

May 14, 2023

Today's Text
1 Peter 2:11-12



HAPPY
Mother's Day



NORTH STREET
CHRISTIAN CHURCH



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Abstain from Fleshly Lusts

“Abstain from fleshly lusts.” Peter has told Christians to abstain from the lusts that wage war against the soul. The instruction to abstain from flesh is something Jesus took very seriously. In Matthew 5, Jesus says that one should gouge their own eye out if it causes them to sin. He says it is better to lose one of your members than to have your whole body thrown into hell. That’s a serious call to war against sin. Christians don’t make peace with sin, they kill it. Jesus’s statement even takes it to the point that those who don’t wage war against sin don’t know God. Christians don’t burn in hell. That’s a fate for non-believers. So one must see how Christ has connected a seriousness about holiness with being His. Abstain from fleshly lusts. If you don’t and are content to live in sin, the stakes are much higher than just death, it’s your eternal soul. That’s why Peter says “abstain from fleshly lust which wage war against the soul.”



V.B.S.

"God Does The Work"

It's time to mark your calendars!
Join us this summer for
Vacation Bible School.
Our theme this year is "God Does The Work."
WHEN: Monday June 19th -
Thursday June 19th.
TIME: 6-8pm
AGE: 4yr olds-5th grade
PLACE: North Street Christian Church
If you are interested in helping, please see or
contact Deanna Klutinoty at 724-487-9570

SUNDAY

9:00 Sunday School
10:00 Worship
HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

MONDAY

10:15 Ladies Bible Study
6:30 Men's Bible Study
7:00 Elders Meeting

TUESDAY

7:30pm Ladies Prayer Meeting (Zoom)
(1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month)

WEDNESDAY

6:30 ROOTED
6:30 Ladies Bible Study

THURSDAY

10:30 Sr. Bible Study
7:00 20' & 30's Bible Study

FRIDAY

7:00 Bible Study Revelation

SATURDAY

5:00 Community Meal
(2nd & 3rd of every month)



PRAYERS FOR AIDEN

Next Sunday please bring an encouraging card for Aiden. Aiden has been undergoing aggressive chemo for pancreatic cancer. The goal is to reduce the tumor and remove his pancreas later this summer. He has been physically and emotionally challenged in the midst of this. Please take some time to build up this little guy and his family. Our Rooted Club is making a mailbox special for Aiden. Please see Michelle Cousins



VIEW OUR
CHURCH DIRECTORY
ON
YOUR MOBILE DEVICE!

Our church directory is a great resource tool to get to know our church family better!

If you are a member of NSCC simply go to the App Store or Google Play, search for *Instant Church Directory* and download the FREE app to begin. You will need to CREATE A LOGIN. If the church does not have your email, or you are having trouble logging into the app, please reach out to Shannon Hartman and give her that info at shannon@northstreetchristianchurch.org



If you would like to tithe to NSCC, there is a very easy way to do that. Just download the Tithe.ly giving App to give online using the app [Tithe.ly](https://www.tithe.ly). Your gift is safe & secure and goes directly to your church. Plus, you'll be able to create an account to track your gifts, setup recurring giving, and more!

NSCC'S COMMUNITY MEAL MINISTRY

Community Meal Ministry reaches out locally by offering a free dinner the second and third Saturday of every month. We need volunteers willing to plan and prepare the meal and others to help serve. Come join us for friendly fellowship while we cook, pray, serve and share the good news of Jesus Christ. To volunteer add your name to the specific section you want to help on the sign up sheet posted on the refrigerator located in the downstairs kitchen. If you have any questions contact Terri Collins by phone at (412) 585-3487 to leave her a voicemail message.

BASIC INFO FOR NSCC

1. Newsletter info needs sent in by Tuesday evenings to ~ shannon@northstreetchristianchurch.org (for Pastor Jake's approval).
2. Prayer needs for the Prayer Sheet need to go to Pastor Jake. Please send requests through Greg's prayer chain formally known as Brother's Keepers/Sisters Helpers or fill out a prayer card & put it in the offering plate.
3. If you would like to receive the newsletter by email, please go to northstreetchristianchurch.org and at the bottom of the page you will see the box to submit your email for the request.
4. Prayer chain needs to be sent to Greg Simpson at 724-496-1924 ~ please send by TEXT ONLY.
5. Find us at northstreetchristianchurch.org, on YouTube at North Street Christian Church, or Facebook at North Street Christian Church.
6. Find the kids club on Facebook at North Street Christian Church Adventure Club
7. If you are filling out a Contribution Envelope ~ PLEASE put your last name on it. If new to the church and we don't have your address/info ~ please fill out that info as well ~
8. Join our ladies prayer meetings from the convenience of your own home with ZOOM. These meetings will take place the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the each month at 7:30 pm. Contact Jennifer Ebaugh at jebaugh@zoominternet.net.