

# Announcements

## WORSHIP

Welcome to North Fresno Church! In the 1<sup>st</sup> Service, Arnie Prieb and choir lead worship and music. Aaron K and the worship team lead worship and music in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Service. Pastor Rhonda and the Micah Project Interns: Alex C, Jessica C, Haley M, Karina R, Julia Romero, and Stacie Winckler preach.

Next week, Pastor James and Pastor Ike B, James' father, preach. The Bible passages for reading and reflection are 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13, Psalm 20, 2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17, and Mark 4:26-34.

*If you are a guest with us today, we're so glad you're here! Please complete a Connecting Card and drop it in the offering bag.*

## CONNECT

**Our Summer Sunday School Class called "NFC on Mission: Locally and Globally" starts today at 10:00 a.m. for everyone from 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade to 13<sup>th</sup> years old in Room 309 (ROCK Room). The Micah Project Interns (Alex C, Jessica C, Haley M, Karina R, Julia R, and Stacie W) share about their year. Next Sunday, June 17, Eric and Krista M will share about their preparations to going on mission to Chad.**

**The NFC's Contemporary Service Worship Pastor Search Team would like your input and discernment in the search process. Please complete an online survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NWCSTCJ> to give your input. Please respond TODAY, June 10.** Contact Shawna S, search team chair, for more information or with any questions.

**VBS registration beginning! NFC's VBS "Passport to Portugal" will be from July 9 – 13 from 9:00 a.m. to Noon. For children entering Kindergarten to 6<sup>th</sup> grade.** Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/passport-to-portugal-registration-46197516014> or contact Pastor Connie for more information. If you would like to volunteer contact Pastor Connie also. The registration fee is \$25 per child.

**All men (from high school seniors on up) are invited to come to Men's Bible Study this Wednesday, June 13 and every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.** in the Conference Room.

**The U.S. Mennonite Brethren National Convention called "Celebrating our Diversity and Unity" is from July 26 to July 28 in Salt Lake City, Utah.** If you want to be a NFC delegate contact Pastor James or MaryLyn in the office. For more information, go to <https://usmb.org/2018-national-convention/>.

### Coming Events:

**Monday-Friday, July 9-13, 9:00 a.m.:** Vacation Bible School

**Thurs.-Sat., July 26 -28:** US MB National Convention in Salt Lake City, Utah

## SERVE

**The Art Gallery in the Lobby has works of art by present and past Micah Project Interns.**

**This Wednesday morning, June 13 is the last day of quilting for the spring.** Anyone involved with the quilting group in any way this year is invited to the year-end lunch at 11:30 a.m.

**The Portugal Mission Team is coming** and we need some people to help make their stay in Fresno a fantastic experience. **We are looking for drivers, hosts for meals, donations for essential items including groceries, and day trip expenses.** See insert for more information or chat with the Missions person in the Lobby after the services today.

**We need your help! Fresno Area Community Enterprises Summer Adventure Club is back for its 8th summer from June 27-August 4 (Wednesday-Saturday) from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** Volunteers are needed to cook and prepare food, run Saturday Sports, chaperon field trips, share Bible stories and lead activities. Donations such as water bottles (plastic and reusable), breakfast snacks and sunscreen are also needed. Sign up in the Lobby after both services and/or contact Christian F if there are any questions.

**The GRAND OPENING of Thrift on Blackstone {the MCC (Mennonite Central Committee) and FACE (Fresno Area Community Enterprises) Thrift Shop} is this Saturday, June 16 at 10:00 a.m.** with a short program at 10:00 a.m. The hours are 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Thrift on Blackstone is located at 6687 N. Blackstone, Suite 105, Fresno (just south of Herndon and Blackstone).

**Jessica C, current Micah Project intern (2017-18), will be joining the Serving And Learning Together (SALT) program through Mennonite Central Committee (MCC).** Beginning in August, she will be living in Cali, Colombia for a year as an English Assistant at Americas Unidas Secondary School. Please consider partnering with her prayerfully and financially.

**If anyone would like to contribute to help with funeral costs for Steve E,** please do so with a check made out to **North Fresno Church with 'SART- E' on the memo line.**

**Attendance for June 3, 2018: 277**

**Offering for General Budget for June 3, 2018: \$18,664**

# A Place For YOU To Connect!

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SCHEDULE

All classes are in the Education Building.

**NURSERY, 8:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m.**  
Ages 0-35 months

**CHILDREN, 10:00-10:50 a.m.**  
Ages 3-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Room 103  
3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade: Room 309

**JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL**  
**10:00 -10:50 a.m.**  
Room 309 (ROCK Room)

**3<sup>RD</sup> GRADERS TO ADULTS, 10:00-10:50 a.m.**  
Summer Sunday School: **NFC on Mission:** Room 309 (ROCK Room)

## THIS WEEK AT NFC: JUNE 10 – 16

### **Monday**

Young Men's Basketball, 6:30 p.m.

