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Senior Pastor

It seems that one cannot log on to the news, check social media, or turn on the television without hearing bad news. Between an ongoing pandemic, racial unrest, and a looming presidential election – negativity rules the day. This does not have to be the case. We, the followers of Christ can make a difference. So, here is some good news for you to consider.

Jesus died to save sinners. First Timothy 1:15 tells us, *“The saying is trust worthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners...”* Paul goes on to say, *“of whom I am the foremost.”* We know that Jesus died for our sins. You may be tempted to think I have sinned too gravely or too often for God to forgive me. However, this is not the case. Paul considered himself the chief of sinners yet God forgave him. Rejoice, for you are redeemed.

Nothing can separate us from God’s love. Romans 8:38-39 proclaims, *“For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, neither height nor depth nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.”* Yes, this would even include our current events. Rejoice, for nothing can separate you from God’s love.

All things will work out according to His will. Ephesians 1:11 says, *“[Christ] works all things according to the counsel of his will.”* It might be hard to see right now, but our God is on the move. He is working all things out according to His will. So, we can live our lives with a sense of hope and expectation. Rejoice, His plans will come to pass.

This will work out for your good. Romans 8:28 is a familiar verse to us, but we must be careful not to miss its truth. *“We know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.”* It can seem that everything is coming apart at the seams. However, we know this is not true. Rejoice, God is working on your behalf.

As the people of God, we have plenty to rejoice over. However, thanksgiving is a discipline, which means there are times in which it will take work. Make a habit of sitting down and rehearsing in your mind all for which you are thankful. Not just the practical things, but the spiritual and biblical truths.

Honored to be your pastor,

DARRELL

AT A GLANCE

Sunday
July 5
9:30a Worship Service
9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study
11:00a Worship Service
11:00a Sunday Morning Bible Study
No evening activities

Tuesday
July 7
6:00p Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday
July 8
6:00p Rewind
6:00p Extreme Kids Live
6:00p Student Bible Study

Sunday
July 12
9:30a Worship Service
9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study
11:00a Worship Service
11:00a Sunday Morning Bible Study
6:00p Ecclesia
6:00p Sunday Evening Worship

Tuesday
July 14
6:00p Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday
July 15
6:00p Rewind
6:00p Extreme Kids Live
6:00p Student Bible Study

Sunday
July 19
9:30a Worship Service
9:30a Sunday School
11:00a Worship Service
11:00a Sunday School
6:00p Ecclesia
6:00p Sunday Evening Worship

Tuesday
July 21
6:00p Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday
July 22
6:00p Rewind
6:00p Extreme Kids Live
6:00p Student Bible Study

Sunday
July 26
9:30a Worship Service
9:30a Sunday School
11:00a Worship Service
11:00a Sunday School
6:00p Ecclesia
6:00p Sunday Evening Worship

Tuesday
July 28
6:00p Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday
July 29
6:00p Rewind
6:00p Extreme Kids Live
6:00p Student Bible Study

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

ALL CALENDAR ITEMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE



EXTREME VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Due to the increase in COVID-19 cases, we have decided to cancel Vacation Bible School.



UPWARD FLAG FOOTBALL

Upward Flag Football registration begins July 20. The tentative schedule is: Practices begin the week of August 31. The first game is September 19. The last game is October 31.

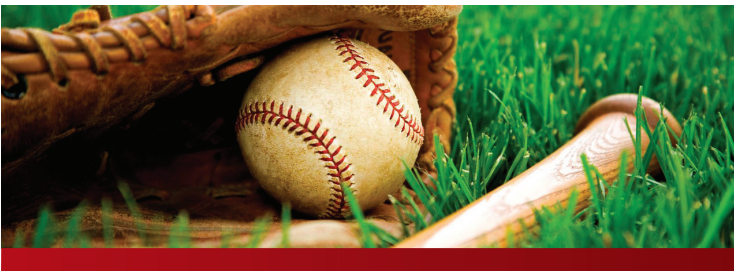
We will also need coaches and referees. Go to the event page on nbcvictoria.org to register or volunteer.



NORTHSIDE BAPTIST SCHOOL

Our school is offering a summer camp for children age 3 through exiting 5th grade. Registration is \$100. The fee is \$100 per week, per child, with a 10% discount for Northside members. Call the church office if you are interested.

