

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visit nscbc.org to see upcoming events on our church calendar.

JOIN US FOR CONNECT 2!

Sunday, June 4th | 12:15 pm | Friendship Hall

Connect 2 is for those who have already attended Connect 1 and are looking to find out more about our church's identity and beliefs, and how to be a part of our mission together. Join for lunch after the second service on Sunday. Email Maddie at office@nscbc.org to RSVP.

NEWCOMER LUNCH WITH THE STAFF

Sign up at nscbc.org/lunch

New to the church in the last 3 years? sign up to join Bobby and our staff for lunch! Tuesdays through the end of May, starting on April 25th. Bring a lunch and help the staff get to know you. We ask that you only sign up for one lunch.

VBS @ NSCBC

July 10-14 | Register or sign up to serve at nscbc.org/vbs | laura@nscbc.org

VBS is coming soon, and registrations are live on our website! In this year's theme, 'Twists and Turns', kids will play their way through VBS while learning that Jesus guides them through all of the twists and turns in their lives, and even when they mess up, it's never 'game over'.

FINAL CHOIR SING

Join us for our final choir sing of the year. Rehearsal June 1st, at 7 pm. Sing on Sunday, June 4th at the 9:15 and 11am services. Sign up at nscbc.org/choir.

SUMMER SCHEDULE + PICNIC LUNCHES

On June 18th we move to our summer schedule. This means we have just one service at 10 am, followed by fellowship time outside on the lawn.

On June 18th, as well as July 2nd and August 6th, we will have an all-church picnic. BYO lunch or grab something from a local restaurant and join us for an extended time of fellowship outside!

PARKING REMINDER

We have seen a significant jump in attendance since easier, and out parking lot is now over capacity for the 1st service. If you are a regular attender, please consider parking on local side streets. Thank you!

MEDIA PERMISSIONS

As we begin sharing more on social media, we want to be conscious of those in our congregation who would rather not have images of themselves shared online. If you have concerns and would like to be added to our 'do not post' list, please email Maddie at office@nscbc.org.

STAY IN TOUCH

Sign up at nscbc.org/live to receive weekly email updates.

CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor: Bobby Warrenburg | bobby@nscbc.org

Associate Pastor: Richard Wallace | richard@nscbc.org

Minister of Worship Arts: Adam Kurihara | adam@nscbc.org

Minister of Children and Families: Laura Range | laura@nscbc.org

Youth Coordinator: Danner Hutchison | youth@nscbc.org

Office Manager: Maddie Hutchison | office@nscbc.org

Bookkeepers: Ruth Feins & Maria Reiss | bookkeeper@nscbc.org

ELDERS

Ted Child (Chair)

Nate Sidmore

Mark Coleman

Russ Tuck

Bobby Warrenburg

Russ Bjork

Andrew Rennekamp

DEACONS

Lissa Whitley (Chair)

Ruth Feins (Finance)

Clay Range (Facilities)

Jon Rodgers (Personnel)

Daniel Tuck

Porter Sprigg

Joanne Ersing

Samuel Solberg

Phil Whitley

Marcia Sidmore

Nancy Stallard

Katie Alcott

TREASURER Jim Maden

Questions regarding financial stewardship can be directed to Ruth and Maria at bookkeeper@nscbc.org. They are in the church offices on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

PRAYER

Sign up at nscbc.org/live to receive weekly prayer updates.

World Focus: We pray for our global workers serving in South Asia. Pray that as many of these workers both train pastors and churches, and do the essential work of Bible translation, that they would be gifted and emboldened by the power of God in them. We pray that they would be encouraged and spurred on as they work to see Gospel Movements in their region.

Community Focus: We pray for children in our community waiting for a foster family placement. We pray that these children would receive good care in home while they wait for a long term placement or a return to their biological families.

Congregation Focus: We pray for the Wallace family as Richard faces ongoing health concerns. We pray for Maggie Hood as she faces severe health issues. We pray for Linda Olmsted as she recovers from a fall.

Do you have any requests for prayer? Email prayer@nscbc.org, submit at nscbc.org/live, or call the church office.



