


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

<u>Privileged to Serve Today</u>		<u>Privileged to Serve Next Week</u>	
Song Leader	Dave Ward	Song Leader	Dave Ward
Scripture Reading	George Gweh	Scripture Reading	George Gweh
Table Talk	Mark Smith	Table Talk	Mark Smith
Table Servers	Thomas Giddings Al Holte Thomas Karmue Mark Novak	Table Servers	Thomas Giddings Al Holte Thomas Karmue Mark Novak
Power Point	Jay Weatherford	Power Point	Jay Weatherford
Speaker	Jim Hinton	Speaker	Jim Hinton
Shepherd's Prayer	Emem Akpan	Shepherd's Prayer	Emem Akpan

Please contact the church office if you are unable to serve so a substitute can be found.
 (763.494.4224 ext 1— or email Church@northernlightchurch.com)

April 22	140	April 29	99
Contribution	\$ 3,510.00	Contribution	\$ 3,404.80
FPYC	\$ 515.00*	Children	\$ 8.69
Children	\$ 21.74		
The money contributed to the children's fund this quarter will be donated to help Feed My Starving Children.		Weekly Budget	\$ 3,350
* \$165 donated through NL, \$ 350 directly to FPYC		YTD Budget	\$ 56,950.00
		YTD Actual	\$ 52,752.71
		We also accept contributions through 	

Northern Light Leadership

Jim Hinton, Minister 619-322-5907
 Church Office 763-494-4224

Shepherds

Emem Akpan 612-581-1297 Ronnie Dean 763-425-7929
 Dickey Joe Turner 763-688-0820 Dave Ward 763-473-1203

Deacons

Mike Harrison—Youth/Teens 763-566-6164
 Al Holte 763-323-0543
 Isaac Karmue—Health/Wellness 515-771-8859
 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

Know that Sacrifice is Never Forgotten
 May 6, 2018

We Bring the Sacrifice (Praise Hymnal)
 Welcome/Body Building
 Prayer

Shout Hallelujah (Praise Hymnal)
 Sanctuary (Praise Hymnal)

How Great is Our God (Praise Hymnal)

Worthy the Lamb that was Slain (Praise Hymnal)

Lord's Supper

Offering

Thank You Lord (# 781)

Children's Moment

Scripture Reading: Psalm 91:1-5

Message: Know that Sacrifice is Never Forgotten

Amazing Grace—My Chains are Gone (Praise Hymnal)

Shepherd's Prayer

Light the Fire (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.

Prayer Requests

Health Concerns:

Streich Family – Larry broke his leg

Nan Miller – Health concerns for Corky, Ray, Joe, Corbin and Pat

David Dotson – His son, David, is in very serious condition.

Bushie Family – please pray for my sister's lungs (Sandy Kubus).

Tarnowski Family – Joanne, Gary and LeAnn Nading are all battling health issues. Charlie Baird is battling cancer.

Thanksgiving:

Margie Weber was able to get out and return to worship!

Other Needs:

Travelers

Terri Dickinson – job for my son Grant. He is applying to St. Paul Fire Department. It is a long process. Pray for his encouragement.

Ashley Johnson – prayers for my mother's health and for continued strength

Sue Dublin – after years of waiting, my son, Henning, will hear from the judge within a couple of months about the outcome of disability hearing. Please pray that all will go well.

Thank you Emem, Mike and Isaac!

On April 22, we recognized Emem Akpan as a Northern Light Elder, and Mike Harrison and Isaac Karmue as Deacons.

Emem has led our Fellowship Ministry Group for many years and more recently, he heads our Missions Team and will continue to lead these Teams. He has preached, taught, and set a wonderful example of service in a wide variety of areas. We appreciate the love for God and willingness for service that Emem embodies.

Mike will continue serving our congregation and working with the Youth/Teens as the Deacon in this area. Mike has been involved with teaching children's classes, Children's Worship, Youth and Teen activities for many years. (And that mentions nothing of his amazing cooking skills!) Thank you Mike for your enthusiasm and always being ready to serve wherever you can.