The school is also taking registrations for the 2020-21 school year. Children 2 years old through 5th grade can receive a Christian education at Northside Baptist School. Call if interested.



MENS SOFTBALL TEAM

The Northside Knockouts are about to hit the softball fields again. If you are a male 16 years or older and want to play, please contact Kennis at 361-212-5426.



EXTREME KIDS LIVE

Wednesday nights are for kids at Northside. Entering kinder through exiting 5th grade meet at 6:00pm in Building B for some extreme fun and learning.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

In July we are collecting wash cloths for shoeboxes. Bring your donation to a Connect Center or the church office.

:::SHORTLINES:::

ONE NEWSLETTER: There will only be one newsletter for July. Keep this copy for reference. Watch for any changes in scheduling.

ANNIVERSARY: Hannah Hamelwright celebrates 1 year as an administrative assistant at Northside on July 22.

PIGGY BANK: We reached our goal of \$4,000 for the Costa Rica orphanage. Even though our mission trip was postponed, the money will be sent so the orphanage can build an outdoor kitchen. Thank you Northsiders!

SENIOR SUNDAY: July 26 is Senior Sunday. This is when we recognize the graduating seniors. Please bring a recent picture and a baby picture of your graduating senior before July 17. You can email these photos to office@nbcvictoria.org if you prefer. Seriously, I have three seniors that have sent their information. I also need where you plan on attending college and your major. If you are going straight to the workforce or joining the military, let me know. There is a luncheon on July 26 for seniors and their families. Cody also wants to include you in a short video. Please RSVP by July 17. Talk to Cody if you have any questions.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES: Sunday evening worship services that meet in The Chapel are returning July 12.

HOMEBOUND MEALS: The Community Action Committee is looking for someone to help deliver meals to the homebound. If interested call Vickie Smith at 578-2989.

DIRECTORY: If you have downloaded the Breeze app, you can see our directory. The problem is that a lot of our members don't have pictures. Another problem is outdated pictures. Send us your photos so we can update your profile.

ONLINE GIVING: If you don't feel comfortable returning to church, we understand. But you can still give your tithe online at nbcvictoria.org. You can also text GIVE2NBC to 206-859-9405. The church operates on your gifts. Please don't leave it up to someone else.

CHURCH SECURITY TRAINING: The security training originally scheduled for April is now August 22 from 8:00am - 4:00pm. The cost is \$5 for Northsiders and \$20 for guests. You can register now on the events page of our website.

ONLINE SERVICES: Watch both Sunday services live on our website Sundays at 9:30am and 11:00am. You can also watch the services on our Facebook page at anytime.

SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR: The family of Dean Stagner on his death, the family of Asahel Buchanan on her death, the family of Betty Vaughan on her death, and the family of Gordan "Butch" Genty on his death. We join together as a family of faith and pray as we celebrate Christ's gift of eternal life.

THE RECORD SPEAKS

MINISTRY ACTION PLAN

Received June 7

Budget Receipts	32,894.00
Designated & Other:	496.33
Total Weekly Receipts:	33,390.33

Received June 14

Budget Receipts:	30,701.21
Designated & Other:	1,177.13
Total Weekly Receipts:	21,878.34

Received June 21

Budget Receipts:	19,585.76
Designated & Other:	1,702.34
Total Weekly Receipts:	21,288.10

Year-to-Date Need:	1,132,474.00
Year-to-Date Received:	977,209.73

BIBLE STUDY

June 7	n/a
June 14	n/a
June 21	166

WORSHIP

June 7	256
June 14	214
June 21	219

THE PASTOR'S BLOG



....read the Pastor's Blog at nbcvictoria.org.



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NBC
safe.

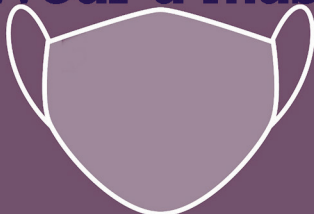
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things clean



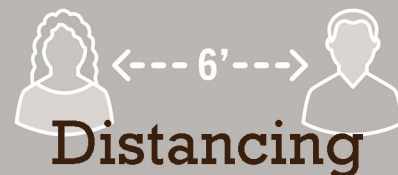
Use hand
sanitizer



Wear a mask



Practice Social



journey  together

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Sundays
9:30am Bible Study Groups
10:45am Worship

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