North Street News

North Street Christian Church
Pastor Bob Huber
Summer Youth Ministry Intern - Jake Klutinoty
Church Office 724-282-7700

Do not think that I came to destroy the Law or the Prophets. I did not come to destroy but to fulfill.
Matthew 5:17

MESSAGE: RADICAL- "The Sermon on the Mountainside" - Radical Revelation

BARNABAS SENDS THANKS FROM THAILAND

Thank you very much by your mercy the poor can own a beautiful big Church. These are the latest pictures from Nong Kiew Church building project. God bless you according to his promise In his service Barnabas

REPORT ON HARVEST BIBLE CHAPEL PITTSBURGH NORTH

It has been nearly a year since Jeff resigned from NSCC to join the SR. Pastor training of Harvest Bible Fellowship. On Sunday, September 11th, the Harvest Bible Chapel Pittsburgh North is set to launch! I spent some time with Jeff recently and asked him to give us an update for our news sheet. Here's the official news from PJ:

"It has been quite a roller coaster experience! We have been working hard at getting all of our components in place. The legal stuff is all done, except for the 501c3, which we will be starting the process soon to obtain that. Marshall Middle School in Wexford is where we will start meeting when we launch, shooting for September 11. And currently, we are actively looking for a Worship Pastor. I have been blessed with a Core Group of people, about 36 adults on board, who are praying and preparing for Harvest Bible Chapel Pittsburgh North. This group is also being trained in various ministries to carry out in the church. We are excited about how the Lord will be at work through us to make disciples! Right now our biggest test is finances. We are beginning a Capital Campaign, trying to raise in the neighborhood of $80,000 to get us started. Since we are renting a school auditorium, we are going to need the equipment to make the facility be used as a church. The Capital Campaign is also going to be used for hiring a Worship Pastor and advertising the church launch. As always, the latest information can be found at www.harvestpittsburghnorth.org ."

Let's be praying for Jeff and Erin and the boys and this new congregation! Jeff will be our guest speaker for our Church Picnic on August 14 – (he can practice his launch sermon on us) and we will pray over him that day and of course let's receive a love offering for him in addition to our regular offering that day! AND – it sounds like NOW is the time to bless Harvest Bible Chapel Pittsburgh North with a special gift to help get them started. Give Jeff a call at 724-306-1012 for more information on just how to do that! From PB

RYAN McINTYRE HEADS BACK TO THAILAND

Even before Ryan left Thailand last year, he had no doubt that he would be making another trip back. Now, just a year later, Ryan is heading back to Thailand, along with his uncle, Richard Davis, on Monday, July 11th. During their three week stay, they will be helping out at the Children's Ministry, as well as traveling alongside Barnabas and Ahta to the villages. Please pray for safe travels and for the Lord to work in the lives of all those they come in contact with as well as in their own lives.

ALL CHURCH PICNIC SUNDAY AUGUST 14

Worship at NSCC at 8:00 At the Amphitheatre at 11:00

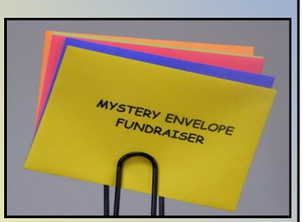
Sunday August 14 is NSCC Picnic Sunday. This year's picnic will be held at Camp Lutherlyn in Prospect PA. Worship will be held in the amphitheater at 11:00 with Jeff Miller as guest speaker. The picnic will follow at the Dogwood Shelter. (NOTE: EARLY MORNING WORSHIP will be held at NSCC at 8:00 for those not planning to attend the picnic. SUNDAY School will not be held.) Lots of activities, including use of the swimming pool, are planned. Meat and dessert will be provided by NSCC. Each family is asked to bring their own place settings and beverage and a dish to share. Sign-up sheets for hot or cold pasta dishes, hot or cold salads, hot or cold vegetable dishes or veggie or fruit trays will be available on Sunday mornings at NSCC beginning Sunday, July 17.

HELP THE YOUTH OF NSCC —MYSTERY ENVELOPE FUNDRAISER—SUMMER YOUTH MINISTRY 2011

BIG EVENTS:
Day Camp at Camp Lutherlyn – August 15-19
Pointfest at Cedar Point – September 17 – features TobyMac, Skillet, Tenth Avenue North, Disciple, Manic Drive and NYC pastor and national Speaker Tom Richter

REGULAR MEETINGS:
Wednesday Night Meetings for Jr and Sr Hi at Legacy
Sunday Afternoon Gatherings for Jr and Sr Hi at Legacy
Worship, Study, Pray, Serve, Grow, Do Life Together!

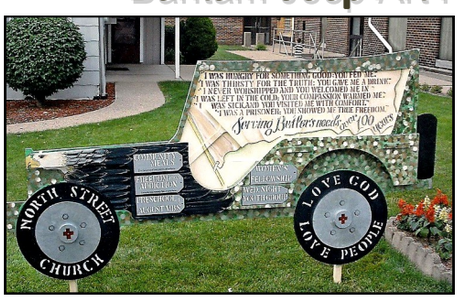
LOCAL ACTIVITIES:
Picnics, parks, ball games, par 3, GAGA COURT – hoping to build one real soon!



