ORDER OF WORSHIP

Opening Songs

Greeting

Song(s)

First Prayer

Song(s)

Communion

Song(s)

Lesson: Abounding in Hope

Song(s):

Announcements

Shepherd's Prayer

Closing Song Blessing

THOSE SERVING TODAY

Songs

3011gs	Dave Kampton
Opening Prayer	Nathaniel Taylor
Lord's Table	Dave Ferguson
Shepherd's Prayer	Paul Holdren
	2-18-2024
Nursery Attendant	Anne/Lucia T
Children's worship:	
2 ½-5 yrs	Anna-Maria Chaudhary
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Next Sunday:	2-25-2023
Nursery Attendant	Vikki Ferguson
Children's worship:	
2 ½-5 yrs	Seth Tichenor
	Amy Kirk
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LESSON NOTES:

Abounding in Hope

Romans 15: 8-33

Romans: The Problem of Man and the Power of God

Service & Bible Classes:

Sunday Worship...

Bible Class..

Dave Rampton

..10:30 am

Wednesday

Evening Zoom Bible Class..7:00 pm

February 18, 2024

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

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May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. **Romans 15:13**

February 18, 2024

Let's face it, sacrifice is difficult. The dictionary defines sacrifice as something given up or lost; a destruction or surrender of something for the sake of something else. In other words, something we possess is so valuable that it pains us to give it up. It doesn't even have to be a material possession. It may be missing a favorite show or giving up free time to help someone out when all we want to do is relax. It makes sense. After all, would it really be a sacrifice if it didn't cause us discomfort in some way? However, that sacrifice can lead to so many blessings. I was reminded of that recently with the sacrifices the disciples made when they left their jobs and families to follow Jesus. I asked myself, could I have done that? Just drop everything and follow one man? Talk about a sacrifice! I'm sure that after Jesus died, the disciples would tell people that they would do it all over again because the blessings far outweighed the heartbreak and pain. So, the next time you are faced with a sacrifice remember Hebrews 13:16 - "And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased."

~Ed Taylor



TODAY AT NORTH HILLS COC

Worship is at the building and online @ 10:30 am on YouTube Sunday, February 18th.

Preaching: Terry Lafferty

Mission Trip Informational Meeting-Following Worship



VISITING?

We're glad you've joined us today as we speak to God in our prayers and our praise, and as we listen together as He speaks to us through His Word, the Bible. If this is your first time here, we extend to you a warm welcome. We are thankful that you have chosen to visit with us this morning.

At the conclusion of the service if you have any questions about our church or about becoming a Christian, please speak to our minister or with one of the elders who will be available at the rear of the auditorium.

Thank you for visiting and we hope you will feel welcome enough to come again.

INFORMATION FOR ALL

-As a courtesy to others, please silence your cell phones so as not to disrupt the worship service.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

We will have worship in the building and live-streaming service on YouTube this week, Sunday, Feb. 18th at 10:30 am.

Directions for viewing live-stream:

Currently, <u>you must go</u> directly to the North Hills Church of Christ channel on <u>YouTube</u> at: <u>youtube.com/Northhillschurchofchrist</u>

The livestream video should appear on the site at approximately 10:30. Select the live video to participate in worshipping with us.



ONLINE BIBLE STUDY

We are having Bible Study online via zoom on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. Please check your church emails for links to the upcoming online zoom meetings.

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85178539781?

pwd=SjFjZkRnMWludkw1YWRvYkdnenJ3QT09

Passcode: 292908

You will have the ability to display your video and audio, or you can turn off your video feed. We hope you join us.



MISSION TRIP

Our mission trip is planned for June 29th to July 6th, 2024. We will be going to support the Nashville Inner City Ministries. There will be a sign up sheet in the church foyer for anyone who is interested in coming on this trip. There is a meeting for anyone interested in the trip TODAY February 18th following worship.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

The North Hills COC Spring Retreat is scheduled for <u>April 5th and 6th</u>. It is titled <u>Eternal Ember</u> and is fast approaching. This year we are excited to build relationships and bond with one another while studying how to stay on fire for God. <u>We urge you to sign up and save the date on your calendar as soon as you can</u>. A link has been sent to your email. See below if you want to copy and paste it into your browser:

SignUp Genius: Eternal Ember, 2024 Women's Spring Retreat
If you have any questions, see Nicole Feathers or Tammy Wolfgong.

COLLEGE BOXES

We are preparing to send out boxes to our college kids to love and encourage them on their path. We could use your help to provide the items for the boxes + bring to church. The list of needs is below:

- Small chip and/or cookie packages
- Pen/pencils/fun items
- Candy/ any other items college students would enjoy.
- Gift cards that you think college students would want to get.

ATTENDANCE & GIVING

Last Week's Contribution	\$3,166
Weekly Budget	\$3,338
Contribution Year to Date Aveage	\$3,054

THIS WEEK AT NORTH HILLS, February 18 – February 24

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Worship 10:30 am Mission Trip Meeting 12:00 pm

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Zoom Bible Study 7:00 pm

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