

Good morning!

I invite you to hear this message of encouragement from today's reading in Paul David Tripp's *New Morning Mercies*:

"I love the words of Revelation 21:5, and so should you: 'Behold, I am making all things new.' Are you tired of the futility and frustration of this broken world? Are you exhausted by sin, suffering, and death? Are you burdened with the pain that lives inside you and outside you? At times, do you wonder if anyone knows, if anyone understands, if anyone cares?...Your Redeemer knows. Your Redeemer understands. Your Redeemer cares. His grace has been unleashed and its work will not be done until every last sin-broken thing has been fully and completely made new again. Be encouraged, your Redeemer is at work!"

We saw our Redeemer at work in a beautiful way last week, when 12 NU students made the decision to profess faith in Jesus Christ and follow Him in baptism at Monday's Baptism Pursuit! We are still praising God for their step of faith as they now walk in newness of life. Here are just a few of many wonderful moments:



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Additionally, Dr. Sarah Drivdahl helped us understand the effects of pornography use, and gave us a number of resources to fight the battle of breaking addictions. The resources are attached. I want to reemphasize that you do not have to be trapped in shame if you are struggling in this area. Confession to God and repentance are the beginning of His work of restoration and freedom in your life. We are available in the Campus Ministries office or in the Wellness Center to talk and pray with you.

COMING UP THIS WEEK

Sun, April 10-Mon, April 11 | **24-Hour Prayer** | Butterfield Chapel, 8PM-8PM
Mon, April 11 | **Monday Devos: Tracy Laas** | Millard 101, 10 & 11:20AM
Mon, April 11 | **Leadership Practicum Info Meeting** | HSC Fireside, 4:30PM
Mon, April 11 | **Pursuit** | Butterfield Chapel, 8:30PM
Wed, April 13 | **Chapel: Missions Commissioning** | Butterfield Chapel, 10 & 11:20AM
Wed, April 13 | **Super Smash Bros Melee** | Proceeds benefit Hope for Justice | Butterfield Chapel, 6PM
Fri, April 15 | **Chapel: Dr. Rowlanda Cawthon** | Butterfield Chapel, 10 & 11:20AM

24 Hour Prayer is going on until 8PM tonight. Come to Butterfield Chapel to spend some focused time in prayer!



Miss the good old days of Super Smash Bros? Come dust off your skills in a friendly team competition this Wednesday, April 13! Hosted by Embargo; all proceeds go to Hope for Justice to help end human trafficking and slavery.



Mark your calendars for next week's Alumni Pursuit for Missions! Alumni Charley Laas and Israel Talamantes will be leading us in a special time of worship and prayer.



If you are interested in participating in a Leadership Practicum course with Campus Ministries or Church Relations this fall, come to the **Leadership Practicum Info Meeting** today. We will tell you all about the practicum, and answer any questions you have!

**Campus Ministries/Church Relations Leadership Practicum Info Meeting
Monday, April 11 | HSC Fireside Room | 4:30PM**

May God bring you refreshment and joy this week.

Your friend,

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