

# NORTH STREET NEWS

October 12, 2014

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 Scriptures 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. Thanks for joining us today!

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## Church Events

### SUNDAY -12

- 8:00 Chapel Hour
- 9:00 Sunday School
- 10:15 The Gathering

### MONDAY -13

- 11 - 2 Light of Life at Legacy
- 6:00 Worship Rehearsal
- 7:00 Freedom

### TUESDAY -14

- 11 - 2 Light of Life at Legacy
- 7:00 Bible Study at Klutinyot's

### WEDNESDAY -15

- 11 - 2 Light of Life at Legacy
- 6:00 Kid's Group
- 6:00 Youth Group

### THURSDAY -16

- 11 - 2 Light of Life at Legacy
- 7:00 Y.A. G.

### FRIDAY -17

- 11 - 2 Light of Life at Legacy

### SATURDAY -18

- 5:00 Community Meal

## Next Sunday, October 19th is Youth Sunday!

Here at North Street we teach *every member ministry*. God has blessed us all with different gifts and talents that should be used to lift others up in edification and for the Glory of our great God. Being raised in the church and in a Godly family I was told over and over again to find my ministry and fulfill it. Paul wrote to Timothy and told him to fulfill his ministry. (2 Timothy 4:5) The call that Paul gives is for more than just Timothy, it's for every believer. Join us next week at 8:00 or 10:15 as the next generation of this church does the work of evangelists. We will be having messages from Ryan McIntyre and Phil Smith who will be preaching for the Glory of our great God. We will also share some poetry and lead in music & prayer. Come experience North Street with the youth at the lead. See ya OCTOBER 19<sup>th</sup>. ~ Pastor Jake

### MISSIONS DEPARTMENT MEETING

The NSCC Missions Department will meet after the Gathering for Worship next Sunday, October 19. We will gather in the Dining Room to enjoy some soup and salad and hold our meeting. Reports and discussion of our missions and missionaries will fulfill our agenda. Missions we support are: **NSCC Outreach** – Light of Life at Legacy, Backpacks for the Homeless, Freedom, Community Meal, Furniture and Household Goods Distribution. **Local Missions** – Pressing On, My Choice Medical Clinic. **National and International** – Trinity International (McAlexanders), Casas Por Cristo (DeWitts), Trinity Gospel Association (Saengsirikhuns), OCI (Mitchells), New Direction (Walls). Throughout the year we also support various Christian ministries and respond to immediate needs as they arise.

### OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

Do your Pastors know you appreciate them? Well now's your chance to let them know! October is PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH, this is when church goers are encouraged to give thanks for their pastors, and leaders. A good way to do this is to send cards, e-mails, text messages, or phone calls to Pastor Bob, and Pastor Jake with words of encouragement and appreciation. Our congregation and fellowship department will be hosting a "Pizza with the Pastors" church luncheon following the 10:15 gathering in the dining room October 26th. We will be serving Pizza (of course), tossed salad, warm brownies & ice cream. There will be a sign up sheet passed around at both gatherings, so make sure you don't miss this opportunity to share love and appreciation with your pastors.

~From Congregational Care & Fellowship Ministry~

### Doing What We Do Sermon Series:

*A Fresh Look at the Mission, Message and Ministry of the Church*

#### October

- 12 - Theology 101: Justification
- 19 - YOUTH SUNDAY
- 26 - Theology 102: Sanctification

#### November

- 2 - Kingdom Thinking
- 9 - Getting Real At Church
- 16 - Doing Life Together
- 23 - The Big Deal About Worship
- 30 - Reaching Our Neighbors and Beyond

### LIGHT OF LIFE COMMUNITY OUTREACH

**Legacy Ministry House** (232 West North Street) is now open Monday – Friday from 11:00 – 2:00! Lonely? Need Christian Fellowship? Need to talk? If so, we invite you to drop-in at Legacy Ministry House to enjoy some time with others and have a donut and some coffee or hot chocolate. **VOLUNTEERS** are needed to come and serve others in the name of Jesus. Future plans include serving lunch each day. If you want to help, please see the Sign Up Sheet on the back table of the auditorium. See Curt or Pam Weichey for more information. For God's Glory!

Jesus said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the LIGHT OF LIFE." -- John 8:12

## YOUTH OF NSCC GRADES 7-12

Wednesday night we will be studying the word of God but the format will look a little different this year. If you are in 7-12th grade you need to be here on Wednesday nights. Don't miss this great opportunity to learn about Christ, build great friendships and have a ton of fun. It's an all new fresh start!

