#### NEW TO NPMB CHURCH?

Welcome! It's great to have you here. We'd love to meet you and give you some information to help you get connected. Please fill out the Visitor card inside and drop it in the offering box at the Welcome Center.

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PRAYER CHAIN:

# Stay Connected!

Text "Connect" to (778)400-4549 and fill out the connect card to keep up to date with what's going on at NPMB!



Check out our church library.
Fiction & non-fiction, adult - children.
And movies.
Located downstairs.



#### Operating Budget Report

Last Week's Giving \$8,050.00

Giving to Date \$413,019.73

Budget to Date \$456,528.52

(Our Church year end is April)
Online Giving Option: e-transfers@npmbchurch.com

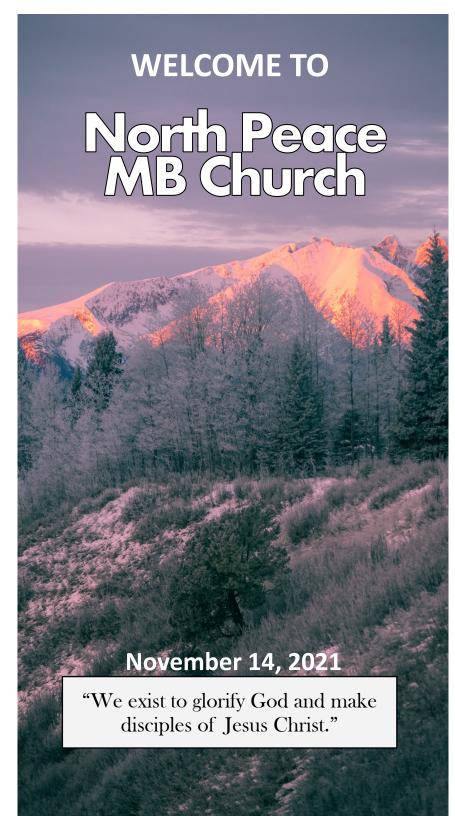
# Sermon Notes


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The NPMB Bible Study library is digital.

AND GIGANTIC.

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### **Today**

 $9:\!00am\text{-}Livestream$  service with Pastor Andrew on the website, Facebook & YouTube

### This Week

**MONDAY** 

**7:00pm** Young Adults

TUESDAY

**7-9pm** Senior Youth

WEDNESDAY

**6:00am** Men's Prayer Time

**7:00pm** Junior Youth

7:00pm Ladies Evening Bible Study

**SATURDAY** 

10:00-12:00pm Children's Christmas Concert practice

# **Coming Events**

November 26: Breakout ("How to Build your House")

### **Prayer Needs**

Please join us in praying for the ministry of the week: North Peace Pregnancy Care Centre

**Note:** If you have a prayer request/praise item you would like to include in the bulletin, please contact the church office with the details.

# This Weeks Passage

An argument developed between some of John's disciples and a certain Jew over the matter of ceremonial washing. They came to John and said to him, "Rabbi, that man who was with you on the other side of the Jordan—the one you testified about—look, he is baptizing, and everyone is going to him."

To this John replied, "A person can receive only what is given them from heaven. You yourselves can testify that I said, 'I am not the Messiah but am sent ahead of him.' The bride belongs to the bridegroom. The friend who attends the bridegroom waits and listens for him, and is full of joy when he hears the bridegroom's voice. That joy is mine, and it is now complete. He must become greater; I must become less." John 3:25-30

# **Church Family News**

Congratulations to Phil and Sierra Weitzel on the arrival of their new baby girl, Brooke Jasper.

Brooke was born on November 3rd at 6:56pm. She weighed 7lbs 7oz and was 20 inches long. Please join us in welcoming Brooke to our church family!





The NPMB Church Women's Ministry is throwing a Christmas Painting Party at Home, and we need your help! We are looking for women willing to host up to 5 ladies in their homes. Hostesses will choose which time works best for them. They can choose anytime on December 10th, 11th or 12th (it doesn't have to be an evening!). While completing the

registration to be a hostess (available on the events section of the website), you can let us know when you would like to host your party. If you leave the question blank, a member of the Women's Team will reach out to you soon to find out when you'd like to host. Hosts will be provided with all of the paint supplies that they and their attendees will require. They can pick these, as well as some Christmas goodies, up at the church the week before the event. They will be asked to create a Christmas-y environment at home (music, decorations, etc.), have a computer or TV available to view the provided devotional video and paint tutorial video, set up for painting and provide some beverages. Registration for hosting is available from November 8th-15th, and registration for attending as a guest (or for participating on your own) will be available between November 22-December 3rd. Any questions can be directed to Cassie at the church office.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes are now available on a table in the foyer. The project will run until November 21st and collection week is Nov 14 –21 at the Fort St. John Alliance Church.

North Peace Pregnancy Care Baby Bottle Fundraiser is now underway. Simply fill a bottle with loose change, bills or cheques and return by November 28th. Bottles can be found in the bin on the highchair in the foyer.

# Missionary Corner

It is hard to believe that we are once again wrapping up our busy season here at Trees of Life. This was an unusual summer, but as we look back, the thing we are most grateful for is that we were able to build relationships within our staff. Many of them were walking through some difficult



circumstances, but we saw God at work in their lives. There is such a battle in the lives of the people of this country, but we have noticed this is especially true in the lives of the men here. Two members of our staff have left us recently due to these issues (though one plans to return when able). We are seeking daily how to pray for and love these people well. Here are some recent praise items, as well as some prayer requests.

#### Praise:

- For returning health (Rob had tested positive for Covid and the first ten days of being ill were rough. He is back at work now, but definitely has to pace himself as his energy is low).
- For new additions to the family (we have had two babies born into our community, as well as three new grandchildren born in this past season).
- For growing relationships with our staff.
- For HIS song that we can sing (in spite of the despair around and often in us, I have found HIM to be the solid rock beneath my feet! HIS song is the one we want to be singing).

#### Pray:

- For the men in this country, especially those who are facing issues around mental health and substance use.
- For wisdom to love well and to speak into difficult situations.
- For wisdom to know when we should travel to North America (to see family and friends and meet our new grandchildren).

#### Sincerely,

Rob and Marlene Baerg