

Welcome to

Northbrook Presbyterian Church

July 15, 2018



We are glad you're here and thankful for the opportunity to worship with you and to share the Good News of Jesus Christ. We seek to be an open, rational and compassionate people, learning each week what it means to live the love of Jesus Christ in worship and work, in word and deed. "Everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." ~ John 13:35

LIFE IN THE COMMUNITY OF FAITH

Please sign and pass the Welcome Register along your row and back. Please note joys and concerns on the Prayer Request Cards and place them in the offering.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Marjorie Wilhelmi

* OPENING SONG—*The Lorica*

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The Lorica

from the album Devotion by Steve Bell

Gayle Salmond

adapted from St. Patrick's Breastplate



I bind un - to my-self to - day the gift to call on the Tri - ni - ty; the sav - ing
to my-self to - day the love of an - gels and ser - a phim; the prayers and
to my-self to - day the hope to rise from the dust of earth; the songs of



5 faith where I can say, come Three in One, oh One in Three. Be a -
pro - phe - cies of saints, the words and deeds of right - eous men.
na - ture giv - ing praise to Fa - ther, Spi - rit, Li - ving Word



9 bove me as high as the noon-day sun. Be be - low me the rock I set my feet up on. Be be



13 side me the wind on my left and right. Be be - hind me oh cir - cle me with your truth and



17 light. la da da da da da da da la da da da da da da la da da da da



20 da da da la da da da da da da I bind un da da da A - gainst all
D.S. al Coda



23 pow - ers de ceiv - ing, a - gainst my own un - be - liev - ing, whe ther near or far. I bind un -

Coda



26 da da da I bind un - to my-self to - day the gift to call on the Tri - ni - ty

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Rev. Jacqueline Spycher

Worry and stress are not hard for us, God,
we do them without thinking.

There is always the potential of threat
to our security, our comfort, our health, our relationships, our lives,
**and we foolishly think that we could silence the fear
if we just had enough money, enough insurance, enough toys,
enough stored away for a rainy day.**

It's never enough, though;
the voice of our fear will not be dismissed so easily.

Forgive us, Lord.

But, in the small, silent places within us is another voice;
one that beckons us into the foolishness of faith,
that points our gaze to the birds and the flowers,
that, in unguarded moments, lets our muscles relax,
and our hearts lean into loved ones.

In unexpected whispers we hear it,
calling us to remember your promises, your grace, your faithfulness;

**And, suddenly, we discover
that it is enough.**

—Silent reflection—

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

* THE PEACE

As we are reconciled to God and to one another, share a sign of Christ's peace and love with your neighbor.

* HYMN 20—*All Things Bright and Beautiful*

Hymnal

SCRIPTURE READING—Psalm 100

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SERMON—*Don't Worry, Be Happy*
Matthew 6:25-34

Rev. Marjorie Wilhelmi
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WE BRING OUR GIFTS FOR THE MINISTRY OF CHRIST

OFFERTORY SONG—*Don't Worry, Be Happy*
Feel Free to join in if you want to sing along!

Bobby McFerrin Jr.

**Here's a little song I wrote
You might want to sing it note for note
Don't worry, be happy
In every life we have some trouble
But when you worry you make it double
Don't worry, be happy
Don't worry, be happy now**

Refrain:

**(Ooh, ooh ooh ooh oo-oooh ooh oo-oooh) Don't worry
(Ooh, ooh ooh ooh oo-oooh ooh oo-oooh) be happy
(Ooh, ooh ooh ooh oo-oooh ooh oo-oooh) don't worry, be happy**

**Ain't got no place to lay your head
Somebody came and took your bed
Don't worry, be happy
The landlord say your rent is late
He may have to litigate
Don't worry, be happy**

**Ain't got no cash, ain't got no style
Ain't got no gal to make you smile
Don't worry, be happy
'Cause when you worry your face will frown
And that will bring everybody down
So don't worry, be happy
Don't worry, be happy now**

Refrain

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

* SENDING SONG—*The Lorica (Yes! Again!)*

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* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

* Please stand in body or spirit.

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LEADING YOU IN WORSHIP TODAY ARE:

PASTOR: Rev. Marjorie Wilhelmi

ASSISTANT PASTOR: Rev. Jacqueline Spycher

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC: Angel Gippert

SOUND: Michael Bauhof

PRAISE BAND: Dan Gross as leader, percussion, guitar, Pete Zajicek on piano

CENTER DOOR GREETER: Betsy Savage

SANCTUARY DOOR GREETER: Liz Hurbis

PRAYER REQUESTS: Nancy Best, Paulette Lein, Tracey Parker, Sam Owens, Brad Back, Bob Miller, Stephanie Wicker, Michael Campion, Roger McGuineas, Margaret Babb, Al & Mary Alice Shrosbree, Seglinda Kelle-Pritchard, Georgenia Keoleian

The Board of Deacons also requests prayers for: Church members whose last names begin with the letter D and members of the Congregational Life Committee.

Please continue to pray for those with health or personal issues. If a member's name has been inadvertently left off this list, please notify the church office. Also, let the church know when a member is entering the hospital or might like a supportive phone call.

