

August 2025 Newsletter



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Welcome, Pastor Brian and the Mull Family!

We are please to welcome Brian, Melanie, Hudson, Addison, Emmerson, Kennason & Jackson to the Northlake family. Pastor Brian's first Sunday will be August 24.

Thank you, Jake!

Sun, August 3, 12 pm, Gathering Place

Please join us for a cookie fellowship 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.

Honoring Bro. Bob & Ellen

Sun, August 17, 12 pm, Fellowship Hall

Please join us for a reception to honor Bro. Bob and Ellen and thank them for their service at Northlake over the last 11 months. There will be a collection basket for cards if you'd like to give one.

Promotion Sunday & Backpack Blessings

Sun, August 10

Children and youth will move up to their next Sunday School classes. All school-aged children are encouraged to bring their backpacks to church.

We will have a special time of prayer over the backpacks to lift up the upcoming school year.

Hymn Sing & Finger Food Fellowship

Sun, August 31, 5:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

Join us for an old-fashioned hymn sing led by David & Sheryl. Bring a finger food item to share.

Back-to-School Family Fellowship

Sun, Aug 3, 5 pm, Multi-Purpose Center

All children, youth, and families are invited to join us for a fun evening of pizza and games.

Please RSVP on Realm if you plan to come.

Dear Church Family,

PASTOR BRIAN'S FIRST SUNDAY WILL BE AUGUST 24!

Please pray for Pastor Brian and his family as they are making the move to our area. Come on August 24 to welcome Brian, Melanie, Hudson, Addison, Emmerson, Kennason, and Jackson to Northlake! Please join me in committing to pray for Pastor Brian as he begins serving here.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO CINDY AND KELLY!

This month, Cindy Jones will be celebrating 16 years as Ministry Assistant, and Kelly Chronister will be celebrating 5 years as Sonshine Kids Academy Director. Join me in expressing our thanks for their faithful service for our Lord. They are a blessing to all of us in the Northlake church family.

BLESSINGS OF GIVING.

Thank you for your faithful support of the ministry of Northlake. Your giving is making a difference for the work of Christ. As we begin a new season in our church with a new pastor, our faithfulness in giving is very important. I have learned through the years that giving to the Lord's work is a joy and a blessing.

THANK YOU!

I will complete my service as your Interim Pastor on August 17. It has been a joy to serve here again. Ellen and I want to express what a blessing you have been to us during this time. It has been great to connect with friends we have known for many years and meet many new friends. We love you and praise the Lord for each of you! Thank you.

In Christ,
Bro. Bob and Ellen Dean

Recent Giving

June 29—\$10,730.70

July 6—\$14,443.97

July 13—\$10,881.96

July 20—\$12,198.00

July 27—\$10,256.30

Weekly Need: \$14,188.00

Recent Bible Study Attendance

June 29—139

July 6—131

July 13—129

July 20—121

July 27—122

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Calendar

Sun, Aug 3—Cindy Jones' 16th Anniversary

Reception to honor Jake Howard's (12:00 pm)

Back-to-School Family Fellowship (5:00 pm)

Wed, Aug 6—no Wednesday night activities

Thurs, Aug 7—Clothes Closet/Food Pantry (1:00 pm)

Sat, Aug 9—Nelda Tyler Memorial Service (10:00 am)

Sun, Aug 10—Home Grown Small Groups

Kelly Chronister's 5th Anniversary

Promotion Sunday/Backpack Blessing

Adult Directors' Meeting (9:00 am)

Wed, Aug 13—Deacons Meeting (6:00 pm)

Wednesday evening activities resume (7:00 pm)

Sun, Aug 17—Reception for Bro. Bob & Ellen (12:00 pm)

Wed, Aug 20—Finance Committee Meeting (6:00 pm)

Thurs, Aug 21—Clothes Closet/Food Pantry (1:00 pm)

Summer Ladies' End-of-Study Fellowship (6:00 pm)

Sun, Aug 24—Pastor Brian's First Sunday

Wed, Aug 27—Missions Committee Meeting (6:00 pm)

Sun, Aug 31—Church-Wide Hymn Sing & Fellowship (5:30 pm)

Home Grown

Sun, August 10

Home Grown groups are small groups who meet once monthly to watch an episode of *The Chosen*. If you are not already in a group but would like to join one, please contact the Church Office.

Monthly Meetings

Sun, 8/11—Adult Director's Meeting (9 am)

Wed, 8/13—Deacons Meeting (6 pm)

Wed, 8/20—Finance Committee (6 pm)

Wed, 8/27—Missions Committee (6 pm)

Lunch & Movie Day

Wed, Aug 13, 11 am, Room E-115

Come visit with old friends and make new ones! Join us to watch *Before the Wrath*.

Bring your own brown bag lunch!

Happy Anniversary!

This month, we celebrate Cindy Jones' 16th Anniversary as Ministry Assistant and Kelly Chronister's 5th Anniversary as Sonshine Kids Academy Director. Thank you, Cindy and Kelly, for all you do for Northlake!

Ladies' End-of-Study Fellowship

Thurs, Aug 21, 6 pm, Seminar Room

Ladies who participated in the in-class or independent study of *Not Alone* are invited to join us for an end-of-study wrap up.

Choir Kick-Off

Wed, Aug 13, 7 pm, Choir Room

Do you enjoy singing? Have you thought about joining the choir? Come join us for our kick-off night and find out more about Northlake's choir ministry.

Wednesday Night Bible Study

Wednesday nights at 7 pm resuming Aug 13

Join us on August 13 in the Fellowship Hall as Bro. Bob and Ellen share about their trip to The Holy Land.

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.

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.

***Finally, brothers,
whatever is true,
whatever is honorable,
whatever is just,
whatever is pure,
whatever is lovely,
whatever is
commendable,
if there is any excellence,
if there is anything
worthy of praise,
think about these
things.***

Philippians 4:8