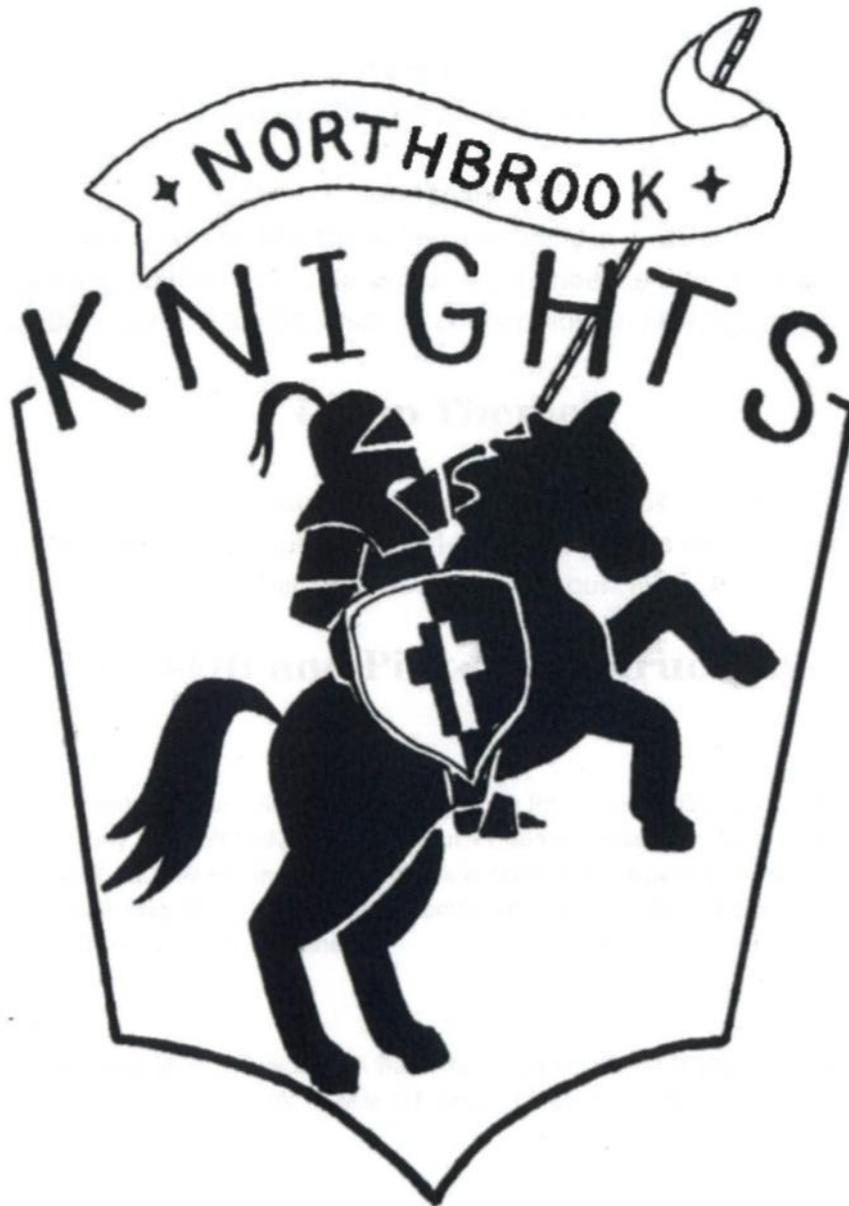


Welcome to

— Northbrook Presbyterian Church —

August 4, 2019



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—*Praise Yee The Lord*

Campers

* OPENING SONG—*My Lighthouse*

see insert

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

* THE PEACE

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

SONG—*Be a Knight*

see insert

SCRIPTURE READING—Ephesians 6:10-19

MESSAGE—Northbrook Knights

Ken Stetson & Campers

WE BRING OUR GIFTS FOR THE MINISTRY OF CHRIST

OFFERTORY SONG—*Reckless Love*

see insert

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

* SENDING SONG—*Oceans*

see insert

* BENEDICTION

* POSTLUDE

* Please stand in body or spirit.

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***Please join us for a special Camp Sunday Coffee Hour
in Fellowship Hall following the service.***

LEADING YOU IN WORSHIP TODAY ARE:

INTERIM PASTOR: Rev. Anne Schaefer

YOUTH DIRECTOR: Ken Stetson

ASSISTANT PASTOR OF OUTREACH MINISTRIES: Rev. Jacqueline Spycher

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC: Angel Gippert

DOOR GREETER: Connie Jordan

VISUALS: Bill Jordan

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

PRAYER REQUESTS: Marilyn Thomas and family, Vera McBride, Brad Back, Julie Huddlestun, Marcia & Rob Olson, Joyce Hamburg, Walt & Donna Young, Ellie Poster, Sam Owens, Bob Miller, Connie & Roger McGuineas, Al & Mary Alice Shrosbree, Seglinda Kelle-Pritchard

The Board of Deacons also requests prayers for: Church members whose last names begin with the letter A.

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.

NEW MEMBERS CLASS—BEGINS TODAY, AUGUST 4

Would you like to formally claim Northbrook as your home? Prayerfully consider becoming a member of the church. We will be holding new member classes following worship on Sundays, August 4 and 11. Individuals will then meet with the Session on August 18, and be received by the congregation during worship on August 25. If you are interested in joining the class or learning more, please see Pastor Anne or Pastor Jackie for more information.

COMMUNION & CANS FOR COMMUNION WILL BE SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

Communion will be served on Sunday, August 11. As a result, we will be collecting cans for communion on Sunday, August 11 as well. No glass and please check for expired dates. Thank you!