Isaac has consented to working as Deacon of Health and Wellness, and in addition, he will support the Fellowship and Missions ministries. Isaac and his family placed their membership with the Northern Light Church a couple of years ago. He and his family immediately "rolled up their sleeves" and have been willing to help in many different areas of service. Isaac is always willing to help with the worship service, youth/teen events and classes, and life groups. Isaac, we are grateful to you agreeing to serve our Family.

Let's Celebrate

We are having a party for Daniel Harrison on Sunday, May 20 from 1–4 at 6425 Girard Avenue N, Brooklyn Center (Mike and June Harrison's home).

Daniel graduated from the University of St. Thomas School of Law with is Juris Doctor Degree.

Please come and celebrate his accomplishment with us!

Mike and June Harrison

Calling All 2018 Graduates!

Are you graduating this year or do you know someone in our Northern Light Church family who is? If so, please let Melissa know so that we can make preparations to honor them.



THE CASE FOR FAITH WITH LEE STROBEL VIDEO BIBLE STUDY BEGINS THIS WEDNESDAY, MAY 9TH AT 7:00 PM

Does believing in Christ mean refusing to ask hard questions in the midst of doubt?

Doubt is familiar territory for Lee Strobel, the former atheist and award-winning author of books for skeptics and Christians. But he believes that faith and reason go hand in hand, and that Christianity is a defensible religion.

In this six-session revised Bible study, Strobel explores the most common emotional obstacles to faith in Christ. These include the natural inclination to wrestle with faith and doubt, the troubling presence of evil and suffering in the world, and the exclusivity of the Christian gospel. They also include this compelling question: Can I doubt and be a Christian?

Through compelling personal stories and experts testimony combined with reflection and interaction, Christians and spiritual seekers will learn how to overcome these obstacles, deepen their spiritual convictions, and find new confidence that Christianity is a reasonable faith.

MOTHER'S DAY "MOMMY AND ME" SLIDE SHOW AND BABY DEDICATION IS NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 13TH AT 10:15 AM

There are few moments in life more exciting than when a baby is born into a family. In order to recognize the new babies and bless the parents of Northern Light—this Mother's Day we not only want to honor our moms – but also have a baby dedication.

This is a time when new parents promise the Lord to do everything within their power to raise their child in a godly way. Then the church family will pledge to pray for and help these new parents carry out their responsibilities.

We are also putting together a fun slide show to honor our moms on this special day.

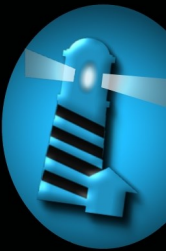
So, get a photo of you and your mom - or if you are mother of you and your children - to Jim Hinton for scanning or via email at jhinton60@gmail.com BY THIS THURSDAY! The slide show will be shown before and after the worship service.

To be a part of the Baby Dedication or if you have questions email or call Jim at 619.322.5907

THE LIFE YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO LIVE

A Study of Paul's Letter to the Ephesians

**BEGINS TODAY
SUNDAY, MAY 6 AT 9:00**



TOPICS AND DATES

- Your Portfolio of Spiritual Riches – 1:1-14 (TODAY)
- The Power Behind Your Prayers – 1:15-23 (5/13)
- You: From Mess to Masterpiece – 2:1-10 (5/20)
- God's Plan for World Peace – 2:11-22 (5/27)
- The Reason You Are Here – 3:1-13 (6/3)
- Life Changing Love – 3:14-21 (6/17)
- What the Christian Life is All About – 4:1-16 (7/8)
- The Difference the Spirit Can Make – 4:17-32 (7/15)
- Being Light in a Very Dark World – 5:1-20 (7/22)
- Secrets to Getting Along with Others – 5:21-6:9 (7/29)
- Arming Yourself Against Enemy Attack – 6:10-23 (8/5)

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