



**NORTHWOODS  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**Matthew 9:1-8**

**July 9, 2023**

**Prelude** - *The prelude is a call of consecration for the worship of the Almighty God. During this time, let us prepare our hearts in reverence and silent prayer.*

*As you prepare for worship, consider:*

Westminster Shorter Catechism, Question #16

Q. Did all mankind fall in Adam's first transgression?

A. The covenant being made with Adam, not only for himself, but for his posterity; all mankind, descending from him by ordinary generation, sinned in him, and fell with him, in his first transgression.

**Welcome**

## **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Call to Worship**

Psalm 135:1-5

Praise the LORD! Praise the name of the LORD; Praise Him, O you servants of the LORD! You who stand in the house of the LORD, In the courts of the house of our God, Praise the LORD, for the LORD is good; Sing praises to His name, for it is pleasant. For the LORD has chosen Jacob for Himself, Israel for His special treasure. For I know that the LORD is great, And our Lord is above all gods.

**Hymn 441\***

*Jesus Shall Reign*

**Invocation\***

**Confession of Faith\***

*The Apostle's Creed*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and Earth

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord

Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**Hymn 735\***

*Gloria Patri*

**Tithes and Offerings**

Supporting the Work of the Church

**Hymn 731\***

*Doxology*

**The Sacrament of Baptism**

Abigail Denlinger

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Sermon Text\***

Matthew 9:1-8

**Sermon**

Your Sins Are Forgiven

**Hymn 55\***

*To God Be the Glory*

**The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

**Hymn 437\***

*O God, to Us Show Mercy*

**Benediction\***

**Postlude**

\*Indicates Congregation Standing

### **Our Traditional Worship**

Northwoods believes that a traditional worship service reflects the reverence suggested by Scripture. You will notice that we differ from many evangelical churches who practice a contemporary form of worship, because of our simple accompaniment and use of the historic hymns of the faith. We believe that "worship" includes the entire service, not just the music, and therefore we distribute our hymns of praise throughout the service. May God bless us as we worship Him together.

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## Serving in the House of the Lord Today

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**July 9, 2023**

**Ushers** – Jon Chapman, Mike Newsom, Alex Davison, Kieran Tunnicliff, Seth Gildemaster

**Serving Next Week (July 16, 2023):**

**Ushers** – Jon Chapman, Mike Newsom, Alex Davison, Kieran Tunnicliff, Seth Gildemaster

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## Cry Room/Nursery

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We desire children to join us in worship, and do not mind their sounds. However, as a parent, if you feel the need to step out with your child we have both a cry room (upstairs near the main doors) and a nursery (downstairs) available. Both are unattended. The sermon is broadcast into both as well.

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To submit prayer requests or announcements for the email chain or the bulletin email [prayer@northwoodspca.org](mailto:prayer@northwoodspca.org).

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## **Church Leadership**

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