

CHURCH LIFE

SEPT-DEC 2019



REAL HOPE

13 I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you completely with joy and peace because you trust in him. Then you will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit.

Romans 15:13



NEW LIFE

10 The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.

John 10:10

LASTING PURPOSE

9 But you are not like that, for you are a chosen people. You are royal priests, a holy nation, God's very own possession. As a result, you can show others the goodness of God, for he called you out of the darkness into his wonderful light.

1 Peter 2:9





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WELCOME: PASTOR MICHAEL VOLL



Humans were made to push boundaries and reach for new heights. Since the beginning of time people have tried their best to reach for the stars. In fact, in the book of Genesis a bunch of people got together to build a tower to heaven, and they almost succeeded (Genesis 11)! Since then people have pushed the limits through the atmosphere into space-the moon, and likely Mars in the next hundred years.

Often our desire for more is an attempt to make a name for ourselves. We want to achieve fame, notoriety and explore the limits of our strength and ingenuity. However, God has so much more than that in store for us. He not only wants us to explore the far reaches of the universe, He wants us to have relationship with HIM - the Creator of the universe and everything in it.

Our ultimate purpose is to glorify God, not ourselves. We make HIS name big, and when we do, we become all we can be.

This fall, we want people to know that THERE IS MORE. There is more that God wants to teach us, there is more that God wants to show us. There is more that God wants to do through us. THERE IS MORE!

Don't settle for selfish and small dreams. Be satisfied in Jesus. He offers Real Hope, New Life, and Lasting Purpose.

There Is More for you! So this fall, get involved in a group, volunteer your time, and give towards something bigger than you could ever do on your own.

You'll be glad you did!





SEPTEMBER

PLAY SCHOOL

Begins September 9
Visit: np.church/playschool

PRIMETIMERS LUNCH

September 10 at 10:30am
Visit: np.church/primetimers

HOMEBUILDERS

Begins September 10
Visit: np.church/support

MEN OF THE ROCK

Begins September 11
Visit: np.church/men

YOUNG ADULTS LAUNCH

September 12 at 7pm
Visit: np.church/ya

MEN'S BREAKFAST

September 14 at 8am
Cost: \$15
Visit: np.church/men

BUILDING BRIDGES CLASS

Begins September 16
Visit: np.church/buildingbridges

SINGLES COFFEE CONNECT

September 17 at 7pm
Visit: np.church/singles

ANTHEM PRESCHOOL CONNECT

September 17 at 9:30Am
Visit: np.church/kids

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Begins September 18
Visit: np.church/women

ESL BRIDGES CLASS

Begins September 22
Bridges Class at 11am
Conversation Cafe at 12:30pm
Visit: np.church/esl

FATHER/SON BIBLE STUDY

Begins September 22
Cost: \$20
Visit: np.church/men

THE ALPHA COURSE

Begins September 24 at 7pm
Visit: np.church/alpha

DISCIPLESHIP EXPLORED

Begins September 26 at 7pm
Visit: np.church/discipleshipexplored

SINGLES NETWORK CORN MAZE

September 28 at 12pm
Cost: Corn Maze Admission
Visit: np.church/singles

For more, please visit www.np.church.

YOU

WOMEN'S EVENT
SEPT 30 | 7PM
COST: \$15
NP.CHURCH/WOMEN



WITH SPECIAL GUEST
HOLLIE TAYLOR OF
SHINE FM

YOU ARE NOT ALONE.

SINGLE AND PARENTING

Date: Sept. 9 (13 weeks)
Time: 6:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Meeting Room 4
Cost: \$20

DIVORCE CARE

Date: Sept. 11
Time: 7:00pm - 9:00pm
Location: Meeting Room 3
Cost: \$25

CO-DEPENDENCY SUPPORT

Date: Thursdays (52 weeks)
Time: 7:30pm - 8:30pm
Location: Meeting Room 3
Cost: No Cost

Childcare is available. For more information, please visit www.np.church/support



GRIEF SHARE

Date: Sept. 5
Time: 7:00pm - 9:00pm
Location: Meeting Room 4
Cost: \$25

C.A.R.E

Date: Wednesdays (52 weeks)
Time: 7:00pm
Location: Meeting Room 1-2
Cost: No Cost

