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Senior Pastor

A New Year and a new decade have dawned. New is always fun to me. I get a new calendar, set new goals, and get a sense of a new start. As we think about new, have you considered what you would like this New Year and new decade to look like? Have you thought about what you would like to be different going forward? The simple truth is, if we do not know what we want and make the appropriate adjustments, we will just get what we have always had.

Over the month of January, we will be looking at making New Year's reSOULutions. Specifically, we will be looking at some spiritual disciplines that will help to renew our soul. The truth is, we can never be what we need to be for our family, our friends, or our church, if we are not walking closely with the Lord. The four disciplines that we will look at are worship, prayer, Bible study, and witnessing.

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I believe that, if we will give our attention to these disciplines, we will experience a renewal that will help us to fully experience all God has for us. While some of these can be corporate disciplines, all of them must also be exercised privately.

I hope your New Year has started out with a bang. I hope things are going well, and I hope you have a sense of optimism going forward. If you have not been in church, I hope that this new year gives you a new opportunity to engage. Things are never quite the same when all of our family is not together.

Honored to be your pastor,

*DARRELL*

## AT A GLANCE

<i>Sunday</i> January 5	9:30a Ministry Fair 10:45a Worship Service 10:45a Kid's Church 6:00p Heart to Heart 6:00p Evening Worship Service
<i>Tuesday</i> January 7	6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women 6:00p Celebrate Recovery
<i>Wednesday</i> January 8	6:00p Rewind 6:00p Awana 6:00p Student Bible Study 7:00p Worship Choir Rehearsal
<i>Thursday</i> January 9	9:00a Ladies Bible Study 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women 6:15p Trail Life
<i>Friday</i> January 10	7:00p Pre-Teen Lock In

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<i>Sunday</i> January 12	9:30a Sunday School 10:45a Worship Service 10:45a Kid's Church 5:00p Discipleship Groups 5:00p Basic Training - Students 5:00p The Collective 5:00p Praiz Kidz 6:00p Heart to Heart 6:00p Evening Worship Service
<i>Tuesday</i> January 14	6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women 6:00p Celebrate Recovery
<i>Wednesday</i> January 15	6:00p Rewind 6:00p Awana 6:00p Student Bible Study 7:00p Worship Choir Rehearsal
<i>Thursday</i> January 16	9:00a Ladies Bible Study 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women 6:15p Trail Life/AHG

(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.)

# STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

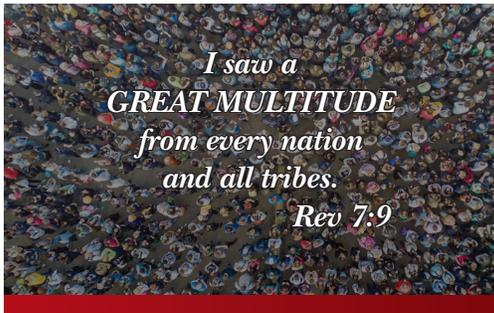


## MINISTRY FAIR

Check out the Ministry Fair this Sunday, January 5, at 9:30am. This is Northside's showcase of ministries available to you during the Spring semester.

Please contact Dean Meade if your group would like a table at the January 5 Ministry Fair.

No Sunday School on January 5.



## LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for Foreign Missions is coming to a close. This offering is used 100% for foreign missions. Northside's goal is \$22,000. We have collected \$11,390 to date.



## DATE NIGHT

Date Night is January 3 from 6:00 - 10:00pm. Childcare is \$10 per child at the church. If you are attending a Northside Fellowship that is on our list, childcare is free. Please call the church office to reserve your child's place. (The deadline is extended to Friday since the newsletter went out later than normal.) There is NO HYPE this month.



## PRE-TEEN LOCK IN

Our Pre-Teen Lock In is January 10. Sign up for the Lock In on the [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org) event page. This event is for kids in the 3rd - 5th grade. Cost is \$15. Kids will stay at the church and eat and play all night. Contact Dave if you have any questions.



## STUDENT MINISTRY

Students begin a new Bible Study opportunity on January 12. *Basic Training* is from 5:00 - 6:30pm on Sundays. Also, Parent Night begins January 8. Parents are invited to join the students the second Wednesday of the month from 6:00 - 8:00pm in the student center.



## BACK TO NORMAL

Our schedule gets back to normal on January 8. Wednesday night Disciple Groups begin, Rewind returns, as does Awana, student Bible study, and Worship Choir rehearsal. Sunday, January 12, our Sundays get back on track with Discipleship Groups, Praiz Kidz, The Collective, Basic Training, Heart to Heart, and Evening Worship Service.

## :::SHORTLINES:::

**ZUMBA:** Ladies, keep the New Year's Resolution to exercise more by coming to Zumba on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:00pm.

**UPWARD SOCCER:** Registration is now open on the [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org) events page. Practice begins March 23. Games are April 4 through May 16, 2020. Soccer is for boys and girls kinder - sixth grade. The cost is \$75 (purchased shorts are optional) by February 13. The cost is \$85 after February 13. Deadline is March 3. We need coaches and referees. Contact the church office if you would like to participate.

**RAD WEEKEND:** Students mark your calendars for RAD Weekend, February 7 - 9, 2020. Registration coming soon!

**MISSION TRIPS:** We have three mission trip opportunities in 2020. We will head back to the Valley on Spring Break to help build a house and work with families and kids. We will be in Colorado to help with Blanca's outreach celebration. We will go to Costa Rica to help with refugees, a home for the elderly, and an orphanage. Be in prayer for these trips and your part in them.

**STUDENT CAMPS:** Northside is offering 3 camps in the summer of 2020. **SUPER SUMMER** is June 15 - 19 at the University of Mary Hardin Baylor. This camp exists to inspire and equip students as Kingdom leaders. Students have to fill out an application and have an interview with an adult leadership board to qualify for this camp. The cost is \$299. **JUNIOR HIGH CAMP** is June 29 - July 3 at East Texas Baptist University. The cost is \$329 with a \$60 deposit required with registration. **HIGH SCHOOL CAMP** is June 22 - 26 at South Padre Island. The cost is \$379 with a \$60 deposit due at registration. Registrations will open soon on the [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org) event page.

**SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR:** Alan Whitehead on the death of his mother, and the family of Margaret Smith on her 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 December 22

Budget Receipts	36,761.69
Designated & Other:	1,790.31
Total Weekly Receipts:	38,552.00

#### Received December 29

Budget Receipts:	32,803.00
Designated & Other:	4,212.00
Total Weekly Receipts:	37,015.00

Year-to-Date Need: 299,772.00

Year-to-Date Received: 308,963.82

### BIBLE STUDY

December 22	n/a
December 29	n/a

### WORSHIP

December 22	480
December 29	424

## THE PASTOR'S BLOG



....read the Pastor's Blog at [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org).

## NEW FACES AT NORTHSIDE

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



*Ken Kohutek*



IN  
FOCUS

**Ministry Fair**  
Sunday, January 5  
9:30am

FIND YOUR PLACE TO SERVE!

— journey ▲ together —

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

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