

AUGUST 9, 2009



# Northminster

Presbyterian Church



it's CHILD'S PLAY

# *Who We Are*

*“Joyful and alive in Christ!”*

# *Our Purpose*

*Through Jesus Christ  
Planting seeds of hope  
Branching out in faith  
Bearing fruit in love  
All for the glory of God!*

**WELCOME**

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## *WELCOME*

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At times we can all feel a bit alone in this world; yet Jesus tells us that he will never leave us. Like a good parent Jesus is always there. Our hope is that this morning you will know and experience Jesus' presence and will carry this with you for the rest of this week and beyond.

*Welcome* to worship at Northminster this morning.



... FROM PASTOR  
KEN SKODIAK

## *SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES*

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<b>Contemporary:</b>	<b>8:00am</b>
<b>Worship &amp; Wonder for children:</b>	<b>8:00am</b> (dismissed from Sanctuary)
<b>Traditional:</b>	<b>9:30am and 11:00am</b>
<b>Worship &amp; Wonder for children:</b>	<b>11:00am</b> (dismissed from Sanctuary)
<b>Fusion:</b>	<b>6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall</b>

## *CHURCH OFFICE HOURS*

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<b>Monday-Thursday:</b>	<b>8:00am - 4:00pm</b>
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>8:00am - 3:00pm</b>
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>8:00am - 12:30pm</b>

## *INTERNET*

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Visit our new Web site at [www.npctucson.org](http://www.npctucson.org) for online versions of our newsletters and bulletins, as well as information on Northminster ministries and upcoming events.

## *RADIO BROADCASTS*

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Join us on the air! Our worship services and ministry are broadcast on KGMS 940AM on Sundays from 6:00-7:00pm and Monday through Friday, 6:30-7:00am.

## *DAILY DEVOTIONS*

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Be sure to pick up the latest monthly edition of our devotional guide based on readings from *The Daily Lectionary*, and written by Northminster members! Pick one up from an usher or from the Church Office, or download a copy online.

## *PUBLICATIONS DEADLINES*

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Articles for the weekly bulletin must be submitted by Wednesday, 8:00am. Articles for the monthly newsletter, *The Vine & The Branches*, are due no later than 8:00am on the second Friday of the month. If you would like to receive our newsletter, please contact our Church Office.

Articles should be submitted in Microsoft Word when possible. Electronic submission via email is preferred. Please email all articles to Jim Peck, Publications Editor, [jpeck@npctucson.org](mailto:jpeck@npctucson.org).

## UPCOMING SERMONS & THEMES

### *It's Child's Play! series*

August 16	1 Timothy 4:12-16	Relating to Teens!
August 23	Colossians 3:18-25	Relating to Kids!
August 30	1 John 3:1-7	Finding Your Second Childhood!

### ***BE a Witness: "Are You Contagious?" series***

September 6	2 Corinthians 5:11-21	Immunized or Infectious?!
September 13	1 Corinthians 12:1-6,11	Show Them Jesus—Be Yourself!
September 20	Luke 5:27-32	Daring Depth!
September 27	Romans 12:9-21	So What's Your Story?

## CHANCEL FLOWER DEDICATIONS

If you would like to give the Chancel Flowers in memory of someone, please contact Marian Hargrove in the Church Office at 327-7121.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM SCHEDULE

In order for you to plan accordingly, the following dates have been scheduled for the Sacrament of Baptism: **September 13 and October 11**. Please call the Church Office at 327-7121 to arrange for a baptism. If possible, we would like to receive requests three weeks prior to the requested baptism date.

## CHURCH NURSERY FOR INFANTS TO THREE YEARS OLD

The Nursery is staffed from **7:45am-12:15pm every Sunday** and is located in Room 2 of the Christian Education Building. Child care is provided during all three Sunday morning worship services. Children are promoted out of the Nursery in August only.

## WORSHIP & WONDER: CHURCH FOR KIDS!

Worship and Wonder is a worship experience for children age four through second grade held during the **8:00am and 11:00am worship services**. It is designed to help children experience God through music, biblical storytelling, and prayer while giving children the freedom to respond to God (wonder) in their own way. After the children's message, leaders escort children to CE Room 7. Any parent of a new or visiting child is welcome to go with their child to Worship and Wonder until they feel that their child is comfortable. Parents may pick up their children in CE Room 7 after the worship service.

