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SHARE THE JOURNEY

GET INVOLVED

Sunday, December 31

9:30a Combined Bible Study GroupLife

Preview 10:45a Worship

No Evening Activities

Monday, January 1

Happy New Year! Office Closed

Tuesday, January 2

6:00p Celebrate Recovery 6:00p AHG/Trail Life 6:30p Circle of Hope

Wednesday, January 3

5:00p Wednesday Night Meal

6:00p Connect

6:00p Student Midweek

6:00p Awana

Thursday, January 4 6:00p Prayer & Praise

Friday, January 5 6:00p Date Night

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 Budget Gifts Year to Date Need Year to Date

\$ 15,126.82 \$ 181,750.76 \$ 241,538.48

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY

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



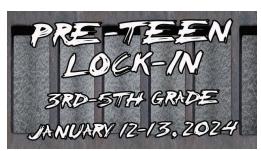
DATE NIGHT

Date Night is Friday, 1/5/23. Childcare is offered at the church from 6:00 -10:00pm for \$10 per child. Childcare is free if you are attending a Northside fellowship. Please register at nbcvictoria.org on the Events Page by Wednesday, January 3.



NIGHT OF PRAYER AND PRAISE

Night of Prayer and Praise is Thursday, 1/4/23. We will gather in the Worship Center at 6:00 PM every first Thursday of the month. All are welcome. Join us as we focus our hearts and minds on the Lord.



PRETEEN LOCK-IN

You don't want to miss the Pre-Teen Lock-In on January 12-13, 2024! Register today at nbcvictoria. org on the Events Page.

GROUPS RETURN

The Wednesday Night schedule returns on January 3 with the meal at 5:00pm and Awana and Connect at 6:00pm.

The Northside regular Sunday schedule resumes on January 7. The 2:7 Student Choir begins at 4:00pm. Praiz Kidz returns at 5:00pm. The new semester of GroupLife also begins at 5:00pm. The Sunday Evening Worship service returns at 5:00pm in the chapel.



LOTTIE MOON

The Lottie Moon Offering for International Missions runs through December 31. All money collected goes directly for international missions. Northside's goal is \$22,000. Please designate your gift as "Lottie Moon" when you give in person and online at nbcvictoria.org. We have collected \$17,753 to date.

OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

The church office will be closed January 1 for New Year's Day. Happy New Year!



WOMEN'S NIGHT

Women's Night is Friday, January 12, at 6:00pm. This month we will learn about Honest Prayers and have a time of worship. The food theme for January is Soup and Salad. As always, bring a dish only if you are able. Childcare is available if you register by Wednesday, 1/10/23 at nbcvictoria.org on the Events Page. Mark your calendar now, you won't want to miss this one!



RAD WEEKEND

RAD Weekend is January 26-28, 2023. If you would be interested in being a host home, co-host, or helping that weekend, contact Cody at codymoore@nbcvictoria.org or 361-578-1568. Registration is open on the Events Page!



December 31, 2023



THOUGHTS ON THE JOURNEY

Good New Year's Eve Morning, Northside family and friends! I hope that you had an awesome Christmas with your loved ones. Tomorrow starts 2024, and we all get the chance to see it together. I truly hope it is the best year yet. God is moving and working in all of our journeys, and I'm excited to see what happens this year as we journey together.

As the new year starts, let's take time to reflect on what God has done in our lives in 2023. Maybe it was a new job, a new house, a new family member, or multiple new things. Maybe 2023 was an easy year, full of the same ole same ole. For some, it may have been a hard year. Nonetheless, 2024 is here, and we get to celebrate and challenge ourselves to live out our calling in this new year and new season.

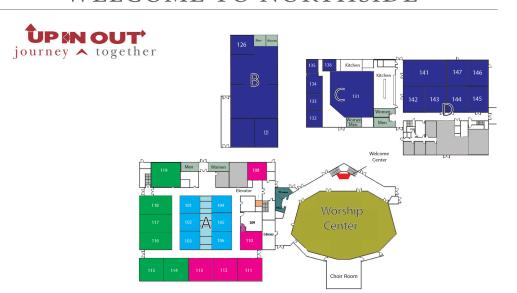
This morning, we will be looking at Romans 12:1-2. Our focus is on what this new year holds through the lens of how we are to worship and live. Every year we make New Year's resolutions and tend to follow them for a few weeks, but as believers we need to be reminded we are being transformed daily. C.S. Lewis said it best, "The Church exists for nothing else but to draw men into Christ, to make them little Christs. If they are not doing that, all the cathedrals, clergy, missions, sermons, even the Bible itself, are simply a waste of time. God became Man for no other purpose." We as the church can make all the resolutions we want, but if we are not living on mission, what's the point? We are either pointing people to God or pushing people away from God.

I hope that as we dive in and look at this passage, we take a moment to look within and search our hearts and ask the question as we roll into this new year: Am I the same old person I used to be, or am I being transformed into a little Christ more and more everyday?

Please continue to pray for Darrell and his family as he takes the next month to rest and seek after God's face. Pray that he will be able to rest, sit in the presence of God, and be re-energized for the next season of ministry here at Northside. We love you all and are so privileged to serve alongside you.

Coly Moore

WELCOME TO NORTHSIDE



TODAY'S WORSHIP

This is Our God (Wickham/Furtick/Lake/Barrett)

THIS WEEK AT NORTHSIDE

WELCOME & PRAYER

Jesus Messiah (Carson/Cash/Reeves)

Same God (Lake/Furtick/Brown/Barrett)

O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer (Stiff)

MESSAGE New Year, Not so New You? Romans 12:1-2

CODY MOORE
TIME OF COMMITMENT

Make Room (Farro/White/Heideriqui/Cortazio)

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer (Stiff)

PARTING BLESSING & PRAYER

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- Online event registrations
- Facebook/ Instagram
- Newsletter

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- 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 3:16.

SERMON NOTES



New Year, Not so New You?

Romans 12:1-2

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