



NORTHTOWN CHURCH

Bringing people together and to God

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MATTHEW 5:43-45

"You have heard that it was said,
'Love your neighbor and hate your enemy.'
But I tell you:

LOVE YOUR ENEMIES

and pray for those who persecute you,
that you may be sons of your Father in heaven."

Welcome to Northtown Church!

"Bringing people together and to God"

Come as you are. That's our request and welcome to you. You don't need to pretend anything while you are with us -- we accept you wherever you are on your spiritual journey. Open your heart and stay awhile and seek His truth together with us. We can have confidence that God is with us and He is in control. May you experience the joy and strength of Christian community as together we grow closer to God. Please be our guest, and come as you are.

The Quiet Room

If you desire to have an elder pray with you about any need in your life, you are invited to come to The Quiet Room in the southwest corner of the auditorium immediately after worship on any Sunday.

Talk With the Leadership

Open a conversation with the Leadership of Northtown Church! Perhaps you have a request, a suggestion or a question. If so, then contact us. Call any elder or minister – their names and phone numbers are on the back of this bulletin. We are always ready to talk with you, whether you're a guest here or a member.

Youth Group at the Anderson's

Tonight, 7th-12th graders are invited to hang out, play video games, eat some junk food, and share a time of devotion at the Anderson's house (8452 N. 103rd St.). Guys bring snacks, Girls bring soda. For more information, see Ben Ash.

Volunteers Needed

Our Children's Church program is looking for volunteers for several upcoming Sundays. The focus for the summer quarter is "Outreach". Please see Lisa Bane or Jamie Bane if you are able to help our children prepare to invite and receive visitors at the Northtown Neighborhood Carnival.

Building Project Update:

On Wednesday, July 13th, our facilities were appraised for the loan processing. Bud Palmer was contacted by the appraiser who said he would be submitting his report to M&I Bank early next week. Please continue to pray for this process and that, if the Lord wills, all goes through and proceed with our plans to improve our facilities.

Northtown Neighborhood Carnival

Hello Family - our Northtown Neighborhood Carnival is about a month away (Saturday, August 13th, 10 am - 2 pm). There is a lot to do between now & then. Here are some ways to help:



- **Pray!** Please pray each day that the Lord will bring many of our "backyard neighbors" to us on the day of the Carnival and that we will be able to share His love with them.
- **Get the word out!** Invite your friends, neighbors & co-workers as well. There are post cards and other materials available to share with others.
- **Volunteer!** We need help setting up (Friday and early Saturday). There is something for everyone to do. You are needed! To sign up, see Bob & Penny Monroe or email them.
- **Donate!** We are collecting school supplies (see the list in the bulletin) as well as gently-used school clothing. Please be on the lookout for deals on school supplies and purchase them when you're out and about.
- **Miscellaneous** - we need canopies (to have shade over the games, etc). If you have one you can lend, email Bob & Penny.

As you see - there is a lot to do between now and August 13th ...

Pray, Invite, Volunteer, Donate!

5th Sunday Potluck – Flyer Distribution

On Sunday, July 31st, we will have a 5th Sunday BBQ with all the "fixins". Please plan on bringing plenty of "fixins" to share – salads, fruit, vegetable dishes and desserts. Meats and buns will be provided. After we enjoy the BBQ, we will hit the streets to invite our "backyard neighbors" to our upcoming Carnival. So, make sure that you wear comfortable clothes and shoes for this day of worship, fellowship and outreach.

Meeting for HYPE girls/parents

Renee Russell would like to meet with the HYPE parents on Sunday, July 24th after church by the baptistery regarding the details of our Minnesota trip. Details of the trip will be discussed, so if your daughter is going on this trip, please attend this meeting. For more information, see Renee Russell.

Food Pantry

THANK YOU to everyone who has brought in food items recently. Our food pantry is full and ready to meet the needs of our community.

Servants for Service

This Week – July 17

Speaker: Keith Brumley

Announcer: JerMaine Bryant

Communion: Roger Root

Prayer: Jerry Fox

Children's Church:

Tiny Tykes:

Greeters: Corwin & Renee Russell

Ushers: John Dorsey, Ken Zinkgraf

Next Week – July 24

Bud Palmer

Bob Norton

Bob Monroe

Duane Rhodebeck

Ken & Lindy Zinkgraf

Roger Root, Brian Crum

Calendar of Events

7/24 HYPE parent meeting
7/31 5th Sunday Potluck
8/13 Neighborhood Carnival

Birthdays / Anniversaries This Week

7/20 Greg & Rozlind Davis
7/20 Wayne & Belinda North
7/20 Madeline Vazquez
7/21 Tjuna Eggson

Our Giving

Offering Last Week: \$3,491
2011 Average: \$4,157
2011 Budget: \$3,650

Our Fellowship

Attendance Last Week: 124
2011 Average: 124

Mowing/Shoveling Schedule

7/17-7/23 Bob Monroe, Brian Crum,
Corwin Russell
7/24-7/30 Craig O'Leske, Evan Bane,
Garrett Bane

Children's Memory Verse for July:

Don't worry and say "what will we eat, or what we will drink, or what we will wear".
Your father in heaven knows that you need these things. Matthew 6:31-32

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Sunday Bible Class: 9 AM
Sunday Worship: 10 AM
Wednesday Class: 7 PM

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