Nah, I'm Good Series Vision Doc, Aug 6-Sept 4

Series Focus: We want to help people see that part of our purpose is showing others how trusting Jesus changes everything

Tagline:

How to say YES when we'd rather say no

Feel: Bible Project inspired, using the book of Jonah and maybe one more story

Why: We want to re-ignite a passion for evangelism and help people connect evangelism to their purpose. When we understand that evangelism is sharing with others how trusting Jesus changes everything, evangelism moves from being about how any one person "evangelizes", to about our own stories and using them to impact eternity & invest in others' lives.

Invite Pitch: Have you ever stepped into your day and thought, "I'd rather not?" Could be eat the healthy thing, smile at the complaining co-worker, go to the gym, pay the bill. We feel reluctant, tense, even a little angry (ok sometimes a lot angry) that we even "hafta". What about when God asks us to do something we'd rather not? Jonah was an Old Testament prophet who God asked to impact a whole nation of people and his response was "nah, I'm good". You may know Jonah as that crazy story about an encounter with a fish, but as you'll see, its deeper meaning impacts our own "nah I'm good" moments and keeps us moving towards a greater purpose.

Theme verse: Jonah 2:9, "But I will offer sacrifices to you with songs of praise, and I will fulfill all my vows. For my salvation comes from the Lord alone."

Response Stations: Yes

Weekly Topics:

Week 1: Aug 6/7, The Storm

Verse: Jonah 1

Bottom line starter: See people the way God does.

Week 2: Aug 13/14, The Fish

Verse: Jonah 2

Bottom line starter: Step into God's purpose.

Week 3: Aug 20/21, The Pivot

Verse: Jonah 3

Bottom line starter: God's grace is for all people.

Week 4: Aug 27/28, The Worm

Verse: Jonah 4

Bottom line starter: Your resistance to God has impact on your life.

Week 5: Sept 3/4 Guest Speaker, Shawn Bellner

Verse: Luke 10:25-37

Bottom line starter: God calls me to Love

Goals:

What next steps will we ask people to take?

- 21 Days of Prayer text in campaign (content is Great Commission focused)
- Participate in Dollar Club
- Complete new Top 5 card

How are we measuring success?

- 21 Days of Prayer 950 total opt-in
- Dollar Club 2000 households participate

Dollar Club Vision: Dollar Club.docx

Ministry Calendar and Holidays:

August 6/7 - Baptism

August 8-28 - 21 Days of Prayer

August 8 - Prayer Night (all campuses)

August 13 - Second Sat Serve

August 24 - DreamTeam Launch

August 27/28 - Groups Directory Opens

August 29-Sept 18 Groups Kick-Off (campus choice)

August 31 - Student Night Begins

Series Resources:

21 Days of Prayer Printed Guide (out of budget for this fall)

Digital Resource: How each of the spiritual gifts points to Jesus (evangelism for all of us!)

- 30 second descriptions
- 1-2 ways to live it out

Prodigal Prophet by Tim Keller

Family Ministries

21 Days of Prayer for Parents