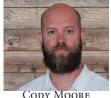
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The floral arrangement is given in loving memory of Mary Lynn Catledge by Nancy Catledge and family.

SHARE THE **JOURNEY**

GET INVOLVED

Sunday, August 22

9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study

10:45a Worship Service

Kid's Church 10:45a

Churchwide Worship Celebration 5:00p

Monday, August 23

6:00p Upward Evaluation

Tuesday, August 24

Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday, August 25

Wednesday Night Connect 6:00p

6:00p **AWANA**

6:00p Student Midweek

Thursday, August 26

6:15p Trail Life

Saturday, August 28

9:00a **Upward Evaluation** Choir Retreat 9:30a

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.)

Budget Gifts Last Week Given Year to Date Need Year to Date

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

Go to nbcvictoria.org/wg for a digital copy of this Worship Guide



CHURCHWIDE WORSHIP CELEBRATION

After a summer of looking at your favorite Bible verses, we will celebrate the Ancient Words with a Churchwide Worship Celebration tonight at

AWANA

Register now for AWANA. Registration is open on the events page of our website. The first Awana meeting is August 25 at 6:00pm. Club dues are \$25. Call Dave Benefield if you have any questions.

DATE NIGHT RETURNS

Date Night returns September 3. Childcare is provided at Northside from 6:00 - 10:00pm. The care is free if you are attending a Northside Fellowship. The cost is \$10 per child if not. You can register online for Date Night at nbcvictoria. org - events tab. You must register your child by September 1.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST SCHOOL

Our school is registering for the 2021-22 school year. The school is for 2 year olds - 5th grade. Extended care and early bird care is available. Contact the school at 361-578-5601 for more information, or visit their website at nbsvictoria.org.

PRAIZ KIDZ

Kick-off Praiz Kidz and Praiz Kidz, Jr. on Sunday, September 12, at 5:00pm. Regular rehearsals for Praiz Kidz begin September 26. Praiz Kidz is for children 3 years old through 5th grade. Come and invite a friend.



CHOIR RETURNS

Now is a great time to try out your singing voice. Choir returns with a retreat on August 28 from 9:30am to 12:00pm. Join us in the choir room for a preview of the fall music, games, and fellowship. Choir rehearsals resume on September 1 at 7:00pm in the choir room.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

We need school supplies for Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes and now is the perfect time to get them. Spiral notebooks, pencils, pens, crayons, etc. are great shoebox fillers. You can drop your purchases off at a Connect Center on Sunday.

FIRST IMPRESSIONS

If you are interested in welcoming guests and members, please contact the church office. Our First Impressions team includes Parking Lot, Welcome Center, and Section Hosts. We need you.

QUARTERLY CHURCH CONFERENCE/ **BUDGET MEETING**

It is time to begin the work on the 2021-22 church budget. We need your input. We are combining the budget meeting with the Quarterly Church Conference. Join us August 29 at 6:30pm for questions and suggestions for the new budget, and the current financials of Northside.

UPWARD FLAG FOOTBALL

Evaluations are: 8/23 at 6:00pm; 8/28 at 9:00am; 8/29 at 2:00pm; and 9/1 at 6:00pm. All flag football players must attend an evaluation. Practices begin the week of September 20. Games are October 2 through November 6. Call the church office if you have any questions. We need help at evaluations.

BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY

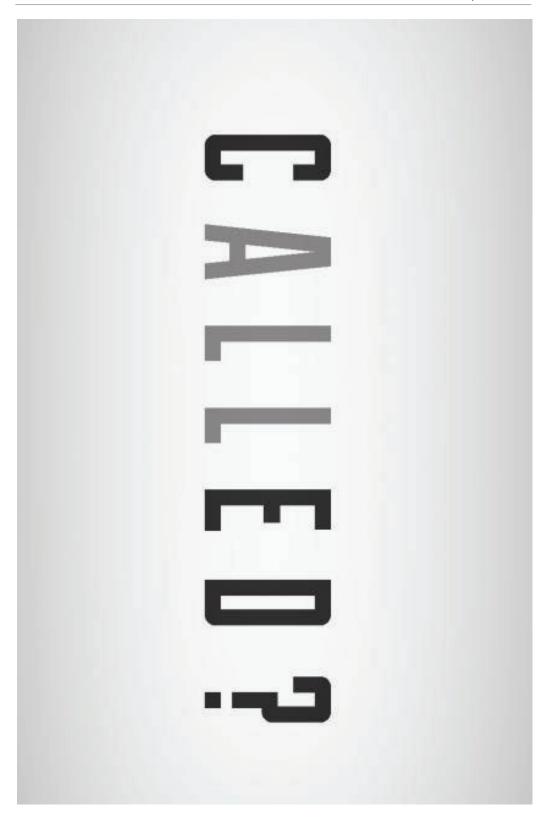
September 19 will be a busy Sunday. It's our Back to Church Sunday. We're having a Tailgate Party right after the worship service. Lunch will be served. There is also a Ministry Fair to highlight the different ministries Northside has to offer. Invite friends that have never been to Northside, or haven't been in a while. There will be no evening activities on September 19.

