

The GoldSheet

July 27, 2025

Welcome, Guests!... We are glad you are here! If you are a first-time visitor at Northlake, we invite you to drop by the Welcome Desk on your way out to pick up a free gift.

Connection Cards... We ask that everyone in attendance fill out a Connection Card (inserted into your bulletin). Please turn it in to the offering plate as it is passed.

Preschool/Children's Worker Training... All preschool and children's Sunday School teachers and extended session volunteers are asked to attend a training meeting today at 4 pm in the Seminar Room.

Fellowship to Honor Jake Howard... Next Sunday (Aug 3) is Jake's last Sunday with us. Please join us for a cookie fellowship in the Gathering Place after the service next week to say thank you and wish Jake well in his last year at DBU! If you'd like to bring a card, we will have a collection basket for them.

Back to School Family Fellowship... All children, youth, and families are invited to join us for a fun evening of pizza and games on Sun, Aug 3 at 5 pm in the Multi-Purpose Center. Please RSVP on Realm if you plan to come.

No Pickleball This Week... The Boy Scouts will be using the MPC this week.

Promotion Sunday & Blessing the Backpacks... On Sun, Aug 10, our children and youth will promote to their next Sunday School classes. We encourage all school-aged kids to bring their backpacks to church that morning so we can have a special prayer over them for the upcoming school year.

Brown Bag Lunch & Movie... Come visit with old friends and make new ones! Join us on Wed, Aug 13 at 11 am in Room E-115 to watch *Before the Wrath*. Bring your lunch!

Pastor Brian's Start Date... Pastor Brian has elected to postpone his start date until August 24 to help get his family situated and his kids in school before his first Sunday at Northlake. Bro. Bob will continue as interim pastor through August 17.

ESL Registration... If you know of anyone who could use ESL classes, please let them know that evaluations will be Aug 13, 20 & 27 at 7 pm. Students only need to come one time to be evaluated. Classes begin on Wed, Sept 3.

SKA Registration... Registration for our Sonshine Kids Academy Parent's Day Out program is open for 6 months—Pre-k kids. Contact Kelly for more info.

Wednesday Night Schedule... There will be no regular Wednesday night activities on July 30 or August 6. We will resume our regular schedule on August 13.

Wi-Fi Password... Our Wi-Fi network is Northlake. Join using password TellHisStory.

Weekly GoldSheets... are available at nbcgarland.org or on Realm.

HOPE BECAUSE OF THE SECOND COMING

1 Thessalonians 4:13 – 5:11

Jesus is coming again! Paul states "The Lord himself will come down from heaven" (4:16). Paul does not tell us when Jesus will come; however, he answers some important questions about the Second Coming of Jesus.

1. What about Christians who have already died? (v. 13-15)

- When a believer in Christ dies, they are immediately with the _____. (2 Corinthians 5:8, Luke 23:46, 1 Thess. 5:10)
- When Jesus returns, believers who have already died will come with Jesus. (4:14b)
- Do not "grieve like the rest of men, who have no hope." (4:13, 18)

2. What is going to happen? Paul outlines four major events:

- The R _____. (v.16a)
- The R _____. (v. 16b)
- The R _____. (v. 17a)
- The R _____. (v. 17b)

3. Are You Prepared for the Second Coming? (5:1-11, Matt 4:36)

- There is no _____. "Like a thief in the night" (5:2)
- There is no _____. "As labor pains on a pregnant woman" (5:3)
- "Let us be alert and self-controlled" (5:5-11)

Report for 7/20/25

Bible Study Attendance—121

Budget Giving 7/20/25	\$12,198.00
Weekly Budget Need	\$14,188.00
Year-to-Date Budget Giving	\$190,866.10
YTD Budget Need	\$227,008.00
Finish the Work Giving 7/20/25	\$169.00
Balance Due on Loan	\$401,123.61
Nehemiah Phase 2 Balance to Date	\$157,506.74

Thank you for your continued faithful giving!