HOMEBUILDERS

Date: Sept. 17 (11 weeks)
Time: 7:00pm - 8:00pm
Location: South Campus
Cost: No Cost

Childcare is available. For more information, please visit www.np.church/support

NURSERY/PRESCHOOL/GRADE 1-5

Each Sunday morning at 9:30am, 11am, and 12:30pm, we offer amazing kid's programming that your children are sure to love! Our dedicated team of volunteers create a caring environment for children to experience the love of Jesus. Through fun and interactive bible teaching, kids discover how to grow in their faith.

ANTHEM PRE-SCHOOL CONNECT

A come-and-go, relaxed atmosphere where kids get to play and their grown ups get to connect.

Begins September 17, 2019.
Please visit np.church/kids for more.

CHRISTMAS FAMILY GALA

Each year, our talented kids come together to share the true meaning of Christmas through an energetic musical.

This year we will join the epic adventure of Isaiah Jones as he braves the obstacles in his search for a lost treasure.

Invite your friends and family, young and old, to experience the wonder of Christmas.

Date: December 7th at 6pm
For rehearsal schedule or to get involved,
visit np.church/kids

ANTHEM JR. YOUTH

Anthem JR Youth is our Sunday Morning Grade 6-8 Program that provides an opportunity for discipleship through Bible teaching and conversations. It is designed to be engaging, fun-filled and encourage kids in developing their faith!

Serving Sundays (opportunity to serve in Anthem Kids) occur twice during this coming semester.

Grade 6-8: September 29 and December 29

ANTHEM 5/6

Anthem 5/6 is a place where Grade 5 and 6 students can come to build a relationship with Jesus and friendships with each other. Our amazing group of leaders is dedicated to making the transition into Jr. High a healthy one by giving them the opportunity to build a strong foundation in Christ. Come for service nights, small groups and fun events!

Grades 5-6: Wednesdays 6:30pm-8:00pm

RALLY 5/6

Join us with several other 5/6 groups from other churches in the Edmonton area for an evening of worship, a powerful message, food, games, and hangs! This is a highlight for so many of our students.

Parents, if you have questions, please email Pastor John at john@np.church.

Grades 5-6: November 29
Bus leaves North Pointe at 6pm

ANTHEM YOUTH

Anthem Youth is a place to build friendships, have fun, hang out and discover who Jesus really is!

Come and Experience:

- Big events, parties, talent shows & more
- Worship & Service Nights
- Huge Games & Hangout Time

Senior Highs and Junior Highs are split for small group nights, some events, and services on Friday nights! They are combined for Anthem Services and larger Events!

Grade 7-12: Fridays 7pm-9:30pm

DROP-IN

Anthem Drop-In is a local community space for students to come hang out. It consists of a wide variety of activities and a free meal. Here are the Sept.-Dec. Drop-In dates:

Grade 7- 12: Fridays 4pm-7pm

Grades 5-6: Wednesdays 4pm-6:30pm

Check out np.church/youth for more info and to see our calendar!

ANTHEM REAL TALK

Real Talk is a 6-week discipleship program for grades 9-12 that focuses on asking tough questions, finding real answers, and growing together as a family.

Grade 9-12: Sundays 12:30-1:30pm.

Check out np.church/youth for more info and to see our calendar!



YOUTH EVENTS



WKND YOUTH RETREAT

Don't miss out on this epic WKND! This year we'll be heading to Birch Bay Ranch for 3 unforgettable days.

During the WKND, we'll have awesome events, worship services, and lots of time to get to know each other. Register today!

Grades 7-12: October 4-6
Early Bird Cost: \$60
Visit np.church/youth

780 YOUTH RALLY

Join Anthem, along with other youth groups from all around the Edmonton area for a night of worship, a powerful message, food, and really good hangs!

Don't miss out on what God is doing in our city.

Grades 7-12: November 22nd
6pm- 10pm

OCTOBER

ANTHEM YOUTH RETREAT

October 4-6

Don't miss out on this life-changing weekend!

