

# North Street News

January 28, 2018

Today's Message: When the Great Day of the Lord Arrives

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.



*Today At NSCC*

8:00 Chapel Hour/Nursery Provided

9:00 – Sunday School for Children and Adults/Nursery Provided

10:15 – The Gathering for Worship/Nursery Provided/Children's Church

## **FROM THE PULPIT IN FEBRUARY**

A new four week sermon series entitled The Conversion of A True Believer begins next Sunday, February 4. During the series, Pastor Jake will use Acts 9:1-31 to lead the hearers of the Word to take a deep look into the conversion of one Saul of Damascus. He was known as a great persecutor of the church who then became known as Paul the Apostle, one of the great promoters of the church. Throughout the Sundays in February the vital characteristics of the God-changed life will be examined as each one then is encouraged to take a deep personal look in consideration of living a God-changed life. "Yet Saul grew more and more powerful and baffled the Jews living in Damascus by proving that Jesus is the Christ." Acts 9:22

## **HELP BUILD A HOUSE IN MEXICO**

Get out your tool belt and your boots and join "Team Mexico 2018" to build a house for the poor in Acuna, Mexico. Dennis Muir will be leading our Casas Por Cristo group this year, departing March 24 and returning March 31. Each short-term missionary is responsible to pay his/her own way and contribute toward the building of the house. Resources can be given through personal contributions along with group fundraising events as sponsored by NSCC. Contact Kelly McDeavitt at 724-355-5869 for more information.



Casas por Cristo  
short term missions

## **CASAS POR CRISTO RONI ROLL SALE**

In just 8 weeks, the 2018 NSCC TEAM MEXICO missionaries will be headed to Acuna, Mexico to build a house for a poor family under the direction of Casas Por Cristo. Our group of builders is holding a RONI ROLL FUNDRAISER to help with travel and construction. You can SIGN UP TODAY and GET YOUR RONI ROLLS NEXT SUNDAY, February 4. The cost is \$3.50 each or 4 for \$12.00. Will you help us help others? "I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me." (Matthew 25:40)

## **ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**

The Annual Congregational Meeting to approve church leaders and the church budget is scheduled to be held on **Sunday, February 11** following The Gathering For Worship at 10:15. The meeting will be held in the auditorium and commence about 10 minutes after the close of the worship service.



## **THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY TOWARD FISHBONE MINISTRY**

On Sunday, January 21, David and Ally Gould of Fishbone Ministry were our guests here at NSCC. During our two worship gatherings, they shared a bit about their ministry to children and youth right here in the city of Butler. Following the 10:15 Gathering for Worship a fundraising spaghetti dinner was served by some mission minded folks of NSCC. A total of \$1,211.65 was raised through the benefit for Fishbone Ministry! David and Ally said, "WOW!", when the happy news was shared with them! In addition they send this message – "Thank you so much for welcoming us and supporting what God is doing through Fishbone." We also say thank you to the Cousins family and the Missions Ministry for helping to keep NSCC a generous channel of blessing.

## **LIFECHOICES MINISTRY SAYS THANK YOU**

Here's a thank you note from LifeChoices Ministry which exists to EMPOWER FAMILIES WITH LIFE-AFFIRMING OPTIONS and is committed to upholding the sanctity of human life by assisting and educating individuals facing unplanned pregnancies. They say, "Thank you for participating in our Change for Life campaign once again this year. We are truly grateful for your partnership these past six years. This year you raised \$1825.50. What a great blessing! Because of your willingness to step up, more lives will be saved and changed!"

Jan 28-Feb 3

- Monday**  
10:15 Ladies Bible Study
- Tuesday**  
11-2 LOLCO  
7-Bible Study at Klutiny's
- Wednesday**  
11-2 LOLCO  
6-Pioneer Club
- Thursday**  
11-2 LOLCO  
10:30 Sr Citz Study  
7-YAG
- Saturday**  
8:00 Men's Breakfast

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**  
Ages Pre-K thru Grade 2 during 10:15 Worship. Dismissal is announced via projected slide.

