

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES GALORE.....



TOM SMITH
Worship Pastor

I am so thankful to serve at a church where there are so many opportunities not just to serve, but to grow and learn. Did you know that we have a growing women's ministry and a new men's ministry? That's right, sometimes you need to spend time with people who are going through some of the same things you are or have already been through those times. There are times when you need to come and be served and grow without having to worry about the details. Both of these ministries offer times for you to grow and times for you to serve others. From men's breakfasts to women's prayer and praise nights, there is something for everyone.

These are just two of the multiple ministries offered at Northside. Where have you found to plug in to ministry at Northside? Are you teaching a children's or student Sunday school class, are you rocking babies, are you coaching during Upward soccer or football, do you sing or play an instrument? Did you know you can serve in ministry by reading books to our school children during the week?

We're like HEB - we have everything you need, but it's FREE! We have so many wonderful ministries at Northside because we have so many wonderful people willing to serve Him. Get involved today. There are no age limits or special skills required to serve God. If we take a look back through the Bible, we see that He often uses the ones most unqualified to get the job done. What a relief to know we don't have to be perfect to serve God.

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Teaching Opportunities – See (Adult) Dean Meade, (Student) Mike Baker, or

(Children) Dave Benefield
 Worship Opportunities (Singing, Instrument, Drama) – See Tom Smith
 Tech Opportunities – See Tom Smith
 Sports Opportunities – See Mike Baker
 Women's Ministry – See Alvesa Moctezuma
 Men's Ministry – See Dean Meade

We are always excited to speak with someone about getting them plugged into a ministry at Northside. As we move into the spring season, opportunities are knocking on the door all the time. Hope to see you around campus growing and helping to serve others.



AT A GLANCE

Sunday
February 7
 9:30a Sunday School
 10:45a Worship Service
 3:00p Upward Evaluation
 5:00p Student Super Bowl Party
 5:00p The Collective
 5:00p Discipleship Groups
 5:30p Collide/Rhythm Rookies
 6:00p Bible Study

Tuesday
February 9
 9:30a Ladies Bible Study
 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women
 6:30p Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday
February 10
 8:30a Happy Agers
 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

Thursday
February 11
 9:30a Ladies Bible Study
 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women

Saturday
February 13
 6:30p Middle School Fellowship

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Sunday
February 14
 9:30a Sunday School
 10:45a Worship Service
 12:00n Widow's Luncheon
 3:00p Upward Evaluation
 5:00p The Collective
 5:00p Discipleship Groups
 5:30p Collide/Rhythm Rookies
 6:00p Bible Study

Tuesday
February 16
 9:30a Ladies Bible Study
 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women
 6:30p Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday
February 17
 8:30a Happy Agers
 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

Thursday
February 18
 9:30a Ladies Bible Study
 6:00p Zumba Fitness for Women

STOPS ON THE JOURNEY



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 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.



WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Northside Women's ministry is looking for dynamic ladies with a heart for service. We are asking for a one year prayer commitment as well as attending quarterly planning meetings. Please pray about being part of your Northside Women's Ministry Planning Team.

If interested, call the church office or pick up a sign-up sheet at a Connect Center on Sunday.



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.



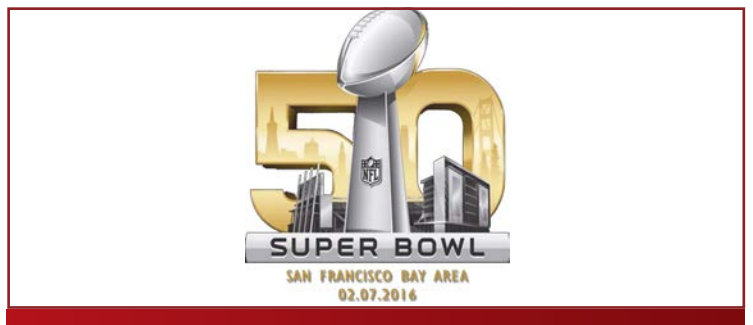
WIDOWS BANQUET

We will be hosting a luncheon on February 14 for widows. We would like to honor you and show you that you are loved. Call the church office to register for this luncheon to be held immediately after the worship service in Bldg D..



MINGLING OF SOULS CONFERENCE

The Mingling of Souls Marriage Conference will be held at Northside on March 4 - 5. The cost is \$20 per couple. There will be childcare available for children birth through 5th grade. We will begin with dinner Friday evening and conclude the conference about noon Saturday. But childcare will extend until 6:00p so you can spend time together. Watch for sign-up opportunities.



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:::

ANNIVERSARY: Rebecca McQuillen will celebrate ten years as the Staff Accountant at Northside on February 13 .

WELCOME: Dave Benefield started as Children's Minister this week. Let's give him a warm welcome. Come by the church office to meet him. You might want to call first.

UPWARD INTERN WANTED: We are accepting applicants for the 2016 Upward Soccer Intern. Must be 16 years old or older. Apply by contacting Mike Baker (578-1568); Marcie Kucera (648-3219) or Kristina Udd (676-3640) between Feb 7 and Feb 21.

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: Returns Sunday, February 7. Send your children kinder - 5th grade to the foyer after the music portion of the worship service. They will go to Bldg B for their own brand of worship. Pick them up there after the service.

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.

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.

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

GIVING: There are a number of ways you can get your gift to Northside. The tried and true method of cash or checks on Sunday morning, mail your checks, online giving through My Northside. If you have fees to pay, we also take credit cards.

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.

SYMPATHY TO AND PRAYERS FOR: Kenda Matson on the death of her father, Gage Majefski on the death of his grandmother, and to Betty Trotter on the death of her sister. 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 24

Budget Receipts:	17,361.02
Designated & Other:	521.00
Total Weekly Receipts:	17,882.02

Received January 31

Budget Receipts:	32,551.81
Designated & Other:	11,073.78
Total Weekly Receipts:	43,625.59

Year-to-Date Need:	469,140.00
Year-to-Date Received:	418,736.68

Continuing His Vision

Received to date:	1,843,975.02
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BIBLE STUDY

January 24	475
January 31	468

WORSHIP

January 24	622
January 31	538

THE PASTOR'S BLOG

You're being watched, And you don't even know it. Think about it.

Our government is watching the other countries. Those countries are watching us and everyone else.

With this being an election year everyone, especially the media, is watching each candidate, waiting to see what their next move will be....[read more at nbcvictoria.org/blog](http://nbcvictoria.org/blog)



ONLINE
GIVING

now available

IN
FOCUS

UPWARD soccer

Evaluations: February 7, 14, 21
from 3:00 - 4:00pm Upward Fields
Kindergarten - 6th Grade

Coaches, Refs, other volunteers needed

— journey ▲ together —

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

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