## The GoldSheet August 18, 2024

**Welcome, Guests!...** We are glad you are here! If you are a first-time visitor at Northlake, we invite you to drop by the Welcome Desk on your way out to turn in your Connection Card and pick up a free gift.

**Connection Cards...** We ask that everyone in attendance fill out a Connection Card (inserted into your bulletin). After the service, ushers will collect cards at the exit doors.

**Prayer Emphasis...** Please join us in earnestly praying for God's leadership as we explore next steps for our congregation. A guide for this week is provided below.

**All-Church Breakfast...** Please make plans to join us on Sun, Aug 25 at 9:30 am in the Multi-Purpose Center for an all-church potluck breakfast. Bring a breakfast food or drink item to share.

**Sunday School Leadership Training...** All Sunday School teachers & directors (adult, youth, children, preschool) are encouraged to attend this training session in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service today.

**Weaver Volunteers...** Can you spare an hour a week to volunteer at Weaver Elementary School? They need volunteers for many tasks, but particularly reading with kids. If you are interested and would like more info, please sign up on your Connection Card or contact the church office.

Movie Night at the Plaza... Make plans to join us on Sat, Sept 7 at 6:00 pm at the Plaza Theater in Downtown Garland (521 W State St) for a night of free family fun. We will watch *The Hill* (starring Dennis Quaid), and free drinks & popcorn will be provided. We strongly encourage you to invite your friends. Stop by the Missions Table to pick up "tickets" to give out as invitations.

Wi-Fi Password... Our Wi-Fi network is Northlake. Join using password TellHisStory.

Weekly GoldSheets... are available at nbcgarland.org or on Realm.

## Prayer Guide—Week of August 18

Inward focus: Pray for our current staff and coming interim pastor. Pray also that God will raise up additional leaders committed to following God's direction.

Outward focus: Pray for an awareness of the needs around us and for a desire to meet those needs in Jesus' name. Pray that God will help us see tangible ways to minister to the needs in our community.

## Upcoming Guest Preachers

Aug 18—Ryan Jespersen Aug 25—Pat Brown Sept 1—Pat Cummins Sept 8—Ryan Jespersen Sept 15—Bob Dean

## Activities for the Week:

9:00 am 9:30 am 10:45 am 12:00 pm	Sunday, August 18 Prayer Time (Anyone welcome!) (Prayer Room) Sunday School Worship Service (Worship Center) SS Leadership Training (Fellowship Hall)
9:00 am 6:00 pm	Tuesday, August 20 Sonshine Kids Academy (Preschool Suite) Pickleball (Multi-Purpose Center)
9:00 am 6:00 pm	Wednesday, August 21 Sonshine Kids Academy (Preschool Suite) Bible Recap Discussion Group (Prayer Room) Finance Committee Meeting (Conference Room)
7:00 pm	Adult Bible Study (Seminar Room) Adult Choir (Choir Room) ESL Evaluations (meet in Gathering Hall) Marathon (Grades 6-12) (Youth Center)
8:00 pm	Childcare (5th grade and younger) (Meet in the Gathering Hall) Praise Band Rehearsal (Worship Center)
9:00 am	<u>Thursday, August 22</u> Sonshine Kids Academy (Preschool Suite)

Report for 8/11/24	
Bible Study Attendance—105	
Budget Giving 8/11/24	\$9,290.71
Weekly Budget Need	\$14,992.00

Year-to-Date Budget Giving \$231,675.69
YTD Budget Need \$284,848.00
Finish the Work Giving 8/11/24 \$140.00
Balance Due on Loan \$474,355.97
Project Nehemiah Phase 2 Balance to Date \$121,693.84

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Thank you for your continued faithful giving!