

MEET OUR STAFF



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SHARE THE JOURNEY

GET INVOLVED

- Sunday, October 10
- 9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study
 - 10:45a Worship Service
 - 10:45a Kid's Church
 - 5:00p GroupLife
 - 5:00p Praiz Kidz/Praiz Kidz, Jr.
 - 5:00p Summit Huddle
 - 5:00p Ecclesia
 - 5:00p Sunday Evening Worship

- Tuesday, October 12
- 6:00p Celebrate Recovery
 - 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women

- Wednesday, October 13
- 6:00p Called Church Conference
 - 6:00p AWANA
 - 6:00p Student Midweek
 - 7:00p Worship Choir Rehearsal

- Thursday, October 14
- 9:30a Ladies Bible Study
 - 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women
 - 6:00p Jr. High Corn Maze
 - 6:15p Trail Life

- Saturday, October 16
- 8:30a Upward Flag Football

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	\$ 49,058
Given Year to Date	\$1,460,485
Need Year to Date	\$1,564,570

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

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



DISCOVER THE JOURNEY

Are you new to Northside and have questions about how we do things? Sign up for our Discover the Journey class on October 24 right after the worship service. Lunch will be served. Register on the events page of our website. Childcare will be provided.

FALL FESTIVAL

It is almost time for our Fall Festival. We need your help. Of course we need candy for the booths, but we also need volunteers to work at the booths. Visit a Connect Center on Sunday to sign up as a volunteer, or call the church office to get your name on the schedule. We also need "white elephant" type items for one of the booths.

Bring your pre-wrapped candy or "white elephant" item to a Connect Center or the church office by October 24. Fall Festival is October 31.



PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 2021-22

You can pick up a copy of our proposed budget for Northside's fiscal year 2021-22 at a Connect Center today. There will be a Called Church Conference on Wednesday, October 13, for discussion of this proposed budget. Voting, without discussion, will be Sunday, October 17. The new budget takes effect November 1.



TEXAS MISSIONS OFFERING

We are collecting for the Mary Hill Davis offering for Texas Missions from now through October 17. All money collected goes towards Texas missions. Northside's goal is \$5,000. Please mark your envelope MHD, or donate online through our website or app.

VALET PARKING

We have a limited number of handicapped parking places. We are now offering valet parking on Sunday mornings if the spaces are full and it is difficult for you to walk a great distance. Pull up to the end door of the worship center in the main parking lot. You can claim your car after the service.

GBA ANNUAL MEETING

Northside is hosting the Guadalupe Baptist Association's Annual Meeting on Sunday evening, October 17. Call the church office if you can help serve the meal, greet our visitors, etc.

UPWARD FLAG FOOTBALL

We have a lot of kids signed up for flag football and cheerleading. You can help. We need referees, greeters, concession workers, and prayer warriors. If you can help for one week or six weeks, call us at the church office. Upward has instructional videos to help you learn to be a ref.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

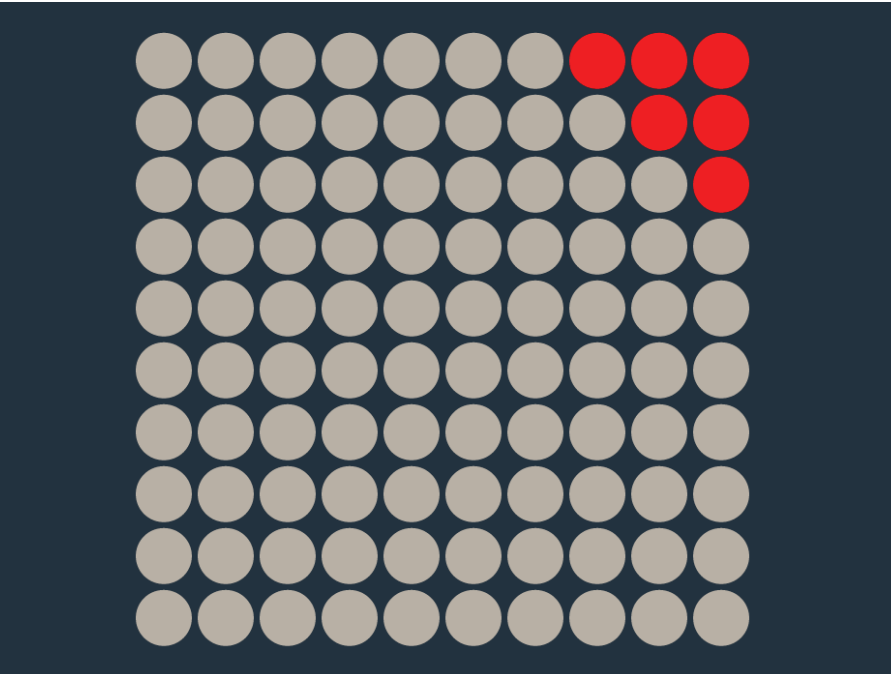
Operation Christmas Child is underway at Northside. We are collecting coloring books and socks in October. We still have need for wash cloths, soap, combs, brushes, and school supplies. You can bring your items to a Connect Center on Sunday or bring them by the church office during the week.

Of course you can pack your own box and bring it by the church. We will deliver them with our boxes.

