

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

<u>Privileged to Serve Today</u>		<u>For the Record</u>	
Song Leader	Dave Ward	<u>July 3</u>	70
Scripture Reading	Ken Kooiker	Contribution	\$ 2,127.00
Table Talk	Richard Kronstad	Children	\$ 3.60
Servers	Elijah Yarpah	Sheridan Story	\$ 20.00
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	Larsen Kronstad	<u>July 10</u>	125
	David Dotson	Contribution	\$ 4,010.00
Announcements/Prayer	Al Holte	Children	\$ 7.29
Power Point	Mark Smith		
Speaker	Emem Akpan	Weekly Budget	\$ 3,077.00
Shepherd's Prayer	Ronnie Dean	YTD Budget	\$ 86,156.00
Children's Worship Asst.	Vivian Yarpah	YTD Actual	\$ 72,509.46
Please contact Dave Ward if you are unable to serve so a substitute can be found. (763-473-1203)		The money contributed to the children's fund this quarter will be donated to: help The Sheridan Story.	

Northern Light Leadership

Church Office 763-494-4224

Shepherds

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

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Emem Akpan~International Transition 612-581-1297
 Steve Dewart~Children 763-238-2114 David Dotson~Missions 763-607-4895
 Al Holte 763-323-0543 Ralph Weber~Community 763-425-1331

Do you have a suggestion or idea that you'd like to discuss?
 A concern or burden that you need to share?
 We invite you to come to any of us and to share whatever is on your heart.
 We have an open door policy and we welcome and value your input and feedback.

Love as Family...Grow in Christ...Bless All People



Northern Light
 CHURCH OF CHRIST

WELCOME TO

**The Persistent Widow
 July 17, 2016**

**Welcome/Body Building
 Family Prayer
 Lord, Reign in Me (Praise Hymnal)
 All in All (Praise Hymnal)
 Faithful Love (Praise Hymnal)
 There is a Redeemer (Praise Hymnal)
 Lord's Supper
 Offering—Thank You, Lord (# 474)
 Children's Moment
 Here I Am to Worship (Praise Hymnal)
 Scripture Reading: Luke 18:2-8
 Message: The Persistent Widow
 Just As I Am (#
 Shepherd's Prayer
 In the Lord Alone (Praise Hymnal)**

We strive to be a vibrant, life-giving resource in our community; a supportive family through authentic relationships, to experience joyful worship and growth, inspiring others to follow Christ.



**MINNESOTA
EARLY LEARNING
ACADEMY**

MELA School Supply List

If you would like to help MELA students with school supplies, here is a list of their needs: (I will also have copies of this list in the lobby).

All Folders, notebooks, etc. should be basic, no designs:

- Erasers
- Plastic Pencil box (standard size)
- Scissors
- Glue Sticks
- 24 count Crayola Crayons
- 10 count Crayola Markers
- Pencils
- Blue 2-pocket Plastic Folders with Prongs
- 2-pocket Folders—Yellow, Green and Red
- 8 count Expo Dry Erase Markers (Skinny Black)
- Box of Ziplock Bags
- Ruler with Inches and Centimeters
- Headphones/Earbuds
- Tissues
- Hand Sanitizer
- Lysol/Clorox Wipes
- Composition Notebooks (wide-ruled)
- Colored Pencils
- Spiral Notebooks (wide-ruled)

If you would like to contribute funds, please write "MELA" in the memo line of your check.

We also are still able to add funds to the Sheridan Story account—the weekend food program that will begin in early September. If you have questions, please see Melissa.

Amazon Anyone?

Are you an Amazon.com shopper? Did you know that if you simply go to smile.amazon.com .05% of your purchase amount is given to Northern Light. The price of your purchase is the same exact amount as an amazon.com purchase.

The first time you use smile.amazon.com, you will designate which charity you would like to receive these dollars and you can change it anytime you choose to.

If you have questions about it, please see Melissa or Dave Ward.

MELA Playground Installation Assistance

MELA will be getting a brand new playground for next school year. The plan for installation is August 13.

They could use some helpful hands for installation. If you are able to help, please contact Lisa Dotson.

On the Move!

Andre', Timmeko and Tristan Love will be moving to Arizona. Their last Sunday at Northern Light will be July 17.

We will miss you!

Great News!

We are very excited to share the news with you that Jim Hinton has accepted the offer to become our new Minister with Northern Light! He and Laura will be relocating from California. The move details are still in the early stages, so we don't have a lot of details, but anticipate that he will begin September 1.

We would like to thank the Minister Search Team, the Leadership Team, and everyone who was able to meet Jim and Laura last weekend and give their feedback. We had an exceptional spirit-filled worship service and a wonderful weekend with them.

Jim and his wife Laura currently live in San Diego where he is the Spiritual Formation Minister at the Canyon View Church of Christ.

Jim has held a variety of ministry positions over the last 20 years. He attended Sunset School of Preaching for his basic Ministerial Program and Missions Programs and he also has a Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology.

Praise God for his extravagant blessing of leading Jim and Laura to us and us to them! We look forward to working side by side with them.

Sunday Funday/International Day/Church Picnic

Sunday, July 24 is the date! We decided to combine Sunday Funday, International Day and the Church Picnic into one big bash!

After our morning worship service, we will have a picnic and lots of fun and games.

Please see June Harrison to sign up for f

And mark your calendars for July 24!



Prayer Requests

Health Concerns:

Joyce Bagley - my granddaughter, Kathy Osborne, her cancer has come back

Dickey Joe Turner – healing from shoulder surgery

Nan Miller –Ray Kangas, Leta Metzger, Anette Sublett have cancer. Joe Novitsky is having health issues. Darla B, has severe vertigo and is unable to work.

Ray Forrest – his son, Mario, is in the hospital suffering from pancreatitis

Dewall Family – Jose' Flores, Madi's friend's dad, has cancer and is going through treatment.

Evelyn Turner – medical tests on Monday, June 20.

Mark Novak – my nephew's girlfriend, grandma and aunt were involved in a serious auto accident. The grandma was killed and the aunt is on life support.

Thompson Karmue – not feeling well.

Thanksgiving:

Tarnowski Family – Briley was baptized at camp by Gene on Saturday morning!!!

Other Needs:

Peace and healing – the nation and families affected by the recent violence

People traveling this summer.

Mark Smith – pray for the Shields family. Their daughter, Sierra, is missing. Pray that God will reveal where she is.

Weber Family – safe and spirit-filled camp session at FPYC this year

Nan Miller – comfort for friends who have recently lost loved ones – the family of Dottie Whitehouse; Bette and her family, and the family of Gary Kunshier.

Wanda Dean – prayers for my grandson living in Atlanta that God will continue to keep him safe and help him to stay focused on Christ.

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