



NORTHEAST

Message Notes

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The Vision — Part 1
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Jeremiah 29:11 “For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

_____ Statement – “Northeast is a church where lives are forever changed by the power of God through Jesus Christ, Christians are brought to spiritual maturity through relevant discipleship and impacting our community and the world through missions and evangelism.”

_____ Statement – “Tell the story of how Christ impacted our lives, and let God do the rest.”

1. _____ from your _____

Deuteronomy 4:9 NAS “Only give heed to yourself and keep your soul diligently, so that you do not forget the things which your eyes have seen and they do not depart from your heart all the days of your life; but make them known to your sons and your grandsons.”

Isaiah 43:19 “See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.”

The thing about remembering our past is not _____ God moved – it is more important to ask, remember, and focus on what happened _____ God moved.

2. _____ in the _____

Ephesians 3:16-19 “I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, ¹⁷ so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, ¹⁸ may have power, together with all the Lord’s holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, ¹⁹ and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

Mark 5:18-20 “As Jesus was getting into the boat, the man who had been demon-possessed begged to go with him. ¹⁹ Jesus did not let him, but said, “Go home to your own people and tell them how much the Lord has done for you, and how he has had mercy on you.” ²⁰ So the man went away and began to tell in the Decapolis how much Jesus had done for him. And all the people were amazed.”

3. _____ for the _____

Philippians 3:12-14 “Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already arrived at my goal, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. ¹³ Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, ¹⁴ I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.”

4. Grab a _____ and get to _____

Proverbs 16:9 ESV “The heart of man plans his way, but the Lord establishes his steps.”

Proverbs 19:21 ESV “Many are the plans in the mind of a man, but it is the purpose of the Lord that will stand.”

Colossians 3:23a ESV “Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men.”

DNA – _____, _____, _____

_____ life. _____ plan. _____ future. Jeremiah 29:11