



# Northway Community Church

April 30, 2023

*find your destiny in Christ*

## Pastor

Dr. Bill Blanchard

## Worship Leader

Mr. Thomas Matthews

## Ministers

Every Member

## Remember in Prayer

Betty Belcher, Mulligan Park, Tallahassee

Carolyn Bergquist, Carrollton Club

Dale Braswell

Evelyn Cantrell, Presbyterian Home, Quitman

Shirley Cantrell, Pruitt Health, Crestwood

Mayra Colon

Pamela Hendley

Cleo Kapilla, Pruitt Health, Lakehaven

Bonnie Segerstrom, Fellowship Home

### Out-of-town Senior Adults:

Sharon Morgan

Bob & Suzy Scheuring

## TODAY'S SCHEDULE

9:15 a.m. Bible Study/Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
Quarterly Church Conference

**FAMILY WORSHIP -**  
(Last Sunday of Month)

## APRIL 30, 2023

### Preschool

Lisa Eisenhower and Janelle Strathman

## CUSTODIAL MINISTRY

**April 30 - May 6, 2023**

Sue Long and Becky Parker

**May 7 - 13, 2023**

Mark and Jackie Heffelfinger

## Weekend Vacation Bible School

### STAFF TRAINING

Immediately following the morning Worship Service  
next Sunday, April 30th



Meet in front of  
Worship Center  
(30 minutes!)

## BUILDING FUND

**\$197,200**

# MESSAGE NOTES

MR. NOLEN COX  
GOD'S MINISTRY OF GOVERNMENT  
Romans 13: 1-6

## UPCOMING DATES

**April 30th**

**Quarterly Church Conference**

**May 5**

**Spring Fling**

**6 - 8 PM**

**(Pick up Fliers today  
to distribute to your friends)**

**May 14**

**Mother's Day**

**May 21**

**Graduation Recognition Sunday**

**May 28**

**Memorial Day Sunday**

**June 9-10**

**Vacation Bible School**

## Contact Information

**Church Location:**

3740 Inner Perimeter Rd. • Valdosta, Georgia 31602

**Church Website:**

[www.NorthwayCC.com](http://www.NorthwayCC.com)

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## FOUR REASONS FOR PRIVATE WORSHIP: #3 OF A SERIES

In order to make proper decisions, it's important to have relevant information. Moses, who spoke directly to God, received guidance and made decisions based upon what he heard during these private encounters with the Lord. By consistently seeking God's advice, Moses was able to make informed decisions about how to lead and live.

Decisions are a part of life for all of us. In order to make Godly decisions, it's important that we receive the necessary guidance from our Father. This helps us make decisions, not simply based upon our human knowledge and instincts, but in the wisdom that the Lord gives us for these decisions.

Seeking God's advice is the goal in this part of the series. When we seek direction only in a normal sense, we usually find that which we seek in a normal sense. But when we seek direction in a supernatural sense, we are often able to notice the very things that seem to be in the way removed. In Matthew 17:20[KJV] we read, "And Jesus said unto them, 'Because of your unbelief: for verily I say unto you, if ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall be removed; and nothing shall be impossible unto you.'"

With a life full of decision-making opportunities, it is important to have a life in an attitude of worship, seeking the Divine guidance of our Father.

God Bless you all,

Thomas Matthews, Worship Leader



**Volunteer to help with this fund-raising event.**

**See Marilu Cantrell (229) 834-0534**

**or Bryan Shover (229) 563-6079**

## Giving is an Act of Worship

Northway Community Church believes giving to your local church should be a planned and willful act of worship. Normally, we do not take up an offering as part of our worship services. Instead, we have an offering box located on the desk near the front door. Gifts to Northway (a non-profit corporation) qualify as tax deductible gifts. If you would like credit for your gift in your name and receive a contribution statement at year end, simply fill out and use our contribution envelopes as a means of depositing your gift into our offering box. Gifts to Northway are an act of worship between you and the Lord. As such, only a few from our accounting department know the giving records of our families. We do not want knowledge of contributions to impact or sway our staff's effectiveness in ministering to the body.

Michael Walker, Dame, Walker, Hardeman & Co., LLC,  
Certified Public Accountants