



May 15, 2016
 9 & 11 a.m. Services
Great Family Gathering
 Annual Business Meeting
 Q&A with Pastor Jon McNeff

CHURCH HOURS

Church Office: Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.
 Bookstore & Café: Sun. 8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
 Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
 Wed. 8:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
 Library: Sundays between services, until 1 p.m.
 Food Pantry: Tue. & Wed. 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

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CONNECT WITH NORTHCREEK

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| Web | northcreek.org |
| Live Streaming | ncclive.org |
| App | iTunes, Google, Windows |
| The Table | ncctable.org |
| Videos | nccvideos.org |
| Facebook | NorthCreek Church |
| Twitter | @NorthCreekLive |

NORTHCREEK STAFF

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| Senior Pastor: Dr. Jon McNeff* | Iranian Fellowship Director: Rafi Petrossian |
| Executive Pastor: Jim Daggs* | Academy Administrator: Greg Steele |
| Senior Associate Pastor: Dr. Kent Dresdow* | Preschool Director: Esther McClellan |
| Director of Operations: Garry Pollard* | |
| Communications Director: Brent Moutier | ELDER BOARD |
| Children's Ministries Director: Kelly Alexander | Chairman: Erik Kamiya |
| Asst. Children's Ministries Director: Lauri Whaley | Vice-chairman, LifeStage, Kaleo: David Bogstad |
| Student Ministries Director: Eric Davis | Children's Ministries: Rick Johnson |
| Junior High Director: Sammy Barton | Student Ministries: Rod McCleary |
| College & Singles Pastor: Adam Chiappelone | LifeStage, Rooted: Tim Ayles |
| Women's Ministries Director: Sue Miller | LifeStage, Pathfinders: Rick Connett |
| Seniors & Caring Pastor, Worship & Music Pastor: Glenn Tatum | LifeStage, OneLife: Andrew Jensen |
| Counseling & Adult Min. Pastor: Steve Mawhorter | LifeStage, Groundbreakers: Ken Miller |
| Global Outreach Director: Justin Lyon | * indicates that staff member is a member of the Elder Board. |

FAMILY NEWS

Celebrating 50 Years of Marriage

NorthCreek congratulates **Al and Lois Gonzenbach** on 50 years of marriage. They were married on May 14, 1966. They are both very involved in serving at NorthCreek. Al serves on The Story, carving many foam items and constructing key pieces for the sets. Lois not only serves on our media team, but has faithfully proofed and edited Pastor Jon's sermon notes for decades. They also both regularly serve in our Food Pantry.

May Staff Anniversaries

Please join us in congratulating a couple of our church staff members who are celebrating anniversaries this month.

Cathy Farrar has been on staff in the accounting office for ten years! We are grateful for Cathy, for her many gifts and her careful attention to detail when it comes to handling matters concerning the church finances.

Jamie Daggs has served as our church librarian for five years. Jamie has worked faithfully, as needed, to keep the library well-stocked and organized.

We are grateful to God for these godly women.

GIVING SUMMARY

Annual General Budget: \$4,124,000
 Year to Date Budget: \$3,568,843
 Year to Date Income: \$3,858,316
 Given last week: \$79,971

MASTER PLAN

2016 Goal: \$1,300,000
 2016 Giving: \$246,031
 Given last week: \$20,247
 Loan Balance: \$7,371,000

MEMORIZING TOGETHER

The Attributes of God: Sovereignty

"The king's heart is like channels of water in the hand of the Lord; He turns it wherever He wishes."

Proverbs 21:1

THINGS TO REMEMBER THE WEEK OF 5/15

Brit Hadasha Fellowship meets this Friday, May 20, at 7:30 p.m. in WC 118.

Ladies Day Away is this Saturday, May 21. Register this week at northcreekwomen.org.

WELCOME VISITORS

Thank you for visiting NorthCreek Church! We are so glad that you're here. We invite you to fill out the Visitor Card (distributed by the ushers) and turn it in to the Welcome Center to receive a free gift and more information about life at NorthCreek and ways to get involved.

Want to get connected? Visit one of our LifeStage classes meeting this morning! Drop on by; no need to sign up.

| Meeting | LifeStage | When | Where |
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| Morning Prayer | All | 8 a.m. | WC 223 |
| Children's Classes | Infant - 5th grade | 9 & 11 a.m. | Courtside |
| Oneighty | Junior High | 9 a.m. | Fellowship Hall |
| IGNITE | High School | 9 a.m. | Chapel |
| Innerchange | Singles, College/Career | 11 a.m. | Chapel |
| Rooted | Newly Married, 20s | 11 a.m. | WC 118 |
| Onelife | Young Families, 20s-30s | 11 a.m. | WC 117 |
| Pathfinders | Married, 30s-40s | 9 a.m. | WC 119 |
| Groundbreakers | Married, 40s-50s | 9 a.m. | WC 120 |
| Koinonia | Singles, 30s-40s | 11 a.m. | WC 124 |
| New Foundation | Adults, 50s-60s | 9 a.m. | WC 118 |
| Joint Heirs | Adults, 60s | 9 a.m. | WC 117 |
| Ambassadors | Adults, 70+ | 9 a.m. | WC 124 |
| Iranian Christian Fellowship | | 11 a.m. | WC 119/120 |
| Korean Church | | 1 p.m. | CMC 203 |
| World Harvest Filipino Church | | 2 p.m. | Eastside Room |

