



Today	9:00 AM	Sunday School
	10:00 AM	Worship Service Wee Worship (Ages 3-K) Rm.203 Jr. Worship (1st-5th grade) Rm.200 (both dismissed during the worship service)
	11:15 AM	Finance Committee, Library
	2:15PM	Worship at NB Care Center
	6:30PM	Choir Practice <i>Maria Kotaska's Birthday</i> <i>Mary Jo Zins's Birthday</i> <i>Roger & Julie Entinger's Anniversary</i>
Tuesday	11:00 AM	Metro Area Seniors <i>Dan Merrill's Birthday</i>
Wednesday	6:30PM	Youth Volunteer Huddle
	7:00PM	Adult Bible Study, B.O.L.D.Kids, Pre-school, Student Discipleship
	7:00PM	Eastside Bible Study - Kurkowski's <i>Alyssa Angelo's Birthday</i>
Thursday	10:00AM	Women's Bible Study <i>Luke Entinger's Birthday</i> <i>Mike Wilcox's Birthday</i>
Saturday	8:00AM	Work Day, Youth Group Project <i>Andrea Weikert's Birthday</i> <i>Doris Sunheim's Birthday</i>

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Miracle on 34th Street



Spiritual Disciplines: Prayer

New Brighton Christian Church

Love God. Love People. Share the Good News.

October 19, 2008



Welcome
to Worship

Welcome to
New Brighton Christian Church.
We're glad you've come to
worship with us today.



.BUDGETS & Planning!

Thank you for submitting all your budgets on time!

The finance ministry will meet **today at 11:15 in the library** to begin to assemble the proposed budget for submission to the elders at their monthly meeting Nov. 6, 2008.

If you have questions regarding your ministry's budget for the next fiscal year please contact the treasurer, **Doug Winter, at 612-331-7286.**

NOMINATIONS FOR DEACONS & ELDERS

Ballots are now available in the back of Church for the nomination of elders and deacons to replace the following:

Deacons: Les Clapp, Aaron Cocking, Frank Weikert, Steve Zacharias.

Elders: Terry Sturges, Doug Winter.

All ballots are to be returned by Sunday, November 2. Every Church member age 16 and over is invited to prayerfully and thoughtfully fill out the ballot.



Monthly Family Dinners!

Our first dinner on October 1 was a delightful, fun time for all. Join us on Wednesday November 5 at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall prior to the activities. Bring the family, and stay for Bible study. There is no cost for the dinner, but donations are appreciated.



Lawnmowers! We thank all who mowed and kept our lawn looking well trimmed this summer. **Thank You!** Roland Zacharias



THIS CONGREGATION is a part of the restoration movement within the church of Jesus

Christ that for over a century and a half has sought to return to the church as established by Christ in the New Testament. To do this, we follow no creed but Christ and accept the Bible as our only rule of faith. We are not the only Christians but Christians only. We wear no man-made labels or titles. We are not led by a hierarchy, but rather by men and women of faith who are filled with the Holy Spirit. In following the Bible's example for Christianity, we follow its basic outline of salvation:

WE ARE SAVED . . .

By grace: *"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith-and this is not from yourselves, it is a gift of God-not by works, so that no one can boast."* Ephesians 2:8-9

Through faith: *"...having been buried with Him (Jesus Christ) in baptism and raised with Him through your faith in the power of God, who raised Him from the dead."* Colossians 2:12

In baptism: *"...and this water symbolizes baptism that now saves you also-not the removal of dirt from the body but the pledge of a good conscience toward God. It saves you by the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at God's right hand with angels, authorities and powers in submission to him."* 1 Peter 3:21-22

For good works: *"Do you want evidence that faith without deeds is useless? Was not our ancestor Abraham considered righteous for what he did when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? You see that his faith and his actions were working together, and his faith was made complete by what he did."* James 2:20-22

We would be glad to answer your questions or to share more information with you regarding your relationship to Jesus Christ and to His church. Thank you for worshipping with us today!



Senior Minister's Message

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1 Thessalonians 5:17

Series: Spiritual Disciplines

Get Ready for...SLIME TIME! Oct. 29th 7PM. Join us for gobs of fun, games, and treats. Bring the whole family! Wear your "unscary" costumes! Donations of candy are needed. A box for wrapped candies will be in the sanctuary from Oct. 19-26.



Care Packages for our Military:

Now through Nov. 2 we will collect items to go in care packages to be sent to those serving in the military. Let's let them know we're thinking about them and are thankful for their service to our country. Information about our own family and friends is posted on the bulletin board. Call Ann Dewing if you know of others serving. A box for monetary donations to go towards postage will be in the sanctuary. It costs about \$9.80 to mail each flat rate box. A list of needed items is posted on the bulletin board. Those serving in Iraq are requesting puzzle books, magazines, paper backs, crafts, movie DVD's & items that will help pass down time. They also request small toys e.g. matchbox cars, beanie babies that they can put in their pockets to give to children.

Todd Barber, Bill & Eunice Barber's son, and Brad Hanson, Ron & Judy Hanson's son, would love to get cards & letters from their home congregation. Thank you for your participation in this project to serve our military.

It's Shoe Box Time! Operation Christmas Child brings joy and hope to children in desperate situations around the world through gift-filled shoe boxes and the Good News of God's love. Since 1993, more than 61 million shoe boxes have been packed, shipped, and delivered across the globe. People of all ages can be involved in this simple, hands-on missions project while focusing on the true meaning of Christmas—Jesus Christ. **National Collection Week is November 17-24.** See Jeannie Corcoran for more information about doing a shoe box.