**Today's Nursery Helpers**  
8:00 - Joan C. & Phill S.  
9:00 - Joan C. & Phill S.  
10:15 - Phill S. & Krystal A.

**Send A Card**  
Sherry O'Donnell  
1314 Ritter St.  
Butler, PA 16001

**A Good Quote:**  
Earthly goods  
are given to be  
used, not to be  
collected.  
~Dietrich  
Bonhoeffer


**Today's Greeters**  
Chapel Hour - Forebacks  
The Gathering - Kristy Donaldson  
**Today's Communion Prep**  
Chapel Hour - Hartmans  
The Gathering - Petsingers

Offering Report for January 21, 2018	
General	\$ 5,097.00
Designated	\$ 1,239.00
Total	\$ 6,336.00
Building Fund Balance	\$ 235,145.36

**A NOTE FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE**  
Normal office hours are Monday through Thursday from 9:30-4:00. Submissions for the North Street News are due by Tuesday at noon. The Church Office telephone number is 724-282-7700.

**Scripture of the Day**  
Return to me, and I will return to you, says the Lord Almighty. Malachi 3:7

Weekly Events




**PIONEER CLUB for KIDS**


All NSCC kids and their friends K-6<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to join us on Wednesday Nights for PIONEER CLUB. Things begin at 6:00 and wind down about 7:30. Our numbers are growing – we have a class for you - come and join in the fun and fellowship! See Katie Davidson for more information.

**NSCC SR CITZ BIBLE STUDY**

The Daytime Sr. Citz. Bible Study is held on Thursdays at 10:30 in the Church Dining Room. Our present study is entitled, Journey Into Blessed Living, A Study of the Beatitudes. We presently are on Lessons #11 & #12 - Making a Difference in Your World & Brightening Your Light. Our next study (26 weeks) will be of the Book of Revelation, using the workbook entitled Journey Through Revelation by Tommy Hagle. In case of weather related cancellations we will use our telephone tree to contact one another. Any questions please call Kathi Huber at 724-285-5315 or Bob Huber at 724-841-5808.




Senior Adult Fellowship



**NSCC MEN'S MINISTRY**

All men and boys from NSCC are invited to three get-togethers each month. There is a MEN'S BREAKFAST on the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month at 8:00 in the Church Dining Room. There is MONDAY NIGHT MEN'S BIBLE STUDY on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays of each month at 6:30 in Room 103. The Men's Ministry Schedule for February is – Men's Breakfast on February 3 and Men's Bible Study on February 12 and 26. Come and join your Christian brothers as we study the Word and build Godly relationships.

**LOLCO** - Light of Life Community Outreach is here to share the Gospel and Love of Jesus Christ, provide spiritual food and physical nourishment, to be a friend to many in need of a smile and an encouraging word, and to let people know there is HOPE and that Jesus cares for them and loves them. LOLCO is open Tuesday through Thursday from 11-2 to share a meal and Christian fellowship. LOLCO meets at 232 West North Street.



**ANNOUNCING EASTER 2018 at NSCC - I CAN ONLY IMAGINE**

Has someone or something left you feeling rejected, guilty, or broken? Before he became the lead singer of MercyMe, Bart Millard suffered a painful childhood. Abused by his father, Bart built walls around his heart. In the I Can Only Imagine series Bart shares his story and will lead you on a redemptive journey to recall your past wounds, reorient your present identity, and reimagine your future. When you learn to see yourself through God's eyes, you will finally find rest in his approval, purpose, and eternal hope. Reveal the heart of the God who loves you...more than you can imagine. Small Group dates, times and locations will be announced in February. You won't want to miss this one!

The sermon series and study schedule will be as follows:

**Week of March 11** – Imagine A Loving Father  
**FRIDAY, MARCH 16** – I CAN ONLY IMAGINE IS RELEASED IN THEATRES and we will get as many people as we can to attend together!  
**Week of March 18** – Imagine Forgiveness  
**Week of March 25** – Imagine Redemption  
**Week of April 1** – EASTER SUNDAY – Imagine Going Home