## HEARING ASSISTANCE

The Northminster Sanctuary is equipped with an amplification system to assist worshippers who have difficulty in hearing the worship service. If you would like to use one of the receivers, just ask any of our ushers. They will give you a receiver and your choice of attachments, and will provide you with additional information.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES

Sunday school for all ages takes place at 9:30am. See this week's calendar at the back of the bulletin for room assignments.

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP - 8:00AM

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Welcome! Thank you for silencing your cell phones and pagers during the worship service.

Feel free to join the worship leaders in singing or reflect in silence as we prepare for worship.

### Gathering

*Sanctuary*

Praise Team

### Invitation to Worship

Ken Skodiak

### Songs and Prayers

*The New Song We Sing*

*Mighty to Save*

### Sharing

Greetings

Message for Children

*The children are dismissed to Worship & Wonder at this time.*

Church Life

Pastor Skodiak

### Songs and Prayers

*Jesus Messiah*

*Your Name*

### Offerings

*Everlasting God*

B. Brown

### The Word

Scripture John 14:22-31

Series It's Child's Play!

Message Jesus Parents Us!

Pastor Skodiak

### Response

*Sweet Adoration*

### Blessing

8:00

## *SERVICE OF WORSHIP - 9:30 & 11:00AM*

*Welcome! And thank you for silencing your cell phone/pager during worship. We hope that as you enter the Sanctuary you can joyfully prepare yourself, in quietness and reflection, to worship God.*

*The \* indicates congregation standing, if you are able.*

**Prelude** M. Clementi  
J.S. Bach  
Lesli and Daniel Pintor, Pianists  
*Allegro from Duetto in C  
Invention No. 8 in F Major*

**Introit** *Celebrate*

**Call to Worship** Rev. Pete Seiferth

Leader Come let us bow down and worship.

**People** **Let us shout out aloud to the rock of our salvation.**

Leader Let us sing praises to the one who has called us out of the darkness and into the light.

**People** **Let us come before the Lord our God with thanksgiving and praise.**

### **Prayer of Invocation and Confession**

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.

**\*Hymn 71** *(green hymnal) Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

### **\*Greetings and Welcome**

**Sermon for Children** *(11:00am)* Rev. Ken Skodiak  
*The children are dismissed to Worship & Wonder (children's church) at this time.*

**Moment for Church Life** Rev. Seiferth

**Reception of New Members** Rev. Seiferth

**Solo** *(9:30am)* Mr. Doug Alborn, Tenor  
*I Believe*

**Pastoral Prayer** Rev. Seiferth

**\*Response** *Doxology (green hymnal 34)*

**\*Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

<b>Offertory</b>	<i>Allegro Maestoso</i>	F.Mendelssohn
<b>Anthem</b> (9:30am)	<i>Praise the Lord, Our God, Forever</i>	Mozart, arr. Ehret
<b>Solo</b> (11:00am)	<i>I Believe</i>	Mr. Doug Alborn, Tenor
<b>Scripture Lesson</b>		John 14:22-31
<b>Series</b>	It's Child's Play!	
<b>Sermon</b>	Jesus Parents Us!	Rev. Skodiak
<b>*Hymn 466</b> (green hymnal) <i>Take My Life and Let It Be</i>		
<b>*Benediction</b>		
<b>*Response</b>	<i>Take My Life</i>	Malan
<b>Postlude</b>	<i>Prelude and Fugue in G Minor</i>	J. Krebs

Praise the Lord, our God, forever.  
 Let us rejoice with heart and voice,  
 And sing his praise forevermore.

The Lord in Zion reigns  
 And o'er the land his rule he does maintain.  
 O praise, O praise,  
 With joy let our alleluias ring.

Praise the Lord, our God, forever.  
 Let us rejoice with heart and voice,  
 And sing his praise forevermore.  
 Alleluia, alleluia,  
 Sing praise unto the Lord forever,  
 O praise the Lord forevermore.

This morning's anthem is based on an original setting by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, adapted by Walter Ehret, who created a joyful text of praise and arranged a lively anthem very well suited to a summer Sunday morning. It is composed in the form of a two-part canon or in non-musical terms, as a round—as in *Row, Row, Row Your Boat*. The subject is sung in unison by the entire choir (beginning with the first verse above), then sung by the women alone, with the men singing the subject when the women begin singing new material. The men essentially “chase” the women throughout finally catching them for the final “alleluias.” Kidding aside, listen for the imitative entrances, but most importantly, allow your spirits to be lifted in praising our God forever.

