



NORTH PARK CHURCH

WORSHIP • CONNECT • IMPACT

November 27, 2022

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.
Galatians 5:22-23

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

CHILDCARE AVAILABLE

Visit our Welcome Counter for info on the nursery and kids' options

E-GIVING - northparkepc.org/give

WIFI AVAILABLE - Our NPC Guest password is **Welcome!**

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME | ANNOUNCEMENTS | MEMORY VERSE

PREP FOR WORSHIP | Advent Lighting

CALL TO WORSHIP | Isaiah 9:2, 6

MUSICAL PRAISE

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel | Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus
Your Name (Christmas Version)

PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING | Isaiah 11:1-5, 10

OFFERING

Kids age 3-2nd grade are dismissed for Kids' Worship

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT | New Hope Christmas Tree, Denny Koska

PRAYER

SONG | King of Kings

GREETING

ROMANS, PART 24 | As A Result - We Exult

PRAYER

SONG OF RESPONSE | Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

ROMANS, PART 24: AS A RESULT - WE EXULT

DAN HENDLEY | ROMANS 5:2-8

SCRIPTURE REFERENCES | New American Standard Bible is used unless otherwise indicated

ROMANS 5:1-5

¹Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ²through whom also we have obtained our introduction by faith into this grace in which we stand; and we exult in hope of the glory of God. ³And not only this, but we also exult in our tribulations, knowing that tribulation brings about perseverance; ⁴and perseverance, proven character; and proven character, hope; ⁵and hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out within our hearts through the Holy Spirit who was given to us.

1 CORINTHIANS 2:9

Things which eye has not seen and ear has not heard, And which have not entered the heart of man, All that God has prepared for those who love Him.

1 JOHN 3:2-3

²Now we are children of God, and it has not appeared as yet what we will be. We know that when He appears, we will be like Him, because we will see Him just as He is. ³And everyone who has this hope fixed on Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

MATTHEW 13:43

The righteous will shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their Father.

ROMANS 9:23 NLT

He does this to make the riches of His glory shine even brighter on those to whom He shows mercy, who were prepared in advance for glory.

ROMANS 8:30

These whom He predestined, He also called; and these whom He called, He also justified; and these whom He justified, He also glorified.

PSALM 119:71

It is good for me that I was afflicted, that I may learn your statutes.

ZECHARIAH 13:9b

Refine them as silver is refined, and test them as gold is tested.

1 PETER 1:6b-7ab

^{6b}Now for a little while, if necessary, you have been distressed by various trials, ^{7ab}so that the proof of your faith, being more precious than gold which is perishable, even though tested by fire, may be found to result in praise and glory and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ.

PHILIPPIANS 1:29 NLT

You have been given not only the privilege of trusting in Christ but also the privilege of suffering for Him.

MATTHEW 5:11-12

¹¹Blessed are you when people insult you and persecute you, and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of Me. ¹²Rejoice and be glad, for your reward in heaven is great; for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

ROMANS 8:18

I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory that is to be revealed to us.

2 CORINTHIANS 4:17-18

¹⁷For our momentary, light affliction is producing for us an eternal weight of glory far beyond all comparison, ¹⁸while we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen; for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal.

ROMANS 8:16

The Spirit Himself testifies with our spirit that we are children of God. Jesus said, my sheep hear my voice.

OUTLINE

- I. We Exult in Hope of the **G**_____ of God
- II. We Exult in our **t**_____

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS TEA

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2 | 6:30 P.M. | BLUE ROOM

This year's tea is called Winter WONDERland, and we have a wonderfully whimsical evening planned. Ladies, invite your family and friends to join us as we remember the true joy of Christmas! Please bring a Christmas mug and an appetizer or dessert to share. RSVP at the Welcome Counter or by emailing Amber Stites (amberstites@northparkepc.org). **We are in need of decorations for the Christmas Tea:** See our website or the November FYI for details. Please contact Kirstin Lukas (kirstinlukas@gmail.com) if you are willing to share your Christmas decorations.

GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONSTRUCTION & CANDY DONATION

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3 | 2:00 - 3:15 P.M. & 3:30 - 4:45 P.M. | BLUE ROOM

Please **sign up in the lobby** or **online** (northparkepc.org/events) by Thursday, December 1 and pick up some invites for your friends or neighbors and/or **sign up to donate all kinds of colorful, sweet candy** options for the gingerbread house construction. Please drop off the candy at the table in the lobby by Thursday, December 1.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CHOIRS

Kids are wanted to sing in two Children's Choirs for Christmas. We would like to have a Preschool - Second Grades Choir and a 3rd-8th Grades Choir, with the older kids having a leadership opportunity. Contact Kassaundra Rodrigues (kassaundrafunch@gmail.com) if your child is interested in singing.

BIG CHOIR REHEARSALS

THURSDAYS, DECEMBER 1, 8 & 15 | 7:00 - 8:30 P.M. | ROOM 107

Attention Singers! The North Park Big Choir will rehearse for a special anthem to be presented December 18 during worship. Singers, plan to join us for rehearsals and the performance as we celebrate the Incarnation of our Lord Jesus! For details please contact Brooke Hopkins (brookehopkins@northparkepc.org).

PERFORMERS NEEDED FOR A COFFEEHOUSE CHRISTMAS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18 | 9:00 A.M. | BLUE ROOM

Come one and all, children and adult performers of all types! This year our Christmas program will offer a time of fellowship with a coffeehouse feel. Contact Brooke Hopkins (brookehopkins@northparkepc.org) if you have ideas or would like to perform.

NEW HOPE CHRISTMAS STORE TREE

DEADLINE: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11

Once again we will have ornaments on the tree with the age and gender of a child whom you can purchase a gift. Gift cards and cash donations are welcome in lieu of an **unwrapped** gift, hats, gloves, and scarves. See the November FYI for details. Questions? Contact Janie Koska (janeckoska@yahoo.com).

ADVENT DEVOTIONALS: ADULTS & FAMILIES

AVAILABLE NOW | BULLETIN TABLE OR SEE KELLY LAIRD

Adult copies are on the bulletin table right outside the sanctuary and copies for families are on the circle table between Rooms 205 & 207. Please see Kelly Laird if you would like to receive one. Questions? Email Kelly (kellylaird@northparkepc.org).

TREKKERS CHRISTMAS PARTY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11 | 4:30 - 6:00 P.M. | ROOM 112

Trekkers Christmas party is coming! Each 3rd, 4th & 5th grader is invited to come and celebrate the birth of Jesus! Bring a new pair of socks loaded with goodies - think small candies and toys and tied with a ribbon! Bring a friend and a bible too! Dinner will be provided. Hope to see YOU there! Questions? Contact Beth Morley (mrsbmorley@gmail.com).

WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28 - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

MONDAY MORNING MEN'S (M3) GROUP

MONDAY | 6:30 A.M. | LOBBY

CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL

MONDAY | 4:30 - 5:30 P.M. | ROOM 107 & BLUE ROOM

TUESDAY JOY + LUNCH

TUESDAY | 10:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. | ROOM 112

YOUTH SMALL GROUPS

WEDNESDAY | 7:00 - 8:30 P.M. | ROOMS 107, 110, 304 & 306

WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS TEA

FRIDAY | 6:30 - 8:30 P.M. | BLUE ROOM

GINGERBEAD HOUSE CONSTRUCTION

SATURDAY | 2:00 - 3:15 & 3:30 - 4:45 P.M. | BLUE ROOM

ADULT, YOUTH & CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

SUNDAY | 9:00 A.M.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

SUNDAY | 10:15 A.M.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL

SUNDAY | 11:30 A.M. - 12:45 P.M. | ROOM 107 & BLUE ROOM

YOUTH GROUP

SUNDAY | 6:30 - 8:30 P.M. | ROOMS 304, 306 & BLUE ROOM

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