

## Are You Interested in Serving as a Liturgist in Worship at Northminster?

*Come to Liturgist Training!*

**Sunday, Sept. 11 at 11:30 a.m.**

*(after you've enjoyed your first plate at the picnic)*

We're expanding the use of lay liturgists in our worship services, so we're having a brief training session for those who are interested. You'll learn about the microphones and basic presentation and public reading/speaking. It's fun, we promise! Please join us!

***You are invited to be a greeter for Sunday morning worship!***

*The Membership Committee has a number of open weeks for before-worship greeters. Please consider helping out with this important ministry of Northminster!*

*To sign up, use the link in the Wednesday email or contact Cindy Clark at [clarkregan@comcast.net](mailto:clarkregan@comcast.net).*

## The Program Year is Getting Under Way!

**Today**, following worship, the leaders of Second Act Players, an Evanston professional non-profit theater company that is resident at Northminster for its 2016-17 season, will be at Fellowship Time to meet you and share informally about their upcoming season.

**September 11th** is Banner Sunday and the beginning of "Something New, Something Old" in Sunday morning worship which Pastor Michael announced last week.

**September 18th at 2 p.m.** on the front lawn (or in Logan Hall if bad weather), we'll be gathering for our Annual Animal Blessing Service! Invite your friends!

### **Contact Information for our Pastors**

Pastor Michael is away on vacation until the 31st.

Pastor Jessica (*Friday Sabbath*) Cell 773.802.2036

During office hours, please use the church phone number.

*We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), serving locally through the Presbytery of Chicago.*

*We are an inclusive community of faith.*

*As a member of More Light Presbyterians and the Chicago Coalition of Welcoming Churches, we invite all persons into our Christian worship and ministry.*



*So that all experience worship more fully, thank you for silencing your cell phones before the service begins. Thanks!*

## Family Promise Farewells and Thanks!

Thanks to all of you who worked this week to give our Family Promise guests hospitality, a comfortable place to sleep, good meals and good company. Thank you for your service in Christ's name!

**Please keep our guests and the Family Promise program in your prayers as our guests move on to a new faith community home this week and beyond.**