

## Connect Card

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Welcome! Whether you are a visitor or a member, you can always learn more at North Church. Let us know how we can help you.

- I need to update my contact information.
- I'd like to receive North Church's e-newsletter.
- I'm interested in speaking with someone about North.
- I'd like to speak to a Pastor about a personal concern.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**I am interested in learning more about:**

- Children's Ministries
- Youth Ministries
- Young Adult Ministries
- Music Ministries
- Outreach and Missions
- Care and Nurture Ministries
- Hospitality Ministries
- Green Team
- Reconciling Ministries
- United Methodist Women
- Justice and Advocacy

Other/Comments  
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## Sundays at North

### Sunday Morning Hospitality

*All are welcome*

*in the Community Room*

- 8:30-10:15 a.m.
- Following 11 a.m. service

### Child Care During Worship

*Provided for infants-4 year olds*

*during both worship services and*

*Sunday school*

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

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

#### Adult Sunday School

- Affirming Group: Room 202
- Sojourners: Room 005
- Power & Light: Room 205
- Young Adults: Room 009
- Exploring North: Parlor

#### Children Sunday School

- Toddlers: Room 103
- Preschool: Room 102
- K – 1<sup>st</sup> grade: Room 101
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade: Room 104
- 4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade: Room 203

#### Youth Sunday School

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

#### Music

**(Following 11 a.m. service)**

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

## Happenings

*Details can be found in the weekly eNews, social media, and on bulletin boards.*

Today:

- "Exploring North," session 1, 9:45 a.m., parlor.
- Fall Festival, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall.

Sept. 18: Covenant Bible study continues, Wednesdays through Oct. 30, 5:30-8 p.m., Fellowship Hall and Education Wing.

Sept. 19: Last North Church Farmers Market of the season, 4-6:30 p.m., 39th St. Volunteers needed for set-up at 1:30 p.m. and tear-down at 6:15 p.m.

Sept. 21: Yoga class, 9:30 a.m., beginner-advanced, \$10.

Sept. 22:

- "Exploring North," session 2, 9:45 a.m., parlor.
- ELEVATION (third through fifth grade), 4-6 p.m., room 203.
- Youth Group (sixth-12<sup>th</sup> grade), 4-6 p.m., room 008.
- Taizé service, 5 p.m., chapel.

Sept. 25: Women of Lydia Circle meeting, 6:30 p.m., parlor.

Sept. 26:

- Miriam Circle meeting, noon, parlor.
- Young Adults Bowling Night (ages 18-35), 6:30-8:30 p.m., Royal Pin Woodland, 3421 E. 96th St., \$5, register by Sept. 22. Contact coryunthank@northchurchindy.com for more info.

Sept. 28: "Opioids and the Church," 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.; \$15 fee includes lunch. Registration is available online.

Sept. 29:

- "Exploring North," session 3, 9:45 a.m., Parlor.
- New Baby Luncheon, noon, parlor.
- Youth Group Hayride, 3-6 p.m., Eagle Creek Park, Shelter A. Sign up by Sept. 22, \$5 per student, parents welcome.
- Love Feast and Hymn Sing, 5 p.m., chapel.

Oct. 1: Coffee and Conversation About Stewardship, 6-7 p.m., location TBA.

Oct. 4: Movie and Pizza Night, 5-8 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Sign up via the Connect Card.

Oct. 5: Servant Day, 7 a.m.-1 p.m., various locations.

Oct. 6: World Communion Sunday.

- Coffee and Conversation About Stewardship, 6-7 p.m., location TBA.
- Blessing of the Animals, 4 p.m., Tarkington Park.
- East Tenth UMC Community Dinner starting at 5 p.m. Volunteers needed starting at 3:45 p.m.; finished by 6 p.m.



## September 15, 2019

PRELUDE *Fantasy on "Nun Danket All"* A. Miller  
*(The Prelude begins our worship service. You are encouraged to enter into a time of prayer, actively opening your spirit to God's presence in our midst.)*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Cory Unthank

\*PASSING THE PEACE

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Insiders and outcasts,  
friends and foes,  
disciples and disputers  
in the name of Jesus,

**People: welcome to the house of peace.**

Leader: Searchers and strangers,  
skeptics and sinners,  
dreamers and doubters  
in the name of Jesus,

**People: welcome to the home of grace.**

\*OPENING HYMN # 378 *Amazing Grace*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Chris Williams

**By the power of your Holy Spirit, O God,  
set us free from sin  
and fill us with the assurance of your salvation  
through the hearing of your gracious Word,  
Jesus the Anointed One. Amen.**

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

FIRST LESSON Exodus 3:7-12 Pew Bible, OT, pg. 48  
Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM *They that Wait Upon the Lord* M. Larkin  
(Isaiah 40:31) Kelley Warbinton, flute  
They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength;  
they shall run, and not be weary; they shall walk, and not be faint.  
They shall mount up with wings as eagles.

\*CANTICLE OF PRAISE #766 Psalm 32 *w/ musical setting*  
Tiffany Williams


INVITATION TO PRAYER

HYMN OF PRAYER #372 *How Can We Sinners Know* v. 1-3

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Leader: God, in your mercy . . .  
**People: Hear our prayer.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

HYMN OF PRAYER #372 *How Can We Sinners Know* v. 4-6  
 11:00 a.m. As the Hymn of Prayer continues, Kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> graders are invited to Alternative Worship in Room 104; please follow the banner leader.

OFFERTORY PRAYER Cory Unthank

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Assurance* J. Ness Beck  
Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

*Refrain:*  
*This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;*  
*This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.*

Perfect submission, all is at rest, I in my Savior am happy and blest,  
Watching and waiting, looking above,  
filled with His goodness, lost in His love. *Refrain*

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

SECOND LESSON Romans 5:6-11 Pew Bible, NT, pg. 145  
Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

RADICAL GRACE SERMON SERIES Darren Cushman Wood  
Part 2: *Radical Acceptance*

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION #369 *Blessed Assurance*

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

Leader: The past is behind us.  
The future is before us.  
Let us go forth praising the God of second chances!  
**People: We go to tell the world that Christ has set us free!**  
Leader: May the one God—  
the Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
the Mother of us all,  
give you assurance, strength and joy  
this day and all days. Amen.

POSTLUDE *Festival Concerto* C. Penfield  
*(The Postlude is the final Amen to our worship service. You are invited to be seated to enjoy this musical offering given to God and to you. If you must depart, please depart in silence.)*

*The flowers on the altar are given for the glory of God and  
in celebration of the 60th wedding anniversary of Andy and Gail  
Crawford, married on September 18, 1959 at Quinsigamond United  
Methodist Church in Worcester, MA.*

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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, child care is available for infants-4 year olds in rooms on the main floor. Worship bags and children's bulletins are available for all kids in the east entry.

### This week's worship leaders:

Darren Cushman Wood  
*Senior Pastor*  
Tiffany Williams  
*Pastor of Mission & Outreach*  
Chris Williams  
*Liturgist*  
Cory Unthank  
*Minister of Youth & Young Adults*  
Mark Gilgallon  
*Director of Music*  
Heather Hinton  
*Organist*

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### Sign Ups

- Farmers Market:  
\_\_\_\_help with set-up at 1:30 p.m.  
\_\_\_\_help with tear-down at 6:15 p.m.
- Support families and friends of those living with dementia.
- Provide meals for Youth Group and ELEVATION
- Oct. 4: Movie and Pizza Night  
\_\_\_\_ # of adults  
\_\_\_\_ # of children