
I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the LORD – Psalm 122:1

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Visitors Welcomed!

Order of Services

Sunday

Bible Study 9:30 am

Worship Service 10:30 am & 5:00 pm

Wednesday

Bible Study 7:00 pm

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Evangelist: Guillermo Alvarez

And Pray For One Another – James 5:16

Please keep in your prayers those who are having physical troubles and those who are traveling. Also pray for the brethren that are shut-in:

Remember in your prayers:

*The Prayer Offered In Faith Will Restore
The One Who Is sick – James 5:15*



The
New
Northside Proclaimer

“What We Have... Heard We Proclaim To You...”

1 John 1:3

Welcome to the Northside Church of Christ

Immortality

Mike Johnson

“Death is not a period but a comma in the story of life.”

A comma is used in a sentence to indicate a pause. A period is end punctuation. It is used to show the end of a sentence. With this idea in mind, the above quotation says a great deal. It speaks of the immortality of the soul.

There is more to man’s existence than life on earth. Man has an immortal soul. We do not live forever in our body as life on earth does end. However, the soul endures forever.

Ecclesiastes 12:7 describes death. It says, “*Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was: and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it.*” This passage shows a distinction between the body and the soul. It also shows the existence of the soul after death.

It is not just the souls of the righteous that are eternal. Everyone has an eternal soul. This is good for the righteous because they will dwell eternally in heaven. However, it will be dreadful for the wicked as they will dwell an eternity in hell. Notice what Jesus said in Matthew 25:46 when he spoke of the fates of the wicked and righteous. He said, “*and these shall go away into everlasting punishment: but the righteous into life eternal.*” The words “everlasting” and “eternal” come from the same word in the Greek. The word means “never ending.”

We need to keep in mind the immortality of our souls. It is important to become a Christian and be faithful in our service to God (Acts 22:16; I Cor. 15:58) so that we can dwell “forever” in heaven. Remember, death is not a period: it is only a comma in the story of life.

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