## LORD'S DAY OF CELEBRATION

March 22, 2020

Go to www.narberthpres.org for the live link for today's service by 9:00am

Welcome and Family News

Word of Hope

**Three Essential Questions** 

Steve Weed,

Pastor

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Deborah Watson,

Associate Pastor

Offertory

Surprise!

Colin and Sarah Comstock

**Scripture Reading** 

John 11:1-44

Deborah Watson

Children's Message

Danielle Kauffman,

Director of Children's Ministry

Youth Message

John Chaffee,

Director of Youth Ministry

**Congregational Message** 

**Pastor Steve** 

Miracles of Jesus – Yesterday and Today
Think Outside The Tomb

**Closing Prayer and Benediction** 

### Prayer -

**Prayer Live This Sunday** - you can pray with an Elder of the church live on the phone from 9 am to 1 pm by calling the church phone at (610) 664-4880. We have not done this before; should requests exceed the resources at any moment, please leave a message to be called back on Sunday, as soon as possible.

Prayer Anytime Requests for prayer can also be made anytime l prayer@narberthpres.org. Requests will be posted as quickly as immediate prayer by the Prayer Team.

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#### Children's Ministry - Danielle Kauffman

- This Sunday, a child-friendly message of Lazarus' story.
- NEW Sunday School lesson on the Childrens Ministry Blog
- Parents know these are tools that you can use whenever and however it works best for your family.

If you have any questions or prayer requests, please feel free to contact Danielle directly via email at dkauffman@narberthpres.org

#### Youth Ministry - John Chaffee

During Coronavirus period, John will post:

- New video message built upon Pastor Steve's sermon message each week
- Two new videos each Wednesday
- The next segment of Isaiah
- A spiritual discipline or practice to try
- A new weekly podcast on Lamentations, Access from:
  - o iTunes
  - o Spotify
  - o Soundcloud
- Check in on John's daily Instagram post at: @thatjohnchaffee to engage and comment on.
- Conversation works too. Call or text John's cell at 609-458-9984 between 9am-5pm.

### **Small Groups**

Small group leaders are encouraged to reach out to the Church office if any meeting resource (voice conference calling or video conference calling) is needed. Small group members are encouraged to remain in contact with each other. Some small groups may continue, others may take a break in this time. Small group leaders are encouraged to communicate with their group as to what you will be doing in this time.

In these difficult days, we pray for our health care professionals and first responders, for leaders at all levels of government, for those who are ill, or grieving the death of loved ones, for parents and children faced with the challenges of school at home, for those experiencing devastating financial stress and loss of employment and food scarcity.

We also pray for eyes to see the ways God is at work in this time. As one expression of the body of Christ at NPC, we pray that we may care for each other well, and find ways to bless our community with the compassion of Christ.

Gracious God, have mercy upon the world you love. Fulfill your redemptive purpose to bring great good out of this most difficult time. Grant us your peace, and let us share your peace with others. In the Strong Name of Jesus. Amen.

Love in Christ, Pastor Steve

**Office:** The church office may be contacted by phone at 610-664-4880 from 9 am to 4 pm Monday - Friday with questions, concerns, prayer requests, etc. Messages may also be left at any other time. We love to hear from you.

**Giving:** Your gifts and tithes make this ministry possible and keep our church strong. Giving may be done at: <a href="www.narberthpres.org/give">www.narberthpres.org/give</a>

# <u>Lenten Sermon Series – 2020</u> "Miracles of Jesus – Yesterday and Today"

March 1 "Dare To Dream Again" (Healing of blind Bartimaeus) Mark 10:46-52

March 8 "Unleashing the Gifts of God" (Feeding of the 5000) Matthew 14:13-21

March 15 "Mustard Seed Faith" (Healing of the boy with seizures) Mark 9:14-29; Matthew 17:19-21

March 22 "Think Outside The Tomb" (The raising of Lazarus from the dead) John 11:1-6, 17-27, 32-44

March 29 "God's Greatest Joy" (The return of the Prodigal Son) Luke 10:1,2, 17-24; Luke 15:11-24; 19:10

**April 5** "Revolution of Peace" (The healing of Malchus' ear) John 18:1-11; Luke 22:49-51

**April 12** "The Greatest Miracle of All" (The resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead)



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## BUILDING DISCIPLES IN THE LOVE OF JESUS CHRIST

As we continue to be the Body of Christ, to each other and the community, we will refrain from gathering in groups until the contagion of the Coronavirus has subsided.

Please know that we are available for prayer concerns, and may be holding some meetings by conference calls.

Please feel free to call the church with questions or to communicate needs and requests.

Sunday, March 22 Starting at 9:00am Sermon available on YouTube or Facebook

Monday, March 23

Tuesday, March 24

Wednesday, March 25

Thursday, March 26

Friday, March 27

Saturday, March 28

Sunday, March 29

We do not know when we will be able to meet again at the church without risking the health of our members and friends. As soon as we are able, we will rejoice to see each other again!

#### Each Week

Christian Pre-School – 610-664-8890 Director: Christina Platt 2, 3 & 5 Day Programs 9:00am to 12 noon & 12 noon to 3:00pm Extended Day Program, Sept.-May

**AA** meets 12:30pm, Monday–Saturday & Sunday at 4:30pm in the Choir Room **Counseling**: Dr. Janet Moore: cell: 484-686-6630 email: <a href="mailto:ilmpsych@hotmail.com">ilmpsych@hotmail.com</a>

Planning Ahead-Information and calendar updates 24/7 www.narberthpres.org