Mozart (1756-1791), the musical genius, was born in Salzburg in 1756. He was the second child in the family of Leopold Mozart. Like his older sister, Maria Anna (Nannerl), he showed great musical talent beginning at a very young age. It is said that one day at age three, as his father concluded a piano lesson with his sister, young Wolfgang walked over to the piano and began to play back the lesson just given to his older sibling. By age five, he began to compose pieces for the piano, with his father writing down the notes as he played them. It was about this time that his father began taking him on European musical tours. A very famous painting of him playing for the Austrian Empress Maria Theresa at about age five is hanging in the Schönbrunn Palace in Vienna.

Ehret, a graduate of Juilliard and Teacher's College, Columbia University, has spent his life in the service of music both in teaching and in the church. He is one of the nation's most prolific and respected choral arrangers and has over 2,000 publications in print.

Welcome to Lesli Pintor and son, Daniel, pianists, who are playing for the prelude. Daniel is in eighth grade at Emily Gray Junior High School. Daniel also plays alto sax, tenor sax, and banjo. Lesli has been a member of the NPC Sanctuary Choir for over ten years. She also plays flute and has served as accompanist for the men's choir.

Welcome and thanks to Doug Alborn, tenor soloist, and long-time Sanctuary Choir member.

## NEW MEMBERS

This morning, we welcome the following new members who were received by the Session on Sunday, July 26 and April 26, 2009.



**Johnnie Edmond**  
7659 W Rising Ridge Rd  
Tucson, AZ 85743  
520-744-8676  
Reaffirmation of Faith



**Miriam Kennedy**  
6113 E San Leandro  
Tucson, AZ 85715  
520-795-5473



**Fred & Nancy Niegocki**  
5444 E Willard St  
Tucson, AZ 85712  
520-881-1971

## BRIDGES - WORSHIP AND BIBLE WORKSHOP FOR KIDS

**Saturday, August 15, 9:00am-12:00pm.** The Bridges Worship and Bible Workshop is designed to help children entering grades 3-5 to understand the basics of both worship and reading the Bible in the reformed Presbyterian tradition, and to take the next step to full participation in the life of the church. In this fun and interactive time of learning, children will receive a rare behind the scenes look at the impressive sanctuary pipe organ, hear from Pastor Pete Seiferth about the elements that make worship special, and Chris Yamanaka will allow the kids to “go techie.” Don’t miss this exciting opportunity to help your child grow in their spiritual life and in their participation in the life of the church! Sign up by contacting Peter Earhart at 327-7121 or pearhart@npctucson.org.

## PROMOTION SUNDAY

A new school year in Children’s Ministries begins **Sunday, August 16.** We invite all Bible BLAST children to move up to their next grade level at this time. Nursery children who are three years old (by August 31) are invited to join our 3s & 4s Bible BLAST class during the 9:30am worship service.

Grades and classroom assignments: Two year olds - begin in the Nursery; Three and four year olds - Room 4; Kindergarten - Room 5; Grade 1 - Room 6; Grade 2 - Room 7; Grade 3 - Room 8; Grade 4 - Room 9; Grade 5 - Room 10.

Parents may tag along on this first day, meet your child’s shepherd, travel to workshops and get a glimpse of what your child will experience weekly at Bible BLAST! Questions? Contact Sheila Yamanaka at 327-7121 or syamanaka@npctucson.org.

## ARE YOU THE BEST CHURCH FOR YOUR COMMUNITY?

In keeping with the transformational theme of "BEING the church and not just going to church," God has providentially brought an educational opportunity for us to be challenged to think about Northminster Presbyterian Church beyond the four walls and the steeple, and how we can "be the best church for the community" where we live and work. Consider joining us on **Tuesday, August 25** to attend a one-day "Externally Focused Church Seminar" at Pantano Christian Church. Our goal is to have at least ten from NPC so that we can be a "sponsoring church." Let's step forward together as a community of God's people for challenge, discovery, and learning about how we can participate in the places God is identifying and sending us to! For information, contact the Church Office at 327-7121.

## CRAFTERS SUMMER VACATION

The Crafters are on summer vacation! We will be starting up again on **Tuesday, August 18 at 9:30am in the Multipurpose Room**. If you have an interest in crafts, and would like some fellowship and fun, please join us when we start up again this fall.

