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Sunday Trustee:

Please do not disturb the Soundboard Tech during the worship service. If you notice a problem during the service, alert an usher or the Sunday Trustee.

*Those who are able, please stand in body or spirit
Please join in reading or singing those parts of the service printed in **bold**.



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Take A Hike



January 6, 2019

10:30 A.M. Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Nancy Ross-Zimmerman

Carol Sing #151 *"We Three Kings of Orient Are"*
#152 *"What Star Is This, with Beams So Bright"*
#150 *"As With Gladness Men of Old"*

Call to Worship from Ephesians 1

Blessed be the God and Father of us all,

who chose and adopted us to be His own!

Blessed be the Son, Jesus Christ

who redeemed and forgave us at great price!

Blessed be the Spirit

who is poured into us as evidence of God's love for us!

Let us worship our God together!

We will sing of His boundless love!

* **Hymn #475** *"Come, Thou Font of Every Blessing"* NETTLETON

* Prayer of Adoration and Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

A Time with Children

* Passing the Peace

"the peace of Christ be with you...**and also with you.**"

* **Congregational Response #742** *"We Will Walk with God"* SIZOHAMBA NAYE

We will walk with God, my brothers; we will walk with God.

We will walk with God, my sisters; we will walk with God.

We will go rejoicing till the kingdom has come

We will go rejoicing till the kingdom has come.

Offering

Offertory

"We Three Kings" - Linker

Scripture

Ephesians 1:1-6

Message

Every!?!

Greg Kennedy

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Words of Institution

...The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

Breaking the Bread

Communion

"The body of Christ" ... "The cup of salvation"

Prayer following communion

* **Hymn** *"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"* BEACH SPRING

* Charge and Benediction

Go forth into God's world in peace;

be of good courage;

hold fast to what is good;

Return to no one evil for evil;

strengthen the fainthearted;

support the weak; help the afflicted;

honor all people; love and serve the Lord,

rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Postlude

"Three Kings' March" - Barker

News of the Church

Please keep **Charlene Mecklenburg** in your prayers this week. She will be traveling to Ohio States' James Cancer Center for another treatment.

The Walk is led by Pastor Greg Kennedy at 6:30 P.M. on Wednesdays in Disciples' Hall. Join Greg with his deep dive through Ephesians. Everyone is welcome - come as your schedule allows. Child-care will be available.

You are invited to join the **"Un-Decorating Party"** on **Saturday, January 12** at 9:00 P.M.

There will be a **New Member Class** offered on **Sunday, January 13** at 11:30 A.M. downstairs in Disciples' Hall. A simple lunch will be offered. Please contact the church office (931-0243 or office@nmpchurch.org) if you are interested in attending the class.

Family Story Night - Friday, January 11 from 7-8 P.M. Come hear the telling of "Snowmen at Night", enjoy related craft activities and have popcorn and hot chocolate.

The **Book Discussion Group** is reading Kristen Hannah's "Nightingale" this month. Join the group on Wednesday,

Pew Cards are available in the pews in the Sanctuary for you to request Prayer, Worship CD or Home Communion. You may make your requests for yourself or on behalf of others. Completed cards may be placed in either the offering plate or handed to an usher following the service.

Security Monitor:
John Williams (513) 931-6127

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE for Sunday, December 30

	Children	Adults
9:00 A.M.	6	87
10:30 A.M.	5	115
TOTAL	11	202

19 children in programming

Sunday Service Notes



This morning we observe the sacrament of COMMUNION. All baptized Christians are invited to participate. Children who are old enough to understand (at the discretion of their parents) may also partake.

Second Mile Offering is an opportunity to contribute toward ministries that are truly worthy of funding above and beyond what can be within our church budget. **January' Second Mile Offering** is for **Student Ministries**.

PLEASE REMEMBER: When you are here for worship or a meeting, please **lock your cars and do not leave anything of value visible in your cars.**

January 16 at 7:00 P.M. in the Lounge to discuss the book.

It's time to register for Northminster Children's Co-op Preschool! We have programs for children ages 2-5 years. Our program is Christian based and follows Ohio's Early Learning and Development Standards. The preschool hours are 9:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. For additional information join us for our Open House on **Saturday, January 26** from 10:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. or visit the website www.northminster-coop.weebly.com.

