

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)

- Joyful Noise: Room 101
- Carolers: Conference Room
- Choristers: Room 004
- Cathedral Ringers: Room 007

The Happenings

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

- **November 5:**
 - **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 & \$30/family cap.
 - **Youth Group** – 5:30-7:30pm, Room 008
- **November 8: Mid-North Shepherd's Center** – 10am: History of Crown Hill (Barbara Stauch); 11am: Why Don't We Trust Our Government? (John Ketzenberger)
- **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
- **November 15: UMW – Women of Lydia** – 7pm, Club Room
- **November 16: UMW – Miriam Circle** – 12pm, Parlor
- **November 17: Thanksgiving Feast & Game Night** – 5-8pm; Church provides turkey & drinks, guests bring side dish or dessert to share; board & card games following feast; 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 to those impacted by adoption during the Sunday School hour; 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; film is being shown as part of Transgender Awareness Week; appropriate for 12 years old & 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; special offering is taken up to support the Mid-North Food Pantry
- **November 26: Taize Worship Service** – 5pm, Chapel
- **December 1: Sojourner Church Decorating**
- **December 2:**
 - **Special Friends Party** – 4:30-7pm; 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
- **December 3: Advent Festival** – 5:30-7:30pm, Fellowship Hall; an all-church celebration of tradition & music with a pitch-in dinner; guests are asked to bring a side dish or dessert to share; register at the Hospitality Desk



All Saints Sunday, November 5, 2017

PRELUDE	<i>Menuet Gothique</i>	L. Boëllmann
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS		Amy Sell
SPOTLIGHT ON MINISTRY		Cookie Project
RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS		
*CALL TO WORSHIP		
Leader: See the vision:		
	A great multitude that no one can count stands before the throne of the Lamb. People from every nation, tribe and language are singing together:	
People: Salvation belongs to our God, who is seated on the throne and to the Lamb!		
*PROCESSIONAL HYMN #711	<i>For All the Saints</i>	
CAROLERS' ANTHEM	<i>I'll Fly Away, By and By</i> <i>When the Roll is Called Up Yonder, When the Saints Go Marching In</i>	Soloists: Trey Cuomo, Aidan Blackwell & Carter Pipkin
PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION		(11:00) Addison Fields
FIRST LESSON	1 John 3:1-3	Pew Bible, NT, pg. 225
Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.		
People: Thanks be to God.		
ANTHEM	<i>The Lord's My Shepherd</i>	D. Blackwell Chancel Quartet
SECOND LESSON	Revelation 7:9-17	Pew Bible, NT, pg. 235
Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.		
People: Thanks be to God.		
SERMON	<i>Alternative Throne</i>	Darren Cushman Wood
*HYMN #2283	<i>For All the Saints</i>	
*Please stand as you are able.		

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

THE INVITATION, CONFESSION AND PARDON

Leader: Let us prepare to take our place at the table of grace with servants among us and saints above us, united in the joy of Christ our Hope:

People: Everlasting God, whose timeless grace unites us, forgive the ways we have sinned against our ancestors. We failed to follow their example and heed their wisdom. Free us from the legacy of their sins. Forgive the ways we have sinned against our descendants. Our greed has threatened their well-being, and our hatred has damaged their peace. Free us to be your worthy servants in this hour, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

[silence]

Leader: The saying is true for all generations: Christ died for us while we were still sinners. This proves God's love for us.

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

*PASSING THE PEACE

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Amy Sell

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Sing Me to Heaven

D. Gawthrop

*DOXOLOGY #94

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Darren Cushman Wood

Our communion musical responses are found on the inside back cover of The Faith We Sing.

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

... And so with your people on earth and with all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

People: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. ...We offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving

as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

People: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again. Renew our communion with all your saints, especially those whom we name before you:

Jodie Baker
Ellen Daniels-Howell
Darlene Gierlerak
Annabel Hartman
Ron Ireland
Kris Linnan
Merle Miller
Vernyee Rogers
Mary Jean Stroh
Bill Tresslar

Doug Bates
Doris Douglas
Corine Grays
David Huse
Helen Ladson
Barbara Medlicott
Becky Richardson
Sue Sedgwick
Jerry Thorlton
Janice Worth VanHart

...Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forever.

People: Amen. (5x)

*THE LORD'S PRAYER #2278

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

The offering collected in the baskets beside the communion table aids in providing emergency financial assistance to our members who are in need.

COMMUNION ANTHEM

O Taste and See

C. Schalk

COMMUNION HYMNS

#628

Eat This Bread

(11am only)

#618

Let Us Break Bread Together

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*CLOSING HYMN #712

I Sing a Song of the Saints of God

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

Toccata in D Minor

A. Renaud

The flowers on the altar today are given for the glory of God and in loving memory of Mary Jean Stroh and Byron Stroh, Pastor of North Church from 1965-1974, given by their family.

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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

Addison Fields

Liturgist

Amy Sell

Minister of Discipleship &

Formation

Heather Hinton

Organist

Mark Gilgallon

Director of Music

2018 Pledge Card

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Adult #2:

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