

## NORTHSIDE GROUPLIFE UPDATE



DEAN MEADE  
Discipleship Pastor

Our Sunday morning Bible study hour at Northside has been a part of the history of the church and one way in which hundreds...if not thousands...of people have grown spiritually on their journey to becoming all that God intends them to be. Almost all of our Sunday School classes have chosen one of four approved curriculums for use with their Sunday School Group. These curriculums use a scope and sequence that will give all attendees an overview of the entire Bible in a five year cycle. No, you won't study the Greek meaning of every word in every verse, but if you stick with it for five years, you will have gained a general overview of the whole Bible. The four choices of approved Sunday School curriculum are:

1. **Explore the Bible Series** - A book-by-book Bible study that takes participants deep into the context of God's Word and challenges them to live it out in their own context.



2. **Bible Studies for Life Series** - Perfect for groups and classes that want to begin their Bible study tackling real life issues with the timeless truth of God's Word.



3. **The Gospel Project** - A chronological, Christ-centered Bible study that examines how all scripture gives testimony to Jesus Christ.



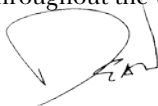
4. **Any of the Adult Bible Study Materials from Baptist Way Press** - This includes

Bible Book Studies, Bible Theme Studies, and Baptist Distinctive Studies.



There are several good supporting commentaries and study helps that go along with each of these materials. We are all works-in-progress that can accomplish more when we are unified and working together. The majority of our classes are already studying one of the above approved curriculums. Those wrapping up other studies have until Sunday, February 21, to choose which curriculum they would like to use.

Journeying together in God's word, in the same direction, can help us reach our full Kingdom potential as a church, Don't worry. We will still have all of our Discipleship Groups, Small Groups, and Journey Group opportunities to study short-term topics. Those groups will continue to happen throughout the week.



## AT A GLANCE

<i>Sunday</i>	9:30a	Sunday School
<i>January 24</i>	10:45a	Worship Service
	5:00p	The Collective
	5:00p	Discipleship Groups
	5:30p	Collide/Rhythm Rookies
	6:00p	Bible Study
<i>Tuesday</i>	9:30a	Ladies Bible Study
<i>January 26</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women
	6:30p	Celebrate Recovery
<i>Wednesday</i>	8:30a	Happy Agers
<i>January 27</i>	6:00p	AWANA
	6:00p	Prayer Meeting
	6:00p	Discipleship Groups
	6:00p	Student Hang Time
	7:00p	Student Bible Study
	7:00p	NO Worship Choir Rehearsal

<i>Thursday</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women
<i>January 28</i>		

<i>Sunday</i>	9:30a	Sunday School
<i>January 31</i>	10:45a	Worship Service
	5:00p	The Collective
	5:00p	Discipleship Groups
	5:30p	Collide/Rhythm Rookies
	6:00p	Bible Study

<i>Tuesday</i>	9:30a	Ladies Bible Study
<i>February 2</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women
	6:30p	Celebrate Recovery

<i>Wednesday</i>	8:30a	Happy Agers
<i>February 3</i>	6:00p	AWANA
	6:00p	Prayer Meeting
	6:00p	Discipleship Groups
	6:00p	Student Hang Time
	7:00p	Student Bible Study
	7:00p	Worship Choir Rehearsal

<i>Thursday</i>	6:00p	Zumba Fitness for Women
<i>February 4</i>		

<i>Friday</i>	6:00p	Date Night
<i>February 5</i>		

# STOPS ON THE JOURNEY



## ONE VOICE

One Voice, a choir of the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, will be leading worship this Sunday, January 24. Come hear this wonderful group of college students as they praise God with their voices. You may even see someone you know.



## UPWARD SOCCER

Sign up is under way for Upward Soccer. Boys and girls from kindergarten through sixth grade can play. Evaluations are February 7, 14, and 21 from 3:00 - 4:00pm on the Upward fields. Go to [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org) to register or come by the church office.

We are also in need of volunteers - coaches, referees, greeters, etc. Call the church office if you want to help, or if you have any questions.



## DATE NIGHT

February 5 is our next Date Night. Call the church office to reserve a space for your child. Child care is from 6:00 - 10:00pm and is free if you are attending a Northside fellowship. Cost is \$8 per child if you are not.



