

Upcoming Events At NorthWest

Newcomers & Guests are always welcome to participate in all events.

Children's Ministry (becky@nwchurch.us)

Please Mark Your Calendars:

- **9/27**—Trunk or Treat Planning Meeting after class in room 21
- **10/4**—Baby Blessing

Fall Bible Classes

Teachers and helpers are needed in our Sunday & Wednesday Fall children's classes which began **LAST SUNDAY**.

Cradle Roll—2 Sunday helpers (contact Courtney Bierschwale— 558-0741); **Pre-school**—Sunday teacher for 2's; Wed. helper for 4's/kinder (contact Becky Bade— 681-7935); **Second Grade**—Sunday teacher & helper (contact Cookie Edwards—647-4062)

Nursery Volunteers Needed:

1st service—1 team leader 3rd Sunday

2nd service—2 team members needed on 1st Sunday; 1 team member needed on 2nd Sunday (**TODAY!!**); 2 team members needed on 3rd Sunday; 1 team member needed on 4th Sunday

Children with Special Needs Ministry

This is a new ministry to NW. Please contact Shelly Smith @372-0663, if you would like to join her team. Donated items needed: Hula hoops, mini trampoline, ball of all sizes, bowling set, recycled magazines/catalogs, legos, waffle blocks, unifix cubes, gears, wooden blocks, squeeze toys, koosh balls, musical toys, giggle sticks, rainsticks, lava lamp

Youth (deryk@nwchurch.us)

- **9/13**—**Sunday Night Football** in HS Room, 7:00 pm—\$2 for snacks
- **9/16**—**BASH**—6:30 am, see Deryk for details
- **9/19th**—**Youth Praise**; 6-8 pm; Sunset Ridge; Bring \$3 for food. Meet at the building at 5:15 pm

- **9/27**—**MS Devo**—More info later
- **9/27**—**HS Devo**—More info later
- **10/6**—**Crazy Love** study begins
- **10/30-11/1**— We will be going to the Disciple Oaks retreat center near Gonzales, TX. This has also been designated as a MS & HS retreat, so anyone grades 7-12 is free to go. Cost will be \$45. Registration will begin September 1st. Get the info to register at nwyouthgroup.org. There are a limited number of spaces available for the retreat, so the quicker you sign up, the better chance you have of securing a spot.

Adults Needed:

- **9/19**—Drivers for Youth Praise
- Please let Deryk know if you are willing to host a MS or HS devo, as the new calendar is being developed.

JAFF

- **9/19**—**POT LUCK/PLANNING LUNCHEON, 11:30 am, Fellowship Hall**. Bring a dish to share & ideas of things to do. If you are new to NW or 55 or older, we would love to have you join us.

Other Dates

- **10/2/10/4**—Family Retreat at HEB Camp Singing Hills



Ladies Day 2009

September 26

Fellowship Hall

9:00-2:00

Lunch Provided

Please sign up in your R&B Group, write on your attendance card or call the church office no later than Wednesday, September 23rd, if you plan to attend.

A Wedding Shower
Honoring
Kayla Sanders Perez
Sunday, September 20th
2:00-3:30
Fellowship Hall



WELCOME
Tonja Waugh
1603 Sage Run
SAT 78253
679-7422

Guests and New Members

Interested in learning more about NorthWest? A four week **Discovering NW: finding a home** class is starting today in the baptistery from 9:45-10:40. Eric Davenport will lead this informal, informational group. It's a wonderful way to get to know other newcomers and some of the shepherds and ministers as well as hear about NW's ministries, history, mission, ways to plug in, and lots more. The informal nature of the group allows us to leave a lot of time for questions as well. If interested contact Eric; eric@nwchurch.us or write "Discovering NW" on your guest/member card and we'll contact you. We'd love for you to join us!

Fall Church Retreat!

Oct 2-4, for all ages

Relaxing weekend with devotionals in the evenings & worship on Sunday morning. Lots of free time to enjoy the Frio River canyon, participating in games, canoeing, fishing, hiking, napping....you get the idea! \$20 for ages 11 & up, \$15 for ages 3-10 with a maximum of \$60 per family. *This includes all meals*. Scholarships are available for those who need them. Register by writing "retreat" on your attendance card, filling out the form in the lobby or calling/emailing the church office. **Register by Sept. 20.**

*In Our Prayers
(9/06/2009)*

- Gregory Goodin - for my family and friends and for each week. Also, for my friend, Susan Cabvaljal - getting a divorce and in her walk with God.
- Wanda Morrow - recovering from her first round of chemo. Pray for health, stamina and strength.
- Tal Gasper - sinus infection
- Kim Grosscup and family in the loss of her mom.