### **Tuesday**

Bread & Basketball, 5:30 a.m.

NFC Pastor & Staff Meeting, 10:00 a.m.

Children's Advisory Team, 6:00 p.m.

Worship Team Rehearsal, Stewardship Committee, 6:30 p.m.

A.A. Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

### **Wednesday**

Quilting, 9:00 a.m.

Men's Bible Studies, 6:30 p.m.

### **Thursday**

Spiritual Ministries Committee, 6:30 p.m.

Women's A.A. Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

### **Friday**

Bread & Basketball, 5:30 a.m.

Men's Prayer Meeting, 6:00 a.m.

### **Saturday**

Baseball Trip Dodgers/Giants

# Prayer Connection

## NFC FAMILY

Pray for the following people: **Karina T; Kathy T; Leon and Jolene T; Mel and Dorothy T; Wes and Jill T; Jamell T; Darrell and Karen U; and Richard and Pat U.**

Pray for **Lois, Hannah, and Josh E** as they grieve the death of **Steve E, Lois' husband, and Hannah and Josh's father.** The memorial service will be next Thursday, June 21 at 3:00 p.m. at NFC.

Pray for those who are homebound and cannot attend Sunday worship services: **Ethel R** and **Garth S.**

## NFC, COMMUNITY, AND WORLDWIDE MINISTRIES

Pray for **Jamie and Randy M and family** as Jamie gives leadership at NFC in the areas of Adult Discipleship and Worship and Music for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Service. Pray that God will give her wisdom, love, and energy.

Pray for the **search team** as they lead us in a discernment process for our next Associate Pastor of Music and Worship for our contemporary service. Search Team members are: **Shawn S (Chair), Kristina N, Jason I, Julia R, John F, Kathy H, Pastor Milt, and Pastor James.**

The **pastors and the Congregational Care Team** host a time of healing prayer in the Conference Room at **9:45 a.m.** on the last Sunday of every month. If you want to join in this prayer time, just come or let Pastor James know.

## NFC, COMMUNITY, AND WORLDWIDE MINISTRIES

Pray for other churches in our neighborhood, **Community United Church of Christ** (at N. Fresno & Browning) and **Willow Avenue Mennonite Church**, a sister Mennonite Brethren church that meets in the Fresno area. Pray that God would bless and use both these churches for effective Kingdom work and to help meet the needs of the community.

Pray for **John and Geri E, as John is a partner NFC missionary with MB (Mennonite Brethren) Mission in the area of video and photography.** Pray for John as he will record by digital video the Building Leaders for Peace Event here in Fresno at the end of June.

*Prayer requests written on NFC Connecting cards and put in the offering bag are prayed for by the staff each week. If you wish to put a prayer request on the NFC e-prayer chain, email the office or post on NFC's Facebook page.*

# First Service

## CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

8:30 A.M. SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 2018

**Everyone** is invited to use the Connecting Cards to share your prayer requests, or give other information. **Guests** are also invited to use the Connecting Cards and place them in the offering bag. Thank you.

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

*“Adoration”* Hymn #165

WELCOME AND GREETING

*“There Is a Wideness to God’s Mercy”* Hymn #68

*“He Leadeth Me”* Choir

*“Wonderful Grace of Jesus”* Hymn #198

PRAYER AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

CONGREGATIONAL READING

*“Surely Goodness and Mercy”* Hymn #45

*Children, 3 years through 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade, are invited to Children’s Church.\**

MESSAGE: *“Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly”* Pastor Rhonda and Micah Project Interns

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Arnie P: Worship Leader  
Micah Project Interns: Congregational Reading Leaders  
Larry W: Pianist Evelyn K: Organist

Infants and toddlers through age 35 months are cared for in the nursery on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the Education Building. Pagers are provided to parents in case their child has a need. \*Children from 3 years through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade are invited to Children’s Church in Room 101 on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the Education Building.

# Second Service

## CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

11:00 A.M. SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 2018

**Everyone** is invited to use the Connecting Cards to share your prayer requests, or give other information. **Guests** are also invited to use the Connecting Cards and place them in the offering bag. Thank you.

WORSHIP AND MUSIC *“Cry of My Heart”* Worship Team

CALL TO WORSHIP

OFFERING *“Did You Feel the Mountains Tremble?”*  
*“Come Thou Fount”*

PRAYER AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Children, 3 years through 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade, are invited to Children’s Church.\**

CONGREGATIONAL READING

WORSHIP AND MUSIC *“How He Loves”*  
*“Here I Am to Worship”* Worship Team

CHILDREN, 3<sup>RD</sup> – 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE, ARE DISMISSED TO THE LOBBY PRIOR TO THE MESSAGE FOR BLAST.\*\*

MESSAGE: *“Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly”* Pastor Rhonda and Micah Project Interns

BENEDICTION

*“Grace Wins”*

SENDING

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