



DAVE BENEFIELD  
Children's Pastor

It is hard to believe that we are half-way through this hot summer. I wanted to say thank you for everyone involved in Vacation Bible School. We had 5-6 salvations and are talking about baptism. Another amazing result is about twelve kids from VBS came to our Summer Wednesday night program, Extreme Kids Live, the following week.

Pre-teen camp is around the corner and we still have room for more campers. Camp is for completed 3rd-5th grade and the cost is \$250.00. The date for camp is July 17-21 at Texas Baptist Encampment in Palacios,

Texas. We have funds/scholarships to assist you for camp if needed. We are still looking for a male sponsor to go with us to camp. Sponsors have to pass a background check, go through a brief video training, and be 18 or older.

If you are interested, please let me know or email me: [davebenefield@nbvictoria.org](mailto:davebenefield@nbvictoria.org).

For several months, we have been looking for Sunday School Teachers for Sunday mornings and God has supplied us with one several weeks ago. We are still in need of one more teacher and assistant. Our goal is to have two adults in each classroom. The curriculum we use is easy to teach. Please be praying for this area of need; if you are interested, contact me.

Awana registration is now open!!!! We will be starting Awana on Wednesdays, August 9. If your child is 3 years old (before September 1st) - 5th grade they are able to join us this year. The Awana program is an hour and half discipleship program where kids memorize scriptures and their meanings based on Christian doctrine. The time is divided up between handbook time, council time, and game time. The club fee for the year is \$25.00 per child. If you need assistance, scholarships are available.

We are now collecting for Operation Christmas child. This is an outreach that offers families a way to participate in making Christmas boxes/gifts and sending them out through Samaritan's Purse to children all around the world. For the month of July we are collecting soap and wash cloths. Please drop these items off at the church office.

Please continue praying for the Kid's Ministry at Northside while we follow up on decisions, reaching, and discipling kids.

## AT A GLANCE

<i>Sunday</i> <i>July 9</i>	9:30a	Bible Study
	10:45a	Worship Service
	10:45a	Kid's Church
	5:00p	Sunday Evening Worship
	5:00p	Ecclesia
	5:00p	Student Huddle
	5:00p	Kid's Bible Study
<i>Tuesday</i> <i>July 11</i>	6:00p	Celebrate Recovery
	6:30p	Circle of Hope Bible Study
<i>Wednesday</i> <i>July 12</i>	6:00p	Connect
	6:00p	Student Midweek
	6:00p	Extreme Kids Live
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<i>Sunday</i> <i>July 16</i>	9:30a	Bible Study
	10:45a	Worship Service
	10:45a	Kid's Church
	5:00p	Sunday Evening Worship
	5:00p	Ecclesia
	5:00p	Student Huddle
	5:00p	Kid's Bible Study
<i>Tuesday</i> <i>July 18</i>	6:00p	Celebrate Recovery
	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Ladies
	6:30p	Circle of Hope Bible Study
<i>Wednesday</i> <i>July 19</i>	6:00p	Connect
	6:00p	Student Midweek
	6:00p	Extreme Kids Live
<i>Thursday</i> <i>July 20</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Ladies
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<i>Sunday</i> <i>July 23</i>	9:30a	Bible Study
	10:45a	Worship Service
	10:45a	Kid's Church
	5:00p	Sunday Evening Worship
	5:00p	Ecclesia
	5:00p	Student Huddle
	5:00p	Kid's Bible Study
<i>Tuesday</i> <i>July 25</i>	6:00p	Celebrate Recovery
	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Ladies
	6:30p	Circle of Hope Bible Study
<i>Wednesday</i> <i>July 26</i>	6:00p	Connect
	6:00p	Student Midweek
	6:00p	Extreme Kids Live
	7:00p	Worship Choir Rehearsal
<i>Thursday</i> <i>July 27</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Ladies

# STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

## ALL CALENDAR ITEMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE



### VALLEY MISSION TRIP

This summer, July 10-14, we will be going to the Valley for a mission trip. We will be leading a construction project, life skills classes, sports camp, and evening outreach movie nights. As a church we will need to provide \$30,000 to fund the projects. If you would like to contribute, please mark your gift "Valley Mission Trip".