## CAREGIVER STRESS

There is a new support group starting at Northminster for the family members of Alzheimer's/Dementia victims. Bruce Bagley, a member of Northminster, will be our group leader/facilitator. The group will meet on the first and third Wednesday of the month in our Library from 1:00-2:30pm. Our next meeting is on **Wednesday, August 19**.

## BECOMING DISCIPLES THROUGH BIBLE STUDY

**Every Thursday, September 3, 2009-May 13, 2010, 6:00-8:00pm.** Please join Pastor John Cheek and Kaylee Ross for 34 weeks as they lead an in-depth, high-commitment study that seeks to open the Scriptures so that they become Biblically-literate and reflective disciples of Jesus Christ.

Disciple I (Becoming Disciples Through Bible Study) will cover 34 weeks of daily preparation and group meetings, in which most of the Bible is read. There is great learning, discussion, and wrestling with understanding our biblical faith in Jesus Christ.

A \$35 donation is suggested to cover the cost of the study materials. Reserve your spot now! Contact Sheila Yamanaka at 327-7121 or syamanaka@npctucson.org for more information or if you would like to join the class!

## YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULES

**SonLife Mid High Youth Group**, for students in grades 6-8, meets **every Wednesday, 6:30-8:00pm in the Multipurpose Building**.

August 12	End of the summer party
August 19 and 26	Regular meeting

**Cornerstone Senior High Youth Group** is for students in grades 9-12, and meets **every Sunday, 4:00-5:30pm in the Multipurpose Building**. Remember to support Roger, please bring \$3.

August 9, 16, and 23	Regular meeting
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## *BECOME A CONTAGIOUS CHRISTIAN*

Is your love for Jesus Christ contagious? It can be! This September, we will begin a new study series to help us communicate our faith to others in a style that fits us individually. Becoming a Contagious Christian will be tied in with our sermon series “Be A Witness—Are You Contagious?” Adult classes will be available on Sundays beginning on **September 6 for six weeks, at 8:00am, 9:30am, and 11:00am in the Grundstrom Room**. This DVD series is designed to help you confidently and effectively spread your faith naturally to people you know. Want to know more? A limited number of *Becoming a Contagious Christian* paperback books are on sale in the Church Office for \$13. Please plan to join over one million people who have learned through these sessions how God can use you to reach out to others for him. For more information contact the Church Office at 327-7121 or office@npctucson.org.

## *SENIOR HIGH RETREAT*

**September 11–13.** Senior High students are invited to a weekend getaway retreat at United Christian Youth Camp (UCYC) in Prescott, Arizona with Pastor Ken Skodiak and the other youth leaders. The retreat cost is \$120. Scholarships are available. Registration forms are available in the Senior High Room and are due back with payment no later than August 30. For more information, please contact Sheila Yamanaka at 327-7121 or syamanaka@npctucson.org.

## *SENIOR HIGH POOL PARTY*

**Sunday, August 30, 4:00-6:30pm.** Senior High students grab your swim suits and head on over to Pastor Ken Skodiak’s for an end-of-the-summer swim party. Food and refreshments will be provided. A \$5 donation is requested to offset the cost of food. Any extra will be donated to Roger’s fund. This is a great invite-your-friends event. Help us plan by contacting Sheila Yamanaka at 327-7121 or syamanaka@npctucson.org by Sunday, August 23 to let us know you’re coming.

## *THE DEACONS’ CLOSET NEEDS YOUR HELP!*

The Deacons’ Closet shelves are bare again. We are in need of baby formula, baby food, cake mixes, canned fruit, canned meats, canned vegetables, cereal, crackers, diapers, jello, jelly, juices (individual servings), spaghetti sauce, toilet paper and personal care items, including razors, toothbrushes, and tooth paste.

## *HOSPITAL VISITATION*

Through the vision of Pastor John Cheek and the Northminster Compassion Ministries, a program has been developed and dedicated to bringing the love and grace of Jesus Christ to those who have been hospitalized. Those involved will be readily available for hospital visitation needs. This ministry will greatly increase the level of visitation to those in hospitals, rehab, hospice, etc. Please pray for this effort. Those wishing to become a part of this important ministry, please sign up in the Rowley Courtyard, or e-mail Sam Adkins at samkadkins@aol.com, Pastor Cheek at jcheek@npctucson.org, or contact the Church Office at 327-7121.