YOU CAN HELP – Take a MYSTERY ENVELOPE to DONATE $1.00 to $150.00!
ENVELOPES CAN BE ACQUIRED ON THE TABLE AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH BUILDING

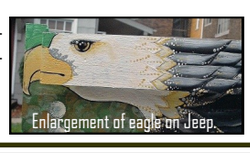
IT'S A BIG DEAL AT NSCC

Bantam Jeep Art Project



NSCC is a participant in the first annual Bantam Jeep Community Art Project. The project is designed to build awareness of the 70th year of the Bantam Jeep and the 1st annual Bantam Jeep Heritage Festival, boost community spirit, promote arts, and raise funds for Butler Downtown promotional efforts. It features 70 wooden models which will be on display at various Butler locations. The NSCC design themes are Christian service and Patriotism. The jeep models will be displayed until Labor Day, September 5th. We would like to thank all those on the brainstorming team headed by Barbara Carson and consisting of Kathy Twerdok, Debbie King, Jewel Vensel, and Kiersten Petsinger. Kiersten and her family took all the ideas and created the finished product. A special thanks goes to Mary Stevenson who was the prayer warrior for the project.

The eagle on the front end of the Jeep is a symbol of God's majesty and strength and the shelter He offers under His wings.


Enlargement of eagle on Jeep.

ONE WORSHIP—FIFTH SUNDAY ON JULY 31ST

July 31st is the 5th Sunday of the month. Not only will we gather for worship in a combined service at 10:15, but we also will have '5th Sunday Fellowship'! Be prepared and watched for more information to follow. Contact Kiersten Petsinger at 724-283-1077 for questions.

FREEDOM MINISTRY MEETS JULY 11TH AT 7:00

Do you struggle with ongoing sin? Live in condemnation instead of freedom? On Monday evenings at 7:00, a group of men and women gather at Legacy Ministry House for words of victory and freedom from the Word and encouragement from each other. YOU are invited to join us! Psalms 119:45 says, *"I will walk about in freedom, for I have sought out your precepts."* This ministry is led by Pastor Bob and Eric Eury.

BOB OGDEN PREACHES JULY 31ST

On Sunday, July 31, the fifth Sunday of the month, there is one service. Bob Ogden has been led to preach on the subject of the indwelling presence of the Holy Spirit in the life of the believer. Romans 8:16,17 says, "*The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, 17 and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.*" Bob's message will teach us that three primary goals of the Spirit in the life of every believer is HOLINESS, SUFFERING and FRUITFULNESS. In relationship with God through the Holy· Spirit these goals are fulfilled through His filling, His testing and His empowering! Jesus said, "*You must be born again.*" When you put your faith and trust in the finished work of Jesus Christ – the Holy Spirit will indwell your life – He is responsible for the spiritual regeneration that takes place.! "*For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body— Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and all were made to drink of one Spirit.*" I Corinthians 12:13 Pray for Bob O as he continues to prepare his heart and his message for July 31.

TEEN ADVENTURE CAMP T.A.C. BLESSING TO OVER 30 TEENS!

Can you believe summer is almost half over? The youth of NSCC are not letting it go by without a fight. The 2011 TEEN ADVENTURE CAMP was our latest attempt to slow down time. We replaced IPhones with canoes, laptops with diving boards, and TVs with a 100 foot slip-n-slide. Sleeping in was replaced with morning devotions, and e-mailing, twittering, and texting sat the bench, to make room for evening chapel, lead by About A Mile. Though great speakers we were challenged and encouraged, as some heard the Gospel for the very first time. Ask a T.A.C camper why you don't "sleep in the bus," "be the first to go to bed," or try to "sleep in." If you missed this years T.A.C, mark your calendars for next year! It takes a great staff to pull it all off, and once again HE made it happen. A BIG thanks to those who helped to made this years camp a blessing to over thirty teens.

SPAGHETTI DINNER TO BENEFIT SKYLAR

Skylar Meredith is a 12-year-old Butler resident recently diagnosed with an inoperable brain tumor. We need volunteers and supplies for a spaghetti dinner fundraiser to be held on July 30th from 2-6 p.m. in the NSCC Dining Room. Items needed are spaghetti, sauce, bread, butter, salad, salad dressing, parmesan cheese, drink mixes, plates, carry-out containers, flat ware, and baked goods for dessert and bake sale. Collection containers are available. Call Michelle Cousins at 724-968-2336 or Tammy King at 724-431-5000 to say what you can do. Thank you.

Softball Scores

Lost 21-8 to St. Peters of Slippery Rock.
They hold first place with a record of 15 wins & 3 losses.
NSCC defeated them twice this year!
Lost record game 8-4
NSCC Record: 10 Wins 8 Losses
2 Games remain—Monday, July 11th against Church of the Nazarene
The team is playing for God's glory!

