

Northminster Happenings

January 3 thru January 9, 2010



As We Start the New Year

Welcome! With warm and friendly hands let us reach out to one another.

As we turn to a fresh, new page on the calendar, we pray that the new year will be filled with blessings of peace, hope, love, wisdom and grace.

Please sign the red fellowship pad as it is passed down the row.

A warm welcome is extended to all visitors.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Denise Molnar Jan. 4
Doris DeMers Jan. 5
Norine Kmett Jan. 5
Deana Knotts Jan. 5

Gary Molnar Jan. 7
Pam Long Jan. 8
Kathryn Spurgin Jan. 8

OUR WORSHIP LEADERS

Pastor · *Dwight McCormick II*
Director of Music · *Lydia Smith*
Organist · *Kristina Ahlstrom*
Liturgist · *Cindy Ater*
Ushers · *Kevin & Sue Creager*
Greeters · *Irene Hughes and Howard Garrett*

PRAYERS and CONCERNS

Marie Arnold
Carlisle Family
Brenda Fisher
Nancy Graves
The Hils Family
The James Johnson Family
The Lingo Family
Millie Lyons
Virginia Mitchell
Virginia Phillips
John Roberts' parents
Helen Stalder
Marta Stalder's sister, Ann
Sarah Stevens
Roger Thompson
Mary Ward
The Wirth Family
Our military men and women
serving in harm's way
and their families.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

2009

Sunday, December 27 75
Monthly Average 127
Yearly Average 106

2008


Sunday, December 28 51
Monthly Average 96
Yearly Average 111


C.A.F.E. (Coffee & Fellowship Express)

Stop by the Café table before and after worship for coffee, juice and baked goods. Enjoy the fellowship as you sip a drink and eat a treat. *Your donation is appreciated.*

Nursery Care A nursery attendant is available from 10:00 a.m. until after worship each Sunday morning. You may also choose to have your nursery aged child leave after the children's time.

Sunday School Classes

 **Youth up to grade 5** are welcome to attend Sunday School Classes after the children's time.

 **The Adult Forum** will resume on Sunday, January 10, 2010. The Monday night study group will resume on Monday, January 11, 2010 at 6:00 p.m.

New pairings for the Dinner for Eight groups are in the church mailboxes.



*A special welcome and thank you to
"The Harmony Trio" for providing
the special music for the
worship service this morning.*

*Carolyn Wilson,
Sharon Miller, Carrie Miller,
Chris Wiseman, Flute and Wenda Sesler, Accompanist.*

USHER SCHEDULE

Jan. 10	Kevin & Sue Creager
Jan. 17	Joe Bindley & Phil Kunkle
Jan. 24	Joe Bindley & Phil Kunkle
Jan. 31	Ron Montgomery & Jim Griffin

This Week's Calendar

Sunday, January 3

- Blood Pressure Screening

Monday, January 4

- 9:30 a.m. Young Woman's Mission Meeting and Luncheon

Wednesday, January 6

- 6:00 p.m. Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts
- 7:15 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Looking Ahead

Sunday, January 10

- 4:30 p.m. Youth Group

Monday, January 11

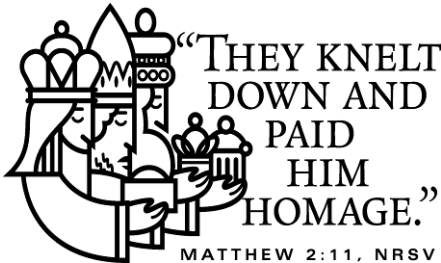
- 10:00 a.m. AVM Advisory Bd.
- 6:00 p.m. Finance Meeting
- 6:00 p.m. Study Group
- **DEADLINE for ANNUAL REPORT**

Wednesday, January 13

- 6:00 p.m. Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts
- 7:15 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, January 16

- 9:30 a.m. Youth helping at the Clifton Ave. Church of God Food Pantry.



ANNUAL REPORT DATES and DEADLINES

The **deadline for individual committee reports** for the Annual Report will be **Monday, January 11, 2010.** We would like to have the report ready for people to pick up on Sunday, January 24th, one week prior to the meeting.



ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

The ***Annual Congregational Meeting*** is scheduled for ***Sunday, January 31st*** immediately following worship. The purpose of the meeting is to: Receive reports of the boards, committees and organizations of the church.

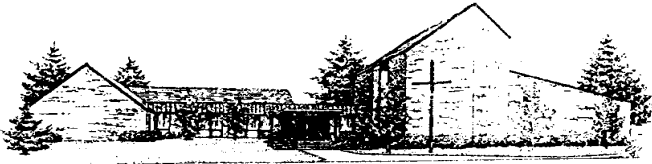
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Dwight McCormick II, Pastor

W. Franklin Sparks, Pastor Emeritus

Staff:

Howard Garrett & Dick White, *Adult Visionary Ministry*

Mark Brush & Debbie Spoon, *Youth Directors*

Dwilla Cramer & Joan Generous, *Presbyterian Women*

Bill Harrison, *Treasurer*

Nancy Jean Graves, *Parish Nurse*

Ruth George, *Librarian*

Lydia C. Smith, *Director of Music*

Kristina Ahlstrom, *Organist*

Mark Brush, *Custodian*

Gay Steiner, *Bookkeeper*

Deana Knotts, *Office Manager*

NORTHMINSTER'S VISION STATEMENT

REJOICE! RENEW! REACH OUT!

*A church family that lives and shares its Christian faith
by rejoicing, renewing and reaching out!*