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Family Gathering Times
 Sunday Bible Classes 9:00 am
 Worship 10:15 am
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm



**Welcome to the
 Northern Light Church of
 Christ**
 March 18, 2012

Life Group Info

Brooklyn Park — Akpan/Markham Next Meeting: 3/18, 11:45 am Location: church building	Maple Grove —Block/Turner Next Meeting: 3/25 Location: Turner's home
Champlin—Young Adults -Kronstad/Peek Next Meeting: TODAY, 3/11, 12 pm Location: Sundance Bowling Alley, Dayton, MN	Otsego —Bruner @ B&K Tarnowski's Next Meeting: 3/25, 4 pm Location: B & K Tarnowski's home
Champlin —Holte/Tarnowski Next Meeting: 4/25, 12pm Location: G & J Tarnowski's home	Plymouth -Dotson/Ward Next Meeting: 3/25, after morning worship Location: Ward's home

Privileged to Serve Today

For the Record

Song Leader Chris Block Prayer Emem Akpan Scripture Reading Henry McCabe Table Talk Richard Kronstad Servers Eddie Schmitz Thomas Giddings Tom Flynn Emmitt Toe Announcements Steve Dewall Power Point Bonnie Wallace Speaker Justin Bruner Shepherd's Prayer Gene Tarnowski Nursery Michelle & Courtney Holte Please contact Dave Ward if you are unable to serve so a substitute can be found. (763-473-1203)	March 4 124 Bible Class No count Contribution \$ 4,367 Children \$ 4 363 \$ 219 March 11 113 Bible Class 65 Contribution \$ 1907 Children \$ 5
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Northern Light Leadership

Justin Bruner, Minister 763-494-4224
 Church Office 763-494-4224

Shepherds

Ronnie Dean 763-425-7929 Tom Markham 763-571-1735
 Gene Tarnowski 763-427-0373 Dickey Joe Turner 763-688-0820
 Dave Ward 763-473-1203

Deacons

Emem Akpan~International Transition 612-581-1297
 Chris Block~Worship 952-471-3505
 Steve Dewall~Children 763-238-2114 David Dotson~Missions 763-607-4895
 Al Holte 763-323-0543 Ralph Weber~Community 763-425-1331

Run As to Win

123 The Steadfast Love of the Lord
 Welcome/Body Building
 Family Prayer
I Will Call Upon the Lord (Praise Hymnal)
381 Years I Spent in Vanity
655 Poured Out Like Wine
 Lord's Supper
 Offering
781 Thank You Lord
 Children's Moment
417 Where He Leads
 Scripture Reading (1 Corinthians 9:24-27)
Lesson: Run As to Win
749 The Battle Belongs to the Lord
 Shepherd's Prayer
Lord, Reign in Me (Praise Hymnal)

**We are called to shine as a beacon of love in our community.
 We seek to do this by living out Christ's love for others
 through personal relationship and service to others.
 We would love to have you join us as
 we grow in faith, hope and love.**

Prayer Requests

Ken Kern – he was a bit premature last week regarding his back and starting having problems again. He is now seeing a chiropractor and doing physical therapy.
Thomas Giddings – Pray for continued healing and recuperation.

Susan Nelson – her sister, Carolyn Polkinghorn, has cancer

Rhonda – her numbers are back up and we are praying for a new treatment that will begin soon

Pray for those searching for jobs

Renter/tenant for the church building

Roberts Family –Royce to have full-time work

Margie Weber – their grandson, Evan's asthma is improving. Their granddaughter Chloe's eye surgery went well

Growth in our church and all of our leaders.

Katina Flowers – asking for prayers for her and her family

Anna Sikes - pray for Carey and Krysta and their new baby to be delivered on Tuesday

Pray that God will help our families grow in love and peace, grow spiritually, and grow closer to Him

Chuck Hodge – home from hospital and back to work after heart surgery.

Sue Rabe – sick for the past two days

Sara Berg – pray for her sister Amber

Joy West – a very close friend, Bob Olson, is having very serious heart surgery on Monday

Safe Travels – Rod and Nan Miller, John & Ken Kooiker, Wanda Dean, June Harrison and others are traveling

Rod Miller – he has a torn shoulder rotor cuff

Richard Inyang—his wife Emem is experiencing complications with her pregnancy. She is expecting twins in late April. Also, two long-time members of Roseville, Don Regenauer and Samuel Inyang, have passed away during the past two weeks.

Justin Bruner—ill with the flu

Chris Block—his dad is battling depression

Gale Jadron—she will be having cataract surgery on March 27

Margie Weber—her co-worker's 2 year old son passed away last week

If you didn't see someone here today,
give them a call!

MINNESOTA CHRISTIAN CONVENTION All Around the World

Mark your calendars for April 13–14 for this year's Convention at
Grace Church in Eden Prairie.

It's a great way to get to know our brethren throughout the state and neighboring states.

It is a time for you and your family to get spiritually fed and to receive valuable tools for being a leader in the church.

More information is available on the bulletin board outside of the church office or at
www.mnconvention.org

Staffed Nursery

(for ages 2 & under)

March 18 Michelle & Courtney Holte

March 25 Tina Jackson

April 1 Kati Tarnowski

If you would like to be added to the nursery rotation, please see Melissa Ward.

BUNK BEDS LOOKING FOR A GOOD HOME...

Kelly Schmitz has a set of bunk beds that is looking for a new home. If you would like them, please contact her.

Upcoming Events

3/30	Herzing Babysitting Fundraiser
4/7	Easter Block Party
4/13-14	MN Christian Convention
4/21	MN Bible Bowl
4/27-29	FPYC Mother-Daughter Retreat

New Generation After School Program

New Generation will be beginning their after school program in our building April 2. It will run from 3–7 pm and be a tutoring program focusing on reading, science and math. They also plan to offer enrichment classes.

They will be having an Open House here on Saturday, March 24 from 1–4 pm. Please help spread the word!

EASTER BLOCK PARTY



SATURDAY, April 7
11 am–1 pm

This Party is an outreach opportunity for our neighbors to meet us in a relaxed and inviting environment, similar to our Halloween Block Party. We had an amazing turn out in October - approximately 150 neighbors/guests attended and 98 of our members attended and/or assisted. We're confident that this will be even bigger...we are planning for 350 children...we need help from our Northern Light family.

We need lots of help...everything from distributing flyers, staffing games and activities, set up, clean up, there's plenty for everyone to do!

We have sign up sheets and information in the lobby or you can see Amy Bruner or Melissa Ward to find out how you can help.



FAMILY NITE!



We made 450 sandwiches to feed people in need.



Thank you to all who donated time, money and/or energy!



Run As to Win
1 Corinthians 9:24-27

- I. Competition as a Metaphor for Faith
 - Goal of Competition: WIN!
 - To win, Athletes train and discipline themselves
 - Done for a prize that does not last
- II. Victory in Faith
 - What is the Prize?
 - Is the Prize Worth It?
 - Who Can Win?
- III. Discipline in Faith
 - So Many Disciplines
 - Tapestry of Faith – Illustration
 - Pursuing God

3rd Annual FPYC Sunday



March 25 will be a special day to support Flaming Pine Youth Camp. We will show our support with a special contribution on that day.

Flaming Pine Mother-Daughter Retreat
This year's retreat will be held April 27–29. Registration forms are in the lobby on the credenza.

Flaming Pine Cookbook
A 2nd FPYC Cookbook is being put together. They are collecting recipes until the end of March. Please see the bulletin board for more info.