Visit: np.church/comingup

PRIMETIMERS LUNCH

October 8 at 10:30am

Join our 60+ community for lunch and guest speaker, Jamie Blahun. We hope to see you there.

Visit: np.church/primetimers

ADVANCE POLLING

October 11-14 at 9am

We believe in voting. If you are taking part in advance polling, feel free to visit. Please note that this is offered for four days.

SINGLES COFFEE CONNECT

October 15 at 7pm

A great chance to connect with other singles in a welcoming, informal setting.

Visit: np.church/singles

SINGLES APPY AND GAME NIGHT

October 19 at 4pm

A great chance to connect with other singles in a welcoming, informal setting.

Come ready to eat and have a blast!

Visit: np.church/singles

BAPTISM SERVICE

October 20 at 9:30am, 11am, and 12:30PM.

VISION MEETING (ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING)

October 27 at 6pm

Join us for our vision meeting as we set the pace for the future of North Pointe.

Partnership (membership) is required to vote, but all are welcome and encouraged to attend. To inquire about Partnership, please visit np.church/nextsteps


South Auditorium.

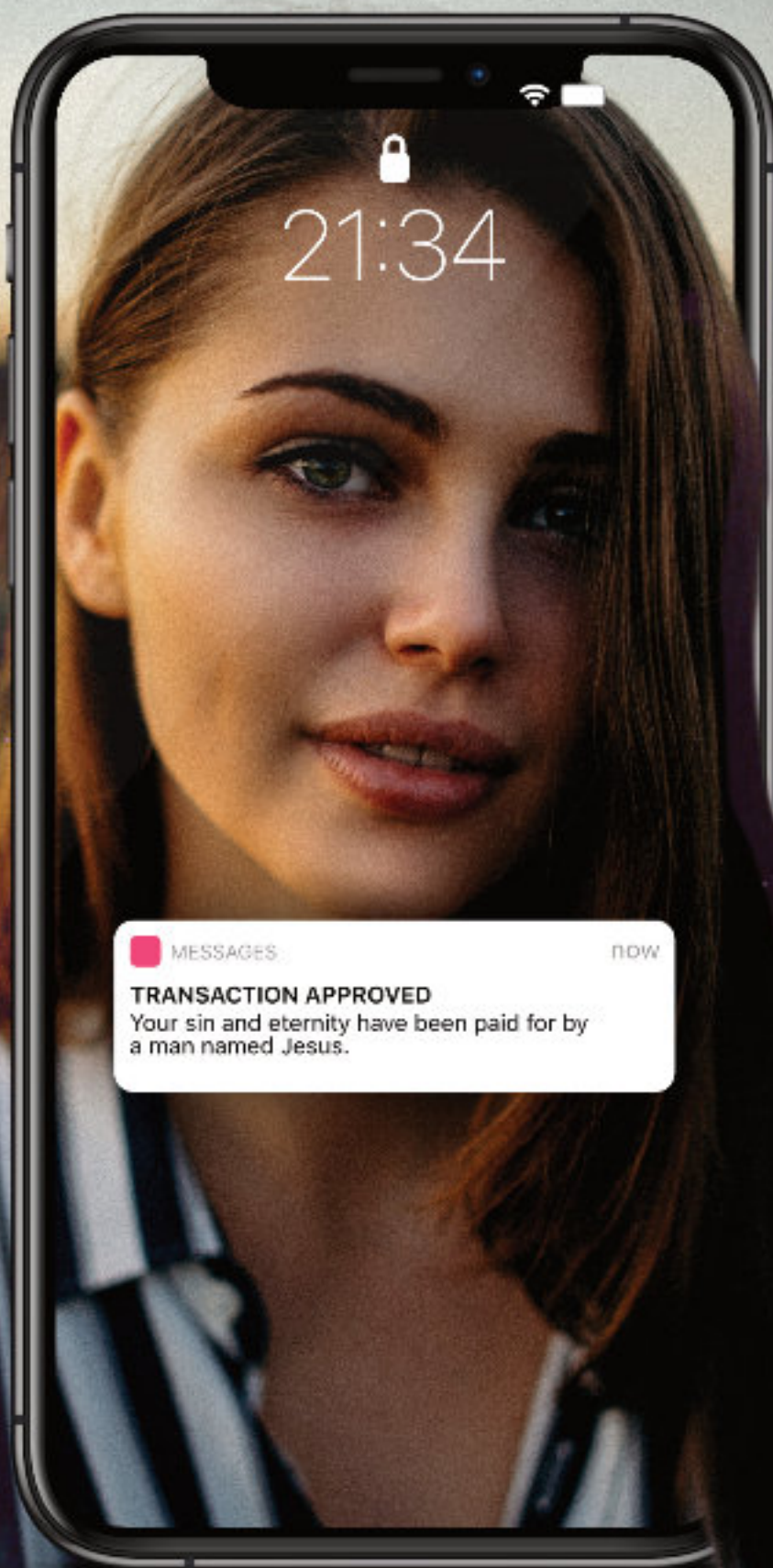
POLLING STATION

October 21 at 6:30am

We believe in voting. If you live near North Pointe, this may be your designated voting station.

come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. 29 Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.





MESSAGES

NOW

TRANSACTION APPROVED

Your sin and eternity have been paid for by
a man named Jesus.

ANTHEM YOUNG ADULTS

Anthem Y/A is a place for those between the ages of 17-30 to grow in community and in their walk with Jesus.

If you're looking to belong, find friends, and discover your faith on a whole new level, this is the place for you.

Ages 17-30: Thursdays at 7pm

MASTERCLASS

MasterClass is our leadership development class for our young adults. In this class, you will learn how to be a leader in every area of your life. Not to mention, this is a great opportunity to get plugged into the community here at Anthem.

7 consecutive weeks.

Ages 17-30: Mondays at 5:30pm (Starts Sept. 23)
Cost: \$30

CITYREACH

CityReach is our initiative to show God's love to our city in the most real way possible.

