NORTH SHORE
COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, June 7, 2020

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have recently started joining our services at NSCBC and would like the chance to **meet Pastor Bobby and the staff** team, we'd love to get to know you more and would like to invite you to a Zoom meet-up after our service TODAY from 11-11:45am. This is the rescheduled event from May 17, when Zoom was having technical difficulties. See nscbc.org/live for the Zoom link. Would be great to see you there!

We will be sharing **communion** TODAY. To participate, you may wish to prepare elements in the likes of bread and wine.

We continue to celebrate Justin & Danielle Steele on the birth of their **son** Clark. If you would like to offer meal support for the family, gift cards to Grubhub or Doordash can be sent to danielle.j.brugger@gmail.com.

Where do I go from here? Taking the next step into meaningful spiritual conversation: Sometimes we feel as though talking about our faith is taboo or offensive or we may just not know how to take conversations with new friends to the next level. During a short, 40-minute course on Sundays, June 14 & 21, Pastor Ben will help us consider how to engage in spiritual conversations, which includes listening, asking good questions, and articulating our faith. Join us before services at 9am. See nscbc.org/live for the Zoom link.

The **NSCBC blog** helps to inform and equip disciples on the North Shore as we connect faith with life and live on mission. New posts go up weekly. Check it out at nscbc.org/blog.

Are you feeling lonely or isolated at this time? Would you like to join with others to grow in your faith and to encourage and support one another? We would love to help you get connected to one of our **small groups**, which meet over Zoom on various weeknights. Email smallgroups@nscbc.org to learn more.

The purpose of the NSCBC Deacons is to serve the church through practical ministries of **caring for the people of the congregation**. As such, they want to make you aware of two ways that they are available to serve during this time of uncertainty. Our church's Benevolence Fund, is available to help those with urgent financial needs. If you or someone you know is in need of financial support and would like to request aid, contact deacons@nscbc.org. If there is another need that you would like to make the deacons aware of, please contact deacons at deacons@nscbc.org.

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We will continue to have time every Friday from 6:30-7:30am to pray for the **kingdom to advance in Essex County**. Join us for prayer over Zoom: https://zoom.us/j/268589938

It is still possible to **give** to the work of NSCBC during this time by mailing a check, setting up automatic payments through your bank, or visiting nscbc.org/giving.

General Fund Update for May 2020, and Budget Comparison

	Actuals	*Budget thru May 31*
General Fund Income	$ 384,330.54	$ 364,801.00
Less Expenses	$ 341,092.29	$ 385,020.18
Net Difference	$ 43,238.25	

PRAYER

- World Focus of the Week: **North Africa:** those who have growing apathy with Islam would embrace the truth of the gospel
- Community Focus this Week: **national government leaders**