

## It's the Annual Book Drive and a NEW Library Book Fair!

**May 7 -14 Bring in an OLD book** to benefit the Erie Family Health Center's "Reach Out and Read" program. This is the second year NPC has joined the Nursery School in collecting children's books and last year we donated over 500 books! This program is valuable in promoting reading by giving a free children's book to all families that visit the Center, and parents are encouraged to read the book to their child often. These are children who may not otherwise have books of their own. Books can be dropped off in the bins in either the Narthex or the chapel entrance May 7-14.



**May 14 Purchase a NEW book** at the Book Fair to be shelved in the NPC library! Lovelace Library will be seeing some exciting changes soon including a new and improved children's section. The Library Committee has new children's books ready to go on the shelf and to help fund the project, congregation members are invited to buy a book and dedicate it to a loved one. This special Book Fair is open before worship at 8:30am and after worship until 12 noon on Mother's Day, May 14th in Logan Hall.  
Reading Rules!

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

Pastor Michael (*Monday Sabbath*) Cell 773.484-5490

**Pastor Jessica's Sabbatical begins tomorrow.**

**She will return on Tuesday, June 6th.**

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.***

*Thursday Night Post-  
ToGather conversation  
with Pastor Michael  
Thursday, May 11th at  
7:00 p.m.  
This week:  
"No Longer Male and  
Female"  
Seeking understanding as  
we surrender the idea of  
a gender binary.*

### ***Just Five Sundays left to enjoy Walking in Unity***

*Have friends who haven't  
seen our wood block  
print exhibit? We're happy  
to set up individual  
showings. Just call the  
church office!*

*Also, check out Gabriella  
Boros' booklet explaining  
the collections on the  
credenza at the bottom of  
the Tower Gallery steps.*

