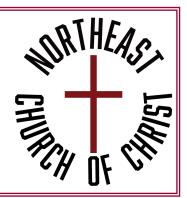


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**October 1, 2023** 



## ESPECIALLY FOR OUR GUESTS ...

- Please pick up an information packet from our welcome table in the lobby. We also have a small gift for our first-time guests.
- We are grateful for your presence today. Please fill out an attendance card (please indicate both your first and last names) so we can have a record of your presence.
- About halfway through the service, the children 4 years old through the 4th grade will be dismissed for their own class downstairs.
- > If you have any questions concerning our services or the church or the Bible, we encourage you to speak to our minister or one of our elders.

# Wednesday Night

Everyone is invited to come at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, for dinner before Bible study. Please

sign up in the hallway if you plan to attend. You can also sign up if you want to help with the meal.

#### **FALL FAMILY FUN DAY**

Our Fall Family Fun Day will be on Saturday, Oct.21, from 12-3 at the building. Bring your family & friends and join in on the fun activities. There will be a hot dog lunch, games, and Trunk or Treating. Sign up if you plan to be there. We need finger desserts for lunch. Also donations of cash and/ or candy would be appreciated. See Bill, Joe, or Vicki. We also need volunteers to open their "trunks" so the little ones can gather goodies. Sign up lists are posted in the lobby by the drinking fountain. If you want to help with the kids games that day please see Jill Mostek.

#### **ADULT BIBLE CLASSES**

Sunday a.m. ~ James 3 Sunday p.m. ~ 2 Thessalonians 3 Wednesday night ~ Isaiah 9 Our weekly Sunday morning worship service, Sunday evening class & Wednesday night Bible class are live streamed on our Facebook page.

## In Our Thoughts and Prayers

**Byron Bledsoe** asks for our prayers as he waits for test results.

John Kaganac will have hernia surgery on Tuesday.

Cathlene Moore, Tranika's mother, got unfavorable results from a recent CT scan. Tranika asks for prayers for strength & comfort for her & her mother.

Tyler, Nettie Zanley's nephew, will have surgery on Oct. 11 to replace his aortic valve.

**SYMPATHY:** Our thoughts & prayers are with **Karen Serilla** and her family on the death of her cousin, **Joan Johnson**.

#### **APPRECIATION DINNER**



Northeast family - you are all invited to an appreciation dinner for our leadership -

Joe Mason, Bill Nocita, Ron Sanders & Mike Messier. The dinner will be held at the building on Friday, Nov. 3, at 6:30 p.m. We will all enjoy a catered meal (Vince & Joe's) & some wonderful fellowship. This promises to be a time to show our support, appreciation and encouragement to those men who lead our congregation. Please take the time to sign up your family in the hallway. These men are deserving of our gratitude and love. If you have any questions please see Nina Sims or Vicki Loftis.

> Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied. (Matthew 5: 6)

#### **KEEP IN TOUCH**

Grace Mostek begins her studies in Electrical **Engineering at Kettering University** this week. She will remain on campus until December then back home for her co-op job. Her address is Thompson Hall - Room 2416, 1700 University Ave, Flint MI 48504. Best of luck to you, Grace!

#### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



1 - John Dunn 6 - Josh Marin

#### **HOW TO BECOME** A CHRISTIAN

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, died for us and rose from the dead, making salvation available as a gift (John 3:16; Romans 6:23). In order to benefit from this great sacrificial love, one must receive God's grace through faith in Christ and obedience to him (Romans 5:1-2; Hebrews 5:9). To become a Christian, the Bible teaches that we must believe in and put our trust in Christ (John 8:24), turn away from a life of sin (Luke 13:3), confess Jesus as Lord (Romans 10:9-10), and be baptized for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16). If you would like to further study this question of "What must I do to be saved?", please see our minister or one of our elders.

#### **FORGET NOT HIS BENEFITS**

By Ronald Sanders, Jr.

Main Text: (Psalm 103:1-14)

#### **Supporting Text:**

- (Exodus 34:6) The Lord, The Lord God, merciful and gracious, longsuffering, and abundant in goodness and truth, (7) Keeping mercy for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin,
- (Ephesians 2:4) But God, who is rich in mercy, for his great love wherewith he loved us,
- (2 Samuel 24:14) I am in a great strait: let us fall now into the hand of the Lord; for his mercies are great: and let me not fall into the hand of man.
- (Genesis 1:26) And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness:
- (Genesis 2:7) And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.
- (**Genesis 2:17**) But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.
- (Genesis 3:11) Who told thee that thou wast naked? Hast thou eaten of the tree, whereof I commanded thee that thou shouldest not eat?
- (1 Corinthians 6:20) "For ye are bought with a price:"
- (1 Peter 1:18) Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers; (19) But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot:
- (Jeremiah 15:16) "Thy words were found, and I did eat them; and thy word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of mine heart."
- **(Psalm 19:10)** sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb.
- (**Matthew 5:6**) Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled.

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#### TIMES OF SERVICES

Sunday

Worship -10:30a.m. & 5:00 p.m. Bible School - 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:00 p.m. (at the building)

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www.facebook.com/groups/ northeastcofc

#### Pray For Our Missions!

- ⊕ China
- ♣ Church of Christ Care Community
- † Eastern European Mission
- 🕆 India
- 1 Let The Bible Speak TV Program
- ☆ Metro Detroit Youth Chorus
- 🕆 Michigan Christian Youth Camp
- ♣ Nigeria
- ₱ Shults-Lewis Children's Home

#### **ELDER CHAIRMAN**

Joe Mason

#### **WORSHIP ATTENDANTS**

October 1, 2023

Opening Prayer - Jimmy Hampton Song Leader - Bill Nocita Bible Reading - Desmond Bass Sermon - Ron Sanders, Jr.

#### Communion servants

Craig Sims Jimmy Hampton
Dean Stewart Tracy Webb
Byron Bledsoe

### Audio visual servitor

Willis Williams IV

#### FOR THE RECORD

September 24, 2023 Bible School 26 Sunday Morning Worship 89 Avg. attendance for 2023 77 Sunday Evening Worship 21 Mid-week Bible Study (including ladies class) 36 Contribution \$4,170.00 Avg. contribution for 2023 \$3,554.85 Budget \$3,795.00

Shults-Lewis \$36.00 Total for 2023 \$1,273.70