Several times each semester, we head out into our city with clothes, blankets, hot food, drinks, and partner with local organizations to help the homeless of our city. Truly rewarding.

Ages 17-30: November 21



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adult
gathering**

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**www.
better
weekend
.ca**

MEN

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Guest: Brent Kassian

Date: September 14

Time: 8:30am

Location: South Auditorium

Cost: \$10

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

"Unfolded"

Date: September 16/19

(Two Groups | Mon. & Thurs.)

Time: 7pm

Location: North Pointe

Cost: \$20

FATHER/SON BIBLE STUDY

"The Making of a Man"

Date: September 22

(6 weeks)

Time: 2pm

Location: North Pointe

Cost: \$20

np.church/men

WOMEN

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Morning and Evening

Date: Sept. 18 (8 weeks)
Time: 9:30am and 7pm
Location: North Auditorium
Cost: \$20

"YOU" EVENT

Guest: Hollie Taylor

Date: Sept. 30
Time: 7pm
Location: North Pointe
Cost: \$15

CHRISTMAS EVENT

Date: December 2
Time: 7pm
Location: North Pointe
Cost: \$15

np.church/women

NOVEMBER

BETTER WEEKEND

November 1-2

A Young Adult gathering. Better you, better us, better city.

Cost: \$40
Visit: betterweekend.ca

Singles "Take out and Talk"

November 5 at 7pm

Visit: np.church/singles

ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

November 7-10 at 7pm

An extended time of worship, prayer, and experiencing God. Don't miss this!

Visit: np.church/encounter

PRIMETIMERS LUNCH

November 12 at 10:30am

Join our 60+ community for lunch and guest speaker, Kendall Gilker. We hope to see you there.

Visit: np.church/primetimers

NORTH POINTE TRADE SHOW

November 16 at 8am

A trade show raising funds for our women's ministry.

Cost: Varies
Visit: np.church/women

BAPTISM SUNDAY: NOVEMBER 17

GRIEF SHARE | SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

November 23 at 10am

The Christmas season can be tough when you are dealing with grief. We want to help you through it.

Cost: \$25 (food included)
Visit: np.church/support

HomeBuilders Wrap-Up Banquet

November 26 at 6:30pm

This is our final event of 2019! If you are registered in the HomeBuilders program, we'll see you there!

