



# NORTH PARK CHURCH

WORSHIP • CONNECT • IMPACT

**February 26, 2023**

So God created man in His own image,  
in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them...  
*Genesis 1:27*

## 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](http://northparkepc.org/give)

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

## ORDER OF SERVICE

**WELCOME | ANNOUNCEMENTS | MEMORY VERSE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP** | Psalm 30:4-5

**MUSICAL PRAISE**

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee | Mourning Into Dancing

Hear Our Praises | I Sing Praises

**PRAYER**

**SCRIPTURE READING** | Galatians 2:15-21

**OFFERING**

**BAPTISMS** | Chen, Rivero

*Kids age 3-2<sup>nd</sup> grade are dismissed for Kids' Worship in rooms 201, 206 & 207*

**PRAYER**

**SONGS** | Doxology | In Christ Alone

**GREETING**

**MESSAGE** | How Do You Identify?

**PRAYER**

**SONG** | Faith Is the Victory

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## HOW DO YOU IDENTIFY? DAN HENDLEY

### **ROMANS 6:8-14**

<sup>8</sup>Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him, <sup>9</sup>knowing that Christ, having been raised from the dead, is never to die again; death no longer is master over Him. <sup>10</sup>For the death that He died, He died to sin once for all; but the life that He lives, He lives to God. <sup>11</sup>Even so consider yourselves to be dead to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus. <sup>12</sup>Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body so that you obey its lusts, <sup>13</sup>and do not go on presenting the members of your body to sin as instruments of unrighteousness; but present yourselves to God as those alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God. <sup>14</sup>For sin shall not be master over you, for you are not under law but under grace.

### **ACTS 2:23-24**

<sup>23</sup>This Man, delivered over by the predetermined plan and foreknowledge of God, you nailed to a cross by the hands of godless men and put Him to death. <sup>24</sup>But God raised Him up again, putting an end to the agony of death, since it was impossible for Him to be held in its power.

### **II CORINTHIANS 5:17**

If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.

### **EPHESIANS 2:4-6**

<sup>4</sup>God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, <sup>5</sup>even when we were dead in our transgressions, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), <sup>6</sup>and raised us up with Him, and seated us with Him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus.

### **EPHESIANS 4:22**

Lay aside the old self, which is being corrupted in accordance with the lusts of deceit

### **I PETER 1:14 NLT**

So you must live as God's obedient children. Don't slip back into your old ways of living to satisfy your own desires. You didn't know any better then.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visit [www.northparkepc.org/events](http://www.northparkepc.org/events) for details on all events.

### 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

SATURDAY, FEB 25 | 9:00-10:00 A.M. | PLANNED PARENTHOOD

You're invited to join your North Park family as they meet and pray in front of the Planned Parenthood office at 933 Liberty Ave, Pittsburgh, PA. After, Jim Ludwig ([jim@blumen.com](mailto:jim@blumen.com)) will lead a tour of "The Nest" on East Ohio Street which is a ministry of Women's Choice Network.

### COUNTDOWN TO LENT CROSS

BEGINNING SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19 | ROUND TABLE CM WING

Families, want a way to count down the days of Lent toward a celebration of Easter? We've got a fun way for you to do so! Stop by the round table in the children's to pick up a CROSS today! The crosses have activities do every day in Lent and are a great PBJ tool!

### COMBINED ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL: SHARING THE FAITH, PBJ & NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR NPC

SUNDAY, MARCH 5 | 9:00 A.M. | ROOM 112

Feeling stuck or in reverse with PBJ? Not sure what PBJ is? Come learn about some new ways to get involved with sharing your faith at NPC. Questions? Contact Pastor Ben.