The Flower Calendar for 2019 has been posted in the hall outside the volunteer office. Sign your name by the date you prefer or call the church office at 931-0243. The cost of the arrangements are \$35.00.

The **2019 Offering Envelopes** are in the hallway outside the Sanctuary. If you would like to start receiving offering envelopes contact Marianne Lord at mhblord@yahoo.com.

JOURNEY TO HOPE

All support and coaching groups at Journey to Hope are open to the entire Greater Cincinnati community. We encourage you to attend. Please share this information freely with anyone who could benefit from any of our programs.

If pre-registration is required, call Diane at 931-5777, e-mail dkinsella@jtoh.org, or visit jtoh.eventbrite.com

Caregivers' Support Group - Sunday, January 6 | 3:30 - 5 PM Ring in the New Year with the Caregivers' Support Group! How did the holidays go? What worked? What didn't? Are there any special topics you would like for us to tackle in 2019?

Coming in 2019: The 2019 schedule planning and coordinating is under way! Please stay tuned for details on new groups, updated groups, and some favorites, in the weeks ahead. We will have the full schedule for January - June pretty well defined by January 1.

Remembering Journey to Hope: This final month of the year is, as with most nonprofits, our busiest time of the year for fundraising. If you would like to support our work further, please pick up one of the brochures located on the information desk in the Commons for how to do that. You may also donate online at our website: www.jtoh.org Thank you!

OUTSIDE NORTHMINSTER

Smart Senior Workshop - January 15 from 10:30-1 P.M. at Ohio Living Llanfair (1701 Llanfair Ave.) The first workshop is **"Top Tips for Preventing Abuse"**. Officer Princess Davis from the Cincinnati Police Department will be the speaker. The second workshop will be **"Don't be Scammed"**. Sandra Guile from the Cincinnati Better Business Bureau will be the speaker. A Buffet Lunch will be served at 11:30. **RSVP by Jan. 11** to Kim Kaser at 513-591-4567 or kkaser@ohioliving.org.

This week, January 6 2019 at Northminster

Sunday, January 6

3:30 P.M. Caregivers' Support Group
- *Journey to Hope*

Monday, January 7

9:30 A.M. Children's Co-Op
- *Rooms 7, 8, 9 & 10*
4:00 P.M. Ring of Peace - *Sanctuary*
6:30 P.M. Small Group (Decker) - *Library*
7:00 P.M. Boy Scout Troop 857 Committee
- *Lounge*
7:00 P.M. Minister Ringers - *Sanctuary*

Tuesday, January 8

9:00 A.M. ESL Teachers - Founders' Hall
9:30 A.M. Children's Co-Op
- *Rooms 7, 8, 9 & 10*
1:00 P.M. Prayer Shawl Ministry - *Room 5*
6:00 P.M. Scout Patrol Leaders Council
- *Disciples' Hall-North*
7:00 P.M. Boy Scout Troop 857
- *Disciples' Hall-North*
7:00 P.M. Cub Scout Parent Meeting - *Lounge*
7:00 P.M. Session - *Room 5*
7:00 P.M. Trustees - *Library*

Wednesday, January 9

9:00 P.M. Church Staff Meeting - *Room 5*
9:30 A.M. Children's Co-Op
- *Rooms 7, 8, 9 & 10*
6:30 P.M. "The Walk" Bible Study
- *Disciples' Hall*
7:00 P.M. Art Fair Committee - *Room 5*
7:00 P.M. Crosspoint Band Rehearsal
- *Founders' Hall*

Thursday, January 10

9:30 A.M. Children's Co-Op
- *Rooms 7, 8, 9 & 10*
7:00 P.M. Sanctuary Choir - *Sanctuary*

Friday, January 11

6:15 A.M. Men's Bible Study - *Room 5*
9:00 A.M. ESL & Citizenship Classes - *Lounge, Founders' Hall, Library, Fellowship Commons*
9:30 A.M. Children's Co-Op - *Rooms 7, 8, 9 & 10*

Saturday, January 12

8:00 A.M. Woodworking Club - *Disciples' Hall*
12:00 P.M. Ray of Hope Youth Service
- *Founders' Hall*

Sunday, January 13

11:30 A.M. Membership Class - *Disciples' Hall*
11:30 A.M. NSM Roundtable - *Upper Room Founders' Hall*
6:30 P.M. NSM Parents - *Room 5*