NORTH SHORE

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

ASCENSION SUNDAY

MAY 21, 2023

The Lord Restores

REFLECTION FOR WORSHIP

“For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes, first to the Jew, then to the Gentile.”

Romans 1:16

“I’ve learned that courage and compassion are two sides of the same coin.”

Eric Greitens

“Aslan is a lion - the Lion, the great Lion.’ ‘Ooh’ said Susan. ‘I’d thought he was a man. Is he quite safe?’ I shall feel rather nervous about meeting a lion’... ‘Safe?’ said Mr. Beaver... ‘Who said anything about safe?’ ‘Course he isn’t safe. But he’s good. He’s the King, I tell you.’”

C.S. Lewis, The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe

“Do not strive in your own strength; cast yourself at the feet of the Lord Jesus, and wait upon Him in sure confidence that He is with you, and works in you. Strive in prayer, let faith fill your heart-so you will be strong in the Lord, and in the power of His might.”

Andrew Murray

North Shore Community Baptist Church

9 Hart Street, Beverly, MA 01915

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WELCOME!

Visiting? Please scan the QR code on the back of the pews and fill out our online connect form!

Need a Bible? See an usher to receive a gift Bible. Large print and children's Bibles are available for use during the service.

Have questions? Find someone with a name badge or visit our Welcome Centers!

CHILDREN

Children's activities/bulletins are available in the foyer.

1st Service: 9:15am

Nursery (birth-2.5yrs) drop before service in Room 208.

Toddler Church (ages 2.5-4.5yrs) drop before service in Room 205.

Children's Worship (ages 4.5-2nd grade) children will begin the service with their families and then dismissed part way through the service to the Sanctuary foyer where they will be led downstairs to Friendship Hall.

2nd Service: 11am

Nursery (birth-2.5yrs) drop before service in Room 208.

Sunday School (Toddler-5th Grade) (Toddlers: age 2.5 by Sept 1)

Children should arrive before service to their respective classrooms:

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| Toddler | Room 205 |
| PreK/K | Room 210 |
| Grades 1-2 | Room 306 (upstairs) |
| Grades 3-5 | Room 307 (upstairs) |

For more information contact Laura Range at laura@nscbc.org.

GOSPEL FORMATION COURSES

Storytime - Seasoned Saints Edition | May 21st, 11am

Join us on Sunday, May 21st at 11a as we hear stories from our seasoned saints. Podcast host Melissa Zaldivar launches season 6 of her podcast, "Cheer Her On" with a live recording at NSCBC.

Praying in Beggar Language - Mark's Gospel and Augustine's Confessions

Dr. Davi Lin | June 4th, 11 am

This will be a Biblical, historical, and cross-cultural prayer workshop, and in the end each participant will be invited to write a prayer to God using the language of Mark's gospel, and Augustine's *Confessions* as a framework.

Practicing Beholding the Kingdom: A workshop on prayer

Karoline Niles | June 11th, 11 am

A workshop on learning to listen to God.

THE LORD RESTORES

ASCENSION SUNDAY | MAY 21, 2023

Prelude Adam Kurihara

God Gathers Us to Himself

*Gathering Hymn See, the Conqueror Mounts in Triumph ODE TO JOY

Call to Worship Natalie Crowson

*Praise Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise (#173) LLANFAIR

Jesus Strong And Kind CityAight (2019)

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Grace Natalie Crowson

*Song of Response
Before The Throne Of God Above Charitie Bancroft (1860)

*Passing the Peace
Life of the Church: Announcements Adam Kurihara

Disciple Story Paul Sidmore

Kingdom-Centered Prayer Natalie Crowson

God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Scripture Reading Mark 7:24-30 Lyndsy Weeks (9:15a)
Ricky Schille (11a)

Message A Disciple's Boldness Laura Range

God Moves Us to Respond

Call for Offering
*Song of Response King of Kings Hillsong (2018)

God Sends Us Out to Serve

*Benediction Laura Range

Postlude Adam Kurihara

SERMON NOTES