HOLY CASSEROLLERS MEAL PREP AND SERVING—AUGUST 5 AND AUGUST 6

Please join us as we gather at 6:30 p.m. on the first Monday of the month to prepare a lunch for the area homeless at The Welcome Inn. We'll also take a team to serve the following day from 12-2 p.m. If you would like to help cook or serve, please sign up in the church hallway or contact Pastor Jackie at jacqueline@northbrookpc.org.

NORTHBROOK BOOK CLUB MEETING—MONDAY, AUGUST 12

THE CHALLENGE IS ON!! ARE YOU READY?? Northbrook book club members challenge YOU to read our next book, *Great Small Things* by Jodi Picoult and join in our discussion on Monday, August 12 at 7 p.m. in the library. A limited number of books are available to pick-up in the church office. All you need to do is sign it out. Invite your neighbor or friend to join you also. *SMALL GREAT THINGS is the most important novel Jodi Picoult has ever written. Frank, uncomfortably introspective and right on the day's headlines, it will challenge her readers...The difficult self awareness is what sustains this book...forcing engaged readers to meditate on their own beliefs and actions along with these characters...It's also exciting to have a high-profile writer like Picoult take an earnest risk to expand our cultural conversation about race and prejudice.* – Washington Post

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: AUGUST 13-15

Children aged 3-5th grade are invited to join us as we venture into the wild with stories and animals of all kinds at Vacation Bible School (VBS)! Mark your calendars and plan on joining us August 13th-15th from 5:30-7:30 p.m. We'll wind down the week with a family movie night for the whole congregation on Friday, August 16. Registration forms are available in the hallway. VBS is open to any child so invite neighbors, friends and family. The cost is \$10.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT—FRIDAY, AUGUST 16

Folks of all ages are invited to join us for a screening of the animated film *Madagascar* on Friday, August 16 at 5:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Snacks will be provided. You are welcome to bring a beach chair or blanket for more comfortable seating.

KNIT WITS—WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28

Knit Wits will meet at 1 p.m. in the Library on Wednesday, August 28. All skill levels are welcome.

PUB THEOLOGY—AUGUST 27

We will gather at Black Lotus Brewing Company located at 1 E. 14 Mile Road in Clawson at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, August 27 for good conversation. Appetizers, drinks and nice people will be there too. New faces are always welcome! Contact Pastor Jackie with questions at jacqueline@northbrookpc.org.

SECOND MILE CENTER GOLF OUTING—SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Back by popular demand! The 3rd annual golf outing benefitting the Second Mile Center of Detroit returns on Sunday, September 22 at Glen Oaks Golf Course in Farmington Hills. 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.

SOS—VOLUNTEER TO HELP

This year, we will be hosting South Oakland Shelter (SOS) and homeless guests at Northbrook from Sunday, September 8 to Sunday, September 15. There are sign-up sheets in Fellowship Hall to volunteer for transportation, meals and security. Also, we are accepting monetary donations to help pay for a van to pick up the mattresses, gas, food and laundry. For questions and more details, please see Barb Stetson.

BACKYARD BIBLE & BEVERAGE

This summer classic is back! For eight weeks this summer, we will work through the book, *Inspired: Slaying Giants, Walking on Water, and Loving the Bible Again* by Rachel Held Evans. Each week at 7 p.m., we'll rotate locations to the various members' backyards or side yard, front yard or porch enjoying thoughtful conversation and a beverage or two. For more information, contact Pastor Jackie at jacqueline@northbrookpc.org.

BACKYARD BIBLE & BEVERAGE LOCATIONS

August 7—Michael & Kathy Bauhof (4138 Washington Crescent, Troy)

August 14—Rev. Jackie Spycher (29879 Fairfax, Southfield)

August 21—Amy & Bruce Annett (2799 Sylvan Shores Drive, Waterford)

August 28—Rev. Anne Schaefer (6883 Alden Drive, Orchard Lake)

AUTO AVAILABLE!

Member Jim Grady has donated his 2005 Chrysler Pacifica to Northbrook, in hopes that its sale will raise funds for the church and fill a need for someone in the congregation seeking reliable transportation. The car is a well-maintained, four door, two-wheel drive SUV with approximately 140,000 miles. The National Auto Dealers Association Guide values similar vehicles at \$3,400—but we invite you to make an offer! To be considered, please submit the following information to Becky in the church office by 4:00 p.m. Thursday, August 15: Name, contact info, how you plan to use the vehicle, and the price you are willing to offer. The car is currently parked in the southeast corner of our parking lot, and you may take a closer look inside and out following worship. Thank you, Jim, for your generous gift in support of Northbrook's ministries!

This Week at Northbrook

SUNDAY, August 4

9:45 a.m. Worship—*Camp Sunday*

10:45 a.m. Camp Sunday Coffee Hour

10:45 a.m. New Members Class

10:45 a.m. Adult Education Comm. Meeting

MONDAY, August 5

8:00 p.m. AA Meeting—Men's Group

6:30 p.m. Holy Casserollers Meal Prep

WEDNESDAY, August 7

12:00 p.m. AA Meeting

7:00 p.m. Backyard Bible & Beverage

FRIDAY, August 9

OFFICE CLOSED

SUNDAY, August 11

9:45 a.m. Worship & Communion

10:45 a.m. New Members Class

10:45 a.m. Deacons' Meeting

Please Note:

Communion in August will be on the 2nd Sunday of the month: Sunday, August 11

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

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

More news and calendar information can be found online at www.northbrookpc.org