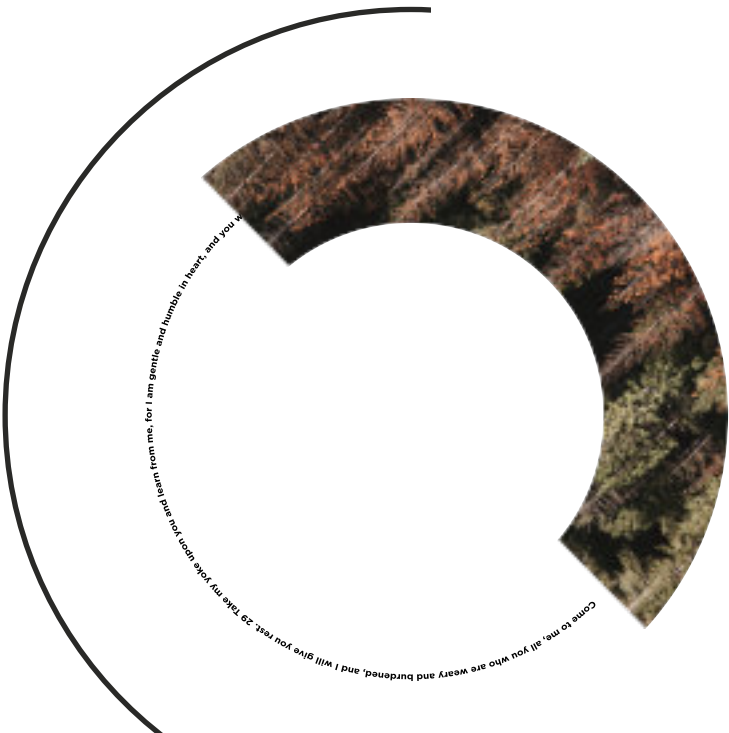
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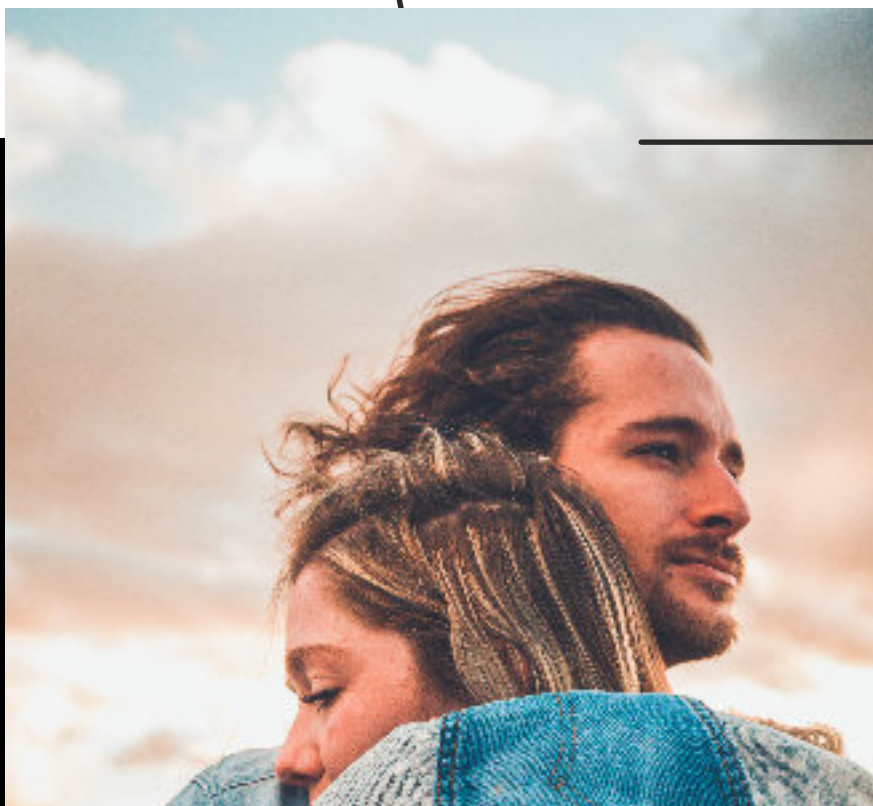
SINGLES CHRISTMAS SWEATER PARTY

November 30 at 5:30pm

Join us as we celebrate in a fun way! With your purchase of a ticket, potluck is included.

