

POINTS OF  
THE SPEER

*Have you ever had periods in your life when it seemed that the sky was falling? You know the days that started out bad and then got worse. May I confide in you that you are not alone? Everyone on planet earth experiences days of difficulty. Our problems are often made worse, not so much by their existence, but by how we react to their existence. You probably know well the story of Chicken Little.*

*One day Chicken Little was minding her own business when she was struck in the head by a falling acorn. She immediately surmised that the sky was falling, meaning the end of the world and something must be done. She ran to tell the king meeting several others along the way. In each case, she related how the sky was falling and how that must be a sign of the end of the world. She was panicked, her friends were panicked and they ran together into the woods where they came upon a fox. Now, the fox saw through their story and used it to lure the birds to a dinner where they were the main course. At the conclusion for Chicken Little and her friends the world really did come to an end.*

*Believers cannot afford to live in fear like Chicken Little. We have a loving heavenly Father who loves and cares for us even when things seem to be going wrong. We must place our trust in Him knowing His promise that "His anger endures but a moment; in his favor is life: weeping may endure for a night, but Joy comes in the morning." Along with that is the promise that "all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose." While there may be days of difficulty, dear believer, there are no days beyond His love and care.*

*Seeking to trust no matter the sky's condition,*



**4 DYNAMIC  
SUNDAYS**



**REVIVAL &  
CELEBRATION**



**Christmas in**



**BE IN PRAYER AS WE  
GET AN EARLY START  
On July 29, 2018**

**You can pick up  
your boxes to be  
filled and returned  
by Sunday Nov. 4th.  
Sunday School Classes  
can set goals and store  
boxes in their classes**



Last week I watched something happen that reminded me why I do student ministry. Youth were leading children— encouraging them, smiling with them, showing them the love of Jesus. It was GREAT!

Kids Camp was a huge success in huge part to our youth group. We had as many youth as we did children there, and every one of them poured their hearts and souls into the week. Jesus' love was on display in a big way!

Often I am reminded to ask myself the question, "Do people see Jesus in me every day?" I encourage you to be on the lookout for ways you can show the love of Christ to others. You might just lead someone to Jesus without ever saying a word.

- Bro. Eric



# Music Ministry

The month of September is going to be a time of celebration of the past, present and future of Northside. During September, we will be celebrating having a debt-free Vision Center. There will be two Sundays, September 16th and 23rd, where the choir will be featured for the services. This is an invitation to all past choir members to come back and sing with us. We will rehearsing the songs for these services starting in August. We would love to have you back and join us in a time of celebrating what God has done! If you're thinking about joining the choir, this is a wonderful opportunity to have new voices join us!

Jake

## Music for Sunday, July 29th

AM: Happy Day

Never Once

PM: O God, Our Help in Ages Past

# Thank You

Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers, cards, prayers and food you provided in the loss of Sally. She was an out of town visitor member. If she was in Columbus on a Sunday, she was at Northside. She enjoyed our church and the friends she made here. We appreciate your love and support.

Love in Christ,  
Wayne Smith, Steve Smith,  
Bill Smith and Families

# Ministry Reminder

## AM NURSERY

Bethany Collins  
Adam Hall  
Bethany Gaddis

Stephanie Speer  
Elyse Hall

## PM NURSERY

Jo Cooper  
Shara Smith

## CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

Ken Jones

Tammie Jones

Amy Williams

## USHERS

Harold Johnson

Carroll Smith

Ron Hethcox

Neal Shierling

Jimmie Yarbrough

Jim Jackson

Larry Jones

Don Seegar

SECURITY: Don Johnston

Zach Wood

LOCK-UP: Mike Flowers

Bill Snellings

TELLERS: Mike Whaley

Neal Shierling

CLERK: Mallory Vergara

DEACON of the Wk: Joey Mirabella

## WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

### SUNDAY

9:15 AM Sunday School  
10:30 AM Morning Worship  
4:45 PM Choir Practice  
6:00 PM Evening Worship

### WEDNESDAY

7:00 PM Kids Play n Praise  
7:00 PM Prayer & Worship  
7:00 PM Student Worship  
8:00 PM Choir Practice