



DAVE BENEFIELD
Children's Minister

Spring is almost here, and we have a lot of exciting events and opportunities for our Northside kids. Be sure to make room for these events on your calendar because they will be here before you know it. Our purpose in Kid's Ministry is to give kids a place where they can be a part of ministry. We want kids to have a fun, empowering, exciting experience as they have a place to learn and grow in Jesus Christ.

Easter Eggstravaganza is a special event on Easter Sunday for pre-school - 5th grade. There will be an Easter egg hunt and a special Easter message presented during extended session for Pre-K. The schoolagers will have a special message and candy piñata during

Kid's Church. All kids will have their picture taken with an Easter background. The pictures will be e-mailed to parents (if we have your e-mail address). Mark your calendar for April 17, Sunday morning at 10:45am for this this fun event for our kids.

Our summer Wednesday night program, "Extreme Kid's Live" will start May 4, 6:00-7:30pm. Extreme Kid's Live is for kids entering Kindergarten through kids who have completed 5th grade. This exciting program offers fun, food, games, and a message time for the kids. Make sure you invite your friends to this exciting program. Please note that we need some volunteers to help. Our volunteers will need to come and hang out with the kids. Volunteers are not responsible for the teaching or any lesson preparation.

Hope you are ready to take off for our VBS Flight School, June 12-16, 6:00-8:30pm. This is an exciting five night evangelistic outreach Bible program to reach K-4th grade with fun, snacks, and games. We also have Merge, which is a specialized Vacation Bible School for 5th graders. The fifth graders will have a special speaker, worship band, special events, and trips designed for them.

A special thanks to everyone that has already signed up to serve in Vacation Bible School. This year all volunteers need to register online at nbcvictoria.org, and attend one of the trainings: May 22 and June 5. This training will be after the morning worship service, and a meal will be provided. Go to our VBS Connect Center on Sunday to find out where you can help.

Pre-teen parents, have you registered your completed 3rd-5th grader for camp on the events page of nbcvictoria.org? Summer camp is \$250.00 for this camp. Kids have the opportunity to participate in fellowship with their peers, fun activities, Bible studies, and worship. Camp will be at Texas Baptist Encampment in Palacios, Texas.

AT A GLANCE

Sunday 9:30a Bible Study
March 6 10:45a Worship Service
 10:45a Kid's Church
 4:00p Upward Coach Meeting
 5:00p Ecclesia
 5:00p Sunday Evening Worship
 5:00p Discipleship Groups
 5:00p Praiz Kidz/Praiz Kidz, Jr.
 5:00p Summit Huddle

Tuesday 6:00p Celebrate Recovery
March 8 6:00p Circle of Hope Bible Study
 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women

Wednesday 6:00p Wednesday Night Connect
March 9 6:00p Student Midweek
 6:00p AWANA
 6:00p Upward Coach Meeting
 7:00p Worship Choir rehearsal

Thursday 9:30a Ladies Bible Study
March 10 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women
 6:15p Trail Life

Friday 6:00p Women's Night
March 11

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Sunday 9:30a Bible Study
March 13 10:45a Worship Service
 10:45a Kid's Church
 5:00p Sunday Evening Worship

Tuesday 6:00p Celebrate Recovery
March 15 6:00p Circle of Hope Bible Study
 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women

Wednesday No Wednesday evening activities
March 16

Thursday 9:30a Ladies Bible Study
March 17 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women
 6:15p Trail Life/AHG

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

ALL CALENDAR ITEMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE



ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

The week of prayer for the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for North American Missions is March 6 - 12. We are collecting the offering through Easter. All money collected for the Annie Armstrong offering goes to North American missions. You can pick up a prayer guide at a Connect Center on Sunday. Northside's goal is \$13,000.



JELLO-MANIA

Junior High students - get ready to get slimy. It is the return of Jello-mania. March 25 from 6:00 - 8:00pm on the playground by the basketball court is where you will slip and slide to an evening of fun. Wear old clothes. The stains may not come out!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

VBS is June 12 - 16 from 6:00 - 8:30pm. VBS can't happen without your help. Sign up at a Connect Center on Sunday to teach, guide, check-in, etc. We need you. Flight School is for children exiting kindergarten through exiting 4th grade. Merge is for kids exiting 5th grade. We need help with both. See you at a Connect Center on Sunday.



HYPE

HYPE is Friday, March 4, from 7:00 - 9:00pm. HYPE is for kids in the 3rd - 5th grade. No registration is necessary. Get ready for lots of crazy fun with Pastor Dave.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

We are already preparing for Christmas. We are collecting bar soap and washcloths for OCC in the month of March. Please drop off your items at a Connect Center or the church office.