**Sunday, January 13
Ordination/Installation
Ephesians 1:7-12
"Cost-Benefit Analysis"**

EVERY SUNDAY at NORTHMINSTER

9:00 A.M. **Crosspoint Worship - Founders' Hall**
9:00 A.M. Small Group (McGrath) - *Lounge*
9:15 A.M. Bible Believers Adult Bible Study - *Rm. 1*
9:00 A.M. Sunday School - *Rooms 5 & 7*
9:00 A.M. Nursery - *Room 8*
10:30 A.M. **Worship - Sanctuary**
10:30 A.M. Sojourners - *Founders' Hall*
10:30 A.M. Nursery - *Room 8*
10:30 A.M. Sunday School - *Rooms 5 & 7*
12:00 P.M. Ray of Hope Church Service - *Founders' Hall*
4:45 P.M. PYRE Bell Choir - *Sanctuary & Fellowship Commons*
6:30 P.M. NSM Sunday Nights - *Upper Room*

Prayer List for January 6, 2019

"REJOICE with those who rejoice. WEEP with those who weep"

Bereaved

The Kershner family in the death of Jerry's father,
Ted Kershner - *December 25, 2018*

Hospitalized

Kiedis Nicak - Children's
(*infant son of Ashley and Rick Nicak grandson of Art and Kay Carran*)
Betsy Howes - *Good Samaritan*

Under the Care of Hospice

Bob Roediger at *Bodmann*
Beverly Sjolín at *Twin Lakes Memory Unit*

Births

Ryland Stone born *December 17, 2018*
The parents are Kevin and Katrina Stone.
The grandparents are Harry and Melinda Stone.

Remember to contact the church office
(931-0243 or office@nmpchurch.org)

Recuperating and Ongoing Treatments
Please call the office to update us on names of relatives & friends.

David Addison
Dave Bean
Charlene Breidster
Bob Booker (*friend of Howard Krueger*)
Holly Boots (*daughter of Gloria Oliver*)
Jo Hannah Boots (*daughter-in law of Gloria Oliver*)
Robert Boots (*son of Gloria Oliver*)
Jim Bowles
Lillie Carlisle (*mother of Sylvia Yorke*)
Coban Presbyterian Church & Pastor Philip Beisswenger & family
Dick Flaig
Matthew Friedhoff
Emily Giust (*granddaughter of Don Lincoln*)
Connie Glazier (*friend of Diane Shuler*)
Judy Krueger (*sister of Howard Krueger*)
Howard Krueger
Howard Lawson (*father of Sherri Horton*)
Charlene Mecklenburg
<https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/charlenemecklenburg>
Diane Niehaus (*cousin of Debbie Brandt*)
Doug Otting Family (*friend of Karen Kremzar*)
Paul Piening (*friend of Howard Krueger*)
Eric Poppe (*friend of Diane Shuler*)
Evelyn Schanck (*sister of Gloria Oliver*)
Richard Schanck (*nephew of Gloria Oliver*)
Jessica Seay (*daughter of Bob & Kathy Dolle*)
Sharyn Speckman
Ruth Shaw
Dave Switzer
Rick Towner (*friend of Carol Gates*)

Members in Care Facilities

Alois Alzheimer Center Jack Geis
Arden Courts of Kenwood Lynne Reynolds
Burlington House Carolyn Brandt
Fairfield Place Fay Harris
Legacy at Wellspring Don Haas
Maple Knoll - Bodmann Wayne Frye, Mary Gibson, Jim Golan, Peg Jenkinson, Evelyn Rentschler,
Marjorie P. Lee Joan Jester
Mt. Airy Gardens Frances Hogue
Mt. Healthy Christian Elaine Kartisek
The Kenwood Ed Ebrite
Triple Creek Joan Thorpe
Twin Towers Thilda Muir, Janet Sinks

Daily Prayer Focus

Sunday
The participants of the Caregiver's Group

Monday
The children and teachers as they return back to school after the holiday break

Tuesday
Members of Session

Wednesday
The Church Staff

Thursday
The Art Fair Committee as they start planning for the February 2nd Fine Arts Fair.

Friday
Bob & Ellen Hargrave serving with African Inland Mission

Saturday
Korean Presbyterian Church

Sunday
The participants of the New Member Class