

## Sunday Worship

This Sunday, January 14, 2018, is the Second Sunday after Epiphany. This morning the Rev. Dr. Tim Boggess will present the sermon "The One Thing". The scripture reading is John 1:43-51. The offertory anthem is "Chosen to Serve" by John Carter.

## Prayers

For those who are ill or recovering:

Sandra Thorington  
Crystal Allen  
Campbell Fretz  
Betzi Allsop  
Ann McClurkin  
Marshall Fisher  
Elmarie and Scott Parker  
Cindy Conn  
Travis Thorne

Tim Criswell  
Suzy Milner  
Mayada Edzin  
Paula Powell

For those who have died:

Albert W. "Nick" Hughes, Jr.  
Peter Nelson

*To have a name placed on the prayer list, please call 404-237-5539. Hospitals no longer notify churches when a member is a patient. Therefore, we depend on family and friends to let us know when a congregant has been admitted.*

*\*If you would like additional information on those on the prayer list, please contact the church office.*

## Serving This Week

**Worship Coordinator:** Jeff Upchurch

**Greeters:** Penn and Anne McClatchey

**Ushers:** Harriett Kelly, Mike McMackin, Steve Williams, Bruce Hogg, Jamie Milton

**Young Children and Worship:** Lisa Bridges, Michael Akridge

**Sound and Light:** Mark Wolff

**Breakfast Volunteers:** Lisa Bacorn, Stephanie Pohl

**Elder on Call:** Dick Wilbanks

## Weekly Lectionary

### Sunday, January 14

Gen. 7:1-10, 17-23  
Eph. 4:1-16  
Mark 3:7-19

### Monday, January 15

Gen. 8:6-22  
Heb. 4:14-5:6  
John 2:23-3:15

### Tuesday, January 16

Gen. 9:1-17  
Heb. 5:7-14  
John 3:16-21

### Wednesday, January 17

Gen. 9:18-29  
Heb. 6:1-12  
John 3:22-36

### Thursday, January 18

Gen. 11:1-9  
Heb. 6:13-20  
John 4:1-15

### Friday, January 19

Gen. 11:27-12:8  
Heb. 7:1-17  
John 4:16-26

### Saturday, January 20

Gen. 12:9-13:1  
Heb. 7:18-28  
John 4:27-42

## Christian Education

### Sunday School for Children in the Children's Building

*Growing in Grace and Gratitude* (PCUSA)

Nursery provided for infants through 3 years old.

Preschool/Kindergarten Class (ages 4-6 yrs)

Elementary Class (1st-4th grade)

### Sunday School for Youth in the Youth Lodge

**Middle School (5th-7th grade):** Middle School is flying through the Old Testament in "I Know My Bible"

**Senior High (8th-12th grade)** led by Amanda Kemery.

### Sunday School for Adults in the Family Life Center

**Bible Discovery:** *The Gospel of John*: will continue **January 14**: All are invited to read, ponder and reflect on this book of the New Testament. Louis Bridges leads a chapter by chapter exploration.

**Journey Class: January 14 Forget Self Help: Re-Examining the Golden Rule**

Is it possible that the self helps books have it wrong, or at least partially wrong? Is the solution to depression, listlessness, and feeling lost in the modern world to step inside the skin of another person? Instructors for January 14 will be Karen Taylor and Ellen Carrington.

## Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study

Wednesday Mornings at **11:00AM-12:30pm** (note new start time). This small group study is based on the well-known parable Jesus told commonly known as "The Prodigal Son" Anneke Woodward is the contact person for this group [anneke4510@yahoo.com](mailto:anneke4510@yahoo.com). Please come and bring a friend!

## Tuesday Men's Bible Study

Tuesday mornings at 10:30AM this small group will continue their study of the classic book "Christian Doctrine" by Shirley Guthrie. For more information contact Pastor Tim at [Tim@nwpcatlanta.org](mailto:Tim@nwpcatlanta.org).

## NWPC Confirmation

We will be beginning a Confirmation class this year which is available to all students in grades 7 and above. It will be a time to learn more about our church, the PCUSA, and what it means to be a member of our faith community. At the conclusion of the process, students have the opportunity to join the church as individual members. Classes will be held Sunday mornings at 9:45am in the youth lodge beginning **January 21, 2018** and concluding on **Confirmation Sunday, March 25, 2018**. Please contact Amanda with questions and for more information [Amanda@nwpcatlanta.org](mailto:Amanda@nwpcatlanta.org).

