer at 724-290-1229



"BLANKET BOX/HOMELESS MISSION" - LIST OF ITEMS NEEDED:

Donations can be dropped off in the Welcome Center on Sunday mornings in the Bins marked "Blanket Box Donations" **Deadline for Donations: October 13th**

Bibles	Snack Crackers	Hand and Feet Warmers
Blankets (twin or full)	Single Roll Toilet Paper	Snack Crackers
Socks (men & women)	Deodorant	Small packs of Kleenex
Gloves (men & women)	Hats & Scarves	Wash Clothes
Combs	Shaving Cream	Bars of Soap
Long Underwear	Shampoo	

Women's Personal Care Products Disposable Razors(men & women)

~Travel Pillows: looking for material/stuffing donations to give to the lady at the VNA who will make them (travel pillows can also be purchased)

~Monetary Donations for the "BLANKET BOX/HOMELESS MISSION" will also be accepted. If making monetary donations, please put donation in the offering plate marked specifically for that need. **"BLANKET BOX" PACKING DAY - OCT 20TH"** Anyone interested in packing boxes--- PLEASE COME to the Dining Room after The Gathering for Worship at 10:15.

Offering Report

General	\$4,160.38
Designated	\$ 668.00
Total	\$ 4,828.38
Building Fund Total	\$ 218,276.13