Visit: np.church/singles





GRIEF SHARE®
SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

November 23 at 10am
www.np.church/support





HOMEBUILDERS

Divorce, Separation, and Bereavement Support for Children

From September 17 to November 26, HomeBuilders will be available at North Pointe. Children will attend age-appropriate classes, and there is a class offered for adults as well.

This group helps children make sense of what is happening in their home as a result of divorce, separation, or death in the family. It is important for children to process emotional pain well.

For the parents, this is a valuable group in that it teaches how to respond supportively to the child who has been affected. It can also help with processing the situation on your own. If you have any questions, please email tori@np.church.

South Campus

np.church/support



BUILDING BRIDGES

Building Bridges: Loving Our Muslim Neighbours

Beginning Monday September 16th at 7pm, join us for six 90-minute interactive classes exploring such topics as:

- The historical beginnings of Islam
- What do Muslim's believe
- Is Islam a peaceful belief system?
- Do Christians & Muslims worship the same God?
- What are steps I can take to serve and care for my Muslim neighbours?

We believe God cares for all people and are excited about developing greater understanding of how we can care for, and serve new comers in our neighbourhoods. These sessions are presented by: Neighbours and Newcomers Network Edmonton, a PAOC ministry to Muslim newcomers.

Meeting Room 5

np.church/buildingbridges

NEXT STEPS

GROWTH TRACK

New to North Pointe? We'd love for you to join Growth Track! This is a 3-step program that is sure to get you plugged in to the life of North Pointe, and help you become closer to Jesus.

For more information and the Growth Track schedule, visit np.church/gt

Please email mike@np.church

**np.church/
nextsteps**

BAPTISM

You've decided to follow Jesus, so the next step is getting baptized in water!

At North Pointe we baptize believers. It doesn't matter how old or young you are. As long as you are a follower of Jesus, you are ready to be baptized.

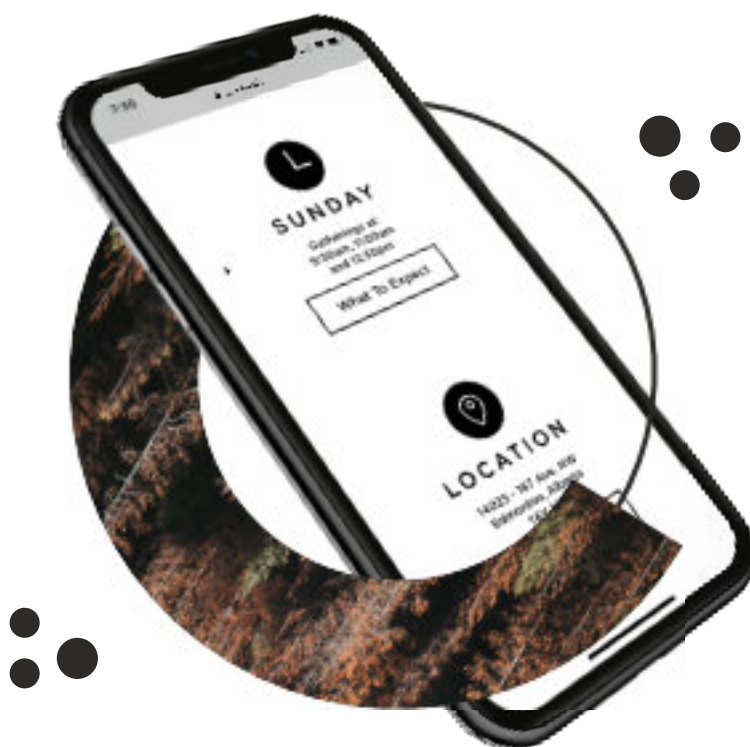
Going under the water is identifying with Jesus' death. In coming up out of the water you are saying, "I believe Jesus was raised from the dead. In following Jesus I have new life. I have a new beginning. Old things are passed away."