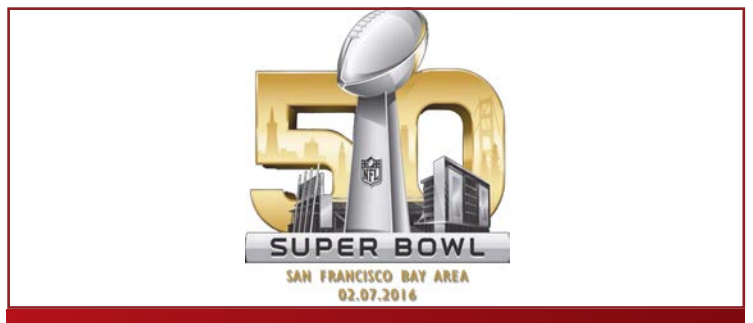
## WIDOWS BANQUET

We will be hosting a banquet on February 14 for widows. We would like to honor you and show you that you are loved. Watch for sign up opportunities.



## SAINTS ALIVE QUARTERLY DINNER

The Quarterly Saints Alive Dinner will be January 21 at 6:00pm. If you receive the newsletter by email, you still have time to sign up. Call the church office if you want to attend.



## STUDENT SUPER BOWL PARTY

All students 6th - 12th grade are invited to attend the Student Super Bowl party on February 7 at 5:00pm in the Student Center. Wear your jersey, come hungry, be ready to cheer.

## :::SHORTLINES:::

**CALLED CHURCH CONFERENCE:** There will be a brief called church conference in the Conference Center Sunday, January 31 at 7:00 PM. The church will vote on our recommendation for 2016 Committees.

**LADIES HOME MAINTENANCE:** Mark your calendars for April 13 at 1:30pm. That is the next installment of the Home Maintenance workshops put on by Home Depot.

**MEN'S SOFTBALL TEAM:** We are trying to get a men's softball team together for the Men's City League. If you are 16+ and are interested in playing please call Kennis Heinold at 361-572-0095.

**K.I.D.S. WORSHIP:** We meet in the foyer after the music portion of the worship service. BUT, the last Sunday of the month we don't have K.I.D.S. Worship so children can worship with their parents. So January 31 we will not have K.I.D.S. Worship.

**RAD WEEKEND:** Mark your calendars for Reach and Disciple (RAD) Weekend on April 1-2. Students 6th - 12th grade have a weekend of fun and learning. Watch for registration opportunities.

**MINGLING OF SOULS CONFERENCE:** Northside will be hosting a marriage conference on March 4-5. This is a video conference beginning Friday evening with dinner served. The conference concludes Saturday at noon, but we will keep your kids until 6:00pm so you can have some time together. Childcare for infants - 5th grade is available for the conference. Cost is \$20 per couple. Watch for registration.

**SUPER SUMMER:** It is also time to begin registering for Super Summer. This year's leadership camp is June 20-24. If you want to be a leader in the youth department, this camp is for you.

**OUTDOOR EXPO:** Sportsman's Church will be hosting the Outdoor Expo at Son Valley on February 6. This is always a great time for families, so plan to attend.

**CONTRIBUTIONS:** Watch for your contribution statements in the mail soon. You can always check the information at *My Northside*. Just go to [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org) and click on the My Northside menu item. Plug in your email address and password to find contributions, directory, and more.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP:** All Middle School students are invited to a fellowship February 13 in the Student Center at 6:30pm.

**SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR:** The family of Gayle Franklin on her 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 January 10

Budget Receipts:	17,722.10
Designated & Other:	1,695.00
Total Weekly Receipts:	19,417.10

#### Received January 17

Budget Receipts:	29,826.37
Designated & Other:	967.80
Total Weekly Receipts:	30,794.17

Year-to-Date Need:	402,120.00
Year-to-Date Received:	368,823.85

#### Continuing His Vision

Received to date:	1,843,522.02
Lottie Moon Received to date:	21,004.20

#### BIBLE STUDY

January 10	485
January 17	453

#### WORSHIP

January 10	618
January 17	554

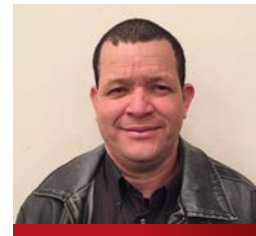
## THE PASTOR'S BLOG

Visit our website to read The Pastor's Blog, register for Upward Soccer, see some great pictures, visit our facebook page, etc. Go to [nbcvictoria.org](http://nbcvictoria.org). You can even see the church directory under the My Northside tab. Give online through My Northside also. Visit today.



## NEW FACES AT NORTHSIDE

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



*Danilo  
Ortiz*

IN  
FOCUS



— journey ▲ together —

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

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