GROUPLIFE PREVIEW

The Fall GroupLife Preview is scheduled for September 12 at 5:00pm. New groups will begin on September 26. Make plans to attend the preview to see what Journey Groups and Sunday morning studies are coming this Fall.



AUGUST 22, 2021





THOUGHTS ON THE JOURNEY



Jim Drake

Thy Word Is A Lamp To My Feet

What a wonderful summer we've experienced not only in the exposition of the word by Pastor Darrell (he's the hero for tackling such a diverse group of scriptures) but we've also heard from so many members and how the Word has impacted them.

I've been telling our friends in Cypress what a rich experience this has been to read your testimonies, hear your testimonies, and to read the wall of scripture in the greeting area. The Word is alive at Northside.

So, where do we go from here? What will be the lasting impact of walking in the Ancient Word? My prayer will be that as we look at the fall we will:

- 1. Ask the Lord for a fresh start to the last half of the year. Doesn't it seem like 2021 has gone much faster than 2020, and yet we are faced with some of the same challenges and scenarios? Ask the Lord to give you the strength to end the year strong and to be in the Word each day. Share something you've learned this summer with a neighbor or co-worker. The Lord will use this to bless the Northside and Victoria communities.
- 2. Affirm that the Lord's promises are new every day and are always Yes and Amen! I love it that there are 365 promises in the Bible . 2 Cor 1:20 says

For as many as are the promises of God, in Christ they are [all answered] "Yes." So through Him we say our "Amen" to the glory of God.

The website www.365promises.com has a daily promise for you. Will you commit to read one of the promises each day for the rest of the year and say to the Lord, "Yes I believe and amen (so let it be)? What a plan to stay on course we have by following God's simple promises.

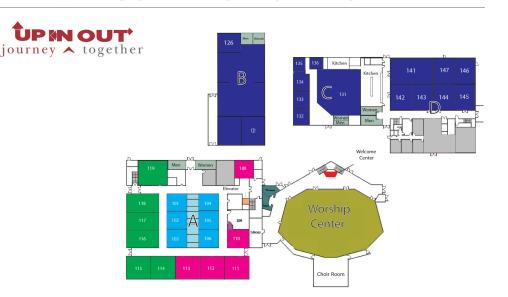
3. Attend church faithfully for all of the Fall. You have a pastor who loves the Word and are surrounded by a people who love the Word. What a great place to be. Just remember that each week you miss, you miss something that will impact you for the next week, plus you'll miss the encouragement of one of the friendliest churches in all of South Texas

It has been my joy to join with you each week in worship. You are a singing church and a worshipful church. It's a joy to see each of you in worship each week.

Don't forget to join with us tonight as we wrap up *Ancient Words* with a worship night. It will be an exciting time to remember, reflect, and commit to these things above.

With you, Jim Drake

WELCOME TO NORTHSIDE



TODAY'S WORSHIP

Battle Belongs (Johnson/Wickham)

WELCOME & PRAYER

Who Can Satisfy My Soul Like You (Jernigan)

Great Is Thy Faithfulness (Chisholm/Runyan)

MESSAGE
Called?
Honoring the Call
2 Timothy 1:8-14
DARRELL TOMASEK

TIME OF COMMITMENT

All To Us (Tomlin/Maher/Redman/Reeves)

LICENSING TO MINISTRY

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

I Speak Jesus
(Smith/Reeves/Prince/Patt/Dutton Benton)

THIS WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

Battle Belongs (Johnson/Wickham)

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CALLED?

SERMON NOTES

Honoring the Call 2 Timothy 1:8-14

THE BIG IDEA: The call of God should be considered with great gravity and humility.

 We cannot be 	(v. 8a).
1. We calliot be	(V. Od).

2.	We must be willing to	(vs. 8b-10).
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3. Embrace your (vs. 11-12a).

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Connect @ Northside

Visit our website @ nbcvictoria.org for:

- Pastor's Blog
- Up-to-date Northside happenings
- Online event registrations
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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*.

@ THE FRONTLINE

- 1. Have you ever considered a call to the ministry?
- 2. If you do not feel called to fulltime vocational ministry, then what do you sense God's call for you is?
- 3. Have you pursued what you feel God is calling you to?
- 4. What is your greatest fear?