#### MEET OUR STAFF



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# SHARE THE JOURNEY

#### GET INVOLVED

Sunday, September 24

9:30a Bible Study
10:45a Worship Service
10:45a Kid's Church
12:00p Upward Referee Meeting
4:00p 2:7 Student Choir
5:00p Sunday Evening Worship
5:00p Journey Groups
5:00p Student Huddle

Tuesday, September 26

Praiz Kidz

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

6:00p AHG/TrailLife 6:30p Circle of Hope

Wednesday, September 27

5:00p Wednesday Night Meal

6:00p Connect

6:00p Student Midweek

6:00p Awana

7:00p Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, September 28

9:30a Ladies Bible Study

5:00p Zumba Fitness for Women

Saturday, September 30 8:30a Upward Games Begin

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
 \$29,585.41

 Given Year to Date
 \$1,290,298.00

 Need Year to Date
 \$1,450,978.00

# STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

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



#### **UPWARD GAME DAY VOLUNTEERS**

Games start this Saturday, 9/30, and Pastor Dean is looking for some game day volunteers. He needs people to serve at the welcome tent, on the greeter team, set up team, and tear down team. Each of these groups have different time requirements. For more information and to sign up go to nbcvictoria.org on the Events Page or scan the QR code above. Contact Pastor Dean if you have any questions.

Today at noon, there is a referee meeting with a pizza lunch provided. Join us if you plan to referee this season!



#### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY SHIRTS**

We will be ordering new Women's Ministry shirts to go with our study on prayer this year! The shirt color will be Heather Navy and the shirts are \$15. Sign up by our next Women's Night, 10/13, on the Events Page or by scanning the QR code above.



#### FALL FESTIVAL

Fall Festival is coming up soon on October 31. Bring your pre-wrapped candy to a Connect Center or the church office by October 29. We also need your help to run all the game booths at the Fall Festival. Visit a Connect Center to sign up and go online to nbcvictoria.org/events to see which booths are still avialable.



#### MARY HILL DAVIS OFFERING

This is the last week for the Mary Hill Davis offering for Texas Missions from now through September 30. All money given goes directly to Texas missions. We have collected \$3,139.00 of Northside's \$5,000 goal. Please designate your gift as MHD when you give in person or online.

#### ANNIVERSARY LOVE OFFERING

October 6 is Dean Meade's 10th anniversary at Northside Baptist Church. We will collect a love offering for Dean in celebration of this anniversary. Please designate your gift as "Dean-Love Offering" on your envelope, or you can give online by choosing the Love Offering option.



#### WOMEN'S RETREAT SURVEY

We are in the very beginning stages of planning the next Women's Retreat, which will likely be Spring of 2025. We want your input on what type of retreat would best suit your needs or wants. Please go fill out the short survey at nbcvictoria.org on the Events Page. Thank you for your input!

#### WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL

Join us at 5 PM for our church wide Wednesday Night Meal. The suggested donation is \$5 per plate with a cap at \$20 per family. If you forget your wallet, no worries dinner is on us!

Menu for 9/27:

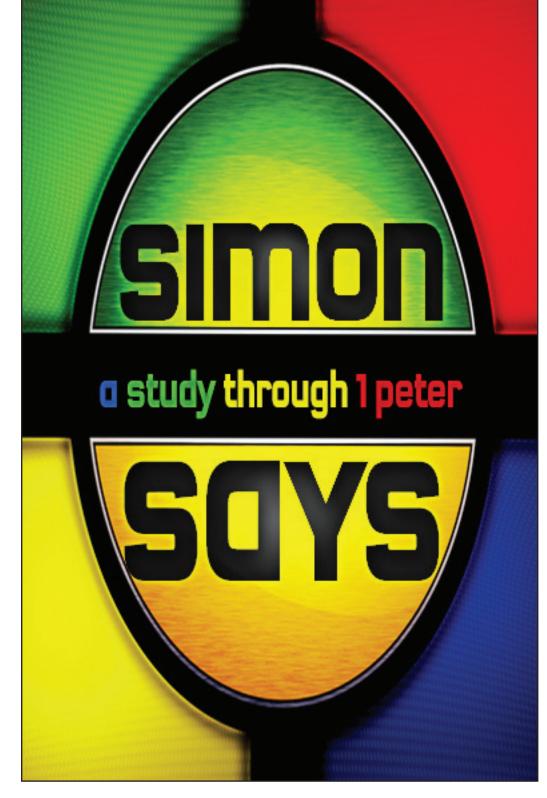
- -Beef Tacos -Rice
- -Beans

#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

We are collecting items for Operation Christmas Child. We will collect washcloths and bar soap for OCC in September. Please drop off your items at the church office or the connect center.



September 24, 2023





# THOUGHTS ON THE JOURNEY

Good morning Northside family, friends and guests. I hope that this weekend has been restful and energizing. This is a busy time of year and one of my favorites. This

**CC** Why is it an act of worship submitting to God? How does it help others to see who God is in our lives?

morning may look a little different than other weeks. No, it is not National Youth Pastor Preaching Day. Darrell and Stephen are both out serving with Grace Retreat this weekend. So...You all are stuck with me preaching. You will also see that Jim Drake is back with us to lead worship. I have been so excited to see him and be able to serve alongside my

good friend again. We had the privilege to have Jim help us during the interim period almost over a year ago. Thank you Jim for being here with us again this morning.

This morning we are going to be spending our time looking at 1 Peter 2:13-25. I joked with Darrell when he asked me to preach that I would as long as I did not have to teach on tithing or money. I should have also said 1 Peter 2. Even though preparing this was a struggle, I am excited to teach through this passage. Get ready, we will be struggling together to look at why submitting to authority is an act of worship. I know most of us do not like the word submit. I personally think that word should not exist, but it does. So, why should we submit to authority? Why is it an act of worship submitting to God? How does it help others to see who God is in our lives? These are just a few of the questions we will wrestle with this morning.

On another note, I cannot help but tell you all a little of what has been going on with our youth this semester. When school started we began dividing up our Junior High and High School students in our MidWeek service. Every Wednesday we do a game and a time of worship together, but for teaching, junior high and high school split into different areas. We have two different people teaching at the same time. This has been so good for many reasons. One reason, we have several different voices teaching each week. I have ten people that have stepped up to teach this semester with me. They have been doing so well, and our students seem to enjoy not having to listen to just me every week. I have also seen our groups making new connections and growing together. Please keep praying for us as we finish out the semester.



## WELCOME TO NORTHSIDE



## **TODAY'S WORSHIP**

Jesus Your Name (Cottrell)

Blessed Be Your Name (Redman/Redman)

THIS WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

WELCOME & PRAYER

Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me (Robinson/Thompson/Farren/Cottrell)

O Praise the Name (Anastasis) (Hastings/Ussher/Sampson)

> **MESSAGE** Why Do We Submit? 1 Peter 2:13-25 CODY MOORE

#### TIME OF COMMITMENT

Lord I Need You (Carson/Maher/Nockles/Reeves/Stanfil)

#### **GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS**

How Firm a Foundation (Traditional American melody/Caldwell's Union Harmony)

**PARTING BLESSING & PRAYER** 

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### LISTEN ONLINE Sunday Sermons are on our website: nbcvictoria.org

# Connect @ Northside

Visit our website @ nbcvictoria.org for:

- Up-to-date Northside happenings
- Online event registrations
- Facebook/ Instagram
- Newsletter

## **SERMON NOTES**



Simon Says Why Do We Submit? 1 Peter 2:13-25

1. Submit to the(	vs. 13-27).
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>Honor All
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2 Submit to	(vs 18-20

(vs. 21-25). 3. Jesus is the

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

Our guest wi-fi is currently under maintence. Sorry for any inconvience.