**BLOOD DRIVE**

We will be sponsoring another blood drive on Sunday, August 23, 8:00am-12:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please help save a life! The sign up sheet is available in the Church Office and in the Rowley Courtyard between morning worship services on August 9 and 16. Any questions, contact Kathy Lee at 318-0536 or kleemassage@gmail.com.

**HELP A FRIEND MEET JESUS THROUGH JOHN, HIS STORY**

*John, His Story*, a biblical comedy/drama, will be presented by Waypoint, Southern Arizona's only faith-based theatre company, on **Wednesday, September 2 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall**. This performance is to attract those who currently do not have a church home. Tell your friends and neighbors! Although admission is free, tickets are required, and space is limited. Tickets are available only through the Church Office. A Waypoint "love offering" will be taken, 20% of which will go to support NPC missions. For more information, visit [www.npctucson.org](http://www.npctucson.org) or call the Church Office at 327-7121.

**BIBLE BLAST - SHARE YOUR GIFTS AND TALENTS**

Men and women of all ages are invited to share their gifts and talents with the children of Northminster by becoming a Workshop Leader. Our Bible BLAST Workshop Rotation Model, teaches major concepts and Bible stories through kid-friendly, multi-intelligence workshops, such as art, cooking, science, storytelling, music & movement, games, drama and multimedia. It teaches the same Bible story in all of the workshops for four to five weeks, rotating the kids to a different workshop each week. Workshop Leaders commit to only one 5-week rotation, Sundays, 9:30-10:30am, teaching the same lesson each week to the different grade levels coming in. For information please contact Sheila Yamanaka at 327-7121 or [syamanaka@npctucson.org](mailto:syamanaka@npctucson.org).

**SUMMER CHOIR**

Join the Summer Choir, which meets **every Sunday at 8:30am in the Music Rehearsal Room** to prepare for the 9:30am worship service. The music is "lighter," less difficult and designed to be learned in one rehearsal before the service. No weekday rehearsal or commitment is required. Drop in on the Sundays that you are in town and join in the singing! Singers ages 14-90 are welcome to participate on summer Sundays.

**BECOME A PRAYER WARRIOR!**

A new prayer ministry is beginning at Northminster. The purpose is to bring us together as a community, meet spiritual needs of individuals, encourage NPC members to have an emphasis on prayer and praying with and for others, help members be more comfortable with prayer, and to reinforce the principle that Northminster considers prayer to be vital. Do you feel called to be a prayer minister? We are looking for people within the church community who would like to pray with individuals after one of the Sunday worship services. Training will be provided. For more information, please contact Liz Decker at 488-7916 or 626-6889.

## NORTHMINSTER PRAYER MINISTRIES

Each prayer ministry is individual. Listed below are the contact numbers for the various prayer ministries here at Northminster.

### **Prayer Chain**

Annie Bahnson 323-0646; Delores Ray 325-4958; Helen Reynolds 296-9531 or call the Church Office at 327-7121 and ask that the prayer request be forwarded to a prayer chain or published on the Prayer List printed in the weekly bulletin.

### **Bulletin Prayer Page**

Call 327-7121 and ask for Pastor John Cheek. The person to be prayed for or an immediate family member must make the request. Names will remain on the list for three weeks unless otherwise requested by the person or his/her immediate family.

### **Prayer Categories**

**Celebrations of Joy** (births, anniversaries, etc.)

**Prayers for Members and Friends**

**Prayers for Military Family and Friends**

*NOTE: When submitting names, please include rank and branch of service.*

*Example: Sgt. John Q. Public, USMC*

**Prayers for the Sick and/or Hospitalized**

**Prayers of Sympathy** (death of a loved one)

### **Prayer Request Cards**

Use the yellow Northminster Communication Card to make a prayer request and drop it in the collection boxes at the Sanctuary entrances or deliver it to the Church Office. Please use the check boxes on the back of the card to indicate the nature of your prayer request.

## SYMPATHY

We offer our Christian sympathy to the family and friends of the following:

- † Rev. Ramón G. Quintanar (*Rachel Brinker's father*) who died on August 1, 2009.
- † Mary Baumgartner, who died on August 2, 2009.
- † Larry Peck (*Jim Peck's uncle*), who died on August 3, 2009.
- † Lib Oldemeyer (*Rae Vermeal's mother*), who died on August 6, 2009.

