# North Street News

North Street Christian Church
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*And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever.*
I John 2:17

## YOUTH SUNDAY

Tyler Cranmer

Ryan McIntyre

Today is Youth Sunday at North Street Christian Church. Under the direction of Jacob Klutinoty the Jr and Sr High Youth will lead the worship for 8:00 Chapel Hour and the 10:15 Gathering for Worship. The students will serve as greeters, lead the music, serve the Lord's Supper and receive the offering. Ryan McIntyre and Tyler Cranmer will preach the Word.

## JESSY MC INTYRE DEPARTS FOR THAILAND

On October 1st, I will be flying out of Washington DC - destination: Chiang Mai, Thailand! For 2 ½ months I will be working with Barnabas Saengsirikhun and Trinity International Missions, which is a ministry that was started by the McAlexander family. T.I.M. will be working alongside Barnabas and seeing exactly where the needs are the greatest and how they can be met. Jesse McAlexander and I will be capturing these needs on camera and showing them to people stateside through our blogs, photos, and videos. In return, people will see the results of their giving and exactly how these needs were met. We cannot wait for supporters in the states to feel even more connected with the work that Barnabas is currently doing in Thailand. We will be traveling to the villages to meet with the pastors and people of the Hill Tribes to find out what resources are needed to further spread the Gospel. Also, we will be zeroing in on the children's ministry and hopefully be able to provide them with the necessary supplies. Please keep us in your prayers as we start out on this journey. There is no doubt that God is going to open many new doors and that many lives will be changed.

In Him,
Jessy McIntyre

David also said to Solomon his son, *"Be strong and courageous, and do the work. Do not be afraid or discouraged, for the LORD God, my God, is with you. He will not fail you or forsake you until all the work for the service of the temple of the LORD is finished.* – 1 Chronicles 28:20

## 2011/2012 WEDNESDAY NIGHT CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH MINISTRY BEGINS

The first night of **Faith Weaver Friends** saw 4 vans going out into surrounding neighborhoods picking up children for ministry at NSCC! About 30 children were in attendance with nearly the same number of leaders and helpers! We look forward to filling every van every Wednesday night and lots of children being brought to church by their own families. What a joy! The first night's lesson was God Made the World as each class took time honor God in their Opening Celebration, Games, Surprise Station, Project with a Purpose, Music and Memory and even in Snack-It Café! We thank all of our leaders and helpers.

**Jr. and Sr. Hi Youth Group**

The Jr. and Sr. Hi Youth spent time this past Wednesday preparing for YOUTH SUNDAY and watching part 2 of the Christian film – The End of the Spear as Jake Klutinoty finished his summer lessons about RADICAL Christian living. We look forward to the Legacy Ministry House overflowing with teens from NSCC, their friends and from all around Butler!

## FALL SERMON SERIES—REACHING OTHERS FOR CHRIST: CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED

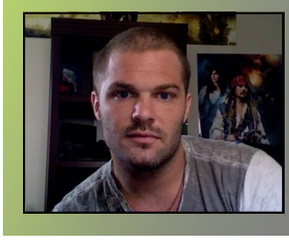
*Includes A Sunday Evening And Thursday Afternoon Discussion Group*

Christianity Explored will give you time to think about the big questions of life, and explore the life of the person at the heart of the Christian faith. In this series, we will go from, "Why are we here?," Is there a God?," What is life all about?," to "Who was Jesus?," Why did He come?," What is involved in following Him?" All of the messages are from the Gospel of Mark.

Christianity Explored is actually an evangelism study and training course developed by Tico Rice of All Souls Church Langham Place in London, England. The sermon series developed by Pastor Bob will follow the lessons of the course. There will be two discussion groups, during the sermon series. Pastor Bob will lead one **on Sunday evenings beginning October 9th, with coffee and dessert, at 6:30** in the Church Dining Room, Bob Ogden will lead another **beginning October 13th on Thursdays from 12:30 to 2:30 Room 303 at the Church**. We will investigate further the claims of Mark's Gospel. This would be a good time for any and all to further investigate Christianity, or just brush up on the basics.

**October 9** – Good News—What Are We Doing Here? Mark 1:1-20
**October 16** – Identity—Who Is Jesus? Mark 4:35-41
**October 23** – Sin—Why Did Jesus Come? Mark 2:1-12
**October 30** – The Cross —Why Did Jesus Die? Mark 8:22-33
**November 6** – Resurrection—Why Did Jesus Rise? Mark 14:27-31/Mark16:6,7/ Mark 1:14,15
**November 20**– Grace—How Can God Accept Us? Mark 10:13-16
**November 27**– Come and Die—What Does It Mean to Follow Jesus? Mark 1:14,15

Jake Klutinoty will be preaching next Sunday, October 2! His message is entitled This Means War! The text of his message is taken from Colossians 3:1-11 and Ephesians 6:10-18.



