

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE



DEAN MEADE
Discipleship Pastor

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Vacation Bible School is quickly approaching. June 8 – 12, 2015. Online registration has been up and running for some time, and children are being registered as I write this. If you're available, we could sure use you from 5:30-8:30pm to help us make this year's VBS a success.

There are many places where you can serve this year. We need Guides that will escort children from activity to activity. Being a guide is a great way to get to know the names, faces, and stories of children that will be attending this year's VBS. If you like to sing and dance, you'll want to contact Tom Smith about assisting with VBS Music. If you love to play games, recreation may be the best place for you to serve. If you are available for only a portion of the evening, you may want to assist with check-in at the beginning of the evening, or pick up at the end of the evening. These are just a few of the many opportunities to serve at Vacation Bible School.

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So, how do you register? I'm glad you asked... Surf online to www.nbcvictoria.org/vbs and complete an application for Volunteers. Childcare is available for children birth – five years of age for volunteers while they are working. Meals will be provided from 4-5pm each day for those needing to come straight from work.

VBS is a great way to make an eternal investment in the lives of children. Consider serving this year. It's an investment that can have long lasting effects in the here-and- now as well as eternity! And, you can't beat that.

AT A GLANCE

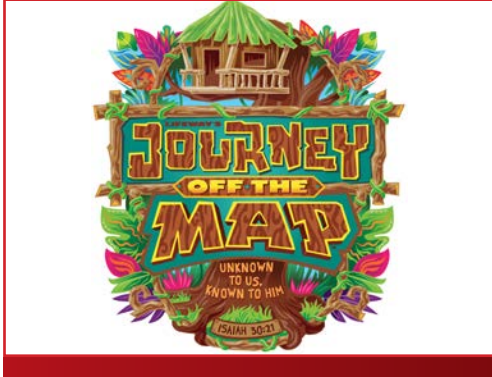
<i>Sunday</i>	9:30a	Sunday School Groups
<i>May 24</i>	10:45a	Worship Service No Evening Activities
<i>Monday</i>		Church Office Closed
<i>May 25</i>		
<i>Tuesday</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women
<i>May 26</i>		
<i>Wednesday</i>	8:30a	Happy Agers
<i>May 27</i>	6:00p	Prayer Group
	6:00p	Student Hang Time
	6:00p	Discipleship Groups
	7:00p	Student Bible Study
	7:00p	Worship Choir Rehearsal
<i>Thursday</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women
<i>May 28</i>	6:30p	Women's Summer Book Club

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<i>May 31</i>	10:45a	Worship Service
	5:00p	The Collective
	6:00p	Quarterly Church Conference
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<i>June 2</i>		
<i>Wednesday</i>	8:30a	Happy Agers
<i>June 3</i>	6:00p	Pastor's Prayer Meeting
	7:00p	Worship Choir Rehearsal
<i>Thursday</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women
<i>June 4</i>		

Vacation Bible School is
June 8 to June 12.

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

VBS is almost here and we need your help. Don't wait for someone to ask you to help - call Dean Meade and volunteer. You can pick up a donation card at a Connect Center on Sunday and bring your VBS supplies to the church office or drop off at a Connect Center the following Sunday.

VBS is June 8 - 12 from 5:30pm to 8:30pm. Register your child at nbcvictoria.org/vbs today. Children exiting kinder through exiting 5th grade can attend. There will be no walk-up registration, and registration closes June 3.



CAMP CAMP CAMP

We are offering several camps this summer for children and students. Vacation Bible School and Summer Music Camp details are elsewhere in this newsletter.

Other camp options are:

- Sundays Camp for students exiting 7th - 12th grade. It is July 12 - 17. Cost is \$250. Go to nbcvictoria.org/students to register.
- Preteen Camp is for exiting 3rd - 6th grade. Camp is July 25 - 29. Cost is \$255. Pick up a packet at the church office to register.



GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Don't forget to return your information card and pictures. We need your name, your parents names, your future plans, the university you are planning to attend or the career you are entering, and the degree you hope to obtain. We also need a baby picture and a current picture. Email the information to rebeccamcquillen@nbcvictoria.org, or bring it by the church office. RSVP to the luncheon on May 31 honoring the grads. **Deadline May 22.**



SUMMER MUSIC CAMP

Summer Music Camp returns this summer June 22 - 26. Register your child for \$40 (completed 1st - 5th grade) at nbcvictoria.org/smc. It is lots of fun. Learn an entire musical in 1 week! Performance is 5:00pm June 26. Registration ends June 5. Don't miss out - space is limited.