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND/OR HOSPITALIZED

Jean Barber	Georgia Halloran	Sarah Kooy	John Riley	Mary Yazzie
Ted Belwish	Ally Hanks	Virginia Lynd	Jen Schmidt	
Lisa Birkholz	Bonnie Hawkinson	Elsie Olson	Jennifer Sooter	
Steven Cook	Christine Hawley	Shirley Pattengale	Beth Thompson	
Desiree	Jason Hiscock	Brian Perrill	Adam Thran	
Hawthorne Daun	Francis Joseph	Verlyn Peterson	Arthur VanCleave	
Bradford Eicher	Jeslie Kaleak	Kendal Platt	Piper Whiteman	

## PRAYERS FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

<b>Sunday, August 9</b> Karl & Patricia Gabrys Bill & Sonia Gaddis	<b>Tuesday, August 11</b> Dave & Susan Gallaher and family Marie Galloway	<b>Thursday, August 13</b> Andrew & Rachel Gardner Kirt & Nancy Gardner	<b>Saturday, August 15</b> Melvin & Willie Gawne Eugene Gedeon
<b>Monday, August 10</b> Carol Gale Vern Gale	<b>Wednesday, August 12</b> John & Mayra Garcia and family Judith Gardiner	<b>Friday, August 14</b> Brian & Danielle Garrigan and family Glen Garrigan	

## PRAYERS FOR MILITARY FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Spc Joel T. Adams, USA PO3 Christopher Allen, USN <i>Martha Allen's grandson</i> O'ryan Hewey Begay, USMC Sgt Stephen Bohn, USA SSgt Christopher Carpenter, USMC <i>Frank &amp; Yvonne Shallenberger's grandson</i> Sgt Joseph Colwell, USAirNG Allan Craft <i>(civilian in Afghanistan)</i> <i>Bob &amp; Lisa Grenier's brother-in-law</i> Pfc Marco Deleon, USA <i>Jim &amp; Julie Crane's son-in-law</i> Sgt Leander Denetso, USMC <i>Lisa Bolton's brother</i> CDR Lori English, USN <i>Bud &amp; Barabara English's daughter-in-law</i> Capts James & Rachel (Ott) Fagan, USAF SSgt Sean Ferguson, USA AB Laura Grainger, USAF <i>Bonnie Thompson's niece</i> Maj Mick Harper, USAF Scott Irish, USAF <i>Vic &amp; Henrietta Pisano's friend</i> MSgt Marnie Jewell, USAirNG Lt jg Katie Jones, USN <i>Brad &amp; Carol Bacon's granddaughter</i> E3 Maxwell Wetzel Kerry, USN <i>Charlie Wetzel's grandson</i>	Christal Kimmel, USAF E3 Alexander Kohlhepp, USN Capt Bill Kostan, USAF Jack Laing <i>(civilian in Iraq)</i> Pvt Brent LeFevers, USA <i>Terry &amp; Lorrie LeFevers' son</i> LtCol Glen McFarland, USA <i>Art &amp; David Hargrove's brother</i> Pvt Benjamin Mussack <i>Juanita Mussack's grandson</i> MSgt David Neve USAirNG Maj Adin Pfeuffer, USMC <i>Elmer &amp; Lorraine Pfeuffer's grandson</i> LCpl Paul Reimund, USMC <i>Michele Ross's cousin</i> Col Ken Sersun, USAF <i>Patty Tidy's brother</i> Capt Eunice Sorrell, USA <i>Chong Mayfield's niece</i> Lt Marc Stirton, USN <i>Jane Ray's grandson</i> HT1 Michael Strohmeier, USN TSgt Anne Marie Taylor, USAF <i>Fred &amp; Nancy Utter's granddaughter</i> Capt Barry Tucker, USAF Cadet Samuel Wharton, USMA <i>Dick &amp; Polly Wharton's grandson</i> Alex Yazzie <i>(Special Forces)</i>
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**SUNDAY, AUGUST 9**

