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SHARE THE JOURNEY

GET INVOLVED

Sunday, March 19

9:30a Bible Study 10:45a Worship Service Kid's Church 10:45a Sunday Evening Worship 5:00p Ecclesia 5:00p Student Huddle 5:00p Praiz Kidz 5:00p Journey Groups

Tuesday, March 21

Celebrate Recovery AHG/ Trail Life Zumba Fitness for Ladies Circle of Hope Bible Study 6:30p

Wednesday, March 22

Connect 6:00p

Student Midweek 6:00p

Awana

Worship Choir Rehearsal 7:00p

Thursday, March 23

Zumba Fitness for Ladies Senior Adult Quarterly Dinner

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 \$19,489.57 Given Year to Date \$615,852.96 Need Year to Date \$599,317.00

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

Go to nbcvictoria.org/wg for a digital copy of this Worship Guide



SENIOR ADULT QUARTERLY DINNER

The Senior Adult Quarterly Dinner is back! Join us on 3/23/23 at 6 PM for dinner and fellowship. Bring your favorite side dish. We will provide your choice of hamburger steak or chicken breast.



ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

We are collecting for the Annie Armstrong offering for North American Missions from March 5 through April 9. All money given goes directly to North American missions. Northside's goal is \$13,000. Please designate your gift as Annie Armstrong when you give in person or online.

Visit the Connect Center today to pick up a prayer guide on ways to pray for our North American Missionaries. Also, there will be resources for parents to teach their kids about North American Missions and how to encourage current missionaries in the field. Stop by and check it out!

EGGSTRAVAGANZA

Kid's ministry will have an Easter Eggstravaganza on April 9 during Kid's Church at 10:45 AM. There will be an Egg Hunt for Preschool in extended session. If you would like to donate candy, drop it off at the connect center.

VBS VOLUNTEER TRAINING

If you want to be a volunteer during VBS, you must attend one of the following trainings on April 16 or May 21 immediately following the worship service. Lunch will be provided. Register to volunteer at nbcvictoria.org on the Events Page.

WOMEN OF GRACE WIDOWS BREAKFAST

The next Women of Grace breakfast will be **Saturday**, April 1 at 8:45 AM in Building D. Please bring \$6.50 for your breakfast. All widows are invited. Mark your calendar for this change of date!



HOLY WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

Make plans to be a part of all we have planned for Holy Week at Northside.

Holy Week Devotional Videos -April 2-9; posted daily online

Palm Sunday

-April 2-Bible Study @ 9:30AM & Worship @10:45AM Good Friday Service

-April 7 @ 6 PM

Easter Sunday

-April 9-Bible Study @ 9:30AM & Worship @10:45AM

- Eggstravaganza in Kid's Church @ 10:45 AM
- Egg Hunt for Preschool @ 10:45 AM

TECH TEAM VOLUNTEERS

Looking for a way to serve? The worship ministry is needing some faithful volunteers for our Tech Team. Positions needed are slide, video, and sound operators. We will provide training. If you are interested contact Pastor Stephen at stephensummers@nbcvictoria.org or call 361-578-1568.



NORTHSIDE SOCIAL MEDIA

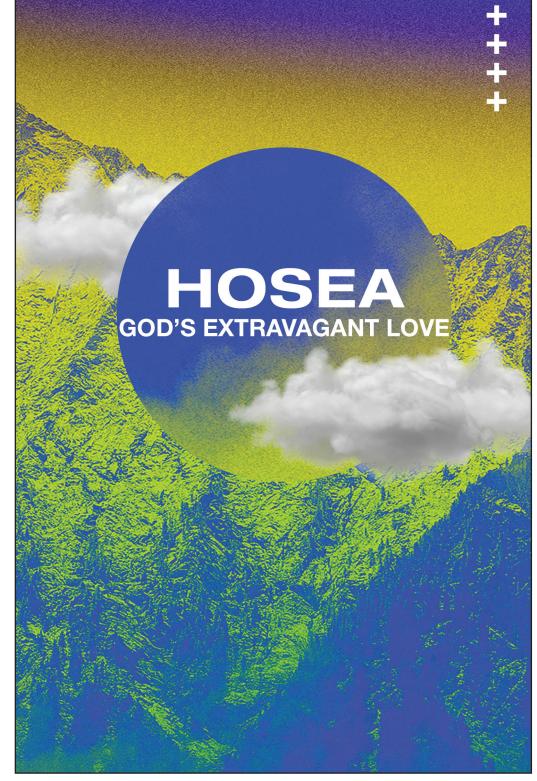
Follow our Facebook and Instagram page to stay up to date on all the events happening at Northside. Facebook- www.facebook.com/nbcvictoria Instagram-@nbcvictoria Website- www.nbcvictoria.org