### FATHER-DAUGHTER DANCE

SATURDAY, MARCH 11 | 5:30-8:30 P.M. | BLUE ROOM

Fathers and daughters, join us for this year's Father-Daughter Dance. Enjoy our fun Garden Party theme and get the chance to affirm the unique way your daughter exhibits the image of God. Cost is \$50 per father-daughter combinations regardless of the number of daughters. Non-NPC guests are \$20. Sign up in the lobby. Questions? Contact Jonathan Mycyk ([jmycyk8@gmail.com](mailto:jmycyk8@gmail.com)).

### NPC-SEE

SUNDAY, MARCH 19 | 11:30 A.M.-1:30 P.M. | BLUE ROOM

Join us for lunch and celebration of what God is doing in and through North Park Church. It won't be the same without you there! Sign up in the lobby today! Questions? Contact Amber Stites.

### THE GROW CENTER THANKS YOU!

Thank you for your generosity to the GROW Center in Lebanon. Together, we raised \$7,187.25!

### **WOMEN'S SPRING RETREAT: CRAFTED BY CHRIST**

FRIDAY, APRIL 21 - SATURDAY, APRIL 22 | LUTHERLYN

Ladies, please join us for a restful weekend of fellowship and learning how we are crafted in Christ with strengths to serve him in our communities! Please register at the table in the lobby, where you will also find a brochure with more details. Contact Joyce Kish ([joycemkish@gmail.com](mailto:joycemkish@gmail.com)) with any questions.

### **EDU NATIONS SUPPORT TEAM MEETING**

THURSDAY, MARCH 9 | 7:00-8:30 P.M. | ROOM 111

The Edu Nations support team from NPC needs a few more volunteers to help write thank you notes to supporters as the organization recovers from a small fire and wind damage and also seeks to grow its support base. Contact Stacy ([stacy@edunations.org](mailto:stacy@edunations.org)) with questions or to let her know if you can attend.

### **SIGHT & SOUND THEATER: DAVID**

Would you like to see the show David at Sight and Sound theater in Lancaster this summer? There are almost a dozen people interested. **Please let Kelly Laird know by February 28** if you are interested in attending. No commitment, just gauging interest.

### **ROMANS 12:1**

Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice.

### **ROMANS 6:13 NLT**

Do not let any part of your body become an instrument of evil to serve sin. Instead, give yourselves completely to God, for you were dead, but now you have new life. So use your whole body as an instrument to do what is right for the glory of God.

### **I CORINTHIANS 9:24-27**

<sup>24</sup>Do you not know that those who run in a race all run, but only one receives the prize? Run in such a way that you may win.

<sup>25</sup>Everyone who competes in the games exercises self-control in all things. They then do it to receive a perishable wreath, but we an imperishable. <sup>26</sup>Therefore I run in such a way, as not without aim; I box in such a way, as not beating the air; <sup>27</sup>but I discipline my body and make it my slave.

### **II CHRONICLES 2:20-22 NLT**

<sup>20</sup>Early the next morning the army of Judah went out into the wilderness of Tekoa. On the way Jehoshaphat stopped and said, "Listen to me, all you people of Judah and Jerusalem! Believe in the Lord your God, and you will be able to stand firm. Believe in his prophets, and you will succeed." <sup>21</sup>After consulting the people, the king appointed singers to walk ahead of the army, singing to the Lord and praising him for his holy splendor. This is what they sang: "Give thanks to the Lord; his faithful love endures forever!"

<sup>22</sup>At the very moment they began to sing and give praise, the Lord caused the armies of Ammon, Moab, and Mount Seir to start fighting among themselves.

## **OUTLINE**

### **JESUS TRUTHS -**

- 1.** He died once, never again.
- 2.** Death is not His master.
- 3.** As those joined to Christ, they are now true of us as well.

## THEREFORE -

- I. **C**\_\_\_\_\_ your union with Christ. **I**\_\_\_\_\_ as dead to sin, alive to God
- II. **C**\_\_\_\_\_ the allurements of sin
- III. **C**\_\_\_\_\_ yourself to your rightful Lord
- IV. **C**\_\_\_\_\_ grace and our freedom from sin's tyranny

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