Being baptized is a way of declaring, "I have decided to follow Jesus - no turning back." In fact, we'll give you a t-shirt to wear that says just that.

Dates: October 20 and November 17

CONNECT WITH US

And learn more about what happens at
North Pointe each week



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call 780-452-5566 | text 587-805-0543



DROP-IN SPORTS

MEN OF THE ROCK

See page 30

BASKETBALL

Sundays at 2:30pm

VOLLEYBALL

Tuesdays at 7:30pm

HOCKEY

Thursdays at 8pm

np.church/sports

MARRIEDS

THE MARRIAGE COURSE

The Aim of The Marriage Course is to help couples grow closer and build a healthy relationship that will last a lifetime. The course consists of seven sessions in a nurturing and inviting atmosphere. There is no group work and you will never be asked to share anything about your relationship with anyone other than your partner.

Wednesdays 7-9pm
September 18-October 30

np.church/buildingbridges

DECEMBER

WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS EVENT

December 2 at 7pm

Ladies, join us in our Christmas celebration! We can't wait to see you there.

Visit: np.church/women

SINGLES "TAKE OUT AND TALK"

December 3 at 7pm

Grab some takeout and meet at the South coffee bar for this come-and-go event!

Visit: np.church/singles

ANTHEM FAMILY CHRISTMAS GALA

December 7 at 6pm

Enjoy a Christmas Gala with a musical performance from our Anthem Kids Choir!

Visit: np.church/christmas

PRIMETIMERS LUNCH

December 10 at 10:30am

Join our 60+ community for lunch and guest speaker, Eric Derksen. We hope to see you there.

Visit: np.church/primetimers

ANTHEM 5/6 CHRISTMAS

December 11

YOUTH CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 13 at 7pm

Don't miss out on our annual Christmas party!

Visit: np.church/christmas

SINGLES "CANDY CANE LANE"

December 14 at 6pm

Visit: np.church/singles

SINGLES COFFEE CONNECT

December 17 at 6pm

One last coffee connect before the new year! We hope to see you there.

Visit: np.church/singles

PRE-SCHOOL CONNECT CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 17

YOUNG ADULT CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 18 at 7pm

Ages 17-30, get ready for a Christmas party like never before! Come dressed in your worst possible sweater.

Visit: np.church/christmas



A R R I V A L

C H R I S T M A S 2 0 1 9

DECEMBER 24 | 12PM, 2PM, 4PM, 6PM



PRAISE & PRAYER

PRAISE

Encounter Nights
Date: First Sunday of Every Month
Time: 6:00pm
Location: North Auditorium

PRAYER

Monday Prayer
Date: Every Monday (not long weekends)
Time: 6:30pm
Location: North Auditorium



WEEKLY

MEN OF THE ROCK

MOTR is a men's faith, fitness and fellowship group where we pray, sweat and hang out. We strive to glorify God through our health.

Date: Wed. (52 weeks)
Time: 6:45pm

Date: Sat. (52 weeks)
Time: 7:00am

For more, please email
reuben@np.church

SUPPORT GROUPS

Please see pages 7-8 for each available program.

ANTHEM STUDENT MIN.

Kids: Page 9
Youth: Pages 11-12
Young Adults: Page 15

Pre-school: faith@np.church
Elementary: john@np.church
Youth: hope@np.church
Young Adults: joey@np.church

GROWTH TRACK

Please see page 23 for more information.

PRE-SCHOOL CONNECT

Tuesdays
np.church/kids

SPORTS: Page 25

SINGLES



SEPTEMBER:

17. Coffee Connect
7pm-9pm

28. Corn Maze
Time TBD.

OCTOBER:

1. Talk Out and Talk
7pm

15. Coffee Connect
7pm-9pm

19. Appy and Games Night
4pm (child care available)
Cost: \$5

NOVEMBER:

1. Take Out and Talk
7pm

19. Coffee Connect
7pm-9pm

30. Christmas Sweater Party
5:30pm (child care available)

CHURCH LIFE

SEPT-DEC 2019

**SUNDAYS:
9:30AM, 11:00AM, AND
12:30PM**

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