PRE-TEEN CAMP

Over The Edge Pre-Teen Camp is scheduled for July 25-29 at the Texas Baptist Encampment in Palacios, TX. Register on the events page at nbcvictoria.org. The cost is \$250. Pre-teen camp is for children who have completed 3rd - 5th grade.



DATE NIGHT

The next Date Night is March 4. Childcare at the church from 6:00pm - 10:00pm. The deadline to register your child is TODAY. Go to the events page of our website to register.

.:SHORTLINES:.

CITY WIDE CLEAN UP: Northside will once again partner with the City of Victoria for a clean up day. You can sign up to help by calling the church office. The Clean Up is Saturday, March 5. Volunteers will meet at Martin Luther King Jr. Park, 3808 Callis St., and then split into teams and go door to door helping residents who need help moving bulky trash or tree limbs.

WOMEN'S NIGHT: This month's Women's Night is Friday, March 11, from 6:00 - 8:00pm. Meet for worship, Bible study, and fellowship. Bring a snack to share if you want. Childcare is available. Register on the events page of our website by March 9.

UPWARD VOLUNTEERS: We can't make the season work without volunteers. We need coaches, referees, greeters, prayer partners, evaluation helpers, etc. If you can help for the season, or help for one week, please contact Dean Meade or Arona Henneke.

STUDENT SUMMER CAMP: June 20 - 24 in Glorieta, New Mexico. Register on the events page of our website. The cost is \$319 with a \$60 deposit due at registration.

SENIOR SUNDAY: May 15 is Senior Sunday when we honor high school seniors on their graduation. We will be asking for more information soon.

LET US KNOW: If you or a loved one are in the hospital or need a visit, let us know. We can't know unless someone tells us.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST SCHOOL: 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 for more information.

PICTURE UPDATE: Our membership software has the ability to run directories. Please update your picture either in the app or by sending a photo to office@nbcvictoria.org. You can drop off a picture and we will scan it and return it.

SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR: The family of Jim Lueders on his death, and to Fran Bokulich on the death of her daughter. 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.



*Jody & Stephen Summers
Olivia, Leigh, Anna*

THE RECORD SPEAKS

MINISTRY ACTION PLAN

Received February 20

Budget Receipts	17,176.71
Designated & Other:	1,140.63
Total Weekly Receipts:	18,317.34

Received February 27

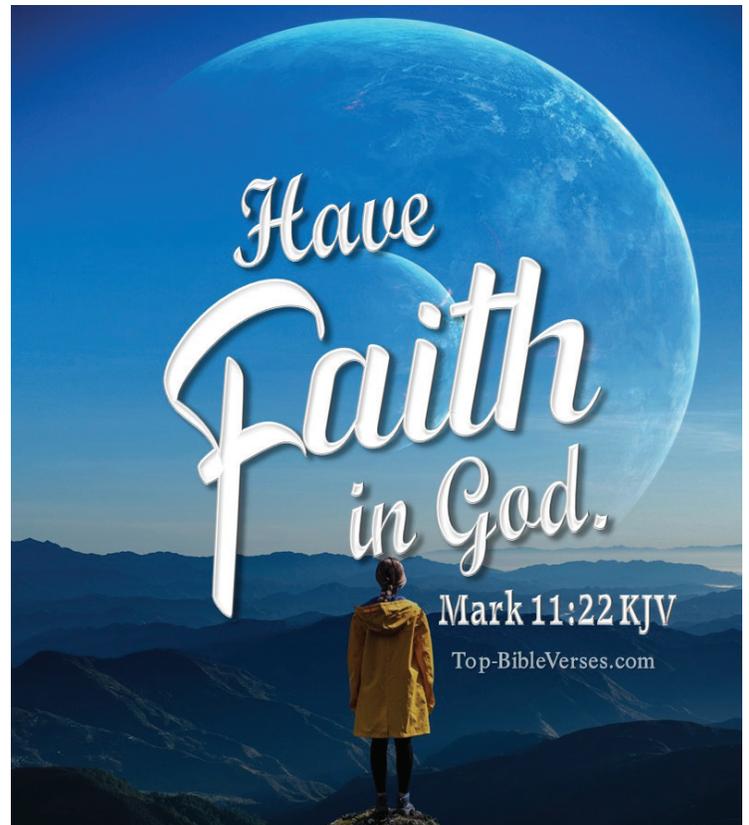
Budget Receipts:	23,293.90
Designated & Other:	708.84
Total Weekly Receipts:	24,002.74

Year-to-Date Need:	523,073.00
Year-to-Date Received:	508,133.66

BIBLE STUDY

WORSHIP

February 20	278	February 20	367
February 27	239	February 27	383



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Collecting through
Easter

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

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