

North Street News

WE WELCOME YOU to North Street Christian Church, a Bible church dedicated to the promotion of the Good News of Jesus Christ. We strive to faithfully deliver the life-changing message of the Bible and we work to be a Godly influence in our community. The great confession that Jesus is the Christ, the great commission to go and make disciples, the great commandment to love God and love people and the great promise of Christ's second coming all work together to keep us vertically and horizontally focused in our lives and ministry. Thanks for joining us for worship today!

NEWS FROM THE PULPIT

The Easter Sermon Series, CRUX, concludes this Sunday April 27 with a message entitled, The Crossroads of God's Divine Love. Sermons in May are as follows:

May 4 - The Strong Man's House

May 18 - A House of Prayer for All Nations

May 11 - Our Jewish Roots - Jeff Kipp

May 25 - You Shall Be My Witnesses

~Andy Bilowich will preach on Sunday June 1 and Pastor Jake will preach on June 8 as Pastor Bob will be on vacation.

Easter Sunday Baptisms

On Easter Sunday at NSCC, four believers were baptized at North Street Christian Church. During the 6:45 Sunrise Worship, Mike Payne was baptized by Pastor Bob. At the Resurrection Worship at 10:15, Joshua Croup, Diamond Brown and Terry Horniacek were baptized by Pastor Jake. Praise the Lord and celebrate great joy in the obedience of these brothers and sisters in the Lord!



Mike Payne



Josh Croup



Diamond Brown



Terry Horniacek



ABOUT A MILE

Easter Sunday 2014 was a great day here at North Street Christian Church. We celebrated the resurrection of Jesus Christ with two gatherings for worship, Sunday School and a superb Easter morning breakfast. One great blessing of the day was to have About A Mile with us as Adam, Levi, and Luke led us in worship of Jesus Christ, Our Savior and Lord of All! We served over 150 people for breakfast, lots of visitor packets were distributed, and over 325 people worshiped with us and it was all for HIS GLORY!

THANK YOU EASTER SUNDAY MINISTRY WORKERS

We say thanks to everyone who helped in any way as we prepared and celebrated Easter Sunday at North Street Christian Church. We thank our shepherd/overseers who shared the Seven Last Words on Friday evening. We thank our Community Meal workers who served a meal to the community on Saturday evening. We thank our greeters and ushers, we thank our kitchen crew, tech crew, and About A Mile Band. We thank Pastor Jake and Ryan Mc for the new video announcements. We thank everyone who works behind the scenes and those who work on the visible end of things. If you reading this - THANK YOU TOO! Have a happy day in Jesus!

WELCOME PASTOR JEFF KIPP OF CHOSEN PEOPLE MINISTRIES

NSCC will welcome Pastor Jeff Kipp of Chosen People Ministries on Sunday, May 11. He will preach a message entitled, **Our Jewish Roots**. Pastor Jeff Kipp, as a young, long-haired, Jewish hippie, met Jesus through the ministry of Dr. Michael Silverburg in Taos, New Mexico. Both were fellow Jews and fellow New Yorkers! Come and hear more about his spiritual journey and invite your friends



and family to come along. Chosen People Ministries was founded in 1894 by Hungarian Rabbi Leopold Cohn, who came to believe that Jesus is the Messiah of Israel! From those humble beginnings in Brooklyn, New York, the ministry has grown to become worldwide with an unwavering commitment in bringing the gospel message of salvation in Jesus "to the Jew first and to the Gentile."



- Sunday, April 27**
8:00 Chapel Hour
9:00 Sunday School
10:15 The Worship Gathering
- Monday, April 28**
10:00 Sacred Secrets in Rm 102
6:00 Worship Rehearsal
7:00 Freedom at Legacy Ministry House
- Tuesday, April 29**
7:00 Bible Study at Klutinoty's, 1060 Whitestown Rd
- Wednesday, April 30**
6:30 Youth Group -at Legacy Ministry House
- Thursday, May 1**
6:30 Young Adult Group at Legacy Ministry House
- Friday May 2**
- Saturday May 3**



YAG is continuing to grow on Thursday nights. We are growing closer as a group and closer to Jesus. In just a week or 2 we will be finishing up our series on Ephesians 6. It has been a challenging and convicting series. Do not fear, for God's Word is full of information to study. We will be moving on to a new series very soon and continuing to study God's word weekly on Thursday nights. See ya at YAG!

YOUTH GROUP

Have you ever wondered why there are different languages in the world? I mean if everyone came from the 8 people on the ark that all spoke the same language what happened? This is exactly what we are learning right now on Wednesday nights. The youth are looking at the confusion that God put on the people of earth. We will look at why, when and the outcome of this chaotic piece of history. However, the confusing will be followed up with Christ and that is a section that no one will want to miss.