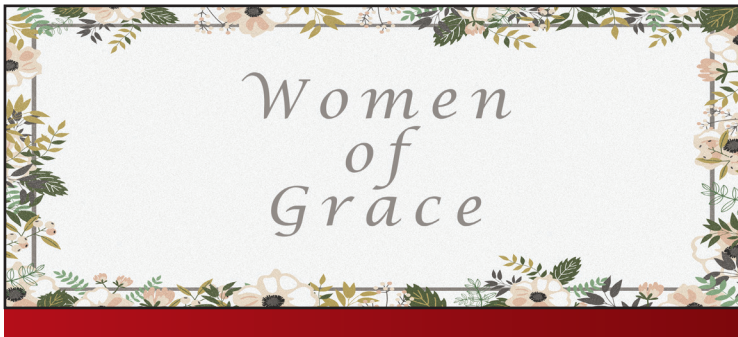
If you are going on the summer mission trip on July 10-14, Buckner needs each member to register specifically with them. Please go to [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org) on the Events page and register today.



### UPWARD FOOTBALL AND CHEER REGISTRATION OPEN

Registration for Upward Football and Cheer is open! Registration is \$125 and will close on August 27 or when teams are full. Register today at [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org) on the Events Page.

If you are interested in volunteering as a coach or referee during the Upward Football season, register today on the Events page.



### WIDOWS BREAKFAST

The next breakfast for Women of Grace is this Friday, July 7, at 8:45am in Building D. Please bring \$6.50 for your breakfast. All widows are invited.



### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

We are beginning to collect items for Operation Christmas Child. We will collect bar soap and washcloths for OCC in July. Please drop off your items at the church office.



### NIGHT OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

Mark your calendar on September 7 for the return of Night of Prayer and Praise. We will gather in the Worship Center at 6:00 PM every first Thursday of the month. Join us as we focus our hearts and minds on the Lord. All are welcome.



### SUMMIT STUDENT PARENT MEETING

July 30, immediately following the worship service, we will have a Summit Student Parent meeting. We will discuss events and vision for this fall. Lunch will be provided. Please register at [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org) on the Events Page to submit a head count for the meal.



## ..:SHORTLINES:..

### SUMMER NEWSLETTER

There will be only one issue of the newsletter in July. Keep this copy for information.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Hannah Hamelwright celebrates 4 years as the worship and youth administrative assistant at Northside on July 22.

### WOMEN'S NIGHT

We have decided to wait until August to start Women's Night back up! Mark your calendars for August 11. We are planning some exciting things this year! Keep an eye out for info about this fall.

### EXTREME KIDS LIVE

Extreme Kids Live is back! Kids entering kindergarten through exiting 5th grade can join Pastor Dave at 6:00pm on Wednesdays for radical fun. Bring your friends. You won't want to miss this!

### STCH iCARE CONFERENCE

STCH is hosting the iCARE conference on August 1 from 8:00am-5:00pm. CEU credits will be given for participating. It is \$30 per person with breakfast and lunch included. Topics include: Healthy boundaries, grief, joy through trials, victim to survivor, suicidality in teens, helping teens, anxiety, and more. To register go to [www.stchm.org/icare-victoria](http://www.stchm.org/icare-victoria). For questions call STCH at 361-575-5151.

### NORTHSIDE SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2023-2024 school year is open! Our school is for 2 year olds through fifth grade and offers extended care hours until 5:30PM. We have certified teachers in Kinder - 5th grade, small classes, and a Christian atmosphere. Call 578-5601 or check out the website, [nbsvictoria.org](http://nbsvictoria.org), for more information.

**SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR:** Melissa Buck on the death of her father and Lisa Alpeter on the death of her mother. We join together as a family of faith and pray as we celebrate Christ's gift of eternal life.

## NEW FACES AT NORTHSIDE

*We welcome these new folks to the community of Northside.*



Lauren Biles



Tyler & Rachel Conrad

## THE RECORD SPEAKS

### MINISTRY ACTION PLAN

#### Received June 11

Budget Receipts	29,258.58
Designated & Other:	3,058.00
Total Weekly Receipts:	32,316.58

#### Received June 18

Budget Receipts:	17,267.63
Designated & Other:	2,752.07
Total Weekly Receipts:	20,019.70

#### Received June 25

Budget Receipts:	18,468.38
Designated & Other:	4,817.00
Total Weekly Receipts:	23,285.38

Year-to-Date Need:	1,072,462.00
Year-to-Date Received:	991,059.11

### BIBLE STUDY

June 11	275
June 18	251
June 25	227

### WORSHIP

June 11	438
June 18	388
June 25	361

FOR GOD IS  
NOT A GOD OF  
~~CONFUSION~~  
BUT OF ~~PEACE~~.

1 CORINTHIANS 14:33

IN  
FOCUS

# PRAY FOR MISSIONS

RIO GRANDE VALLEY

JULY 10-14, 2023

— journey ▲ together —

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

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