

Northminster Presbyterian Church

July 4, 2024

*"Realizing God's Love by Serving and
Empowering..."*



Happy 4th of July!

July is here! The temperatures are rising, and we hope you're all staying safe and keeping cool. May our NPC family continue to grow in Christ as we move into the second half of 2024. Here are some important church updates.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING SUNDAY, JULY 21, 2024

Our Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on Sunday, July 21st in the NPC Sanctuary after the 10:00am worship service.

The agenda for the Annual Congregational Meeting will include:

- Receiving the 2023 NPC Annual Report
- Congregational vote on annual Terms of Call for Rev. Charles H. Campbell
- Congregational vote on electing the members of the 2024 Nominating Committee

All of the information for review will be presented at the meeting.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR REV. PATRICIA WILLIAMS

Thank you for your prayers and support for the Williams family as they grieve the loss of Rev. Patricia (Pat) Williams, who passed away on May 29th. A memorial service will be held as follows:

Saturday, July 27, 2024

11:00am

Northminster Presbyterian Church Sanctuary

400 Rancheria Rd.

Diamond Bar, CA 91765

Lunch reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall

SCOUTS CLOTHING DRIVE NEW DATE: TUESDAY, JULY 9TH

Troop 777's Clothing Drive Fundraiser has been rescheduled to July 9th. If you didn't get a chance to drop off items on the original July 2nd date, you now have a second chance to do so! **The Troop will be collecting items during their meeting on Tuesday, July 9th, from 6:00-9:00pm.** All are welcome to drop off donations in the Fellowship Hall during that time. Please see the flyer below for more information on items that can be accepted.



Clothing Drive

www.magnificentsevens.org

July 2, 2024
(Tuesday)

DONATION



Don't throw it away. Donate it!



Accept

- Clothing
(not stained, ripped, or with holes)
- Shoes, sneakers, sandals
- Household linens
(bed sheets, tablecloths, towels)
- Handbags, backpacks
- Baby clothing
- Service uniforms
- Athletic wear

Drop-off

July 2, 2024 (Tuesday)
6:00p – 9:00p

Northminster Presbyterian Church
400 Rancheria Rd.
Diamond Bar, CA 91765
(near Lorbeer Middle School)



Don't Accept

- Items that are stained, ripped, or with holes
- Clothing with missing zippers or buttons
- Underwear, lingerie, bras, bibs, diapers, or scarves
- Toys
- Electronics, CDs/DVDs
- Books
- Glass items
- Furniture

Drop-off is preferred.

For other arrangements, contact:
Stacie Beke, staciebeke66@gmail.com

**Please put all items in well-tied
kitchen trash bags**
(standard 13 gal. kitchen trash bags)

Items are sent to developing countries

BSA Troop 777 receives a monetary donation based on weight of donated items.

ASSISTANCE FOR ESPARZA FAMILY

Please join in assisting the Esparza family of Diamond Bar during difficult times as their son, Maceo, is being treated at Stanford for complications of his recent heart transplant. They can really use gift cards to Sam's Club, Costco, and Trader Joe's as they have 5 more children at home. Please bring your gift cards

to Church and leave them in the brown offering boxes in the Sanctuary. If you can't make it to church, please email office@npcdb.com for other arrangements to be made to receive your gift. Contact Susan Ito with any questions.

SUMMER CAMP SPONSORS NEEDED

There is an important opportunity available to donate to summer camp for children for seven days at \$110 per child. For more information, please pick up a flyer from the Narthex table.

PLEDGES FOR 2024

If you have fallen behind on your pledge payments, please catch up as you are able. Summer is traditionally a slow time of income for churches, but bills still need to be paid! Your faithful and prompt contributions help to keep our church operations and worship running smoothly. Thank you for your generosity.

CATCH THE NPC WORSHIP LIVESTREAM!

Just a reminder that Northminster is continuing to livestream our Sunday worship service! You can find our YouTube channel "NPC Livestream" by clicking the blue button below. Please be sure to subscribe to this channel. Watch our services live, or view past worship services at your convenience. Be sure to check it out!

[CLICK HERE TO VIEW NPC LIVESTREAM YOUTUBE CHANNEL](#)

PRAYER REQUESTS



Please continue to pray for:

- The ongoing conflicts in Israel/Palestine and in Ukraine - for peaceful resolution; for God's protection, healing and provision for the people affected; for safety for people trying

to evacuate and/or trying to provide supplies and aid to others; for wisdom and courage for world leaders to take appropriate action

- Rebecca Ochuru, who is in the process of getting licensed and working as a medical doctor in the U.S.
- The family of Pastor Pat Williams, who passed away on May 29th
- The family of Joan Bresin, who passed away on May 29th
- Janice McVeigh - health concerns
- Jacki Smith - health concerns
- John White - health concerns

If you have prayer requests to share with the NPC prayer chain, you may email them to office@npcdb.com.

JULY CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthday!

Susan Ito - July 12
Susan See - July 17
Esme Hunn - July 28
Sandra Wakeland - July 28
Nick Lopez - July 30

Happy Anniversary!

Rocky and Janice Crabb
July 9

PER CAPITA COLLECTION

Per capita is a set amount of money (apportionment) per member that congregations pay to the larger Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). Said another way, it is a Presbyterian Covenant Community Fund - part of the glue that holds Presbyterians together. Because every Presbyterian shares in the benefit of the PC (U.S.A.) system of government, the expenses associated with coordinating and performing the functions of that system should be shared by everyone as well.

Presbytery's suggested Per Capita pledge is \$70.00 per member for 2024. If you wish to donate the Per Capita for your membership (per individual member), please write the words "Per Capita" on your check memo line and

mail it to the church office or place it in one of the offering boxes at Sunday worship. For more information, please contact conniemodglin@npcdb.com.

SUNDAY FLOWERS



Thank you to all who donate for Sunday morning worship service flowers. You may take the flowers home with you after the service. If you would like to sign up for a specific date to honor a special occasion or loved one, the sign-up sheet for the third quarter of 2024 is now available, and **several dates are still open in August and September**. You can also add your name to donate a second flower arrangement if there is a donor already listed on your preferred date. Please see the book on the table in the Narthex to sign up. **Please note that the cost for flowers is \$35.**

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