

2018 Pledge Card

I/We pledge our prayers, presence, gifts and service to God through North United Methodist Church. I/We also commit to God the following financial pledge of support toward the 2018 operation budget.

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

- I will pay my pledge online via the church's website: northchurchindy.com/give
- I will pay my pledge by paper check

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

- \$ _____ weekly for a total of \$ _____
- \$ _____ monthly for a total of \$ _____
- \$ _____ quarterly for a total of \$ _____
- \$ _____ annually

SIGNATURE:

- My company has a matching gift program that supports religious organizations
- I/We have remembered North Church in my/our will
- I/We would like information about including North Church in estate planning

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Sundays at North

Sunday Morning Hospitality

All are welcome

- 8:30-10:15: Community Room
- Following 11:00 service: Community Room

Childcare During Worship

Provided for infants-4 year olds during both worship services & Sunday School

- Infant/Toddlers: Room 103
- Preschool: Room 102

Sunday School (9:45-10:45):

Adult Sunday School

- On Being: Club Room
- Affirming Group: Room 202
- Sojourners: Room 005
- Usual Suspects: Room 004
- Amazing Grace: Conference Room
- Power & Light: Room 205

Children Sunday School

- Toddlers: Room 103
- Preschool: Room 102
- Kindergarten – 101
- 1st & 2nd Grade – 104
- 3rd Grade – 204
- 4th & 5th Grade – 203

Youth Sunday School

- Middle School: Room 207
- High School: Room 008

Music

(Following 11:00am service)

- Carolers: Conference Room
- Cathedral Ringers: Room 007

The Happenings

Details can be found in the weekly eNews, social media, bulletin boards or the Fall Book

- **October 29: Trunk or Treat** – 4-6pm, NE Parking Lot. A free night of safe trick-or-treating for the community. All are welcome.
- **November 1: Mid-North Shepherd's Center** – 10am: The Garden Ministry (Rev. Carolyn Scanlon); 11am: Indiana's Infrastructure (Tim Lanane)
- **November 4: Dinners for 8** – Contact Peter Howe at peterh108@yahoo.com with questions
- **November 5**
 - **All Saints Sunday** – Remember loved ones who have passed during this special service.
 - **United Methodist Women Sunday Supper & New Member Welcome** – Following 2nd service, Fellowship Hall. Meet the newest members over a great lunch. Prices are \$10/adult, \$5/children and \$30/family cap. Register at the Hospitality Desk.
 - **Youth Group** – 5:30-7:30pm, Room 008
- **November 10-12: Women's Retreat** – Contact Doshia Stewart at doshia.stewart@gmail.com with questions
- **November 12: ELEVATION** – 4-6pm, Room 203
- **November 15:**
 - **North Church Board Meeting** – 5:30pm, Parlor
 - **United Methodist Women – Women of Lydia** – 7pm, Club Room
- **November 16: United Methodist Women – Miriam Circle** – 12pm, Parlor
- **November 17: Thanksgiving Feast & Game Night** – 5-8pm; The Church provides turkey & drinks; guests bring side dish or dessert to share. Register at the Hospitality Desk by November 12
- **November 19:**
 - **Adoption Sunday & Breakfast** – Give thanks to God for the gift of adoption during both worship services. A continental breakfast will be offered at 9:45am to those impacted by adoption; Register at the Hospitality Desk.
 - **Film & Discussion of Gender Revolution: A Journey with Katie Couric** – 5:30-7:30pm, Fellowship Hall. Explore the fluidity of gender identity through scientific & social lenses. The film is being shown as part of Transgender Awareness Week. It's appropriate for 12 years old and older
- **November 22: North's Thanksgiving Eve Service Featuring the Indianapolis Children's Choir (ICC)** – 7pm, Sanctuary. Celebrate the season & gift of Thanksgiving with worship framed around special music from the ICC. A special offering will be taken up to support Mid-North Food Pantry.
- **November 26: Taize Worship Service** – 5pm, Chapel
- **December 1: Sojourner Church Decorating**
- **December 2:**
 - **Special Friends Party – 4-7pm.** A special afternoon of dancing, caroling, cookies, music and celebrating for a group of cognitively challenged adults from the Indianapolis area and their caregivers/parents; sign up to volunteer at the Hospitality Desk
 - **Cookie Project Baking Day** – Contact Sarah Galloway sdgallow@aol.com to sign up for a shift to help with collecting orders, baking, or distribution



Stewardship Sunday, October 29, 2017

Jubilate Deo by Dan Forrest

PRELUDE

Philip Palermo, violin; Marjorie Hanna, cello

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Darren Cushman Wood

*PASSING THE PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all creation.

People: We will sing the almighty power of God that made the world.

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all creation.

People: We will sing the goodness of the Lord that fills the earth.

*OPENING HYMN #152

I Sing the Almighty Power of God

ANTHEM

Jubilate Deo

sung in Latin

Jubilate Deo, omnis terra; servite Domino in laetitia.

O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands: serve the Lord with gladness.