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, for more information.



March 19, 2023



THOUGHTS ON THE JOURNEY

Our greatest potential is found in a life fully surrendered to Christ. However, our human nature challenges us to find meaning and purpose everywhere except in the

that in order to stand up against such a great temptation, we are going to have to meet it with equal or greater force.

Lord. We must make it our goal to push back against that temptation and submit to our Lord.

When I think about the pressures that we face as it relates to disobedience, they are great. We must recognize that we are under assault daily. From social media, to the television, to the general societal expectations – all of them push us in an

opposite direction from that which we should be going. Simply recognizing this fact is helpful.

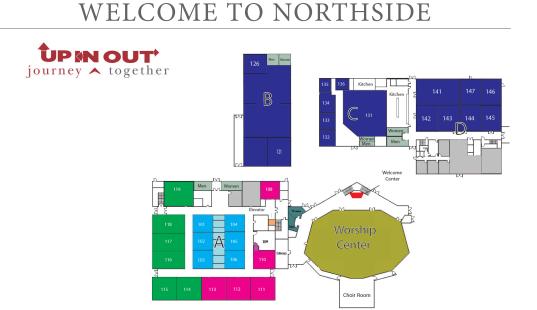
We must also know that in order to stand up against such a great temptation, we are going to have to meet it with equal or greater force. We must find a way to keep the will of God before us. We can do this in obvious ways like reading the Bible and spending time in prayer. But, we can also make use of the great resources that are available to us thanks to the internet and podcast. What are you sowing into your life? Remember, what we sow is what we will reap.

One of the greatest resources we have at our disposal is that of relationship. We need to intentionally put ourselves in relationship with like minded people. These people can hold us accountable, they can pray for us, they can give us advice, and they can help us to journey well in general.

Take a moment and assess your life. Are you truly walking with the Lord? Or, are you guilty of forsaking Him? The greatest call in our life is to walk in faithfulness to Him. If we will walk in this way, then we will see what God can truly do with our lives.

Honored to be your pastor,





TODAY'S WORSHIP

Love Lifted Me (Rowe/Smith)

THIS WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

WELCOME & PRAYER

At Calvary (Newell/Towner)

To God be the Glory (Crosby/Doane)

I Stand Amazed in the Presence (Gabriel)

MESSAGE
Missed Opportunities
Hosea 9:1-17
DARRELL TOMASEK

TIME OF COMMITMENT

Have Thine Own Way (Pollard/Stebbins)

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

Great is Thy Faithfulness (Chishom/Runyan)

PARTING BLESSING & PRAYER

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- Up-to-date Northside happenings
- Online event registrations
- Facebook
- Newsletter

SERMON NOTES

HOSEA

God's Extravagant Love Missed Opportunties Hosea 9:1-17

THE BIG IDEA: Your greatest potential lies in a life that is fully surrendered to Jesus Christ.

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2. Do not forsake the	of the Lord (vs 7-9)

3. Do not forsake your (vs. 10-14).

4. Do not forsake the of God (vs. 15-17).

Connect with YouVersion

- 1. Open You Version Bible app.
- 2. Click more.
- 3. Go to Events and find Northside.

Our guest wi-fi is currently under maintence. Sorry for any inconvience.