## Northwest Youth

**Upcoming Dates:**

**January 14**—No Northwest Nights (MLK weekend)

**January 15**— Mission Opportunity at Memorial Drive Ministries,

**January 20**—Confirmation Lock-In 7:30PM (only for Confirmation Class)

**January 21**—iGods and Confirmation Classes begin at 9:45AM in the Youth Lodge, Parent/Youth meetings and Trip Deposits due at 6PM followed by NW Nights

**February 11**—Youth Sunday

**February 16-19**—Winter Retreat



## Announcements

### Mission Opportunity

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day is an intentional day of service across our country. Serve with us Monday January, 15 as we minister with the refugee community of Clarkson by helping with the renovation of the future Memorial Drive Ministries. The presbytery is helping to convert the campus of Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church to welcome the new ministry center. Join us as we pitch in to clean, paint, and help with landscaping. Meet at NWPC at 8AM for breakfast on the go and to carpool over. Lunch is included and we will wrap up our work around 1PM. Please R.S.V.P. to Amanda at 843-469-1812.

### Buckhead Christian Ministry Food Drive

From Sunday, **January 14 through Super Bowl Sunday, February 4, 2018**, Northwest will be collecting canned goods and non-perishable food items to donate to Buckhead Christian Ministry. You can either bring your food items on Sunday to the Narthex, or you can bring items during the week and place in the middle closet of the Gathering Area. **Please do not bring any food items in glass containers.** Suggested items include:

**Canned Foods:** Soups, Vegetables, Fruits, Chicken, Tuna, and Pasta Sauce

**Non-perishable Items:** Peanut Butter, Pasta, Rice, Oatmeal, Grits, Cereal, Flour, Sugar, Vegetable Oil, and Condiments

For over 30 years, Buckhead Christian Ministry (BCM) has worked to prevent hunger and homelessness for local people facing life-changing events such as a job loss, a reduction in work hours or a medical problem. By meeting basic needs through BCM's Emergency Assistance Program, as well as providing access to life skills education and support services through BCM's Housing Programs, BCM helps local families, primarily low-income workers, achieve stability and regain self-sufficiency.

Thank you for your support! Any questions? Contact Deanie Quillian, George Hauptfuhrer, or Bill Matthews

### NWPC 2018 Concert Series

All concerts are free of charge (although donations are accepted to support future programs).

#### **Saturday, January 20, 8PM**

**"Mark Kroos: One Man, 2 Guitars":** Mark Kroos plays 2 guitar necks at the same time in a primarily instrumental style characterized by Folk, Celtic and Bluegrass influence with a highly explosive live performance. Mark is the winner of Guitar Player Magazine's 2011 International Competition. His program will consist of a wide range of selections including *Amazing Grace*, *Dueling Banjos*, *Linus & Lucy*, *Canon in D*, *Heart & Soul*, *Swing Low Sweet Chariot*.

#### **Saturday, April 28, 8PM**

Oglethorpe University Singers, Timothy Powell, director

### Presbyterian Women

**"Circle of Hope":** Monthly fellowship and Bible study meets on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00pm. The next meeting, will be on February 1, 2018 at the home of Carol Rowland. The study, led by Martha Greenway will utilize the book "Jesus is the Question".

## Church Calendar

Sunday, January 14	9:00AM	Breakfast
	9:45AM	Sunday School
	11:00AM	Worship
Tuesday, January 16	10:30AM	Men's Bible Study
Wed., January 17	11:00AM	Women's Bible Study
	7:00PM	Choir Rehearsal
Saturday, January 20	8:00PM	NWPC Concert Series Confirmation Lock-In
Sunday, January 21	9:00AM	Breakfast
	9:45AM	Sunday School
	11:00AM	Worship
	6:00PM	Youth-Northwest Nights
Tuesday, January 23	10:30AM	Men's Bible Study
	7:00PM	Session Meeting
Wed., January 24	11:00AM	Women's Bible Study
	7:00PM	Choir Rehearsal
Friday, January 26		Serve Dinner at Clifton Shelter
Sunday, January 28	9:00AM	Breakfast
	9:45AM	Sunday School
	11:00AM	Worship
	6:00PM	Youth-Northwest Nights

## January Birthdays

8th	Jim Soteres
9th	Ross Waters
10th	Betty Jane Deadwyler
11th	Austin Brown Richard Newton Rick Thompson
12th	Gordon Dudley Rebecca Fondell Sally Hauptfuhrer
14th	Doug Cook Julia Myrick
15th	Maddox Dombrow Will Soteres
16th	Lizzy King Gayle Mitchell Karen Wilbanks
17th	Charlotte Upchurch
20th	Peggy Saucier Steve Soteres
24th	Amy Spruill
25th	Finn McCabe
26th	Bruce Logue
28th	Nancy Soteres
30th	Frank Brown

