



DAVE BENEFIELD
Children's Minister

WOW OH WOW!!!! Have we been on an interesting journey this past month? Who would have thought the vacant streets of Victoria could look like an episode from The Walking Dead. With all of the social distancing and quarantines, there are several changes to our kid's schedule. Hopefully we will restart Kid's Bible Study and Kid's Church on Sunday mornings sometime mid June. As for the Awana program, it has been postponed until the fall. We do ask all parents to be flexible as we make these transitions to continue the Awana program. This will allow kids to finish their books from mid August - October 7. If your child has their book, they can still practice their verses, but will need to have an Awana leader sign off on sections. In August we will kick off the Awana Orientation with a big Pizza Party. This will be for all clubbers and parents. It will be very important for you to come to this orientation because Awana is going to look a little different. We want to cover this very clearly and answer any questions. An exact date will be posted later in the summer. Clubbers will still get to use their Awana bucks for the Spring Awana store that will be moved to Wednesday, October 7. Students will start their new books on Wednesday, October 7. All of the Awana year 2019-20 will be awarded at the 2021 Awards Ceremony.

Our VBS team, with discussion and prayer, has chosen to reschedule VBS to July 12-16. This will be a scaled down VBS, and it will be called Xtreme Kid's Live VBS. Kindergarten - 5th Grade will be doing VBS in the worship center in a master teacher learning environment. For our preschool we will do a modified VBS led in building B. This VBS is going to be fun, exciting, and challenging for our Kids. We still will need volunteers to help. Remember to register on the events page at nbcvictoria.org to attend or to volunteer.

Yes, yes, yes, and yes we are still on for pre-teen camp. Registration is open on the events page at nbcvictoria.org. Pre-Teen Camp 2020 is July 30-August 3. This camp is for students who have completed 3rd grade through 6th grade. Full camp cost is \$285.00. A deposit of \$150.00 is due by 6/28/2020 and final balance due 7/12/2020. Scholarships are available, please contact church office for more information. Over the Edge Pre-teen Camp offers many opportunities for your child from a zip line, toboggan slide, waterpark style swimming pool with 100 foot water slide, canoeing, volleyball, basketball courts, dodgeball courts, crazy games and recreation, and high energy worship.

BACK TO CHURCH

We have a tentative restart date of May 17. This will be Sunday morning worship services only - no Sunday School, no children's ministry, no nursery, no coffee. There will be two services. One will start at 9:30am and the second will begin at 11:00am. The worship center will be cleaned in between services. Doors open for the 11:00am service at 10:50am. There will be greeters to open the doors. We will ask you to space out in the worship center by family unit. Wear your mask if you want to.

We will continue to live stream our 11:00am services on our website and Facebook. Please do not come back to church if you feel like you are at risk or if you feel ill.

If things go well, we will begin to phase in other worship services and activities on June 1.

PRE-TEEN CAMP

Kids 3rd - 5th grade can register now for Over the Edge Pre-teen camp. Camp is July 30 - August 3. The cost is \$285 with a \$150 deposit due by June 28. You can register on the event page of nbcvictoria.org.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Read Dave's article to see that VBS is now July 12 - 16. Register now on our website's event page to attend or volunteer.

JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL CAMPS

Due to uncertainty in the social distancing and quarantine issues both Junior High and High School camps are canceled for the summer of 2020. Super Summer is also canceled. We are looking at options for events in July. Questions? Contact Cody.

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

A Victoria family is offering three \$1,000 scholarships to Northside students planning to attend college in the fall. Applications are available in the church office. Deadline: July 1.

ANNIVERSARIES

David Segura celebrated his second anniversary as our Buildings & Grounds Supervisor on April 16.

SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR:

Rebecca McQuillen on the death of her mother, and the family of Doris Elsik on her death. We join together as a family of faith and pray as we celebrate Christ's gift of eternal life.

COUNT OUR BLESSINGS

Received April 26		Received May 3	
Budget Receipts	25,353.46	Budget Receipts	16,977.48
Designated & Other:	1,986.22	Designated & Other:	1,642.08
Total Weekly Receipts:	27,339.68	Total Weekly Receipts:	18,619.56
Received Year to Date	809,582.74	Need Year to Date	899,316.00

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FOCUS

Welcome Back

May 17

9:30am & 11:00am

Worship Service only
no Sunday School, no nursery, no coffee
Watch the 11:00am service online

— journey ^ together —

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

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