



Narberth Presbyterian Church

July 25, 2021

LORD'S DAY OF CELEBRATION

July 25, 2021

Prelude

Linda Pilacik
Piano

Welcome and Family News

Steve Weed

Call to Worship

1 Timothy 1:15-17

Hymn #62

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

St. Denio

Prayer of Invocation

Deborah Watson

Scripture

Isaiah 40:25-31

Jennifer Bonovitz

Prayer of Confession

Pastor Steve

Gracious God, we testify in Scripture and song that you have no rival, that you are exalted as the One and Only wise God. It makes us wonder why we so easily turn to lesser gods. We confess that we put our trust in things that do not satisfy or sustain us. We are empty without you. Please forgive us for neglecting your grace. We come to the cross to exchange our weakness for your strength. Grant us renewed allegiance to the Name that is above every Name, even Jesus Christ, the risen One. Amen.

Silent Prayer and Assurance of Pardon

Worship Songs

What A Beautiful Name
Living Hope

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Debbie

Scripture

Philippians 1:12-14, 21; 4:10-13

Pastor Debbie

Sermon

Strength Beyond Ourselves

Pastor Steve

Hymn #612

How Firm A Foundation

Foundation

Benediction

Pastor Steve

Postlude

Linda Pilacik
Organ

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

This Sunday, July 25th is Christmas in July!

Sunday, July 25th Children's Ministries will be celebrating Christmas and helping the "Parkway Christmas Shop"! All are encouraged to donate a new or gently used item and place it under our Christmas Tree in the Chapel. Jennifer Bonovitz will be joining us in Sunday School to speak more about this special mission. Children will also watch our 2020 Virtual Christmas Pageant - "A Socially Distant Christmas".

Items we are collecting are: gently used or new toys, gently used or new clothing - especially athletic brands, new Christmas wrapping paper or bags, new shower gels or fragrance mists. Monetary gifts can be given directly to Danielle. Cash is preferred, but if writing a check please make it out to Narberth Presbyterian Church with "Parkway Christmas Shop" in the memo.

Sunday, August 1st is Family Worship

Sunday, August 1st is Family Worship where rising Kindergarten through 5th grade remain in the sanctuary for worship and communion with their family (there is no Sunday School). Worship Bags will be provided. Please note the NPC Nursery is available for infants through preschool age children.

Beginning Sunday, August 8th - Bible and Bingo!

Sunday School children will begin a new program called Bible and Bingo beginning Sunday, August 8th. During our time together we will discover a new Bible Story followed by a fun game of Bingo with PRIZES! We will enjoy this throughout the month of August. B-I-N-G-O!

Moms of Little Ones - Children's Ministries is excited to announce a NEW group for moms of young children. If you are looking for a way to connect with other moms, children, and the church this is for you! For details on our upcoming events please contact Danielle (dkauffman@narberthpres.org) for more information.

YOUTH NEWS

Youth Sunday School Summer 2021 - "A Breath of Fresh Air" Series

This series is all about re-discovering what is Christian Spirituality. Many people know what Bible studies are, what Bible history is, and perhaps even what theology is, but we will be focusing on how God does CPR on our souls through the practice of Christian spirituality. Over the summer we will discuss topics such as true self in God, giving up bad behaviors, what to do when you feel as though you are losing faith, and much more.

These will coincide with the service and so we will begin at 930am SHARP. Please be in the room and ready to go. This is for MS and HS as well as any and all adults that are interested, we welcome and need your presence/input/participation.

July 25th - How to Burn Dead Wood

August 8th - Nope, You're Not Losing Faith, It's Growing

August 15th - How to Save Goats

August 22nd - How to Pray without Ceasing, Seriously

August 29th - Faith is a Road, Not a Castle

ADULT DISCIPLESHIP

SUNDAY CLASSES

8:15am - Scripture Discussion with Pastor Debbie

Class resumes today, 7/25: Note new time

MONDAY EVENING CLASSES

7:30-9:00pm Men's Bible Study Zoom Meeting, led by Tim Neilson

We are currently studying Revelation. All are welcome to join.