Assisted listening devices are available at the audio desk in the Sanctuary.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT NORTHCREEK

Brit Hadasha Fellowship | Friday, May 20, at 7:30 p.m. in WC 118 | remnant.net
Brit Hadasha (New Covenant) Fellowship is a gathering of Jewish and non-Jewish believers desiring to worship in a Jewish cultural setting centered around Yeshua (Jesus) as Messiah. Everyone is welcome. Visit the American Remnant Mission website above.

Ladies Day Away | Saturday, May 21 | northcreekwomen.org
Ladies, it is not too late to register for Ladies Day Away next Saturday. Join us for a day of fellowship and great teaching. Bring a family member, friend, and/or neighbor to join you. Visit the website for details and to register.

Ignite High School Ministries Clear Lake | June 13-19 | nccignite.org
There is still time to sign up and join us at Clear Lake this summer, but spaces are filling up fast. For information, visit our website or email Marlis at mmoser@northcreek.org.

Sports Camp 2016 | June 20-24 | Register at northcreekkids.org
Register your children for Sports Camp, where kids learn about Jesus, build good character and sportsmanship, and have fun. The cost for K-1st grade is \$135; 2nd-8th grade is \$210. Register now; space is limited. Visit the website or call Lauri or Denise at 210-9036 for information.

Day Camp | August 1-5 | northcreekkids.org
Day Camp's "Ocean Commotion" will dive into Noah's Flood where kids (K - 5th grade) learn important life lessons. Volunteer registration is open. Camper registration opens May 29.

CONNECTIONS CARD

We want to hear from you! Please use the space to the right to give us your prayer requests/praises, questions, comments, updated contact info, etc. Place in the offering plate or turn in to the Welcome Center.

This information is to be seen by staff only.

Please contact me.

Name _____

Date _____

Phone _____

Email _____

I would like to volunteer at Sports Camp.

I am interested in serving at Day Camp.



SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Scan here to see the most current needs

If you would like to help with **LUNCH PREP** and **SERVING LUNCH/SNACKS** to our campers during Sports Camp, please email Lauri at lwhaley@northcreek.org. Those who volunteer and have campers attending Sports Camp will receive a discount on their child's Sport Camp cost.

MANY VOLUNTEERS are still needed for NorthCreek's **DAY CAMP**. We have about 400 campers for the week and need the appropriate number of helpers. Many positions are needed, especially **COUNSELORS, PUPPETEERS, CRAFTS** (great for moms with young children); plus a **VARIETY OF JOBS** before, during, and after camp. Register online at northcreekkids.org.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES is in need of a **TEACHER** and **HELPER** in their Seedlings **CHILDREN'S PROGRAM**, beginning in the fall on Wednesday mornings during Bible study. Please contact Sue at smiller@northcreek.org if you are interested in helping.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

NorthCreek Academy anticipates open positions for teachers this coming fall. For more information, contactCarolynn at cfox@ncapschool.org, or complete an application from the school's website at ncapschool.org.

The Preschool has openings for **substitute teachers** meeting state licensing requirements with 12 ECE units. Contact Esther at 954-6353 or emcclellan@ncapschool.org.

MISSIONS SPOTLIGHT

Daisuke and Marcia Okada Japan

Daisuke, Marcia and their children Nicholas, Noah, Nathan and Sophia are in Japan where Daisuke continues to serve in his role with the Japan Bible Academy (JBA). Through JBA, Daisuke has the opportunity to biblically train up pastors and church leaders in Tokyo and several key areas of the country, providing them with a solid foundation for church life.

Daisuke has had a busy year so far with teaching JBA's Lay Leadership Training class, seminars, preaching at different churches, conducting a weekly preaching class online, and beginning a monthly Bible study with a group of believers in Tokyo, going through a series on the blueprint of the biblical church. Pray that the Lord guides and guards Daisuke as he teaches the Word and also his students as they strive to know Him and serve Him. Pray also as Daisuke focuses on building a network of like-minded pastors to create new opportunities for ministry. Finally, although their family has transitioned well to life in Japan, Marsha, Noah, Nathan, and Sophia each have health concerns for which they are seeking help and trying to manage. Pray that the Lord will give them wisdom on how to remedy each health concern and that He would strengthen them as a family.

Take a moment to email Daisuke and Marcia and let them know that you prayed for their ministry: dokada@mac.com.



Don't have a pen? You can complete this Connections Card at NCCconnect.org, on the NorthCreek App., or scan the above QR code with your phone.