# NORTH TEN MILE BAPTIST CHURCH

Telling HIS-STORY Since 1773

322 Ridge Church Road, Amity, Pennsylvania 15311 Web site Address . . . www.northtenmilebaptistchurch.com

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Gary Schneider

Ministers: ALL Members of the Congregation

## HOW TO REACH US...

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## DEACONS

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Youth Leader, Jason Mihal ~ 907-322-8821

Email: I8bugs@hotmail.com

## Sunday Schedule:

(Mid April until Dec. 30) 8:45 AM Early Worship Service 10:00 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Traditional Worship Service

Organist: Mrs. Cari Walker <u>Pianists</u>: Angie Iams

### **N**URSERY

Our nursery and two other upstairs classrooms are equipped with live video coverage of our church service. Parents, please feel free to use this resource when necessary.

## PROVIDED FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

To better serve the needs of our congregation, envelopes have been placed in the pew racks, which can be used for designating your financial giving to this church. If you are visiting with us, do not feel obligated to give financially, but please do fill out a visitor card—also found in the pew racks—that we might have a record of your visit with us today.

## SAFETY REMINDER

Regardless of local conditions, our church always has working utilities.

Should an extended electrical outage occur in our area, please use the church as a comfortable and safe haven.

### TO SCHEDULE AN EVENT AT OUR CHURCH

Pastor Gary is the official coordinator for scheduling events at NTM Church (this applies to events not on the church's normal weekly calendar). There is a form that details use of the church building and you will need to get one of the forms from Pastor Gary when requesting a date. Rules apply to both Church Members and Non-church Members.

To place information in our bulletin ~ Phone 724-288-4085

<u>E-mail</u>: thegoroncys@fairpoint.net

(<u>Bulletin information must be submitted by 12:00 noon on Tuesdays.</u>) <u>Webmaster – Dan Morris – E-Mail: vicoa2@gmail.com</u>

# NORTH TEN MILE BAPTIST CHURCH

SINCE 1773

COME TO WORSHIP ~ DEPART TO SERVE
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2017





# ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2017

# WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP



# **NTM Praise**

Children's Program
Celebrating the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent



Hymnal #192~ "Angels We have Heard on High"

Offertory "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" NTM Orchestra w/ congregation

<u>WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING</u>
RECEIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

THE DOXOLOGY (#382 IN~ THE HYMNAL)

# VERSE OF THE MONTH

II Galatians 4:4

"...God sent forth His Son, made of a woman, made under the law."

# PRAISE AND PRAYER TIME

THE CONGREGATIONAL AND COMMUNITY PRAYER LIST
TIME OF SILENT, INTERCESSORY PRAYER THROUGHOUT THE CHURCH
THE PASTORAL PRAYER



Christmas Cantata "Behold the King!" NTM Choir

TODAY'S MESSAGE ~ REV. DR. GARY SCHNEIDER "WHO JESUS IS"

I Timothy 1:17 (KJV) (PAGE 1750 IN PEW BIBLE)



Hymnal #171 ~ "Joy to the World"

# ANNOUNCEMENTS AND INFORMATION THE BENEDICTION

## In-Church Activities ~ This Week and Next Sunday

# (Activities are "weather permitting" - call the church for updates)

# → TODAY SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2017

8:45 AM

**EARLY SERVICE** 

10:00 AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL

11:00 AM

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

(KING'S KIDS ~ CHRISTMAS CANTATA)

6:00 ~ NO YOUTH GROUP

→ WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27~ NO ORCHESTRA
NO CHOIR REHEARSAL

## → NEXT SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2017

8:45 AM

NO EARLY SERVICE

10:00 AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL

11:00 AM

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

(KING'S KIDS ~

6:00 ~ YOUTH GROUP

# KING'S KIDS & Special Music SCHEDULE

Date	King's Kids	Youth Explosion
December 24	CHRISTMAS CANTATA	CHRISTMAS CANTATA
December 31		
January 7		
January 14		
January 21		
January 28		

December 2017 Church & Events Calendar		
24 ~ Sun	Christmas Cantata	
24 ~ Sun	Candlelight Service ~ 6:30 pm	
25 ~ Mon	Christmas	
27 ~ Wed	Deaconess visitation ~ 10 am	
31 ~ Sun	New Year's Eve Game Night ~ 8 pm	

**December Mission Emphasis:** Retired Ministers & Missionaries. We will take the offering on **Today** ~Sunday, December 24.

**NTM has WiFi.** Please connect to the NTM1773 network (no password needed) with your WiFi device

## **Youth Group**

Regular meetings have resumed. All of our youth 6-12 grade are invited to come.

## **Upcoming Events:**

12/17 Christmas Party 1/20 Laser Tag 2/16 Winter Jam

Small—but important—Sunday jobs Pray Benediction Provide special music Men's Breakfast Coordinator Lead worship music

## **Early Service**

There will be no early service until after Easter 2018.

### Mailbox list

The church mailbox list has been updated for sending Christmas cards to church members & attenders. They are on the back table as well as on the church website and Facebook page.

### Dartball

We have 3 Mondays off for the holidays.

Next game: Mon., 1/8/18,
with Cokeburg AWAY @ NTM.

Please be here at 6:30 pm to help set up

Merry Christmas!

## **Candlelight Service**

Christmas Eve candlelight service will be tonight at 630pm.

### **New Year's Eve**

Everyone is invited to come to the fellowship hall on NYE at 8pm and bring some food and games. We will eat and play games until midnight, watch the ball drop on TV, pray, then go home

## Free tables

More free tables are now available. Please see Bro. Gary if you are interested.

Prayer Lis	t
<u>Church</u>	Trustees
Church Family	Ruth Tustin - lung
<u>Community</u>	Larry Clemmons - lung cancer
<u>Expecting</u>	Judd & Mindy Wolfe ~ March
Shut-In	Blanche Boardley
First Responders	Pray for all First Responders who selflessly risk their lives for others.
Military	Pray for all U. S. military men & women around the World .Also go to: http://www.woundedwarriorproject.org to help wounded service members and their families.

## **Missionary Emphasis:**

**ABC International Ministries: Sarah Nash/Bolivia** ~ Sarah will serve through the new extension of House of Hope in Santa Cruz, Bolivia as an educator and dental assistant. She is passionate about serving women and children through ministries of discipleship, education, and health. House of Hope Ministries in Cochabamba and in Santa Cruz offer tutoring and after-school programs for children with high-risk mothers, work with youth with addictions, serve the homeless and provide medical and dental clinics for at-risk children.

<u>SBC Missionaries:</u> Ali & Yasmin Roohi/Church Planter Apprentice - CenterSet Church, San Jose, CA ~ Ali is the first child of immigrants from Iran. He is Silicon Valley born and is a software engineer. After receiving Christ, he immediately had a heart for the lost and is deeply passionate for the people of Silicon Valley to experience new life through a relationship with Jesus! Yasmin, his wife, is a wedding and lifestyle photographer and a former TV evangelist to Iran. They have one child, Sophia Noelle. CenterSet Church has 3 ministries: Love God is their "up" ministry with vibrant & life-giving worship experiences for lost people to come and learn about Jesus; Love Each Other is their "in" ministry, where pastoral care and healing takes place; and Love the World is their "out" ministry, where they love and serve their community.

<u>SBC Chaplaincy:</u> Chaplain (Major) Scott Squires, U.S. Army, Based: Fort Stewart, GA ~ Pray for wisdom and guidance in caring for Soldiers, families, and their team. Pray that their unity and loyalty to Christ will draw many to respond to Him. jerry.squires@us.army.mil

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"Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen."

### **Sermon References:**