Announcements:

We still need teachers

for Jr. Worship (1st-5th grades) once every other month, and for Wee Worship (ages 3-5) once per month. Lessons are provided. The classes meet each Sunday during the sermon time. See Kristie Cocking if you need more information.

Donations still needed for Food Shelf: See sign-up sheet on bulletin board where special items are listed.

Welcome Home Mission Team! We thank you for representing us in New Orleans.

Ladies Mission Projects: All ladies are invited to come to the church on Saturday, November 8th at 9:30 AM to help with several mission projects. We will make fleece blankets for families in need. We will also make treat bags and pack up care packages for the troops. See you there!

Offering Report



October 12, 2008	\$ 4,996.71
October Average	\$ 5,479.29
Budget	\$ 5,159.51

TODAY'S SERVERS

SENIOR MINISTER: Ron Hanson
YOUTH MINISTER: Reggie Camarse
CHILDREN'S MINISTER: Kristie Cocking
WORSHIP LEADER: Brian Kirkman
GREETERS: Ed Jonak, Lee Tate
USHERS: Rod Haggard, Jim Cordle
AT THE TABLE: Rollie Zacharias, Randy Steele
MEDIA SHOUT: Judy Hanson
NURSERY: 9:00 am - Cindy Winter
 10:00 am - Gloria Rosenstiel
 TBA (Teen Helper)
WEE WORSHIP: Randy Steele
JUNIOR WORSHIP: Alyssa Angelo
COMMUNION PREP: Rollie & Betty Zacharias
COMMUNION CLEAN-UP: Rollie & Betty Zacharias
COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS: Doug Winter, Doug Corcoran
NURSING HOME (October 19) Brian Kirkman

Thank you for your support of New Life Family Services at the University campus. It's an honor to partner with your congregation in ministry. God continues to bless our outreach efforts on campus. We saw a significant increase in pregnancy tests among students in recent months. We are thankful for that blessing. Thank you for helping make this ministry possible. We hold all of you up in prayer.
Jennifer Meade, NLFS University Campus Office



Prayer List



Praises

For Christ, His Church and His Word
 For Cliff Hacker, newly baptized member
 Wedding of Brian & Pam Sladek
 Our New Orleans Mission Team

Prayer Requests

- Please pray for this mission during the week:

Campus Crusade For Christ - an inter-denominational ministry committed to taking the gospel of Jesus Christ to all nations; we support Beth Markham from MN who serves on their full-time staff.

Please pray for these families during the week:

Mike Wilcox, Brian & Pam Sladek, Kevin & Justin Wolf

- Joan Goodrich at St. John's Hospital
- Don & Barb Sroka's daughter-in-law - passed away
- JoAnne Kurkowski's niece's family (Kathleen & John) health & family problems
- Dave Reber, extreme back pain
- Ruth King, biopsy on new lumps
- Brooklynn Norlin, tonsillectomy November 14
- Lori Angelo, possible pinched nerve
- Betty Cooke (Mary Jo's friend) healing from knee surgery
- Phillip Kylander's niece Briana, healing from thyroid cancer
- Evan Domeyer, recovery from appendectomy
- Marie Firkus, (Mary Jo's friend) tongue cancer surgery
- Elaine Morrow, recovery from severe heart problems, and guidance for new living arrangements
- Jim Glidden (Mary Jo's friend)- cancer of the esophagus, that chemo prevents need for surgery
- Ray Koenig, carcinoma
- Paul Stone's Uncle Bryce, continued recovery; on heart transplant list
- Joyce Condon, health issues
- Ben & Jen Pope, Job & health concerns
- Cathi Stiff, healing from broken leg
- Jeff Lane's co-worker, Tim - Hodgkins Lymphoma
- Justine Kilson - 17 year old with Hashimoto's encephalitis
- **Our Military:** *In Iraq* Mark Grande, Todd Barber, Chuck Peterson; *in training:* Brad Hanson. *In Afghanistan;* Randy Genau (Judy Kotaska's nephew); *At Sea;* Chase Griest (Lori Brothnek's husband)
- **Pregnancy:** Paul & Markita Stone; James & Megan Chamberlain; Trevor & Meghan Rasmussen, (Corcorans' daughter), Rick Dudziak & Jarae Kylander, (daughter of Phillip & Denae Kylander), Brian & Andrea Kirkman
- **For our Church,** our mission of introducing people to Jesus and helping them know Him better, and for your walk with Christ and witness for Him
- **Continue praying for:** Shantelle, Connie Kylander's daughter, Tom Ryan, Delores Ford's son, Diane Aanestad, Sue Boyson, Rylan Campbell, Claudio Divino, Lila Fagerskog, Becky Follansbee, Clarice Hamlow, Kristy Kania, Elaine Morrow, Randy Packard, Ruth Picker, Adell Pope, Elinor Salisbury, Cathi Stiff, Clem Van Voorhis, Lee Tate, Rod Quimby.
- **Those undergoing cancer treatments:** Bill Gangel, Ruth Loomis, Phil Miller, Anthony Salisbury, Don Salisbury, Shirley Florin, Dick Bjork (Shirley Mens' cousin), Joann Greely (Gen Poynter's sister-in-law), Dianna Hill, Mary Ann Eggerud, Jim Hoy, Tracey (Domeyer's neighbor), Chase & Cody Stiff, Kathy Nelson, Sally Packard, John (Barb Sroka's brother).

Please submit prayer requests to the office by Friday morning. Any new requests for Sunday morning can be given to Ron, or one of the elders before the worship service.