

North Street News

November 12, 2017

Welcome to North Street Christian Church. We are a Bible church dedicated to sharing 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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Thanksgiving Sermon Series - Because I Am Grateful . . .

Our Thanksgiving sermon series is entitled, "Because I Am Grateful!" Pastor Bob has asked Dave Klutinoty and Dennis Muir to add some variety in style and outlook by sharing in the preaching of the series. Each message will motivate listeners to move gratefulness from simply being heartfelt to becoming actively expressed in life and relationships. The messages are as follows:

November 5 – Because I Am Grateful, I Will Give Praise by Dave Klutinoty

November 12 – Because I Am Grateful, I Will Forgive by Dennis Muir

November 19 – Because I Am Grateful, I Will Give Back by Pastor Bob Huber

Sunday November 19 will be a big day of giving at NSCC. Besides our regular offering we asking everyone to bring their Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes and their LifeChoices Baby Bottles as we venture forth to help these ministries as they help others through this life.



Guest Speaker - Pastor Ashley Stansfield Sunday, November 26

Pastor Ashley Stansfield who hails from Manchester, England and is now the Pastor at Oak Hills Christian Church will be a guest speaker at NSCC on Sunday, November 26. For some time, Ashley felt led of the Lord to minister in the U.S. and doors were opened for that to happen right here in Butler, PA. Ashley is an ordained Baptist minister and an evangelist. He has a huge passion for preaching the gospel and sharing the love of Jesus. He loves to bring the Bible alive in a humorous, relevant and dynamic way. Pastor Bob and Pastor Ashely have become friends and decided to do a pulpit exchange. PB preached at Oak Hills in August and now PAsh will preach here at NSCC.

A Note From Our Stewardship Department

Thank you for your gifts and offerings to and through the ministry of North Street Christian Church. Following is some information you need to know. Our 2017 Budget projected a year to date income (as of October 31) of \$257,990. At the close of the month of October, we have received \$237,244 toward the NSCC Church Budget. That indicates a year to date shortage of income of \$20,746. We have two months to balance the budget by the end of the calendar year. Please prayerfully give to help us meet our projected budget needs. The Scripture says this in Proverbs 3:9-10, "Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the first fruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine. On Sunday November 19, Pastor Bob will preach a message entitled Because I Am Grateful, I Will Give Back (and Pay It Forward). Come and share in the joy of giving!

Community Meals in November

Our Missions Ministry Department will prepare and serve an evening meal to anyone who would like to come for dinner on Saturday, November 11 and Saturday, November 18. The meal is served from 5 to 6 pm and served the 2nd and 3rd Saturday of each month. VOLUNTEERS are always needed. See Dane or Denise Kerr if you would like to volunteer OR just show up about 3:30 and we will put you to work!

NSCC CALENDAR for November 12-November 18

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Saturday
8:00 Chapel Hour 9:00 Sunday School 10:15 The Gathering	10:00 Ladies Bible Study 6:30 Men's Bible Study	11-2 LOLCO 7pm GriefShare 7pm Bible Study at Klutinoty's	11-2 LOLCO 6:00 Pioneer Club 6:15 Youth Group	11-2 LOLCO 10:30 SR CITZ Bible Study 7:00 YAG	5:00 Community Meal

NSCC Men's Ministry News

All men and boys of NSCC and their friends are invited to share in ministry and fellowship through the NSCC Men's Ministry. Men's Bible Study is held on the 2nd and 4th Monday evenings of each month from 6:30 – 7:45 meeting in Room 102. We are studying the Book of I Peter using a workbook entitled, Journey Into Triumphant Living. Bible Study in November will be held on Monday, November 13 and Monday, November 27. We also get together for our Men's Breakfast on the 1st Saturday of each month at 8:00 in the dining room. The next Men's Breakfast will be held on Saturday, December 2.

SR CITZ MINISTRY NEWS

The SR CITZ of NSCC (55+) get together for Bible Study on Thursdays at 10:30 in the Church Dining Room. The present study is of the BEATITUDES and entitled Journey Into Blessed Living. If you are 55+ and would like to study the Word and enjoy some fun fellowship then just come and join us. We also enjoy some great goodies along with our "church grade coffee!" THE SR CITZ HOLIDAY LUNCHEON is scheduled for Wednesday, December 6 at NOON! Gospel Singer Dan Schall will be here to minister from the Word and through Gospel music.

PIONEER CLUB

PARADE FLOAT!- Christmas Parade Preparations are well underway, but there is still lots of time and ways to get involved. If you are interested in walking, passing out candy, setting up, or just would like to donate some items, please sign up in the Sunday School Annex! A list of needed items will be posted in the annex as well. PIONEER CLUB is on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., K - 6th grade. Thank-you, Katie Davidson

Operation Christmas Child



Operation Christmas Child Shoebox is under way here at North Street! Brochures and packing information will be around the church and annex areas if anyone needs more information. Official shoeboxes are available in the church if you would like to use one or two. Grab one for your kids, or for yourself and show the love for the Lord in a tangible way by spreading Christ's love to a needy child somewhere in the world. Please enclose a picture and a short letter in your box. **Shoeboxes are due by November 19.**

Any questions contact George or Bridget Mills at 724-496-3498.



Lifechoices LifeChoice Baby Bottles

This past Sunday, Angela and Marty were here at NSCC from LIFECHOICES ministry to share an annual update and distribute baby bottles to be filled with change, bills and/or a check to help LifeChoices and My Choice Medical Clinics save the lives of the unborn. The Baby Bottle Campaign is the biggest fundraiser of the calendar year for LifeChoices. The ministry has pro-life medical clinics in Indiana, Kittanning and Butler, PA. A new arm of the ministry is called The Inn and is located near Butler. The Inn is a home for women who are with child and find themselves in harsh circumstances or even homeless. HELP US HELP THEM SAVE LIVES! Bring your baby bottles back to NSCC on Sunday, November 19!



Chapel Hour The Gathering

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Lord's Supper **Lord's Supper**

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Nursery Schedule

Chapel Hour
Megan F.

Sunday School

Joan C. & Megan F.

The Gathering for Worship

Joan C. & Megan F.

Offering Report

November 5, 2017

General \$ 4,220.00
Designated \$ 1,248.00
Total Offering \$ 5,468.00
Building Fund \$ 236,058.52

Send a Card

Ken Thompson
104 Concordia Way
Apt. 206
Butler, PA 16001

10 Commandments Monument

In the spring of 2018, NSCC will install a two-sided, polished, black granite monument which will be chiseled with the Ten Commandments and the Two Greatest Commandments on one side and the Beatitudes on the other side. The monument will be over 5 feet tall and 40 inches wide and become the centerpiece of our Church yard. GIFTS ARE BEING RECEIVED to fund this project. The estimated cost is between \$8,000.00 and \$10,000.00. Over \$5000.00 has already been pledged!



CHRISTMAS EVE and NEW YEARS EVE at NSCC

Unbelievably, **Christmas Eve is only 6 WEEKS from TODAY** and **New Year's Eve is only 7 weeks away!** Here's the NSCC schedule for those two Sundays:

Christmas Eve - Sunday, December 24

9:00 Morning Fellowship in the Dining Room
Sunday School for Kids
10:15 The Gathering for Worship
6:30 Christmas Eve Worship

New Year's Eve - Sunday, December 31

9:00 Morning Fellowship in the Dining Room
Sunday School for Kids
10:15 The Gathering For Worship

PASTORS: Bob Huber and Jake Klutinoty

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