

MEET OUR STAFF



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PRAY FOR A  
Discipleship Pastor



PRAY FOR A  
Children's Pastor

KID'S CHURCH VOLUNTEERS

SHARE THE JOURNEY

GET INVOLVED

Sunday, August 25  
9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study (Combined)  
10:45a Worship Service  
10:45a Kids' Church (will start after music)  
12:00p Lunch & Ministry Fair  
5:00p Kids' Bible Study  
5:00p Student Bible Study  
5:00p Philippians Bible Study

Tuesday, August 27  
6:00p Celebrate Recovery  
6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women  
6:00p Circle of Hope  
6:00p Upward Eval #2

Wednesday, August 28  
2:00p Wednesday Summer Prayer  
5:00p Midweek Meal  
6:00p Connect  
6:00p Student Midweek  
6:00p Awana

Thursday, August 29  
6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women

Saturday, August 31  
9:00a Upward Eval #3

CHURCH SECURITY: For security purposes, the doors to the church buildings will be open 30 minutes before a service or event. This includes Sunday mornings and Sunday evenings.

(Please note that the calendar was correct at the time of printing. Changes may have occurred after printing that would cause the calendar to be inaccurate.)



COUNT OUR BLESSINGS

Budget Gifts Last Week	\$16,973.21
Budget Gifts Year to Date	\$1,163,715.77
Need Year to Date	\$1,268,077.02

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

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**AWANA**  
Awana kicked off last Wednesday. Awana is a weekly scripture-based program for 3 year olds (by September 1st) through 5th grade. It is not too late to join so, register your kids today at [nbcvictoria.org/](http://nbcvictoria.org/)

**PRAY FOR OUR PERSONNEL COMMITTEE**  
As we begin the process of searching for our two open pastor positions, please be in prayer for our personnel committee. They will be putting in a lot of hard work and hours into this process. These are the members on that committee: Carla Ragsdale, Mattea Sciba, Mike Rivet, Richard Ratliff, Hank Sheeran, and Joanne Olson.

**FRONTLINE SUNDAY**  
On September 1, we will spend time in prayer for your Frontline. A frontline is where you spend time in your daily life: work, school, home, volunteer activities, etc. If you are able please bring an item to represent your frontline to the worship service that morning. We will place these on the altar to symbolically remind us where we need to intentionally engage the people around us.



**CONNECT**  
Join us Wednesday nights this fall at 6pm for Connect! Pastor Darrell will be starting a study this week, 8/28, on the Fruit of the Spirit. You don't want to miss this time of prayer and study.

**WOMEN OF GRACE LUNCH & PAINT PARTY**  
We will have a Bible bag paint party at the Women of Grace lunch on September 6th. If you would like to participate, please sign up at the connect center today, August 25th. If you do not want to paint a bag, please still join us for lunch and fellowship. All widows are welcome!



**MINISTRY FAIR AND LUNCH**  
We hope you enjoyed the Bible Study Preview this morning. Stay with us after service for a delicious fellowship meal and check out all the tables at the ministry fair! This year we will eat and have the ministry fair all in the Fellowship Hall in BLDG D.



**WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS ARE BACK!**  
We had a great first week of our Wednesday fellowship meal. We are excited for the changes we have in store for our meals this year. The suggested donation is \$5 per plate with a cap at \$20 per family. Join us in the fellowship hall from 5-6pm as we fellowship together!

**DATE NIGHT**  
The first Date Night of the year will be September 6th! There will be several changes this fall. First, there will be no charge whether you attend a fellowship or not. Second, we are looking for 8 volunteers, 2 for each date night in the fall to watch the elementary-age kids. We will have all the games and activities set up, you will just have to show up and facilitate. Depending on how many register, we may look for additional help from our youth. If you would like to volunteer, contact Hannah at [hannah@nbcvictoria.org](mailto:hannah@nbcvictoria.org).

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**  
It's that time of the year to begin preparing for OCC! You can grab a list of appropriate items to include in boxes at the connect center. Instead of bringing separate items, we are asking those who participate to fill their boxes at home. Now is a great time to begin stocking up on items like paper, writing and coloring utensils, erasers, and other fun items! If you cannot fill a shoebox but would like to help, you can still donate to shipping costs.