## YOUNG ADULT GROUP (Y.A.G.)

Thursday nights are back into our fall/winter routine. We are starting our lessons at 7:00. You can come early if you want to hang out for a little. We have started into a series through the book of Job. We will be studying it through October and you're not going to want to miss out. If you are in or know someone in their 20s invite them out to the YAG group on Thursday nights.

### BOYS BASKETBALL PRACTICE

Saturday October 25th at 10:00a.m. at the Family First Center. If you are in grades 7th - 12th, come!!! Any questions: call Dave Klutinoty 724-789-9758, or Jim Riemer 724-290-1229

## GAITHER HOMECOMING TOUR 2014

Indiana, PA and Youngstown, OH

We know that there are Bill and Gloria Gaither fans at NSCC. We want to announce that their Gaither Homecoming Tour will be in Indiana, PA at the Kovalchick Complex on November 14 and in Youngstown, OH at the Covelli Centre on November 15. Along with the Gaither Vocal Band are special guests The Isaacs, The Nelons, Charlotte Ritchie and Kevin Williams. You can check it all out at <http://gaither.com/tour/>. If you have an interest in putting together a group for either night, please see Pastor Bob.

### A Good Sermon

S.M. Lockridge (that's Shadrach Meshach Lockridge), pastor of Calvary Baptist Church from 1953 - 1993, San Diego, CA said that a good sermon should do four things:

1. A good sermon should STRETCH YOUR MIND.
2. A good sermon should TAN YOUR HIDE.
3. A good sermon should WARM YOUR HEART.
4. A good sermon should PROVOKE YOUR WILL.

How does the zeal of the flesh reveal itself? Because it's driven by law, it treats people with law. It does not rejoice over them but finds fault, jumps to conclusions, accuses, is argumentative, doesn't listen, gloats when a brother is down, and loves to come out on top. This zeal isn't for God. It's for Self. And it's powerful. It diminishes the future of the church by robbing everyone of beautiful things that might have been. **Ray Ortlund**

## SR FELLOWSHIP HOLIDAY LUNCHEON

The next get-together for the SrCitz Fellowship of NSCC will be held on Wednesday, December 3 at noon in the church dining room. We will have our holiday luncheon between Thanksgiving and Christmas - it's called the ThankChrist Banquet. Besides enjoying a great meal and fellowship, we will be blessed by the ministry and music of Dennis Kovach. Mark your calendar now! All NSCCer's (55+) and their friends are invited to attend. An offering will be received to help with the expenses.

### WOMEN'S MONTHLY BIBLE STUDY

Our study will be on "The many names of God."  
Class will be held at Sue Morrissey's home  
412-614-0542 at 6:30 p.m. October 24th.

### THANK-YOU

My family and I want to thank everyone for all the prayers sent on behalf of my sister. Thank-you for all the cards, words of encouragement and love expressed during this difficult time. Thanks to Pastor Bob for keeping everyone in the loop. The food was delicious and very much appreciated. Thank-you Pam and Curt for delivering it.  
Melody & Family

### LEADERSHIP MEETING

The Leadership Meeting for October will be held on Monday October 20. The Church Board will meet at 7:30 in the Library. An Elders and Pastors meeting will follow.

### Send a Card of Encouragement to:

**Genevieve Chernick 105  
Sunflower Rd  
Butler, PA 16001**

**North Street News  
articles due by  
Wednesday at noon**

**FOOD AND DRINK  
are not permitted beyond  
the Dining Area and Rooms  
102 & 103 with the exception  
of bottled water.**

### Offering Report

October 5, 2014

General \$ 3,374.00  
Designated \$ 1,228.00  
Total \$ 4,602.00

Building Fund  
\$ 230,158.81

### SERVING TODAY

Chapel Hour 8:00  
Communion Preparation:  
The Hartman's  
Greeters: Irene Divers  
Nursery: Kathy Twerdok  
Sunday School 9:00  
Nursery: Kathy Twerdok  
The Gathering 10:15  
Communion Preparation:  
The Petsingers  
Greeters: The Petsingers  
Nursery: Joan Cole &  
Sue Morrissey  
Children's Church:  
During 10:15 Gathering  
Room 303-305  
Ages: 4yrs - 2nd Grade