Wednesday Night Kids Want To Help

The children are having a Lemon:Aid Sale Sunday May 4 after the 10:15 Gathering. The lemonade will be shared for a donation of \$1.00 per glass. All proceeds go toward helping families with clean water in Africa sponsored through BLOOD:WATER Missions



Population of 14 million people
39% don't have clean water
(that's 2 out of every 5 people!)
In Copperbelt Province,
more than 50% live in shanty compounds
52% don't have access to sanitation
1 in 7 are HIV positive



www.bloodwater.org

WE NEED YOU

A former preschool family Paul & Shannon Thomas can use our help. Two of their children have Duchenne's Muscular Dystrophy, a fatal genetic disorder that causes progressive loss of muscle strength, resulting in loss of mobility. By going on-line registering, and voting for this family we can make a difference by hopefully winning them a wheelchair accessible van for their family. Please go on and vote for Shannon Thomas (she is their mom) <http://www.mobilityawarenessmonth.com>



COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

Our Spring Pie Fundraiser was a success! We appreciate your support of our preschool through this fundraiser and hope that you, your family, and friends have enjoyed their pies! We ordered 51 cases of pies! That comes out to 306 pies and all but 5 of them have been sold! Our total profit, including donations, was approximately \$1278! This means that we exceeded our \$1000 spring fundraising goal! We are so thankful for God's provision.



Wednesday Night Kids News

The Wednesday Night Kids crew will close the school year with two get-togethers in May. On Wednesday, May 7 we will have a KIDS GAME NIGHT with devotions and refreshments. On Wednesday, May 14 we will close out the year with a FAMILY PICNIC! Kids from K - 6th and their families are invited to come and join the fun!

Video Announcements - A New Ministry At NSCC

There is a lot of ministry that goes on at North Street Christian Church. It's exciting to see the love that is spread by this church. We have been blessed with the resources and capability of sharing some of what happens around here through video announcements. Pay attention on Sunday mornings, as we will be incorporating these videos into our worship service. They will be a blessing in keeping everyone informed, and allowing us to use our talents for God's glory. If you have announcements that you would like to be shared with the congregation they will need to be submitted each week by Wednesday evening. You can drop an announcement off at the office by 4 P.M. on Wednesday or Email them directly to jakeklutinoty@gmail.com. The announcements will be approved on Thursday mornings and shown in our service on Sundays. As these videos continue if you would be interested in giving some of the announcements by video see Jake.

LIFE Butler County Serves Low Income Elders in Their Homes

Are you struggling or overwhelmed, trying to work and take care of a parent, spouse or other family member in addition to everything else you have to do? Or, do you know someone who is and you wish you could help? If so, LIFE Butler County may be able to help you! The LIFE Butler County program, a partnership of Lutheran Senior Life and Butler Health System, is a comprehensive health care and supportive services program designed to enhance the ability of frail, low income, older adults to live safely and independently in their homes. Based on an individual's need, LIFE provides primary and specialty care, rehabilitation, adult day services, transportation, medications, medical equipment, home care and much more, all at no cost to the individual or their family. To enroll, a person must be 55 years of age or older and meet certain medical and financial requirements. For more information, please call (724) 287-5433 or visit www.lutheranseniorelife.org/LIFE.

Our Sympathy

North Street Christian Church extends our sympathy to the family and friends of Sara "Ippie" O'Donnell who went home to glory on April 14. Our sympathy is also given to the family and friends of Wilda Groves who left this earth for her heavenly home on Easter Sunday, April 20. We also extend our heartfelt sympathy to Doug and Lisa Emmett and family in the passing from the earthly to the heavenly on Easter Sunday, April 20 of Lisa's sister, Wendy Pingor.

Shut -In
Thomas Bell
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Butler, PA 16001

NEWS SHEET SUBMISSIONS
 ARE DUE EVERY
 WEDNESDAY BY NOON!
 THANKS SO MUCH!

Offering Report

April 20, 2014

General	\$12,487.41
Designated	\$16,241.72
Total	\$28,729.13
Building Fund Total	\$213,670.76

Serving Today

Chapel Hour 8:00

Communion Preparation & Greeters:
The Klutinoty's

Sunday School at 9:00

Nursery:
Kathy Twerdok & Joan Cole

The Gathering 10:15

Communion Preparation & Greeter:
 Jewel Vensel
 Nursery:
Joan Cole & Autumn Pierce

Children's Church:
 During The Gathering
 at 10:15
 Room 303-305
 Ages 4yrs - 2nd Grade