August 25, 2024



Worship Sundays at 10:45am

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# THOUGHTS ON THE JOURNEY

Salvation is a precious gift that should never be taken for granted. Ephesians 2:8-9 tells us, “For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.” We know that our salvation is an act of God, whereby He calls the one who was dead in their trespasses and sins (Eph 2:1) and makes us alive together with Christ (Eph 2:4). There is nothing you or I did to deserve this. There is nothing that you or I did to earn this. It is a completely and totally a gift from God.

However, we must ask ourselves a very serious question: “What am I to do with this gift God has given me?” We find the answer in today’s text. Paul tells us, “Work out your own salvation with fear and trembling” (Phil 2:12). If we just take a quick glance at this verse, we might wonder how it is that we are saved by grace and commanded to work out our own salvation with fear and trembling.

I use a program that assists me in my biblical studies. The name of this program is Logos. Within this program, I literally have thousands of resources at my disposal. However, it is not only the resources that make this program amazing, but the numerous study tools and mechanisms. The reality is, Logos will do whatever you know how to make it do. Here is the sad thing: whenever I use this program, I am the equivalent of an old man driving a new corvette through town at the speed limit. I promise you I am only using about 10% of what this program will do.

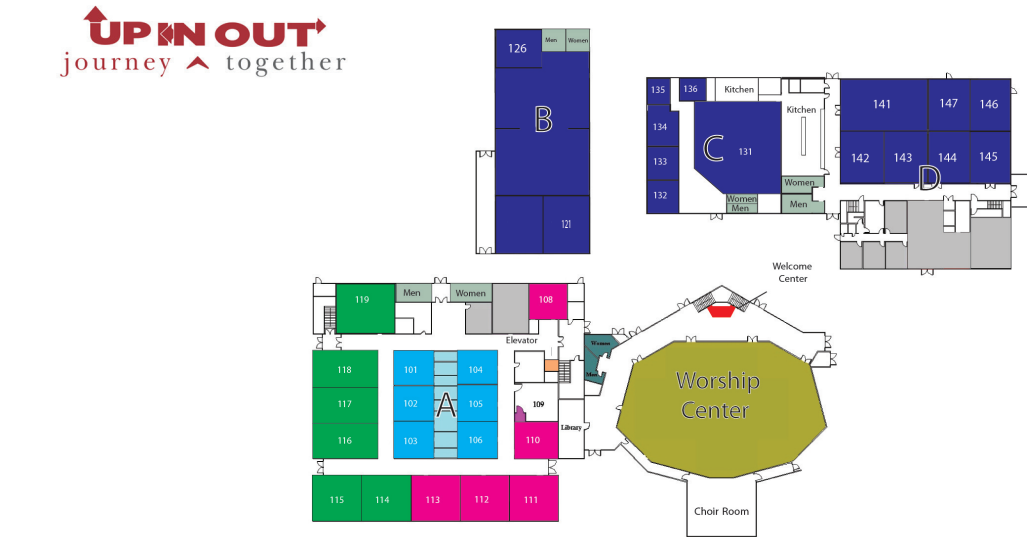
In many ways, our salvation is like this. God intends for our salvation to work itself out in every area of our life. He has given it to us at no expense or effort of our own. However, He expects us to be part of the process of salvation taking root in every facet of who we are. We do this by reading the word, by being obedient, and by trusting the Spirit’s leadership.

The only question that remains is, are you working out? No, not that sort of working out. Are you working out your salvation in every area of your life?

Honored to be your pastor,

DARRELL

# WELCOME TO NORTHSIDE



# TODAY’S WORSHIP

Happy Day  
(Cantelon/Hughes)

## THIS WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

### WELCOME & PRAYER

### GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

Make Room  
(Heideriqui/Farro/White/Cortazio)

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship  
(Atkins/Moore)

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)  
(Myrin/Redman)

Good Good Father  
(Brown/Barrett/Tomlin)

(Children released to Kids’ Church)

MESSAGE  
Pressing Toward Completion  
Philippians 2:12-13  
DARRELL TOMASEK

### TIME OF COMMITMENT

Come as You Are  
(Glover/Crowder/Maher)

### OBSERVANCE OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Remembrance (The Communion Song)  
(Maher/ Redman)

### PARTING BLESSING & PRAYER

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nbcvictoria.org



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# SERMON NOTES



**Access Granted**  
Pressing Toward Completion  
*Philippians 2:12-13*

**THE BIG IDEA:** Keep pressing on in faith until salvation has worked itself out in every area of your life.

1. A call to \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 12).

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3. A call to \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 13).