SLOW SUMMER COOKOUT—TUESDAY, JULY 17

Join us for a time to slow down, enjoy each other's company and share a meal on Tuesday, July 17 from 5:00—6:30 p.m. here at the church. Weather permitting, we'll gather near the playground. There will be activities for children and food for all. Bring your family, your neighbors and your friends. RSVP to Jackie Spycher at jacqueline@northbrookpc.org.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL COFFEE HOUR—SUNDAY, JULY 22

There's nothing wrong with ice cream for breakfast. It must be one of the five food groups! Join us after worship for coffee hour on Sunday, July 22 where you will find all you will need to create tasty ice cream concoctions. There will be fruit, sauces, cream puffs and Ray's Ice Cream. *Bring your appetite!*

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: AUGUST 14-17

Start your summer planning now and mark your calendar for Vacation Bible School from August 14-17! Children from age 3 to third grade are welcome to join in the fun and learning from 5:30-7:30 p.m., Tuesday-Thursday, and the whole family is invited to a fun night on Friday, August 17. With help from some superhero friends, we will discover our strength in God through storytelling, crafts, music and games. Adult volunteers and youth assistants are also needed. Registration forms are located in the hallway. For questions, please contact Cindy Sowle or Jackie Spycher at jacqueline@northbrookpc.org.

BACKYARD BIBLE AND BEVERAGE: JUNE 20—AUGUST 15

We are meeting on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. over the summer in YOUR backyard to read and discuss together the latest award-winning book Grateful: The Transformative Power of Giving Thanks by Diana Butler Bass. This book explores why gratitude is missing as a modern spiritual practice, offers practical suggestions for reclaiming it and illuminates how the shared practice of gratitude can lead to a greater connection with God, our world and our own souls. The book is available at your favorite local and online bookseller in hardcover, kindle and audio formats. Bring your book and beverage and join in the fun! The meeting schedule can be found below:

Date:	At the Home of:	Address:
July 18	The Bauhof's	4138 Washington Crescent, Troy
July 25	The Willey's	29725 Bristol Ln., Bingham Farms
August 1	The Hough's	32907 Bingham Ln., Bingham Farms
August 8	The Joppie's	19550 Butternut Ln., Southfield
August 15	The Wilhelmi's	1466 Glenwood, Sylvan Lake

NORTHBROOK CAMP

If you forgot to register for camp, don't delay! Camp registrations were due July 12, but if you would still like to attend, please contact Ken Stetson at stetson.kenny@northbrookpc.org. This year, camp is July 29—August 4 at Camp Timbers and is open to children age 6 thru high school.

AMAZON CAMP WISH LIST

Thank you to all who have contributed camper scholarships this year. We are so grateful for the support we have received! We have another "ask" of our wonderful congregation. Our camp supply list is growing, and we could use some support to help offset the cost to run our "campers choice" activities. Below, you will find an Amazon link where you will find a list of supplies that we need for our activities. In addition, we need to purchase two-way radios due to the lack of cell service at the camp. All of these items can be purchased on Amazon and sent directly to the church. If you would consider supporting camp in this way, we'd greatly appreciate it! Amazon gift cards of any amount would also be most appreciated. Any questions, please reach out to Terri Hurbis or Ken Stetson. Thank you!
<https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/38FF1K1649RJN?&sort=default>

SENIOR SOUPER LUNCH

Senior Souper Lunch is taking a break during July and August. Enjoy the summer and see you in September.

KNIT WITS

The Knit Wits will meet on Wednesday, July 25 at 1:00 p.m. in the Library. The Knit Wits will not meet in August. All skill levels are welcome.

NORTHBROOK BOOK CLUB

The Northbrook Book Club will hold its next meeting at 7 p.m. in the Library on Monday, July 30 to discuss *A Gentleman in Moscow* by Amor Towles. All are welcome.

PUB THEOLOGY

Pub Theology will meet again on Tuesday, July 31 at 7 p.m. at Brady's Tavern.

CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATES

The 2018-2019 Church Directory will be distributed in the fall. Emails and letters are being sent out asking for your updated contact information. If you have moved, changed phone numbers or email addresses, please let Becky in the church office know by Monday, July 23rd. Thank you!

CHURCH DIRECTORY ADVERTISING

Cathedral Directories will be publishing our 2018-19 annual member directory. As you may know, this directory is provided free to our church through the generous support of advertisers. If you would be interested in supporting Northbrook Presbyterian this year by advertising your business in the directory, please contact Tracy Harris at (248)545-1415, ext. 123 for more information.

SECOND MILE CENTER GOLF OUTING—SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

Back by popular demand! The golf outing benefitting the Second Mile Center of Detroit returns on Sunday, September 30 at Glen Oaks Golf Course in Farmington Hills. We are partnering with First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth to get more people involved, more auction items and more competition! We have to defend our trophies! (Most golfers and winning team!) So, put the date on your calendar and stay tuned for more information. Again, there will be opportunities to donate auction items, sponsor a hole, play golf or just eat dinner. Don't miss out on the fun! Contact Kathy Bauhof at kathybauhof@gmail.com for more information.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

During July and August, the church office will be open Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and closed on Fridays.

This Week at Northbrook

SUNDAY, July 15

9:45 a.m. Worship

10:45 a.m. Session Meeting

MONDAY, July 16

8:00 p.m. AA Meeting—Men's Group

TUESDAY, July 17

5:00 p.m. Slow Summer Cookout at
Northbrook

WEDNESDAY, July 18

7:00 p.m. Backyard Bible & Beverage
(4138 Washington Crescent, Troy)

FRIDAY, July 20

Office Closed

SUNDAY, July 22

9:45 a.m. Worship

10:45 a.m. Ice Cream Social Coffee Hour

SUMMER WORSHIP HOUR: 9:45 A.M.

June 3—September 2

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Monday—Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Friday: Closed

Summer Worship: Sundays at 9:45 a.m.

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