DAY CAMP 2011

GOLD RUSH
Discovering the Rock of Ages

FREE WEEK OF DAYCAMP
"Gold Rush-Discovering the Rock of Ages"
AUGUST 15-19TH AT CAMP LUTHERLYN
For all kids 6-13 years old
The bus leaves NSCC daily at 9:30 to return to the church at approximately 4:00. Transportation to & from the church can be arranged.

SPONSOR A CHILD

There are several creative ways for the children at (VBS) to take the Bible message home with them. This year we would like to purchase a sing-along CD for each student which will help them remember the main points of the VBS lessons. The cost is $2 per child. Would you prayerfully consider sponsoring a child or even several children in order to help reinforce the Bible lessons long after VBS is over? Please make your check out to **NSCC** and write **"VBS CD"** in the memo.

SERVING TODAY

TODAY'S GREETERS:
Chapel Hour:
The Saelers
The Gathering for Worship:
The Converys

NURSERY HELPERS:
Chapel Hour:
Kathy Twerdok
Sunday School:
Kathy Twerdok & Joan Cole
The Gathering for Worship:
Cammie Horwat & Joan Cole

COMMUNION PREPARATION:
Chapel Hour: The Saelers
The Gathering for Worship:
Michelle Zang
OFFERING REPORT: July 3rd
July 3, 2011

General:	$3,960.00
Designated:	$5,407.00
Building Fund:	$ 175.00
Total:	$9,542.00

BUILDING FUND BALANCE:
$35,550.87
LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE:
160

THIS SURE MAKES A PREACHER'S DAY!

On Monday, July 4, I received an email from a mom of one of our teens. It sure made my day. I have kept the names anonymous. Share in the joy with me—and this grateful mom! PB

"Just thought I would share with you what my daughter is doing this morning. She has been upstairs in her room for a while being very quiet (usually means she is reading or listening to music), so when I called to her and asked, "Whatcha doin'?", she told me that she has been going back through the notes she has been keeping in her Bible from some of your messages. In particular, the one about how to be a Barnabas – and that she was going back and looking up Scriptures and cross-referencing some of the Scriptures listed in her own Bible...then she asked if she could share all of this with me and talk about it! She has also been positively GUSHING about yesterday's message about salt and light, how much she LOOOOOVED it and was also going back through your Scripture references! I'm tearfully and humbly astounded. She always participates in home Bible studies with me, but I have never, to this point, known her to take such initiative this way on her own!! At thirteen years old, and she is REALLY digging in to the Bible this way?? HALLELUJAH! You needed to share in this amazing growth in her...I just couldn't keep such news to myself! Good shepherding, and faithful obedience to unapologetically keep preaching God's Word. Thank you. God is so good. Carried by Christ—A Grateful Mom"

THE VBS KIDS *LOVE* THE CAMP STORE!

Children *earn* plastic gems throughout the week and use them to purchase fun items from the camp store. We are looking for clearance shoppers and bargain hunters to find small items to put in our camp store. This includes clean and lightly used items that are found at yard or garage sales or maybe even in your attic. Examples may include: wrapped penny candy, super balls, Matchbox cars, yo-yos, plastic bracelets, whistles, etc. *A collection box for these items is in the Welcome Center.*

Cedar Point

POINT FEST

Some of the biggest names in Christian music will converge upon Cedar Point on Saturday, September 17 for PointFest! Featuring headliners TobyMac and the band Skillet, this is one Christian-music festival that you do not want to miss! Don't forget - you can also enjoy Cedar Point's 75 rides just next door, including Windseeker, the new 301-foot-tall, nothing-below-your-chair-but-air thrill ride experience. With a group of 20 or more we can get tickets for $35 Sign up sheet is in the back of the auditorium.

SUNDAY SCHOOL — ELEMENTARY GRADES

Preschool thru Kindergarten—Room 202—Located in the Annex next to the Nursery
Grades 1 thru 6—Room 303—Upstairs in the Annex
Kid's Church for Preschool thru Grade 2 during the 10:15 Gathering for Worship
will be meeting in Room 102—Downstairs next to the Library

WELCOME CENTER CLEAN-UP

Please pick up any personal items that may have been left in the Welcome Center. Thank You!

WHAT'S UP THIS WEEK July 10th–July 16th

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8:00 Chapel Hour **9:00** Sunday School **10:15** The Gathering for Worship **6:00** Jr & Sr Hi Youth Meeting	**6:00** Worship Team Rehearsal **7:00** Freedom	**9:30** Ladies Bible Study at Legacy	**6:30** Jr & Sr Hi Youth Meeting	**6:30** Planning Meeting for Skylar Meredith Fund-raiser.		**5:00** Community Meal

Take time this week to encourage :
Sara O'Donnell
106-5 Sunbury Fields Lane
Butler, PA 16001

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
Next Day Camp Meeting July 18th at 6:30 p.m.
For anyone interested in helping-teachers, helpers, etc.

LOVE GOD, LOVE PEOPLE—HERE AND NOW