Continue To Pray For

All the ministries at NW. The Lord of the Harvest will raise up more workers. Our national leaders and armed forces in this time of unrest. All the people with Type I & II diabetes.

Missions Prayer List

All missions and missionaries throughout the world, especially Manuel & Mateo Vasquez (Mexico); Orlando Cordova Carrillo (Mexico); Fords (Brazil)

Pregnant

Kara Culpepper (November), Jaime Reed (December), Summer Carter (January), Jill Gernentz (February), Mandi Willis (February) & Emily Williams (April)

In Prison

Byron Brooks, Kenny Farnsworth, Robert Herrera, Jeff Hoffman, Ronnie Lester, Danny Smith & Ernest Staley

Mbrs./Family w/Cancer

Alma Byrd (Mom of Joel Byrd), Marian Catechis, Renate Edwards, Gregory Goodin, Virgil Herrell, Lawrence Hoffman, Shannon Jarrell, George Johnson, Shirley Long, Toni Rhodes, Marian Rogers, Geri & Amy Sanger, Shirley Stork and Wes Tarte.

Mbrs./family w/Chronic Health Problems

Rob Branstetter Family, Jeff Burger, Lisa Combs, Louise Culp, Bettye Edwards, Jim Everett, Polly Farmer, Norma Fritsche, Brenda Griffin, Lillie Huitron, Carol Langford, Dennis McManus, Clemon Miller, Charles & Jean Morris, Hilary Morrow, Trudy Reynolds, Katie Riley, Skylar Rossman, Mildred Rowland, Linda Sellards, Bev & Mike Smith, Eden Stewart, Scott Stork & David Wheeler.

Serving our Country

Brandon Burger, Dustin Burger, Luis Cantu, Antonio Caron,

Jason Carr, Randy Clay, Mark Cornell, Mark Countryman, Trey Dorries, Quince Fryar, Nicho Gutierrez, John Hamilton, Tommy Hughes, Rebekah Long, Andre Lyles, Jonathan & Matthew Marqus, Wayne Martin, Josh McCool, Reggie Moore, Chad Newman, Ben Piepgrass, Devin Shackle, Sherod Thompson, Steven Thompson and Todd Weber.

**Blood Drive
Sunday, TODAY
Upper Parking Lot
8:30—12:00**



Have you lost something?

Make sure to check out the lost & found cabinet. Anything left in the cabinet at the end of the month will be donated to charity.

Volunteers Needed!

The Food Pantry is in need of volunteers to meet the bread truck on Wednesdays between the times of 11:30 am—1:00 pm. If you can help in this way, please let David St. James know.

Nursery	Sonshine Hour
Today 1st service: Julie Payne, Dawn Jones, Demi Craven & Rachel Willeford 2nd service: Hardy & Cathy Kail, Krista McManus & Marilyn Lee	Today's Volunteers: Trey & Lisa Thomas, Josh Davis, Beau Craven & Jayme Seward

Meeting Times		
Sunday Worship: 8:30 & 11:00 am & 6:00 pm Bible Class: 9:45 am	Wednesday Ladies' Class 9:30 am Bible Class: 7:00 pm	
For the Record (9-6-2009)		Food Pantry
Attendance: Week	YTD	Sunday Thursday
Bible Class - N/A	This Year: \$ 15,583	\$ 550,130
AM Worship—551	Budget: \$ 16,020	\$ 560,700
PM Worship—N/A	Last Year: \$ 16,309	\$ 540,793
Life Groups -N/A		
Wed. Ladies' AM Class -23		
		Church Website www.nwchurch.us



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September 13, 2009

Come, Now Is the Time Worship

Welcome

Above All Else (171)

Blessed Be Your Name

To God Be the Glory (4)

And Can It Be

Pray for Bread

By Christ Redeemed (366)

Pray for Cup

Lamb of God (176)

Pray for Stewardship

Shine, Jesus, Shine (290)

Dismiss to Sonshine Hour (2nd Service Only)

There Is Power IN the Blood (903)

Hebrews 9:11-22

Message: "Holiness: It Gets Messy"

Eric Davenport

Nothing But the Blood (902)

Shepherd's Prayer: Alan McNear

You Never Let Go

AM Worship		PM Worship	
Worship Leader : Kim Jarrell		Worship Leader: Chuck Morris	
Prayer Leaders:		Speaker: Darrell Clark	
1) Joel Byrd	1) Scripture Reader:	Prayer Leader:	Scripture Reader:
2) Scott Thomas	2) Roberto Hendricks	Ron Hoffman	Jeff Sims