

MEET OUR STAFF



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PRAY FOR AN
Associate Pastor



PRAY FOR A
Children's Pastor

SHARE THE JOURNEY

GET INVOLVED

Sunday, November 10

- 9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study
- 10:45a Worship Service
- 10:45a Kids' Church (will start after music)
- 4:00p 2:7 Student Choir
- 5:00p Praiz Kidz Jr. & Praiz Kidz
- 5:00p Summit Student Bible Study
- 5:00p Journey Groups
- 5:00p Sunday Evening Worship

Tuesday, November 12

- 6:00p Circle of Hope

Wednesday, November 13

- 5:00p Midweek Meal
- 6:00p Connect
- 6:00p Student Midweek
- 6:00p Awana
- 7:00p Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, November 14

- 9:30a Ladies' Bible Study

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	\$39,979.07
Budget Gifts Year to Date	\$39,979.07
Need Year to Date	\$28,980.77

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

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THANK YOU VETERANS!

Thank you to the men and women who have served in our nation's military. We are grateful for you.



Learn How to Pack a Shoebox

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Please bring your filled boxes to the front of the worship center or the church office by November 17. That Sunday, we will pray over the boxes and load them to be delivered. There are boxes at the connect center for you to fill, as well as a list of appropriate gift items. If you cannot fill a shoebox but would like to help, you can donate to shipping costs.



WOMEN'S RETREAT

FEB 21-22, 2025

REGISTER TODAY!

OPEN TO ALL LADIES IN THE CROSSROADS AREA.

FOCUS AND THRIVE WOMEN'S RETREAT
Don't forget to register for the Focus and Thrive Women's Retreat! The retreat will be February 21-22, 2025, here at Northside Baptist Church. This event is open to all women in the Crossroads area. The cost is \$45, which includes 3 meals, a shirt, and other event goodies. Registration closes and full payment is due by December 31, 2024. Register today at nbcvictoria.org/events.

NORTHSIDE HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Mark your calendar for the upcoming events and schedule changes at Northside this holiday season.

- November 27- Office closed @ 12pm
- November 28 & 29- Office Closed
- December 15- Christ Has Come @ 6pm
Worship Ministry Christmas Program
- December 22- Churchwide Christmas Breakfast
@ 9:30am
- December 24- Christmas Eve Service @ 5pm
- December 29- No Sunday Morning Bible Study
Worship @ 10:45am

SMOST CONCERT

The Singing Men of South Texas have a concert on 11/14/24 at FBC Edna. The concert will start at 7pm. Join them for an evening of beautiful music worshipping our Lord.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL
Let us help take care of dinner on Wednesday nights! 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.
Menu for 11/13/24:
-Burgers

northside BAPTIST CHURCH

November 10, 2024

ROMANS 4:24

written for his sake alone,²⁴ but for ours also. It will be counted to us "who believe in him who raised from the dead Jesus our Lord,²⁵ who was delivered up for our trespass and raised² for our justification.

Peace with God Through Faith

ROMANS 5
To reflect, since we have been justified by faith,³ we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also "obtained access" to faith² into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice⁴ in hope of the glory of God. ⁵ For surely that, but very rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering⁶ produces endurance. ⁴ And endurance produces character, and character produces hope,⁵ and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love⁷ has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.

⁶ For while we were still weak, at the right time⁸ Christ died for the ungodly.⁷ For one who scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die—⁸ but God shows his love for us in that⁹ while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. ⁹ Since, therefore, ¹⁰ we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God.¹⁰ For while we were enemies¹¹ we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.¹² More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received¹³ reconciliation.

Death in Adam, Life in Christ

¹²Therefore, just as "sin came into the world through one man, and ¹³ death through sin, and ¹⁴ so death spread to all men⁵ because



Worship Sundays at 10:45am

MULTI-GEN MULTI-ETHNIC
journeying together

THOUGHTS ON THE JOURNEY

I am often asked, and ask others as well, "How are you doing?" My response is often the same response I get from others, "Doing well, just tired." Why are we always so tired? I am sure at some level it has to do with some practical things: too much screen time, too much caffeine, too little sleep, bad diet, and stress in general. But what if it cuts deeper than that and we do not even realize it? What if the cause for our true exhaustion is spiritual and not physical?

“ However, I will say this to you, if you find yourself heavy laden and pressed down this morning, instead of trying harder, just trust. ”

In Matthew 11:28-29, Jesus says, "Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls." I find it interesting that this statement by Christ sort of touches the physical and emotional. Physically, we labor. Emotionally, we can end up heavy laden. Jesus tells us, come to Him and we can find rest for our souls, the deepest part of our being.

What is going on here? Why does Jesus speak to us in this way?

Our text today comes from Romans 4. In a sense, Paul is taking up the same issue. He speaks to us about our faith. He poses the question, does true righteousness come by works or by faith? The answer is that it comes by faith. Our works can never bring us to the place of righteousness, yet for some reason we keep pressing, working, stressing, and pushing – trying to find something that constantly escapes us. Paul's exhortation is the same as Jesus': quit fighting, quit pressing, quit struggling, quit grasping, and just trust.

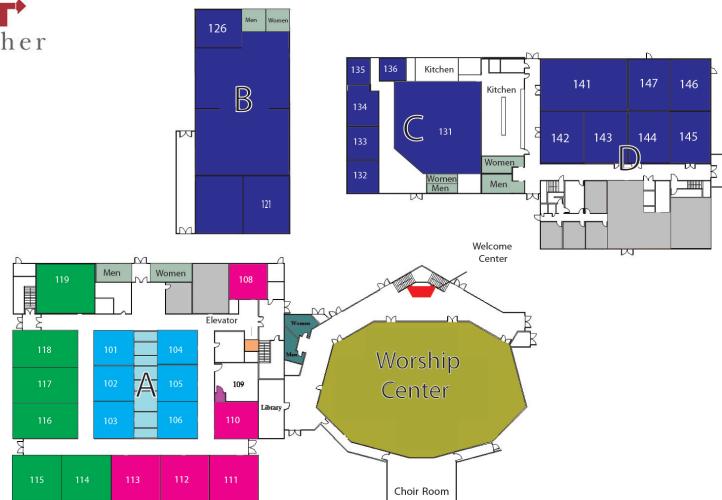
It is impossible for me to know where people truly stand spiritually. However, I will say this to you, if you find yourself heavy laden and pressed down this morning, instead of trying harder, just trust. Place your faith in Jesus, let go, and simply rest in Him. Let's learn to walk with Jesus in such a way that when people ask us how we are doing, we can say, "blessed," and truly mean it.

Honored to be your pastor,

DARRELL

WELCOME TO NORTHSIDE

UP IN OUT
journey ▲ together



TODAY'S WORSHIP

Soul on Fire
(Brown/Carr/Powell/Lee/Maher/Anderson)

The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)
(Fowler/Sooter/Maher)

CHILD DEDICATION

THIS WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

WELCOME & PRAYER

This I Believe (The Creed)
(Fielding/Crocker)

Grace Greater
(Cottrell/Moffitt/Pardo)
Worship Choir

(Children released to Kids' Church)

MESSAGE
Righteousness by Belief
Romans 4:1-12
DARRELL TOMASEK

TIME OF COMMITMENT

Just as I Am (I Come Broken)
(Moffitt/Smith/Cottrell)

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

How Great is Our God
(Cash/Reeves)

PARTING BLESSING & PRAYER

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SERMON NOTES

