



NORTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Today's Text: John 8:37-59

April 25, 2021

We at North Street Christian Church are a group of people who are passionate about and living for the glory of God. We gather together to worship Christ because He is totally worthy. In our worship of God, we aim to know God which is why we spend time in the Bible. You will find our services to be sermon heavy and very focused on the proper interpretation of the text. Join us as we aim to be the church and properly understand the living God that we serve.

1 John 4:8 - "God is love"

APRIL 25 - May 1

SUNDAY

9:00 Sunday School
10:00 Worship
6:00 Rooted

MONDAY

10:15 **NO** Ladies' Bible Study
6:30 Ladies' Bible Study
6:30 Men's Bible Study

TUESDAY

7:00 Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

6:00 Kids Clubhouse

THURSDAY

10:30 SR Bible Study
7:00 20's & 30's Bible Study

FRIDAY

7:00 Bible Study

SATURDAY

8:00 Men's Breakfast



When taking several weeks to focus on the character of God it seems appropriate to start with His love. The fact that God is love isn't something we have to search for, it's a direct quote from scripture. John refers to God as love because He is a real being. The being that is God is revealed to us through His nature that is love. It's important for us as we study to not take our own miscued feelings and emotions that we call love and use them to define God's character. When we say God is love it defines for us what love is, so our view of love must be pulled from a proper understanding of God's character. Since the very nature of God is love, this attribute of God isn't a response to anything. Love is part of Him by definition. We must recognize that love is only part of who God is. His love in no way eliminates His other qualities. But, the love of God is seen throughout those qualities. For example, it is the holiness of God that sets Him apart from sinners. No one would blame God for keeping the great chasm of separation that lies between Him and sinful man. But, as the love of God influences the Holiness of God, He closes the gap and offers salvation to the sinner. Believers then need to rejoice in the love of God that flows from His character and influences every aspect of what He does. It is this love that saves the undeserving. It is this love that delays judgment, allowing sinners to repent. It is this love that generously offers new mercy each day. Even condemnation, the fate of all who die in sin, is done influenced by the love of God. God is love. We will understand His love in full when we are Glorified in full in the presence of almighty God. For now, trust the scripture that reveals a loving God, and rejoice that it's that love that influences every aspect of God as He makes dead sinners alive in Christ.

With Sympathy

If you would like to express your love/
sympathy to Steve Cobern, please send your
cards to 231 Holyoke Rd; Butler, PA 16001

EVANGELISM TEAM ~ A CHRISTIANS CLOSET ~ COMMUNITY MEAL



THEY WILL KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS BY OUR LOVE

SATURDAY, MAY 15, 3-6pm

~ THREE of our local mission outreaches will happen right here at NSCC on May 15!

* A CHRISTIANS CLOSET will be providing free Spring - Summer Children's clothing and shoes (in sizes newborn – juniors) from 3-6pm.

* THE COMMUNITY MEAL will be served from 5-6pm to anyone wanting to enjoy a delicious meal & Christian fellowship.

*THE EVANGELISM TEAM will be there spreading the good news to all those in attendance!

~LOVE ONE ANOTHER & COME AND SERVE THE LORD WITH US !!

Jesus said - “ Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me. ”

A CHRISTIANS CLOSET is looking for many loving hearts & hands to help on May 15 and before to prep. The *only qualification* to come and help is that you *show up with a happitude* and want to *serve Jesus by serving others*. Helpers meet on WEDNESDAY EVENINGS 5:30-7:30pm at The Legacy House beginning this week and until the giveaway to sort and hang clothing. FRIDAY, MAY 14, 5-8pm for set up & early shopping and SATURDAY MAY 15, 2-7pm for the clothing giveaway. Anyone who wants to help may signup at the back of church. For more info. on volunteering or donating CHILDRENS clothes & shoes please see the separate handout or you can contact Mindi Wright at 724.355.6576 - call or text

EVANGELISM TEAM: Anyone interested in joining the Evangelism Team to spread the GOOD NEWS to all can contact Dennis Muir at 724.355.4638 call or text.

CLUBHOUSE

Wednesdays 6:00 - 7:30 - Pre-K-6th Grade

Summer break is upon us, but there is still time to join in on the fun! We are finishing up the season with a new series entitled "GO." This series includes some “super secret agent” fun as we learn about God's plan for the church! The verse for this series is Matthew 5:16 so make sure you're learning it for some extra tickets. We will be meeting on Wednesdays, April 28, as well as May 5 and our end of the season celebration is on May 12. See you Wednesday at 6:00!

ROOTED

Sundays 6:00 - 8:00 - Students in Grades 6-12

The teens are back from their retreat and oh what fun it was! It may have been cold and wet, but we were refreshed as we spent time playing, relaxing, and soaking up the Word. There were 12 teens/preteens from North Street and 43 teens overall at the retreat! We focused on the sermon on the mount as our text for the weekend. Check out a photo our retreat. If you want to see more,



check out our Rooted Face book page. If you are a Jr or Sr High School student and want in on the fun, join us SUNDAYS from 6-8pm in the Legacy House. We will be working through our prayer series so make sure you bring your Bible and a notebook! See you soon! ~ Katie D.