



# **NORTHWEST** Christian Church

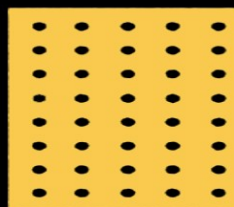
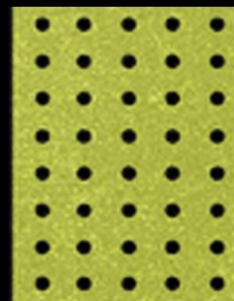
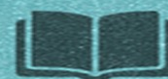
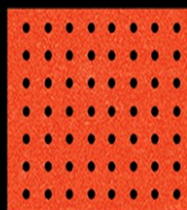
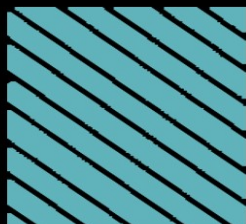
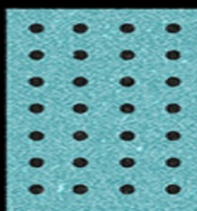
A Growing Family Journeying Together To Be More Like Jesus

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# The Jesus Stories





Have you ever wondered why life sometimes seems so unfair? Don't we serve a God of justice? Why does God let things get so far out of balance? Join us this summer as we explore a number of things about God that seem unfair: His blessings, His generosity, His forgiveness, His will, His justice, His suffering, and His sacrifice. We'll ask whether God ever promised us a fair life and whether we even really want it to be. Summer youth groups will meet from 6-8 pm on the Lower Level on Sundays; students who have finished 5th through 12th grade are invited to join us!



Join us on the Lower Level from 6-8 pm on Sunday, June 3rd for **Game Night!** We'll play every kind of game you can imagine: board games, card games, video games, table games, and more.

You can even bring your own game to teach if you'd like.

Snacks and drinks will be provided.

Events calendar:

## June

**3rd: Youth Group Game Night**  
*Middle & High School (6-8 pm)*

**10th: Summer Kick Off**  
*Overlook Adventure (5:30-8:30 pm)*

**17th: NO Youth Groups**  
*Father's Day Holiday*

**18th-23rd: CIY Move**  
*Monday @ 8:30 am - Saturday @ 2pm*

**24th: Youth Groups (6-8:00 pm)**  
*Middle school & High school*

**July 1st: Youth Groups (6-8:00 pm)**  
*Middle school & High school*



Summer youth groups kick off on Sunday, June 10th at Overlook Adventure. Meet at Northwest at 5:30 and we'll head over together for mini golf, high ropes, batting cages and ice cream. Everyone will get golf, ice cream, and one additional activity free! We'll return to Northwest by 8:30.



# Missions



## WHO IS COOKSON HILLS?

Families turn to Cookson Hills for help. We are 1000 acres of intentional care in Northeast Oklahoma. Raising children is challenging, and it's even more difficult when you don't have the resources you need. Since 1957, Cookson Hills has been partnering with families to give kids love, education, and healing in a beautiful setting. We exhaust every option to give them the best opportunity possible. We provide home, school and therapy for children at risk. For many kids it is their childhood home. For others it is a temporary home for about two years. Here, they live within a family, enroll in school, play sports and make friends. They set the table, they laugh, they ride horses, they heal, and hopefully they leave better than they came.

**IT IS NOT FOOL PROOF! IT IS DIFFICULT! IT IS WORTH IT!**

June 2nd -9th Young people and adults from Northwest Christian Church will be spend a week at Cookson Hills getting to see the facility, meet staff and kids and work on the projects that are planned for us.

## Contact Us

Monday-Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm  
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## Staff

Steve Higgs, **Minister**  
Scott Monette, **Youth Minister**  
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Michelle Oberheim, **Children's Ministries**  
Connie Honigs, **Adm. Assistant**

## Monthly Financial Information

Date	Attendance	Giving	Now is the Time	Budget
5/6	133	\$4648.33	\$2,175.00	<b>\$7052.50</b>
5/13	170	\$5574.25	\$2,887.00	<b>\$7052.50</b>
5/20	144	\$7081.68	\$870.00	<b>\$7052.50</b>
5/27	113	\$6367.75	\$15,960.00	<b>\$7052.50</b>

## Elders

Jim Seggerman  
**Zone 1** - Jay Dexter  
Steve Wiese  
**Zone 2** - Brent Owen  
James Zelhart  
**Zone 3** - Pat Owens  
Travis White

# JUNE 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 FOOD PANTRY SUNDAY 9am Sunday School 10am Worship 6-8pm Youth Group	4	5 9am Food Pantry 10am Staff Mtg	6 6pm Praise Team Practice	7 7pm Committee Mtgs	8	9
<— Mission trip to Cookson Hills —>						
10 9am Sunday School 10am Worship 5:30-8:30pm Youth Group kick off	11	12 9am Food Pantry 10am Staff Mtg	13 6pm Praise Team Practice	14 7pm Elders' Mtg	15	16
17 FATHER'S DAY 9am Sunday School 10am Worship	18	19 9am Food Pantry 10am Staff Mtg	20 6pm Praise Team Practice	21	22	23
<— CIY Move —>						
24 9am Sunday School 10am Worship 6-8pm Youth Group	25	26 9am Food Pantry 10am Staff Mtg	27	28	29	30
Trauma Healing Equipping Session —>						

## June Birthdays

01 ..... Sarah Mundhenke	14 ..... Chuck Oswald	26 ..... Greg Oberheim
02 ..... Jay Dexter	18 ..... Mackenzie Jones	27 ..... Craig Fahs
02 ..... Jan Wise	19 ..... Connie Kennedy	27 ..... Angie Markus
06 ..... Rhonda Edgecombe	19 ..... Diane Owen	
09 ..... Shirley Clessen	21 ..... Linda Ossowski	
12 ..... Rachel Kennedy	23 ..... Marissa White	