- 7:45am Nursery - CE Rm 2  
**8:00am Contemporary Worship Service** - Sanctuary  
 Worship & Wonder (age 4 - grade 2) - CE Rm 7  
 8:30am Summer Choir Warm Up - Music Rehearsal Rm  
**9:30am Traditional Worship Service** - Sanctuary  
*Adult Bible Studies*  
 Beloved Disciple - Fellowship Hall  
 The Life and Times of Noah - Grundstrom Rm  
*Bible BLAST Classes*  
 3 year olds-Kindergarten - CE Rm 5  
 Grade 1-5 - CE Rms 8 & 9  
*Youth Sunday School Classes*  
 Mid High - Mid High Rm  
 Senior High - Senior High Rm  
**11:00am Traditional Worship Service** - Sanctuary  
 Worship & Wonder (age 4 - grade 2) - CE Rm7  
 12:15pm Bible BLAST Leaders Lunch/Meeting - Grundstrom Rm  
**3:00pm Arabic Presbyterian Ministry** - Grundstrom Rm  
 4:00pm Cornerstone Senior High Youth Group - Senior High Rm  
 5:00pm Presbytery Mission Partnerships Team - Mid High Rm  
**6:00pm Fusion Worship Service** - Fellowship Hall  
 Radio Broadcast on KGMS 940AM  
**MONDAY, AUGUST 10**  
 6:30am Radio Broadcast on KGMS 940AM  
 9:00am Preschool Teachers' Orientation - CE Rms 8 & 9  
 9:30am Library Workers - Library  
**TUESDAY, AUGUST 11**  
 6:30am Radio Broadcast on KGMS 940AM  
 Women's Morning Bible Study - Library  
 8:00am Aerobics - CE Rms 8 & 9  
 9:00am Deacons' Food Distribution - Mid High Rm  
 10:30am Preschool Teachers' Orientation - CE Rms 8 & 9  
 12:30pm Staff Lunch and Meeting - Grundstrom Rm  
 3:00pm Fellowship Committee - Multipurpose Rm

- 4:15pm Pilates - CE Rms 8 & 9  
 5:30pm Seven Pipers Society Rehearsal - Fellowship Hall  
 Decker Bible Study - Senior High Rm  
 7:00pm Contemporary Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12**

- 6:30am Radio Broadcast on KGMS 940AM  
 9:00am Cookie Corps - Fellowship Hall Kitchen  
 Preschool Teachers' Orientation - CE Rms 8 & 9  
 Quilters - Multipurpose Rm  
 10:00am Women of the Word (WOW) - Grundstrom Rm  
 6:00pm Alpha Leaders Training - Grundstrom Rm  
 6:30pm Social Action Ministry - Library  
 SonLife Mid High Youth Group - Mid High Rm

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 13**

- 6:30am Radio Broadcast on KGMS 940AM  
 8:00am Aerobics - CE Rms 8 & 9  
 9:15am Preschool Board - Senior High Rm  
 9:30am Campana del Rio Bible Study - Off Campus  
 Presbytery Ministry for Preparation - Multipurpose Rm  
 10:00am Bridge Club - Fellowship Hall  
 12:00pm Men's Power Lunch Bible Study - Grundstrom Rm  
 2:30pm Bereavement Small Group - Library  
 4:00pm Evangelism Committee - Grundstrom Rm  
 6:00pm Preschool Parent Orientation - Fellowship Hall  
 Pet Loss Small Group - Library  
 Taking Pounds Off Sensibly - Grundstrom Rm

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 14**

- 6:00am Grounds Maintenance - Whole Campus  
 6:30am Pastor Cheek's Prayer Group - Grundstrom Rm  
 Radio Broadcast on KGMS 940AM  
 8:00am V&B Deadline

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 15**

- 8:00am Organ Rehearsal - Sanctuary  
 9:00am Bridges - CE Rms 8 & 9  
 2:00pm Mary Baumgartner Memorial Service - Sanctuary

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Dr. Andrew Ross, Pastor  
*Worship Services; Seniors Ministries*



Rev. John Cheek, Associate Pastor  
*Congregational Care & Visitation; Deacons*

Rev. Pete Seiferth, Associate Pastor  
*Small Groups; Young Adults (25-40); Spiritual Formation & Family Ministries; Joining the Church; Fusion Worship Service*

Rev. Ken Skodiak, Associate Pastor  
*Youth Ministries (grades 6-12); Men's Ministries; College/Career; Mission Outreach*



Dr. Richard Rowley, Pastor Emeritus

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## Ministry Staff

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*Bell Choirs Director*



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*Nursery Director*

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## Northminster Christian Preschool & Kindergarten Staff

Mary Krongaard  
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