To contact Tim, text 610-613-5572 or email him at mytn1122@gmail.com

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

7:30pm July 7, 14, 21, 28

Pastor Steve is leading a 4-week Bible Study, "**Encounters With Jesus.**" We are studying people who encountered Jesus in the gospels, and how they were transformed. The goal is that we also would experience Jesus in some new and refreshing ways this summer. We invite the living presence of Jesus to be with us as we savor coming back together in person. **All are welcome!** Meet in Parlor.

FRIDAY

Friday Morning Ladies' Bible Study: Each Friday from 11am to 1:00pm

This group meets in-person AND on Zoom! Either at Narberth Pres in the Chapel (with masks and distancing) or by Zoom link. This group is open, all ladies are welcome. Contact Isabel Lally: 610-659-6663 or Cathy Callaway at

cathy.callaway5@gmail.com

PRAYER TIME - OPEN TO ALL

- **Monday Evening:** 7:00-8:00pm Facilitated by Dana Kaminstein
Contact Karen at 610-664-4880 to receive the Zoom link

Dr. Janet Moore has been serving in our Counseling Ministry for over 16 years, working with individuals struggling with a wide range of personal and psychological challenges. Dr. Moore's perspective is that addressing mental health issues is essential to opening our hearts and minds, thereby enabling a closer relationship with God that can sustain us in an imperfect world. You may reach Dr. Moore by leaving a message on her church extension, 610-664-4880 (ext. 121), or at 484-686-6630.

COMMUNICATIONS

Prayer

Requests for prayer can be made anytime by calling the church office or emailing to prayer@narberthpres.org Requests will be posted as quickly as possible for immediate prayer by the Prayer Team.

Small group leaders are encouraged to reach out to the Church office if any meeting resource (voice conference calling or video conference calling) is needed. Small group members are encouraged to remain in contact with each other. Some small groups may continue, others may take a break in this time. Small group leaders are encouraged to communicate with their group as to what you will be doing in this time.

Office: The church office may be contacted by phone at 610-664-4880 from 9 am to 4 pm Monday - Friday with questions, concerns, prayer requests, etc. Messages may also be left at any other time. We love to hear from you.

Giving: Your gifts and tithes make this ministry possible and keep our church strong. Giving may be done at: www.narberthpres.org/give
Giving may be done by texting your gift to 610-642-4831.
Gifts and tithes may also be mailed to the church office:

Narberth Presbyterian Church Attention: Financial Secretary
205 Grayling Ave. Narberth PA 19072

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Office hours 9:00am to 4:30pm Mon-Th.
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BUILDING DISCIPLES IN THE LOVE OF JESUS CHRIST

Sunday, July 25

8:15am Sunday School, led by Debbie Watson

9:30am Worship Service

In-person and live-streamed

Monday, July 26

7:00pm Zoom Prayer meeting

7:30-9:00pm Zoom Men's Bible Study, led by

Tim Neilson (Currently: Revelation)

Tuesday, July 27

Wednesday, July 28

7:00pm HS Youth Group

7:30pm Bible Study, led by Pastor Steve – Goes through month of July. Location: Parlor

To join any of the above listed Zoom meetings, please call the church office at 610-664-4880

Thursday, July 29

Friday, July 30

11:00am Women's Bible Study, Parlor

Saturday, July 31

Sunday, August 1

8:15am Sunday School

9:30am Worship Service

In-person and live-streamed

Each Week

Christian Pre-School – 610-664-8890

2, 3 & 5 Day Programs 9:00am to 12 noon & 12 noon to 3:00pm Extended Day Program, Sept.-May

AA meets 12:30pm, Monday–Saturday & Sunday at 4:30pm

Counseling: Dr. Janet Moore: cell: 484-686-6630 email: ilmpsyech@hotmail.com