

# Northminster Happenings

May 23, 2010 thru May 29, 2010



**Welcome to all who enter here!**  
*Please sign the red fellowship pad  
as it is passed down the row.  
A warm welcome is extended to all visitors.*

When the day of Pentecost had come,  
they were all together in one place.  
And suddenly from heaven there came a sound  
like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the  
entire house where they were sitting.  
Acts 2:1-2

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Matthew Dodds May 24

Diana Harrison May 27

## OUR WORSHIP LEADERS

**Pastor** • Dwight McCormick II  
**Director of Music** • Lydia Smith  
**Organist** • Kristina Ahlstrom  
**Liturgist** • Diana Schneider  
**Ushers** • Dave & Sally Asper  
**Greeters** • Howard Garrett  
and Irene Hughes

## WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

### 2010

Sunday, May 16 110

Monthly Average 117

Yearly Average 110

### 2009

Sunday, May 17 135

Monthly Average 123

Yearly Average 104

## PRAYERS and CONCERNS

Clint Brubaker  
Bob Brush  
Rosie DesCombes  
Brenda Fisher  
Ray Gorby  
BettyLou Graven's son-in law, Rob  
Nancy Graves  
Janet Heider  
Jim Kreckman  
Lingo Family  
Sheri Lukehart's nephews,  
Daniel and Justin  
Millie Lyons  
Tom McCuiston  
Linda Mintz  
Betty Mitchell  
Virginia Mitchell  
John Roberts' mother  
Kate Schoneman's grandfather  
Helen Stalder  
Marta Stalder's sister, Ann  
Mary Ward  
Wirth Family  
Our military men and women  
serving in harm's way  
and their families.

**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.* If you are interested in hosting café, please locate the sign-up sheet in the kitchen or see BettyLou Graven.

**Nursery Care** A nursery attendant is available from 10 AM 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 not meet today.

**Art Display** Tom and Sharon Stout are displaying some of their art work in the Family Room for others to enjoy before and after worship.



**PENTECOST PICNIC  
Today Following Worship**

We invite you to stay for the *Pentecost Picnic* following worship. This is a combined picnic with Covenant and Oakland Presbyterian Churches. The Deacons are providing the meal of: hamburgers, hot dogs, potato salad, baked beans, lemonade and iced tea.

*The Communion Offering helps to support the work of our Deacons.*

## **This Week's Calendar**

### **Sunday, May 23**

- 4:30 p.m. Youth Group

### **Monday, May 24**

- 6:30 p.m. Quilt Guild

### **Tuesday, May 25**

- 9:00 a.m. Bazaar Workshop
- 6:00 p.m. Committee Meetings
- 7:00 p.m. Session Meeting

### **Wednesday, May 26**

- 9:30 a.m. Mail Newsletter
- 6:00 p.m. Bell Choir
- 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts
- 7:15 p.m. Choir

## **Looking Ahead**

### **Monday, May 31**

- Memorial Day  
Office Closed

### **Tuesday, June 1**

- Summer Office Hours Begin

### **Saturday, June 5**


- 8:00 a.m. Pancake Breakfast  
Join us for pancakes the first Saturday of each month in the lower level Community Room. Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast and warm fellowship!



**Summer Greeter Schedules  
are in the church mailboxes.**

## **Food for Thought: A Meal with a Mission**

Join the Planning Committee on  
June 6, for lunch after church,  
from 11:30 to 1:30.

 Be prepared to share your  
favorite Bible story.

A time for the Planning Team to share some of the results of their work as they prepare to go to the next level of planning for Northminster's future.

### USHER SCHEDULE

May 30	Kevin & Sue Creager
June 6	Kevin & Sue Creager
June 13	Ruth Martin
June 20	Ruth Martin

## **Northminster Presbyterian Church**

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### **Pastors:**

Dwight McCormick II, Pastor  
W. Franklin Sparks, Pastor Emeritus

### **Staff:**

Dick White, *Adult Visionary Ministry*  
Mark Brush, Susan Dersch & 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!*

### **Church Office Hours and Information**

Church office hours:

**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday**  
**8:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.**

The office manager is in the church office on  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

The bookkeeper maintains office hours on Monday and Thursday.