

## Connect Card

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in offering plate*

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 & Advocacy

Other/Comments  
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Please tear here.

## Sundays at North

### Sunday Morning Hospitality

*All are welcome*

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

### Child Care During Worship

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

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

### Summer 2018

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

##### Adult Sunday School

- Affirming Group: Room 202
- Sojourners: Room 005
- Usual Suspects: Room 004

##### Children Sunday School

- Toddlers: Room 103
- Preschool: Room 102
- K - 4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Room 104

##### Youth Sunday School

- 5<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade: Room 008

##### Music

- 10:15 a.m. Summer Choir

## The Happenings

*Details can be found in the weekly eNews, Facebook/Twitter, on posters and on North's Web site.*

### Mondays through Thursdays through July 31: Project

Transformation Summer Day Camp.

**Now through Aug. 4:** School 43 uniform drive; see bulletin board across from the Parlor.

**July 4:** Church closed for Independence Day.

#### July 5:

- Farmers Market, 39<sup>th</sup> St., 4 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. (Also on July 19, Aug. 2, Aug. 16, Aug. 30, Sept. 6 and Sept. 20.)
- Book study with Tyler Sprouse - Mark Stenberg's "51% Christian: Finding Faith After Certainty," 7 p.m., Happy Brewing Co. (and each Thursday through Aug. 2).

**July 8:** Youth Group attends Indians game, leave church at 12:15 p.m.

**July 9:** Creation Care Alliance of Indiana meeting, noon, Parlor.

#### July 10:

- Staff-Parish Relations meeting, 6 p.m., Parlor.

#### July 11:

- Board of Trustees' meeting, 5:30 p.m., Room 205.

**July 12:** Book study with Tyler Sprouse - Mark Stenberg's "51% Christian: Finding Faith After Certainty," 7 p.m., Happy Brewing Co. (and each Thursday through Aug. 2).

**July 14:** Summer Festival at Eagle Creek Park, noon to 6 p.m. (Please register for dinner at the Hospitality Desk.)

**July 15-21:** Appalachia Service Project (ASP).

#### July 19:

- Farmers Market, 39<sup>th</sup> St., 4 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. (Also on Aug. 2, Aug. 16, Aug. 30, Sept. 6 and Sept. 20.)
- Book study with Tyler Sprouse - Mark Stenberg's "51% Christian: Finding Faith After Certainty," 7 p.m., Happy Brewing Co. (and each Thursday through Aug. 2).

**July 22:** Taizé service in Chapel, 5 p.m.

#### July 26:

- Book study with Tyler Sprouse - Mark Stenberg's "51% Christian: Finding Faith After Certainty," 7 p.m., Happy Brewing Co. (and each Thursday through Aug. 2).
- Project Transformation Family Fun Night, 6 p.m.

**July 27:** Children's Movie Night and Ice Cream Social.

**July 29:** UMW Leadership Team meeting, 12:15 p.m., Parlor.

**Aug. 2:** Final session of study of Mark Stenberg's "51% Christian: Finding Faith After Certainty," 7 p.m., Happy Brewing Co.

**Aug. 5:** Fall Picnic, swimming and family games.



## July 1, 2018 Celebration of Holy Communion

PRELUDE *Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation* Purcell/Scott

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Amy Sell

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, Lord Jesus, and bring your reign of love and light.

**People: We gather to sing his song of truth and mercy.**

Leader: Come, Lord Jesus, and bring your reign of love and light.

**People: We proclaim his story of peace and light.**

\*OPENING HYMN #569 *We've a Story to Tell to the Nations*

#### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON Ephesians 5:6-16 Pew Bible, NT, pg. 183

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

**People: Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM *The Lord is My Light!* J. Carter  
based on Ps. 27 Summer Choir

\*GOSPEL LESSON John 18:33-38 Pew Bible, NT, pg. 106

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

**People: Thanks be to God.**

SERMON *Under Pontius Pilate* Darren Cushman Wood

\*THE APOSTLES' CREED #882

\*HYMN #568 *Christ for the World We Sing*

#### PRAYER FOR THE WORLD

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

THE INVITATION, CONFESSION AND PARDON Tyler Sprouse

Leader: We gather at the table of our Sovereign and Savior Jesus who calls us to be the light of the world. His love exposes our sin; therefore, we must confess the sin we have committed and the sin we have tolerated, the sin each of us bears and the sin of our people:

**People: Merciful God, we confess that we have rejected your love and ignored the cries of the needy. On behalf of our nation, we confess our meanness, prejudice, and greed. On behalf of The United Methodist Church, we confess our apathy, hypocrisy, and fear. Restore our nation, renew our church, and revive our faith, through Jesus Christ our Judge. Amen.**

Leader: Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

\*PASSING THE PEACE

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Agnus Dei* G. Bizet  
Anna Briscoe, piano

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

\*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING Darren Cushman Wood and Tyler Sprouse  
The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

.... and with all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**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.**

.... in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

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

**Amen.**

\*THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

\*BREAKING THE BREAD

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 HYMNS

#188 *Christ Is the World's Light*

#581 *Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service* v.1-3

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION Tyler Sprouse

\*CLOSING HYMN #581 *Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service* v. 4

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE *Allegro in G* J. Hawes

*The flowers on the altar are for the glory of God and in memory of Steve Bridges and Anita McNutt from the 11 o'clock ushers.*  
  
*The white carnation on the altar is in celebration of the life of Martha Benedict who passed away on June 22, 2018.*

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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*  
Amy Sell  
*Minister of Discipleship & Formation*  
Tyler Sprouse  
*Pastoral Intern*  
Mark Gilgallon  
*Director of Music*  
Heather Hinton  
*Organist*

**Connect Card**

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**Event Sign Ups**

○ I would like to sign up for dinner at Eagle Creek Park. # of people \_\_\_\_\_

○ I would like to volunteer for Project Transformation to help kids with reading.

○ I would like to volunteer for the School 43 uniform drive.