



**NORTHTOWN**

**CHURCH**

Bringing people together and to God

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*W*E GIVE YOU THANKS,  
AND *praise* YOUR  
*glorious*  
*name.*

I CHRONICLES 29:13, NIV

## ***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.



### **Northtown's Neighborhood Carnival**

Be sure to be here for our second annual Northtown Neighborhood Carnival on **Saturday, August 29!** We'll be reaching out to our neighbors in our "backyard" as well as to friends as family.

We are providing complimentary cookies and lemonade for the children and parents who attend the carnival. Please bring cookies to the church kitchen on Sunday the 23rd or Wednesday the 26th. We had over 300 attendees last year so needless to say we need lots of cookies! Contact Cindy Wewel for questions.

In addition, last year we gave away over 200 bags of school supplies to needy children in Christ's name. So, continue to bring in school supplies as well. Supplies can be dropped off in the appropriate bins in the lobby.

Please help be a "witness" to others and volunteer at this year's NNC!

# Walk-the-Streets



**Walk the Streets on Sunday August 23:** Right after worship, we will distribute flyers for the Northtown Neighborhood Carnival in the surrounding neighborhoods. If **everyone** gave about 30 minutes and took one route, we could hand out about 2000 flyers! Plus, it's a wonderful way to spend time together representing Christ to our neighbors. Wear comfortable shoes and join in!

## 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Potluck

Sunday, August 30<sup>th</sup> will be our 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Potluck immediately following services. The theme for this potluck will be "Bountiful Harvest". Bring a dish to share from the bounty of your summer garden (or Farmer's Market). Although the dishes do not have to be vegetarian, this is a great opportunity for vegan and vegetarian individuals to share a favorite recipe. If you have questions about the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Potluck, please see Peggy Love or Joyce Storer.

That everyone may eat and drink, and find satisfaction in all his toil - this is the gift of God." Ecclesiastes 3:13

## Do you carry a cell phone?

Ever wonder what would happen if we treated our Bible like we treat our cell phone?

What if we carried it around in our purses or pockets?

What if we flipped through it several time a day?

What if we turned back to go get it if we forgot it?

What if we used it to receive messages from the text?

What if we treated it like we couldn't live without it?

What if we gave it to kids as gifts?

What if we used it when we traveled?

What if we used it in case of emergency?

This is something to make you go....hmm...where is my Bible?

Oh, and one more thing.

Unlike our cell phone, we don't have to worry about our Bible being disconnected because Jesus already paid the bill.

Makes you stop and think 'where are my priorities? And no dropped calls!



## Servants for Service

This Week – August 16

**Speaker:** Keith Brumley  
**Announcer:** Craig O'Leske

**Communion:** Dave Spenner  
**Prayer:** John McAdams  
**Children's Church:** Tim, Regina, Reina Anderson  
**Greeters:** Corwin & Renee Russell  
**Ushers:** Roger Root, John McAdams

Next Week – August 23

Keith Brumley  
JerMaine Bryant  
Blain Gibson  
John McAdams  
Ed Wewel, Cindy Wewel,  
Natasha Davis  
Farshad & Frankie Maltes  
Ken Zinkgraf, Bob Monroe

### Calendar of Events

8/23 Hand out flyers for NNC  
8/29 NT Neighborhood Carnival

### Our Giving

Offering Last Week: \$2,051  
2009 Average: \$3,386  
2008 Budget: \$3,590

### Our Fellowship

Attendance Last Week: 110  
2009 Average: 134

### Mowing/Shoveling Schedule

8/16-8/22 Evan Bane, Garrett Bane, Gerry Turner  
8/23-8/29 Jared Klett, Jeff Spenner, JerMaine Bryant

### Children's Memory Verse for August:

"He who earnestly seeks good finds favor, But trouble will come to him who seeks *evil*.

*Proverbs 11:27*

•MAKING DISCIPLES•SAVING THE LOST•  
•OBEYING OUR CHRIST•

### Birthdays / Anniversaries This Week

8/16 Evan & Lisa Bane  
8/16 Donovan Wright  
8/19 James Hakes  
8/19 Isaiah Bowie  
8/20 Jarad Brumley  
8/20 Sarah Skorik  
8/21 Nicole Brown  
8/22 Jim Skorik

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

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