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Worship Pastor

THANK YOU!!

Allow me to take this opportunity, on behalf of Joyce, Kayleigh, and myself, to express to you, our beloved church family, how grateful, thankful, and blessed we truly are by you! Your ongoing outpouring of love and generosity to us after the fire has been overwhelming; and is a true testimony to the love of Christ that is in your heart. Because of God's boundless love and grace working through you we have not lacked or been in want for anything!

I would like to say a special word of thanks to all of my fellow staff members; who on the day of the fire were right there by my side, standing with me, praying with and for me, making sure that

> my family was taken care of, and being an encouraging testimony of love and brotherhood! There are so many to thank, and I cannot list all by name, because I am sure to forget someone; so let me just say THANK YOU; to all who have given money and gift cards, offered your laundry services, offered your homes, given us meals, offered your

time and talents to help and provide for whatever we needed! THANK YOU!!

As an update, we are out of the hotel and are in a rental home. We have our pets back with us, who thankfully survived the fire, and were well taken care of by Scott and Amy Wakefield while we were in the hotel. Most of the initial hurdles with insurance have been completed, and we have secured a company to come in and clean, salvage and store our personal belongings. We are finalizing securing a general contractor. Once that is done, the long, slow process of restoring and rebuilding our home will begin in earnest. We have a long way to go, but we know it is in God's hands and his timing, and so we trust and we wait.

Once again, THANK YOU to all our church family for all that you have done and continue to do. You love us GREATLY and we are GREATLY BLESSED! Please continue to pray for us that we will be the example and witness that God wants us to be to those we come into contact with through this process; and that as things move forward that it will go smoothly and according to God's time table and that His will will be done.

Blessed and Thankful,

### AT A GLANCE

Sunday	9:30a	Sunday School
March 8	10:45a	Worship Service
	10:45a	Kid's Church
	3:30p	Deacon Meeting
	5:00p	Basic Training - Students
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March 12	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women
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	6:15p	Hall Life

Sunday March 15	9:30a 10:45a 10:45a	Sunday School Worship Service Kid's Church No evening activities
Tuesday March 17	6:00p 6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women Celebrate Recovery
Wednesday March 18	12:00p 6:00p 6:00p 6:00p 7:00p	Worship Center open for prayer Rewind Awana Student Bible Study Worship Choir Rehearsal
Thursday March 19	9:00a 6:00p 6:15p	Ladies Bible Study Zumba Fitness for Women 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



#### CHURCH SAFETY TRAINING

Register now for our church security training on April 4 from 8:00am - 4:00pm. This is comprehensive training that includes recognition, awareness and response, and a 2.5 hour lock down simulation. The cost for Northsiders is \$5. If you know someone from another church that would like to attend, the cost is \$20. Training includes lunch. There will not be childcare for this training. Everyone is invited to this training. Register on the events page at nbcvictoria.org.



#### DATE NIGHT/HYPE

Date Night is March 6. We offer childcare at the church from 6:00 - 10:00pm. Childcare is free if you are attending a church fellowship. Childcare is \$10 per child if you are not attending a fellowship.

Hype is for kids 3rd - 5th grade. It is from 7:00 - 9:00pm on March 6. You can drop your kids off at 6:00. If they are in the 3rd - 5th grade, they will go to Hype. At 9:00 they will return to childcare until 10:00pm. Or just bring them at 7:00pm for the fun.

Please call the church office by March 5 if you will need childcare.



#### EASTER "EGG"STRAVAGANZA

This Easter we are having an Easter egg hunt for the pre-schoolers. Children K - 5th grade are having a Pinata Egg Bust. All this is April 12 during extended care and Kid Worship. Dave is asking for candy to fill the eggs or pinata. Drop off your candy at a Connect Center or the church office.



#### ANNIE ARMSTRONG

March is North American Missions offering month. All money collected goes for missions. Northside's goal is \$13,000. Please mark your envelope "Annie Armstrong".



#### MEN'S SOFTBALL TEAM

Guys, sign up now for the Northside Knockouts softball team. You can visit a Connect Center on Sunday or call the church office. Questions? Contact Kennis Heinold or Dean Meade.

#### NORTHSIDE BAPTIST SCHOOL

Our school is enrolling now for the 2020-21 school year. Northside Baptist School offers a Christian education for children 2 yrs old - 5th grade. Call 361-578-5601 for more information.



#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

In March we are collecting bar soap for shoeboxes. Bring your donation of bar soap to a Connect Center or the church office.

## .::SHORTLINES::.

VALLEY MISSION TRIP MEETING: There is a final planning meeting for everyone going on the Valley Mission Trip. Meet on Sunday, March 8, right after the worship service. Lunch will be provided. If you haven't signed up to go, this is your last chance.

MARCH 15: There will be no evening activities at Northside on March 15.

COLORADO AND COSTA RICA: We will "huddle" to continue planning for our Colorado and Costa Rica mission trips. If you are interested in going on the Colorado trip - meet Dean right after worship on March 22. If you are interested in going to Costa Rica - meet Dean right after worship on March 29.

PIGGY BANK: Have you seen the giant piggy bank in the foyer of the worship center? We are collecting money for the orphanage in Costa Rica. All money in "the pig" will go to the orphanage. Our goal is \$4,000. Can you spare some change?

QUARTERLY CHURCH CONFERENCE: The financial statements will be discussed with other business on March 29 at 6:30pm.

SENIOR ADULT QUARTERLY DINNER: The next dinner is April 23. Watch for sign up opportunities.

LORD'S SUPPER: We will celebrate the Lord's Supper on March 29 in the morning worship service. We take up a collection for benevolence on these Sunday's. Be in prayer about how you can help with this ministry.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES: Sunday evening we have two services to choose from. A traditional service is in The Chapel. A more contemporary service is in the Worship Center. Both begin at 6:00pm.

GROUPLIFE PREVIEW: There is a GroupLife Preview on March 22 at 5:00pm. New groups begin Sunday, March 29. Come see what groups will be offered from March - May.

LADIES HOME MAINTENANCE WORKSHOP: Mark your calendars for April 8 at 1:30pm for the next installment of home maintenance tips and instructions. Sign up coming soon.

EAGLE CAMP: Start planning your summer now. What will your kids do while you work? Kids ages 3 - 11 can attend Eagle Camp at Northside Baptist School. Children at Eagle Camp will be involved in many fun, educational, and recreational activities. Call 361-578-5601 for more information.

SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR: The family of Swinford Wilson on his death, and to the family of B.J. Daffern on his 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 February 23** 

Budget Receipts29,048.35Designated & Other:2,660.09Total Weekly Receipts:31,708.44

**Received March 1** 

Budget Receipts:41,312.41Designated & Other:7,269.00Total Weekly Receipts:48,581.41

Year-to-Date Need: 599,544.00 Year-to-Date Received: 596,580.23

#### BIBLE STUDY

#### WORSHIP

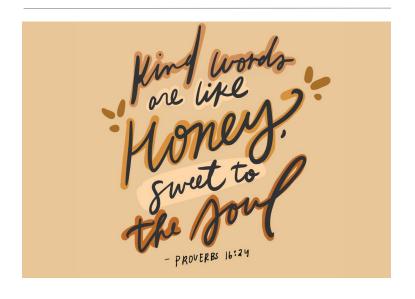
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#### THE PASTOR'S BLOG



....read the Pastor's Blog at nbcvictoria.org.



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