MEET OUR STAFF



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MASK UPDATE: The governor has eased up on the mask policy, but Northside would like to keep our current policy of wearing a mask while on the move on campus. You are free to remove your mask once you are in class or the Worship Center (if you want to) as long as you can practice social distancing.

SHARE THE **JOURNEY**

GET INVOLVED

Sunday, March 21

9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study

Worship Service 9:30a

11:00a Sunday Morning Bible Study

11:00a Worship Service 11:00a Kid's Church

5:00p Sunday Evening Worship

Tuesday, March 23

Zumba Fitness for Women 6:00p6:00p Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday, March 24

6:00p Wednesday Night Connect

6:00p Awana

6:00p Student Midweek

7:00pWorship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 25

6:00pZumba Fitness for Women

Trail Life 6:15p

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 \$ 25,808 Given Year to Date \$ 605,508 \$ 638,600 Need Year to Date

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY Go to nbcvictoria.org/wg for a digital copy of this Worship Guide



GOOD FRIDAY AND EASTER

There will be a Good Friday service at 6:00pm on April 2. This service will include worship, devotional, and the Lord's Supper.

If you don't attend a Sunday morning Bible study, consider attending the 9:30am worship service on Easter to leave more room for guests at the 11:00am service.

GROUPLIFE PREVIEW

Mark your calandars for the Spring GroupLife Preview on March 28 at 5:00pm. Watch for details on the event and the classes offered.

EASTER EXTRAVAGANZA

Kids, be here on Easter because along with learning about the meaning of Easter, there will be an egg hunt for the Pre-K kids and a pinata for the Kid's Church group.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

The Women's Retreat was postponed due to the winter storm, so we are reopening registration. The new dates are April 30 - May 1. (If you were registered for the original dates, you are still on the list.) You can register on the events tab at nbcvictoria.org. The cost is \$50 (no t-shirt). Deadline is March 31.

PRAYER FOR STUDENT CAMPS

Cody is asking for prayer warriors for student camps. He would like 3 people for Junior High Camp and 3 for High School Camp. These warriors would commit to praying for the students before, during, and after camp. Please call Cody for more information.

OVER THE EDGE

Over the Edge Pre-teen camp registration is now open. Pre-teen camp is for kids completing 3rd - 5th grades. It is a little earlier this year - July 1-5. The cost is \$300. You can contact Dave Benefield if you have any questions.



VIEW FROM THE PEW

Do you have a favorite Bible verse? Visit a Connect Center and pick up a form to tell us what it is along with a short testimony as to why this verse is important to you. You can also submit a form online. Go to the events page of our website. Darrell is planning a sermon series for the summer that will use these testimonies.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

VBS registration is open on our website event tab. VBS is June 13 - 17 from 6:00pm to 8:30pm. Exiting Kinder through 4th grade are invited to attend.

We have a separate VBS for 5th grade. It is the same date and time, just a little different. Register for "Merge" on our website.

Volunteers should also register on the website. We need you!

Register now.



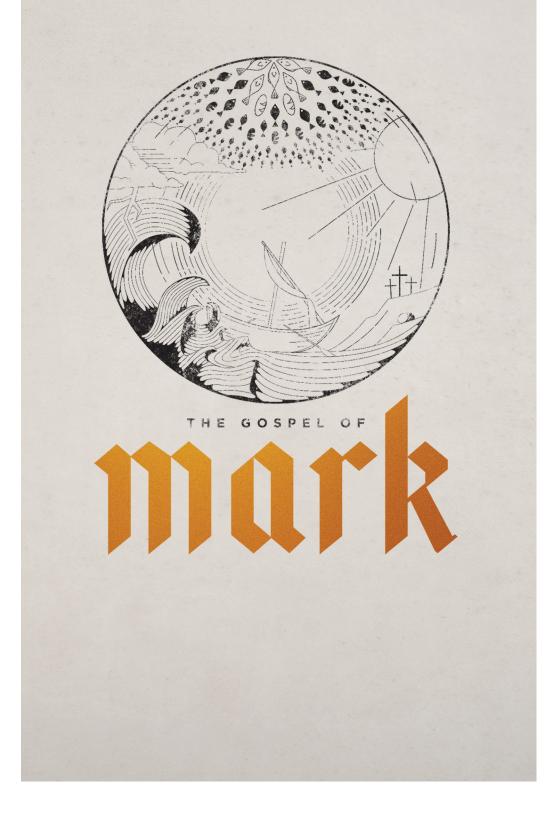
ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for North American Missions is underway. All money collected is given for missions. You can pick up a prayer guide this morning at a Connect Center. Northside's goal is \$13,000. Be in prayer as to how you can help. Mark your envelope "Annie Armstrong" to contribute. You can also give





