

Being a Guest-Friendly Church

As you know one of our goals in 2025 is to become a much more welcoming and “guest friendly” church. You have probably noticed the improvements of our signage, guest gifts, and other changes we have made in order to achieve that goal. Starting this Sunday, there will be another change to our foyer configuration that we believe will enable us to more effectively welcome guests and meet the needs of our members. The large table in the foyer will no longer have chairs around it – but instead will be used as our refreshment and information center. Half of the table will be dedicated to the coffee and donuts and the other half to guest gift bags and information about our congregation.

Please feel free to sit and visit with others in the other chairs in the foyer.

Servers for July 27 & August 3

(Announcements – Jim Hinton)

August 3

Opening Prayer—Mark Smith
Scripture Reading—Ken Kern
Table Talk—Tom Cannon
Shepherd’s Prayer—Emem Akpan

August 10

Opening Prayer—Al Holte
Scripture Reading—Tom Cannon
Table Talk—Mark Smith
Shepherd’s Prayer—Dave Ward

PRAYER REQUESTS

New Prayer Requests or Updates:

Mark Novak – anticipates upcoming root canal

Mark Smith – his former tenant, Jonathan Myers, has throat cancer

Angel Smith – continued serious custody issues including total lack of communication

Kim Verderame – my son, Nicholas, is no longer having contact with me because of a very dysfunctional relationship he is in. This August will be one year that we've not seen or talked to one another. In December, he cut contact with his brother. Please pray for him to be out of this relationship. Her name is Candice and please pray for her also.

Charrelynne Cannon—her cousin, Billie Jo Rayford got to the hospital for her scheduled heart valve replacement and everything looked so good, they sent her home and the replacement isn't needed! Praise God!

Mike Harrison—his mom, Arlene, may need heart surgery

June Harrison—her dad's 2nd cataract surgery didn't go well

Jeryl Smith—received results from the geneticists have confirmed that she has the genetic mutation SCA17 in the intermediate stage. Seizures and dementia are likely to develop. Please pray for peace as she tries to come to grips with this and all that it affects

Michelle Wise—her friend Lillian's son, Brandon, is facing a possible jail sentence

Health Concerns:

Mark Novak, Jeryl Smith, Vicki Haugen, Linda Bagley, Dickey Joe Turner, Doris Davis, Darrell Davis, Ruthie Dallas, Linda Doerr, Nolan Sapp, Cameron Thurn, Thomas Giddings, Charrelynne Cannon, Sharon Bushie, Doug Rivord, Armani, Larry Martin, Arlene, Noelia, Paul Hinton, Dave Jenkins

Those fighting cancer:

Darrell Davis, Linda Smith, Steve Tarnowski, Roy Alston, Betty Campbell, Mr. Juxtock, Dr. Sandy Rebrovich, Mario Corveillo, Kayla Hendrix, Cory, Bob Watkins, Mark (June's brother), Mark (Rebekah's daughter Kelsey's adoptive father), Christy Novak, Lisa Smith, Jane Townsend, Rebekah Heldt, Sarah Franklin, Ronnie Dean

Other Concerns:

Holte Family

Angel Smith—continued difficult custody situation

Julie Streich – her cousin Georgia's daughter, Andrea, is in a very difficult custody situation over her daughter, Lila



Our Bible Class and Message Schedule

Wednesday 7:00 PM Study will be on Zoom. Each week an invitation will be emailed to you and available on the church Facebook page. All you have to do is click on the link and join the meeting!



Sunday morning bible classes and messages can be viewed on our church Facebook Page each Sunday by 3:00 p.m.. They can also be viewed anytime after that on our Facebook Page. For those of you who are not on Facebook they can also be viewed on our website the following week.

Contribution Information

July 20
Regular \$ 2,638.00

July 27
Regular \$ 2,920.00

Weekly Budget \$ 3,800.00
YTD Actual \$ 120,122.04
YTD Budget \$ 114,000.00
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
Dickey Joe Turner 763-688-0820
Dave Ward 763-350-2641

Deacons

Mike Harrison—Youth/Teens 763-566-6164
Al Holte—Prison Correspondence Ministry 612-308-6452
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.