MEMORIAL DAY SCHEDULE

There will be no evening services on Sunday, May 24, for the Memorial Day Holiday. The church office will be closed on Monday, May 25.



LIVE STREAMING

You can watch Sunday morning services live on our website. That's right - live streaming has returned, and it is better than ever. No stuttering, no commercials. Watch when you are away or just can't make it to church. Have a relative from out of town watch on Senior Sunday so they can see your Senior being honored. Just go to nbcvictoria.org/worship.

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ANNIVERSARY: Mike Baker completed 14 years of service as Pastor of Students and Recreation on May 6.

LADIES BOOK CLUB: Read *The Best Yes* by Lysa Terkhurst and come discuss it at 9 Jade Dr. on May 28 at 6:30pm. Coffee and dessert provided. The next book is *If You Will Ask* by Oswald Chambers with discussion on July 2. *Jesus Outside the Lines* by Scott Sauls & Gabe Lyons will be discussed on July 30. *The Red Tent* by Anita Diamant is the last book with discussion on August 27.

ONE WORSHIP: We have returned to one worship service on Sunday mornings. Join us at 10:45am.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS: Choose your time - May 27 right after the Pastor's Prayer meeting in D-143 or May 31 at 7:00pm - meet in the Conference Center. You just need to go to one of the two scheduled meetings.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: There will be a training for volunteers signed up to be guides. This is an important training for you so that you can more easily do your job as a guide. Meet May 31 in D - 145. Contact Dean at deanmeade@nbcvictoria.org for more information.

QUARTERLY CHURCH CONFERENCE: May 31 at 6:00pm in the Conference Center. The regular financial information plus information from the Buildings and Grounds Committee on the repairs and facelift schedule.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST SCHOOL: Now taking registrations for PK-2 through fifth grade. Extended care is available from 7:00am - 5:30pm. Call the school at 578-5601 for more information or a registration packet. Discounts available for siblings and church members.

SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR: The family of Lawrence Koehl on his death. We join together as a family of faith and pray as we celebrate Christ's gift of eternal life.

THE RECORD SPEAKS

MINISTRY ACTION PLAN

Received May 10

Budget Receipts:	33,234.82
Designated & Other:	3,559.46
Total Weekly Receipts:	36,794.28

Received May 17

Budget Receipts:	20,313.20
Designated & Other:	7,156.50
Total Weekly Receipts:	27,469.70

Year-to-Date Need: 984,028.00

Year-to-Date Received: 954,840.67

Continuing His Vision

Received to date:	1,819,579.16
Loan Balance	0.00

BIBLE STUDY

May 10	439
May 17	441

WORSHIP

May 10	751
May 17	624

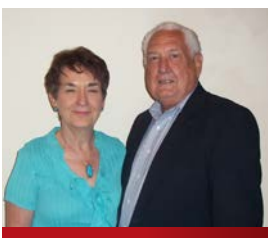
THE PASTOR'S BLOG

Judith and I love to pick dewberries. She is great at making pies and jelly. I am pretty good at eating them. It was 2012 that we were last able to pick some dewberries. The years of drought have taken their toll, but this year there was more rain which means more berries....[read more at nbcvictoria.org/blog](http://nbcvictoria.org/blog)

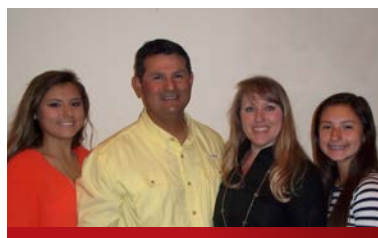


NEW FACES AT NORTHSIDE

We welcome these new folks to the community of Northside. There's room for everyone 'round here.



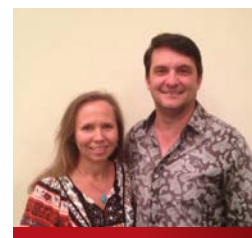
Patricia & Milton
Pokladnik



Roland & Julia Gonzalez
Railey & Reagan



Celina Rodriguez



Jeannie & Kennis
Heinold



Stacey & James Finster
Camden & Kadence

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FOCUS

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Sundays
10:45am Worship
9:30am Sunday School Groups

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