MARCH 21, 2021



THOUGHTS ON THE JOURNEY

One of the few certainties in life is that we will face trials. These trials take on various looks and various forms for each of us, but we will face them. The only choice we really have is whether we will allow these seasons to draw us closer to God or drive us from Him.

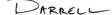
Today, we will see the disciples in a literal storm. Jesus has sent them across the Sea of Galilee and they are met with a wind storm. We see in the text that they, "[made] headway painfully." We are also told that the wind was, "against them." In addition to the struggle the storm itself presented, this all took place in the dark of night, between 3:00 AM-6:00 AM.

We are told that the disciples were afraid, cried out, and had not thought about the implications of things Jesus had previously done, specifically the feeding of the 5000. We are told that they, "did not understand about the loaves, but their hearts were hardened."

As we look at this text, there are several things that we need to remember. Just because it is tough does not mean God is not moving. It is through our trials that we grow in our understanding of who He is and, in our ability to trust Him. We must also remember how God has moved in the past. If He has seen me through before, He will do it again. Finally, I must always remember that what is going on is bigger than me. God is moving and working to put His glory on display.

This morning, as we look at this story, I pray that you will be able to lay your trials at the feet of Jesus and trust Him. I pray your trials would not push you away from God but draw you closer.

Honored to be your pastor,



TODAY'S WORSHIP

Yes, I Know! (Waterman)

WELCOME & PRAYER

Beautiful One (Hughes)

Blessed Be Your Name (Redman/Redman)

Good Good Father
(Brown/Barrett)

Forever (Johnson/Gifford/Wilson/Johnson/Taylor/Jobe)

MESSAGE

The Gospel of Mark: When Jesus Shows Up Mark 6:45-56 Darrell Tomasek

TIME OF COMMITMENT

I Give You My Heart (Morgan)

THIS WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

Beautiful One (Hughes)

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There are wooden boxes next to the Welcome Center for your tithes.

LISTEN ONLINE

Sunday Sermons are on our website: nbcvictoria.org

Connect @ Northside

• Online event registrations

• Pastor's Blog

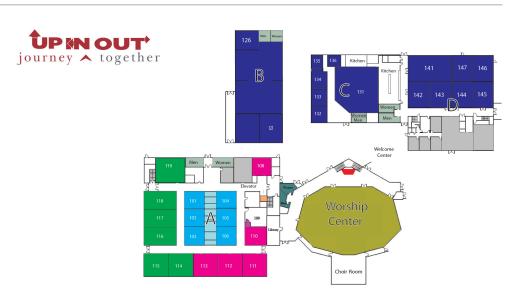
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WELCOME TO NORTHSIDE



Connect with YouVersion

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

To get wi-fi in the Worship Center, choose the *northside mar* network. The password is *john 316*.

SERMON NOTES



When Jesus Shows Up Mark 6:45-56

THE BIG IDEA: It is in the midst of our storms, hardships, and adversities that Jesus reveals Himself.

1. Jesus ______ his disciples go (vs. 45-46).

2.	Sometimes, _	is slow and painful
	(vs. 47-48a).	

(vs. 51-52).

3. It is in the midst of the trial that God's ______ is

5. Faith leads to (vs. 53-56).

4. Faith and fear cannot

@ THE FRONTLINE

- 1. What is the greatest trial you have faced in your life?
- 2. How did God show up?

revealed (vs. 48b-50).

- 3. What did you learn about God's faithfulness?
- 4. How do past trials help you face current trials?