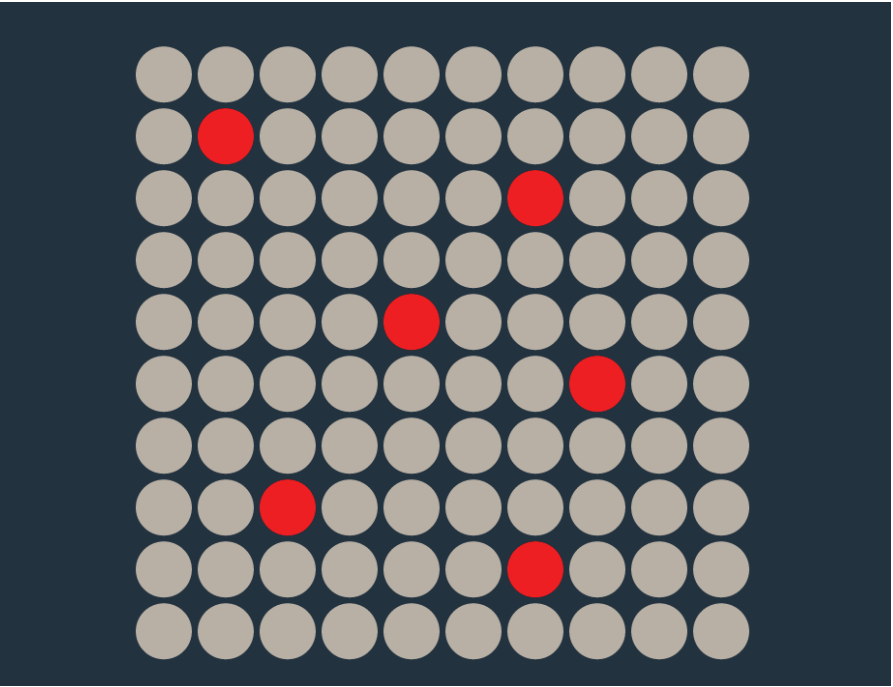
We are also accepting cash donations for shipping charges, boxes, and items to fill boxes. Mark your envelope "OCC".

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OCTOBER 10, 2021



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Worship Sundays at 10:45am

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THOUGHTS ON THE JOURNEY

One of the most frustrating things in life can be seeking the direction God would have you to go. I do not think God intends for this to be frustrating, but we complicate the process and become discouraged. Usually, we find ourselves at some crossroads, and instead of slowing down and trusting God, we muddy the waters. These times may come in the midst of a life decision, or as we seek where God would have us to serve, or maybe even when we are trying to decide how to handle some particular situation.

Satan would love to trip us up, take our joy, and leave us frustrated. However, we know that such confusion and frustration can never be from God, so why do we end up there? I think the short answer is that we look to all the wrong places when we find ourselves in seasons of decision and commitment. We try to approach things logically, or from a commonsense standpoint, or we seek the advice of people before we seek God.

While the use of common sense and the counsel of godly people are good things, they should not be our primary source or even our first stop. Before we try to use logic, or even speak to others, we should first approach the Lord and seek His guidance. Many times, what God is saying to us is to wait. Learning to wait and listen to Him is an invaluable skill. Our society says, “hurry up” while our God says, “wait.”

Today we will talk about how one can seek the will of God and live according to His purposes. You will find that seeking God is a multifaceted process. Sometimes we have to wait. Sometimes we have to act. Sometimes we listen. Sometimes we move. On the one hand, there is no simple, singular way to get to the will of God. On the other hand, it is simple. We simply learn to listen and act as directed. I hope that you will find today helpful in your own journey.

Honored to be your pastor,

DARRELL

TODAY’S WORSHIP

Who You Say I Am
(Morgan/Fielding)

WELCOME & PRAYER

We Praise You
(Lake/Wickham/Redman/Johnson)
WORSHIP CHOIR

Living Hope
(Johnson/Wickham)

The Solid Rock
(Mote/Bradbury)

MESSAGE

This Is The Church
Engage in the Mission
Acts 16:6-10
DARRELL TOMASEK

TIME OF COMMITMENT

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

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

Open the Eyes of My Heart
(Baloche)

THIS WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

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SERMON NOTES



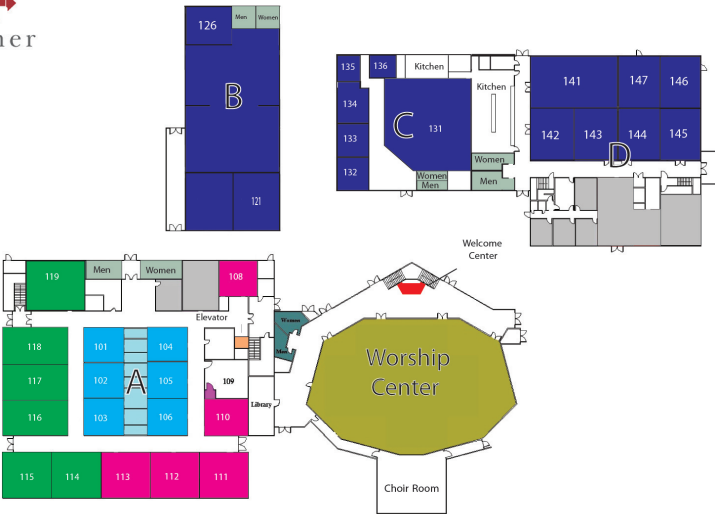
Engage in the Mission
Acts 16:6-10

THE BIG IDEA: We must be committed to discovering God’s will as we seek to serve Him.

1. Some doors will be _____ (vs. 6-7).
2. There will be seasons of _____ (v. 8).
3. God will make His will _____ (v. 9).
4. We must obey _____ (v. 10).

WELCOME TO NORTHSIDE

UP IN OUT
journey ^ together



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



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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*.



When seeking God’s will (as offered by Billy Graham):

1. Commit your decision to God.
2. Read the scriptures.
3. Understand your circumstances.
4. Seek godly advice.
5. Trust the Spirit’s guidance.
6. Trust God for the outcome.