Introite in conspectu ejus in exultatione. Scitote quoniam Dominus ipse est Deus;

Come before his presence with a song. Be ye sure that the Lord he is God;

ipse fecit nos, et non ipsi nos: populus ejus, et oves pascuae ejus.

God made us, not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Introite portas ejus in confessione; atria ejus in hymnis: confitemini illi.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, his courts with praise; give thanks to him.

Laudate nomen ejus, quoniam suavis est Dominus: in aeternum misericordia ejus,

Praise his name: for the Lord is gracious: his mercy is everlasting;

et usque in generationem et generationem veritas ejus.

and his truth endureth from generation to generation.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

O God, as the scriptures are read and the music is sung, plunge us into the depths of your mercy and lift us into the heights of your grace, through Jesus Christ our Savior and Guide. Amen.

FIRST LESSON

Deuteronomy 14:22-29

Pew Bible, OT, pg. 165

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.


People: Thanks be to God.

**Please stand as you are able.*

ANTHEM *V'ador Vador* Amy Cuomo & Kathleen Hacker, soloists
Sung in Hebrew & Arabic

Baruchu shemo, / Bareko esmaho,
Bless his name,
v'ador vador emunato, / wa ila dawren fa dawren aamanataho
from generation to generation,
Kiytov Adonai l'olam chasdo, / liaana alRabeh salehon ila al abade rahmatoho.
Great is God whose goodness lasts for generations.

*CANTICLE OF PRAISE #821 Psalm 100 Ronnie Bell

 11:00 a.m. As the Canticle of Praise begins, Kindergarten – 3rd grade are invited to Alternative Worship; please follow the banner leader.

INVITATION TO PRAYER

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Leader: God, in your mercy . . .

People: Hear our prayer.

THE LORD'S PRAYER Hymnal pg. 895

ANTHEM *Ta Cao Chang de Yang* Daphne Chen &
sung in Mandarin Kathleen Hacker, soloists

我们是他造的，也是属他的；

We are made by Him, also belong to Him;

我们是他的民，也是他草场的羊。

We are His people, and also the sheep of His pasture.

耶和华是我的牧者，我必不至缺乏。

The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Ngokujabula!* Sung in Zulu

Jubilate, omnis terra!

Be joyful, all the earth!

AmaHubo! Nisondele ebusweni bakhe, ngokujabula

Psalms! Come before him, with joy

Hlokoma kuJehova ngezwi lokuhalalisa, ngokuhuba kwentokozo.

Sing to the Lord with a joyful voice, with joy of gladness.

Mhlaba wonke, kuJehova, Yazini ukuthi unguNkulunkulu uJehova

All the earth, to Jehovah, know that he is the Lord, God.

*DOXOLOGY #94 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

SECOND LESSON 3 John 5-8 Pew Bible, NT, pg. 228

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON *Expanding God's Reach* Darren Cushman Wood

PRESENTATION OF PLEDGE CARDS *Omnis Terra!*

Omnis terra, jubilate, omnis terra, laudate, omnis terra, jubilate Deo!

All the earth, shout, all the earth, praise, all the earth, shout to God!

Sing for joy, dance in gladness, shout for joy, all the earth! Alleluia!

Mhlaba wonke, kuJehova, nisondele ebusweni bakhe.

All the earth, to Jehovah, come before him.

LITANY OF DEDICATION

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray to God:

Author of abundant blessings and

Artisan of good gifts,

we give thanks for the past,

for your history of love

in the death of Jesus

and in the lives of the saints.

People: We raise our offering to you, remembering your love and rejoicing in your hope.

Leader: We give thanks for today,

for the gift of your Spirit

who enlightens our hearts to understand your will

and enlivens our hands to expand your work

throughout the world.

People: We raise our offering to you, remembering your love and rejoicing in your hope.

Leader: We give thanks for tomorrow,

for your enduring hope for the new heaven and the new earth

and your unvanquished hope for the healing of the nations.

People: We raise our offering to you, remembering your love and rejoicing in your hope through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*CLOSING HYMN #87 *What Gift Can We Bring*

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

CHORAL BENEDICTION *Jubilate Deo* sung in Latin

Jubilate Deo, omnis terra!

O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands!

POSTLUDE *Rondo in G* J. Bull/R. Ellsasser
Heather Hinton

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Accessibility

- Wheelchair(s) located in west entry
- Wheelchair and elevator access in the west and southwest entries
- Pew cutouts in Sanctuary for wheelchairs
- Hearing enhancement devices available at welcome desk in west entry and tables in east entry of Sanctuary
- Large print hymnals and bulletins available from ushers

Children

We love children to join us in worship. If you prefer, childcare is available for infants-4 year olds in rooms on the main floor. Worship bags are available for all kids in the east entry.

This week's worship leaders:

Darren Cushman Wood

Senior Pastor

Ronnie Bell

Pastor of Mission & Outreach

Mark Gilgallon

Director of Music

Heather Hinton

Organist

2018 Pledge Card

Adult #1:

Adult #2:

Address:

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State:

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