
KOINONIA

"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship (Koinonia) of the Holy Spirit be with you all."
2 Corinthians 13:14

NORWIN ALLIANCE CHURCH

March 2023



Music & Art Night

Sunday, March 19 at 6:30 PM we will celebrate our 3rd Music & Art Night. We will begin with a Concert of Praise in the Sanctuary from 6:30-7:30(ish), followed by an Art Exhibition and dessert in the Fellowship Hall. This is a great night to invite your friends, neighbors and loved ones.

All are welcome to participate—please register no later than Sunday, March 5th by signing the sheet in the narthex, calling the church office at 724-864-1570, or e-mailing the church at ncma@norwinalliance.org.

Musicians - all songs are limited to 1 per person.

Artists - we would love for you to stay and stand by your works of art so that people can meet you.

If you are able to contribute a dessert for the evening, please sign the sheet in the narthex.

If you do not wish to participate as a musician or artist, please join us as a supporter of the arts. It will be a very enjoyable evening.



WEDNESDAY PRAYER TIME

1st Wednesday of each month
Starting Wednesday, March 1st
7:00 pm

Join us on the first Wednesday of each month for a time to pray for: one another; our church family; the mission, purpose, staff, and leaders of Norwin Alliance Church; the church universal; our community; our nation; and the world. If you have a specific prayer request, please join us for this time of prayer, or if you cannot attend, please contact the church office with your prayer request. We pray that this special time of monthly prayer together will help us see what God wants us to do as a church and build unity in and through our church members.

"Again, I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything you ask for, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three come together in my name, there am I with them."

- Matthew 18:19-20

Daylight Savings Time

Please be sure to turn your clocks **AHEAD** one hour before retiring for the night on Saturday, **March 11th**. Daylight Savings will begin at 2:00 am Sunday, **March 12th**.





KEEN-AGERS

The March meeting of Norwin Alliance Keen-Agers will be on Thursday, March 23rd at **11:00 am**.

The meal will be Chicken and Biscuits (provided). Please bring a side dish to share and/or a **GREEN** dessert.

Our program will be by Mary Mohan.

**** Food Pantry item is: BOXED CEREAL**

We invite everyone aged 50 and over to join us.

Hope to see you on March 24th ~ day afternoon together.

Operation Christmas Child (OCC) Packing Party!

We will once again be collecting items to fill shoeboxes for OCC.

Watch for a sign-up sheet of items that will be needed to fill the boxes and for more information about the packing party.



Norwin Alliance Preschool News

Each month the preschool children collect specific food items for the Irwin Area Food Pantry. If you would like to contribute, a box is available in the narthex. March's collection item: **Boxed Cereal**

Thank you so much for any contributions you can make.



Norwin Alliance Church Preschool



The Norwin Alliance Preschool

is accepting registrations for the 2023-2024 school year.

The **3yr old class** meets Tuesday & Thursday from 9:00—11:30 am OR 12:30—3:00 pm. Child must be potty trained and be 3yrs old by September 1st.

The **4yr old class** meets Monday, Wednesday & Friday from 9:00—11:30 am OR 12:30—3:00 pm. Child must be 4yrs old by September 1st.

You may contact the church office to register or fill out the form below and return to the office.

A \$75.00 registration fee is required to reserve your spot.

Norwin Alliance Church Preschool

REGISTRATION

2023-2024

724-864-1570



Parent's name: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone : _____

Email address: _____

Child's Name: _____

Child's birthday: _____

Please register my child in the: 3 year old class _____

4 year old class _____

Class time preference: AM _____ PM _____

****Class preference will be decided by the date the registration form AND the \$75 registration fee are received. You will be notified if your preference cannot be granted.****

****Checks may be made payable to:
Norwin Alliance Church****



We've had a lot of great things going on with the youth recently!

Every month, several students from the University of Pittsburgh - the "Pitt Crew" - come in to share with us what God is doing in their lives and on Pitt campus, as well as leading us in studying the Scriptures. They also like to bring in food, and it often becomes a bit of a feast!

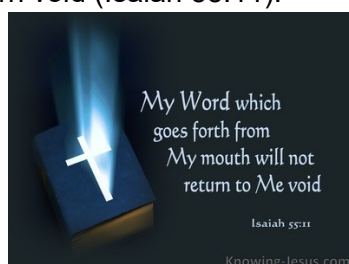
On other Wednesdays this month, Jessica Ewing has been speaking to us from the Book of Job, and relating it to our own lives.

In February we had two weekend activities. First we went snow tubing at Boyce Park. Even with the mild winter we've had, Boyce is able to provide enough snow to keep the kids happy and zooming down the hillside. We also went bowling (for the second time) in North Versailles with the Youth group from McKeesport, and we're scheduled to do that again next month. It's been nice to participate with kids and leaders from another Alliance church.

Also in February we ordered tickets to see Big Daddy Weave, who will be putting on a concert at Word of Life Church in Greensburg on March 1. We have a total of ten people signed up for that.

I want to thank Mike Gogol, Justin Himmler, Jessica Ewing, and the Pitt Crew for volunteering their time to invest in these kids, and I want to thank the kids for participating, for the meaningful insight and input into our discussions, and in spending time in fellowship with other believers. Additionally, time invested in the scripture is never wasted, and God's Word will not return void (Isaiah 55:11)!

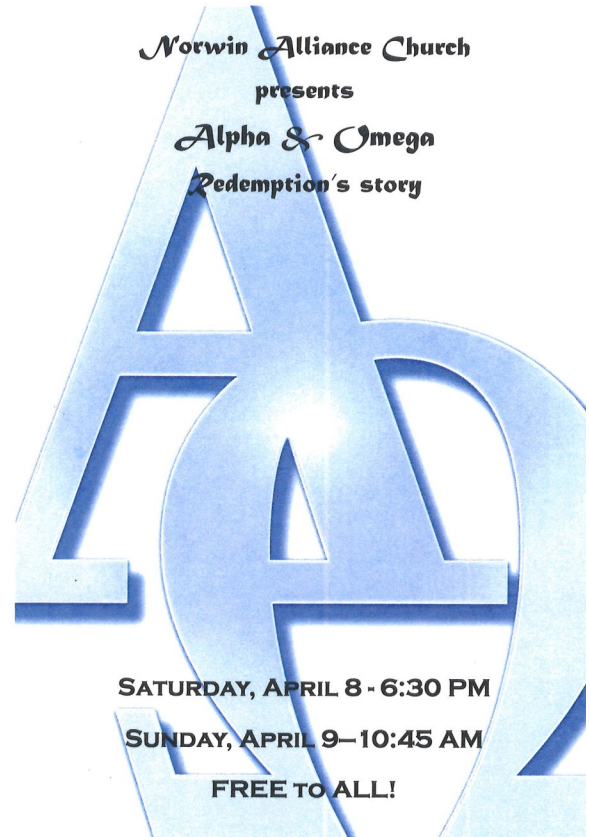
Pastor Joe



Easter Cantata

Norwin Alliance Church
presents

Alpha & Omega
Redemption's story



SATURDAY, APRIL 8 - 6:30 PM

SUNDAY, APRIL 9 - 10:45 AM

FREE TO ALL!

Ham Giveaway



We will be handing out 30 hams and a complete Easter dinner on **SATURDAY, APRIL 1ST**.

Your help is needed - a sign-up sheet is in the narthex for food items we would like donated for the dinner. Please sign-up under the food item you would like to donate.

There is also a sheet to sign if you are able to help the day of by either visiting with our guests or helping them to their cars

All food items need to be back to the church by Sunday, March 26.