Worship Time

Welcome & Announcements

Singing: Eric Wharton

469 - Faith is the Victory

905 - Yield Not to Temptation

Prayer

Singing

533 - I Am A Sheep

176 - Lamb of God

Scripture Reading

Philippians 4:10-13

Communion Time

Singing

985 - When Morning Comes

Lesson from God's Word

Kevin Moore: "Preparing for Temptation"

Song of Encouragement

507 - Does Jesus Care?

Closing Prayer

For the Record	June 7	<u>May</u> <u>Average</u>
Bible Class	N/A	N/A
AM Worship	65	10
PM Worship	N/A	N/A
Wednesday	N/A	N/A
Contribution	\$1765	\$2347

Northside Leadership

<u>Elders</u>	<u>Deacons</u>
Phil Bancale Chris Borland Nelson Moore Charlie Scott Eric Wharton	Randy Eubank Karl Helpert Joe Saucedo
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Chris Wheat	Chris Borland
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Children's Bible Time

Look for videos with Melanie, Robyn & Clara on our Facebook page!



Please share news and updates for the Bulletin via text, email, Facebook or phone by Friday each week.

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Ladies Bible Class

Topic: Esther Wednesday (postponed)





Northside church of Christ

2500 Parrish St, Waco, TX 76705

Building a community of Faith, Hope, and Love!

Sunday Morning Worship in the Auditorium - 10:30am

Worship and Scripture videos posted weekly @northsidewaco.org

June 14, 2020

The Poor in Spirit

The Bible says, "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven" (Matthew 5:3). The term "poor" is relative. Poverty in America is a major issue, but if you compare this to poverty in sub-Saharan Africa, you might find the disparity quite shocking. How does society view poverty? The government sees it as a problem to solve. Special organizations raise money for aid to poverty stricken countries. The point is, while the world looks at poverty as weakness, the Bible calls it strength.

Whether this passage means humility leads to true spiritual happiness or that depending on wealth and possessions will cause us to miss the greatest possession, this poverty certainly points to a deep need for God's guidance. Do you want to be blessed? Do you want to possess the kingdom of God? How can we be poor in spirit?

The process begins by realizing our dependence on God. Proverbs tells us what real trust in God looks like (**Proverbs 3:5-6**). Paul suggested that when we're weak, when we're going through pain and persecution, we are most clearly dependent on God, and His mighty power shines through our "poverty" (**2 Corinthians 12:9-10**). God wants to lift us up and make us better, but He can't do it till we recognize our need for Him (**James 4:6**). God is looking for an internal change and conviction that only He can truly mold us (**Psalm 51:17**). When we yield these things to Him, we're blessed with contentment and peace of mind and we can see the way to the kingdom of God more clearly (**John 3:5**). Please embrace your spiritual poverty and bask in the blessings of God's kingdom.

Thoughts from Chris Wheat

"Preparing for Temptation"

(Kevin Moore)

Lesson Notes:

Bible Trivia

Answer: Cain murdered his brother Abel (Genesis 4:8).

Question: What is the first Bible book named for a

woman?



News & Prayer Requests

Please continue to pray for **peace** in our nation and all over the world, that all will turn to Jesus.

A **friend** of Christina Burns passed away this week and we ask that you pray hard for this family.

John Sanchez's cousin, **Abel Torres**, passed away. He was on hospice with cancer. Please pray for John and his family in this difficult time.

Jennifer Caldwell, Micah Nehring O'neall's mom, is home, doing better, but still in need of prayer.

Please pray for **Mindy** who is in ICU with cancer in her brain. She's Tasiana's aunt (Michelle Saucedo's friend). Please also pray for Becky, Tasiana's mom.

Chris Wheat had an MRI Wednesday and will have results and follow-up with neurosurgeon June 22.

Please pray for our **church leadership** as they continue to navigate the health crisis with us.

Please continue to pray for **healthcare professionals** and decision makers worldwide.

Please pray for church family all over the world worshipping and connecting through technology.

Our Shut-ins

The Atrium of Bellmead — Ruby & Billy Evans, Arthur Mae Maloy, Steve Moore

Wesley Woods — Dolores Davis

Homebound — Larry Havard Sr, Shela Havard, Nancy Fletcher, Jackie Walker, Cotton Lindloff

June Birthdays

Sebastian Moore (18) Christina Burns (21) Elijah Eubank (26)

June Anniversaries

Eric & Michelle Wharton (23)

William & Sammi Jo Whisenhunt (27)

David & Kristen Rowin (30)

Upcoming Activities!

We're very excited to be able to worship here together at the church building again! **Remember**, no Bible classes or evening worship at this time.

We've made some organizational **adjustments** to our worship service so please be ready to adapt with us as patiently as possible. Thank you!

The service is **recorded** and posted on our <u>video</u> <u>sermons</u> page every week for those unable to attend worship here in person.

Please check Facebook, email & <u>northsidewaco.org</u> for **social distance guidelines**. Thank you for cooperating as we transition one step at a time.

Opportunity is still available to men who would like to record video lessons for the congregation. Please contact Chris Wheat for assistance!

Online Encouragement is still very helpful. Please check our website and Facebook page for videos, prayer needs, and study opportunities.

Encouragement cards, texts, and phone calls are a wonderful way to check in on your brothers and sisters at this time. Contact us for addresses.

Dates to Remember.

June 21	Father's Day
July 4	Independence Day
August 1	FAC reserved (Kenny Willis)
October 3	FAC reserved
December 12	Church Christmas Party
December 19	FAC reserved (Borland 10am – 4pm)
December 24	FAC reserved (Bancale 5-9pm)