## Breakfast Volunteers Needed

We are looking for people to prepare/host breakfast on Sunday mornings. We have someone who is in the kitchen each Sunday morning who will either cook or help you cook/set up but also and most importantly to clean up afterwards. This opportunity runs from March through May. You would only be responsible for one Sunday morning during that time. You would need to get there around 8:00 Sunday morning and you would be finished around 9:30 to 9:45 so you would be finished in time to go to Sunday school or any other obligations that you may have before 11:00. To volunteer please contact Lisa Bacorn [LBacorn50@att.net](mailto:LBacorn50@att.net)

## Parenting the Love and Logic Way Course Now Registering for Winter 2018

*Parenting the Love and Logic Way* is a 6-session, skills-based parenting class that introduces parents to effective parenting skills and strategies that emphasize the elimination of power struggles with children and help children to grow into healthy respectful, and responsible adults. Parents who want their children to become self-confident, motivated, and ready for the real world and who want to establish healthy control without resorting to anger, threats, nagging, or exhausting power struggles will find the *Parenting the Love and Logic Way* classes immediately useful. **Course Dates/Times:** 6 consecutive Sundays beginning January 28th, 4:00-6:00pm. **Location:** NWPC Campus.

**Course Fee:** \$150 single, \$225 couple. **Free for Northwest Presbyterian Church Members.**

**For information or to register, email:** [loveandlogicworkshop@yahoo.com](mailto:loveandlogicworkshop@yahoo.com)



# Northwest Presbyterian Church

## Service of Worship

Making Disciples • Making Friends • Making a Difference

January 14, 2018

Second Sunday after Epiphany

11:00AM

*Let the people on entering God's house, be reverent in silence, fervent in prayer, hearty in praise and expectant of the Spirit.*



Please silence cell phones and electronic devices at this time.

PRELUDE

"Dialogue"

Myron J. Roberts

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

INTROIT

"I Will Worship the Lord"

John Rutter

GREETING

Rev. Dr. Tim Boggess

*One:* The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

*All:* And also with you.

CALL TO WORSHIP

*One:* Sing to the Lord a new song;

*All:* sing to the Lord, all the earth.

*One:* The Lord is about to do a new thing.

*All:* Speak, O God, for your servants are listening.

*One:* Let us worship God.

\* HYMN OF PRAISE 749

"Come! Live in the Light!"

\* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Unison*)

Dick Wilbanks

God our Creator, we confess that we are broken, sinful creatures. You speak to us with tender mercy, yet we fail to recognize your voice. You know everything about us, yet we pretend we do not know you. Forgive us, God of grace. Help us to heed your voice of truth, to follow your faithfulness, and to glorify you with our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

A time of quiet, personal confession.

In your mercy, Lord, hear our prayer, and forgive us.  
Amen.

\* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*One:* Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel:

*All:* In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

\* SUNG RESPONSE

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen, Amen.

\* SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*One:* The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

*All:* And also with you.

You are invited to share words and signs of greeting and reconciliation.

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

✠ Children K4-2nd grade are invited to depart for *Young Children and Worship*.

CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS OF THE CHURCH

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Unison*)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen



## Welcome

In the name of Jesus Christ, **we welcome you to Northwest**, with the hope that this service of worship will be for you an experience of real communion with God and God's children. If you have not found a church home in Atlanta, we hope you will consider joining with us in worship, study, fellowship, and service. There is a place for you here in which you can both give and receive. ***Come join us!***

### The Ministers

Members of Northwest Presbyterian Congregation

#### The Session

##### Class of 2018

Heather McCloskey, **E\***  
Kaye Mulkeen, **F\***  
Henry Quillian, **O\***  
Sandy Simonds, **C\***  
Jeff Upchurch, **W\***  
Ann Vining, **C**

##### Class of 2019

Lisa Bacorn, **F**  
Dan Laney, **S\***  
George Hauptfuhrer, **M\***  
Anne McClatchey, **E**  
Steven Pohl, **W**  
Dick Wilbanks, **S**

##### Class of 2020

Louis Bridges, **E**  
Peggy Lang, **O**  
Bill Matthews, **M**  
Craig Woodward, **W**  
Bryce Burnett, **F**  
Carol Ballance, **O**

**C** = Congregational Care

**E** = Education

**F** = Fellowship

**M** = Mission

**O** = Outreach

**S** = Stewardship

**W** = Worship

**\*** = Team Leader

Moderator: Rev. Dr. Timothy T. Boggess

Clerk: Harriett Kelly

Treasurer: Karen Taylor

#### The Staff

Rev. Dr. Timothy T. Boggess, Pastor

Amanda Kemery, Director of Youth Ministries

Dr. James J. Kohler, Director of Music Ministries

Mauro Ronca, Organist

Scott Mize, Administrative Manager

Wendy Perry, Administrative Assistant

John Cast, Maintenance



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