## UPDATE FROM BARNABAS

Dear Brother Bob,

Lisu brothers gathered and formed a Hosana Gospel Music Team. I am involved in the team for two years. Last weekend we went to Mea Kwan Lisu village and preached, and with many other programs in the service. Dancing and singings also.

This weekend our mission team's September meeting will be in Nong Chiew 22-24. At the same time they will hold thanks giving on 24. Our Chiangmai Church and some other Church will be going there. I thank you very much for your prayers and support. I myself praying for you all and States, and Jerusalem. May God bless you.

In His Service
Barnabas

P.S. A snake in my back-yard killed and they boiled. Maybe many people don't want to see it. →

Our thanks to all who donated glue sticks, magic markers and other teacher friendly surprises for Faith Weaver Friends.

In His Service,
Fi Saeler, Director

*To North Street Christian Church,*

*Thank you for the lovely luncheon provided for our family the day of the service for Jim Klutinoty. What a great blessing and help that was for our family.*

*We especially want to thank all of the wonderful people who provided food, served, and cleaned up the church kitchen and dining room that day. We are all so appreciative of everyone involved.*

*Love,*
*Nancy Klutinoty and Family*

## FIFTH SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP—OCTOBER 30TH

October 30th is a 5th Sunday, therefore, we will have a combined service at 10:15am. There will be no Chapel Hour service at 8:00. Congregational Care and Fellowship is not planning a luncheon for this day as we have several times throughout the year. We do encourage you to take the opportunity to invite a friend to join you for lunch following worship. It's a timely way to deepen, renew, strengthen or start a personal relationship within the body at North Street.

## SENIOR SAINTS FELLOWSHIP TO BEGIN

**Pastor Bob would like to begin meeting with the Senior Saints of NSCC once a month for lunch, prayer and study of the Word. If you are retired or 60+ and interested in getting together for some spiritual encouragement and fellowship, please pick up a registration card in at the greeter's table in the Narthex or contact Pastor Bob. He would like to recruit some core volunteers to help with all of the details concerning food service, supplies, transportation etc. If you are interested in helping to get the Senior Saints Fellowship up and running, please fill out the back side of the same card and drop it in today's offering!**

## SERVING TODAY

**TODAY'S GREETERS:**
**Chapel Hour:**
The Hartmans
**The Gathering for Worship:**
The Emmetts

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

**COMMUNION PREPARATION:**
**Chapel Hour:** The Hartmans
**The Gathering for Worship:**
The Emmetts

**OFFERING REPORT:**
September 18

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| General: | $5,380.20 |
| Designated: | $400.00 |
| Building Fund: | $525.00 |
| **Total:** | $6,305.29 |

**BUILDING FUND BALANCE:**
$32,132.75
**LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE:**
185

## FALL SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE
## SEPTEMBER — NOVEMBER 2011

**Pre-Kindergarten**
Room 202—Located in the Annex next to the Nursery
**Kindergarten**—Room 201
**Grades 1 & 2**—Room 306
**Grades 3 & 4**—Room 301
**Grades 5 & 6**—Room 305

Children's Church
Gathering for Worship at 10:15
Preschool – Grade 2
Room 102

**Junior and Senior High School Students**
At Legacy House

**ADULT ELECTIVES:**

**"10 Choices: A Proven Plan to Change Your Life Forever"**
DVD Study from James MacDonald—Room 102
Taught by George Rader

**Book of Romans—Study Guide from John MacArthur**—In the Library
Taught by Doug Emmett & Chuck Kildoo

**"A Closer Look at Some of Christ's Commands"**—Room 103
Taught by Pastor Bob

## INFANT RECOGNITION SUNDAY
## OCTOBER 2, 2011

*If you have a child or are aware of a child born between October 1, 2010 and October 1, 2011 and would like to participate in a recognition and blessing on October 2, 2011 during 10:15 worship, please notify the church office by September 28h. Supply the child's full name, parents names and a small photo if possible. Photos received will be included on a recognition poster board.*

## Congregational Care and Fellowship Meeting

NOVEMBER 7th at 6:30

In the Church Dining Room

More reminders will be published in the News Sheet as the date gets closer. Thank you for serving and supporting.

Doug Emmett

## Help Needed in Joplin Missouri!

Jon Ray will be going to Joplin, Missouri with a group organized by Tom Hixon from Norwin Christian Church to help with the rebuilding and new construction in Joplin. The date of the trip is November 12th—20th. If you would like to join them, the cost will be about $100 for transportation and $100 for food per week.

For more information or questions, please see Jon or give him a call. 724-283-0797.

## WHAT'S UP THIS WEEK September 25th—October 1st

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| **8:00** Chapel Hour<br>**9:00** Sunday School<br>**10:15** The Gathering for Worship | **7:00** Freedom | **9:30** Ladies Bible Study at Legacy<br>**6:00** Worship Team Rehearsal | **6:30** Jr & Sr Hi Youth Meeting | | | |

**Take time this week to encourage :**
Tom Bell
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**We Welcome Our Visitors — Here at North Street Christian Church There Are No Strangers — Just Friends We Have Not Met.**