



If things are same 'ol, same 'ol for you as a Christian, ponder the direction of your life. We are the followers of Jesus and He seems to constantly lead us onward. Maybe this is what pushes us to walk by faith and not by sight. In this new year, you are being invited to **take it off**.

**NEW to Community Groups?** *Take off your coat and stay a while.*  
Community requires commitment and we are convinced that if you will devote yourself to other Christians, Jesus will use that to grow you up in Him and assist others on their journey.

**VETERAN to Community Groups?** *Take off your mask & risk being known.*  
As an act of worship, open your life to others. Move beyond faithful attendance, Bible talk and pleasantries. Refuse to settle for what is seen as normal and pursue the picture of togetherness shown in the Scriptures.

- Branham CG** SUNDAYS | 9-10:15am
- Español CG** SUNDAYS | 10:45am-noon
- College & 20s CG** SUNDAYS | 12:30pm
- Pearl CG** TUESDAYS | 7pm
- Middle School CGs** 1st & 3rd TUESDAYS | 7-9pm
- High School CGs** 2nd & 4th TUESDAYS | 7-9pm
- Women's AM CG** WEDNESDAYS | 9:30-11:30am
- Women's PM CG** THURSDAYS | 7-8:30pm
- Men's CG** THURSDAYS | 7-8:30pm
- Kooser CG** FRIDAYS | 6:30pm



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# New?

We are so glad you're here! Whether you're new to a relationship with Jesus, looking for a new church home, or just wanting to learn more about Christianity, this is a great place for you! Get your kids checked in, grab a seat, and meet someone around you! Then use the 3 items below to get more involved!

## 3 Ways To Connect

1. **The City** is our church's online community where you can develop real relationships every day of the week. Connect at [nbcsj.org/thecity](http://nbcsj.org/thecity)
2. **Sundays.** Come back next week as we sing together, explore God's Word together, and live life together. And be sure to come back on the first Sunday of month, when we all have lunch together at 12:15pm!
3. **Community Groups** are where we grow with others, sharing the joys and struggles of our daily lives. [nbcsj.org/communitygroups](http://nbcsj.org/communitygroups)

# Kids

Check your kids in TODAY in our foyer for a fun, relevant, and educational Sunday School program that they will love! We are currently taking kids through the Old Testament. See the chart below for the specific story being covered today and next Sunday.

## Classrooms

Nursery (8 wks-1)	Room 2
Preschool (2-PreK)	Room 1
Lower Elementary (K-2nd)	Room 3
Upper Elementary (3rd-5th)	Room 4

If any of your kids are elementary age (K-5th), **keep them with you today.** On the first Sunday of every month, elementary age students get to worship with their families for the whole service! To learn more about our kids ministry, visit [nbcsj.org/OneWay](http://nbcsj.org/OneWay)

	STORY	TITLE	SCRIPTURE
THIS WEEK	23	Joseph is Attacked By His Brothers	Genesis 37:12-36
NEXT WEEK	24	Joseph Interprets the Dreams	Genesis 40-41

# Youth

We have active and relevant ministries for middle school students, high school students, college students, and young adults! Most of what we do happens during the week, but there are different things for youth on Sundays:

- **Middle school students** meet on the 4th Sunday of every month during the 9am service. When there's a 5th Sunday in a month (about 4 times a year), they join the high school students on an off-campus service trip.
- **High school students** join the middle school students on an off-campus service trip when there's a 5th Sunday in a month (about 4 times a year).
- **All youth** are encouraged to serve in various ministries at the church! For different service opportunities at NBC, visit [nbcsj.org/in-our-church](http://nbcsj.org/in-our-church)

To see what we're up to during the week and to get involved, visit our webpages!

MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL: <a href="http://nbcsj.org/youth">nbcsj.org/youth</a>	COLLEGE & 20s: <a href="http://nbcsj.org/c20">nbcsj.org/c20</a>
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# Adults

We have community groups and events tailored for both men and women! For more info, visit...

<a href="http://nbcsj.org/communitygroups">nbcsj.org/communitygroups</a>	<a href="http://nbcsj.org/calendar">nbcsj.org/calendar</a>
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His sacrifice. Our freedom.

## Easter Sunday is coming March 27.

Be praying about who you're going to invite!



### Support Family Training

**TODAY February 21 | 4-5:30pm**

We are excited to be holding our first official Foster the Bay Support Family Training! All of our current Support Families should plan to attend. If you need childcare, let Cheryl Routon know on The City.

This event is also open to those still considering being a support family. For more information on what that entails, contact Cheryl Routon on The City.

## College & 20s - get lunch together today!

Come hang out with other college students and young adults! We are meeting after 2nd service (12:30) at Eriks Deli Cafe (Almaden and Branham). Questions? Call or text Kellie Barrow at 408.726.5036.

Got questions? [nbcsj.org/contactus](http://nbcsj.org/contactus)

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