

Welcome to



We are committed to:

Seeking the Heart of God

Sharing the Love of God

Strengthening the Family of God

Serving as the Hands of God

We are glad you are here!

Thank you for visiting Kankakee
First Church of the Nazarene.
It is our most sincere desire you
feel at home while
worshipping with us.

If you do not have a church you call
home, we invite you to consider
making our church your home.

Please complete a Communication
Card located in the pew rack and
place it in the offering plate.
We would like to become better
acquainted with you.

If you have a prayer request,
please use the back of the
Communication Card.

We will be praying confidentially
for your request during the week.

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Nazarene

Church Office Schedule
8:30 am—4:30 pm, Monday—Friday

NEWS & NOTES

Children's Ministries

Bicycle Safety class for children
Wednesdays, May 18 & 25
6:30—7:30pm
1st—6th Grade Students

Preteen Party Night "Movie in the Sky"

ONU Planetarium
Friday, May 27, 6:30 pm
Cost: \$4

Dairy Queen, until 9:00pm

Cost: whatever you want to bring!
RSVP to Pastor Brenda by May 22.
Signed permission slip required.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL "International Spy Academy" June 12-16 / 6:30—8:30 pm Children completing Kindergarten—6th grade

Preschool & Nursery Class
available for worker's children,
but they must also be registered.

VBS Registration and Spy Games

Wednesday, June 1, 6:30—7:30 pm
Join us in the FLC to make your
badge, games, etc.

Agent Training. For VBS workers.
You need to attend one training
session: **Sunday, May 22**, 9:00 am
Or, **Wednesday, June 1**, 7:00 pm.
Location: Children's Sanctuary

New Nursery Volunteers Training

Sunday, May 15th
9 – 10 a.m.

Nursery (3 year old room)

Because a few of our workers are
either moving or graduating, **we are
in need of at least 6 more workers.**
Please share this need with those
you know who may be gifted in
working with children.

Family Bike Ride

Wednesday, June 8
Drop your family & bicycles off at the
church at 6:30 pm.
Then head to Perry Farm where a
shuttle will bring you back to the
church (your vehicle will be waiting
for you when your ride is finished).

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Hispanic Ministries

Please pray for our
Campamento Familiar-Family Camp
**"Caminando juntos"
(Walking Together)**
Viernes-Domingo, 3-5 de Junio
Friday-Sunday, June 3-5
Indian Lake Nazarene Camp

Lighthouse

Food Pantry

Our next few distributions are May
22, June 26, and July 24. If you have
not volunteered at food pantry before,
consider signing up sometime this
summer. You will be blessed as you
serve our community.

Wednesday Nights at the Lighthouse Café, 5:30-6:30pm May 18— Regular menu

Women's Ministries

New Bible Study

Wednesday nights
Room 104, 6:30-7:30pm
May 11-June 22th (except June 15)
Seamless-Bible Study Book
by Angie Smith.

This book study will help us to
understand the Bible as one complete
story. *Seamless* covers the people,
places, and promises of the Bible,
tying them together into the greater
story of Scripture.
Each woman is responsible to
purchase her own book at
Lifeway.com.
Cost:\$12.99.
Leaders: Kathy Heck and Mary
Schweigert.

Book Club

Tuesday, May 17, 7pm
@ Teri Blanchette's House
Book: "Love Does" by Bob Goff
Light and fun, unique and profound,
the lessons drawn from Bob's life and
attitude just might inspire you to be
secretly incredible, too.

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Dare To Care Ministries

Thursday, May 19
10:30am, Room 104

Thank you for your prayerful support
of this ministry and your willingness to
be involved. Contact Ginny Burlend
for more information.

Baptism Service

Baptism & Church Membership Service

Sunday, July 10
Family Life Center

If you would like to be baptized or
become a member of First Church,
please contact one of the pastors or
the Church Office at 815-933-1000 for
more details.

Baptism Class for Parents and Kids

Sunday, June 19
9-10:00am or 5-6:00pm

"What does Baptism Mean?" a one
hour class for children, (and their
parents), who have expressed an
interest in being baptized.
This class will cover the Biblical basis
for Baptism; the child's personal
testimony and reason for desiring to
be baptized as well as what to expect
the day of baptism.

Men's Ministries

It's "Grilling" time again!!

We are looking for 6 men that would
be willing to host one of our monthly
cookouts at your home.
This event is for men who are Hungry:
Hungry for the Word, and Starving for
fellowship!! Al Smallwood will be
hosting the first one at his home in
May.

If you are interested in hosting a
cookout, please contact Al Smallwood
at 815-791-2102.

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Sunday School Ministries

Adult Sunday School Teachers Meeting

You are invited to meet with pastor
Cindi this Wednesday, May 18, from
6:30 to 7:30 pm in the Office
Conference Room.

Nazarene Missions International

Missionary Prayer Night

Tuesday, May 31—6:30pm
Missionaries Alfredo and Rute Mulieri
will speak at Prayer Meeting. They are
the parents of Simone Twibell.

Lisa Lehman, our own missionary,
is coming to United States from July
19 to August 4. She will be with us on
Sunday, July 31. If you are interested
in hosting Lisa in your home for a
meal, or just for a time of visit, contact
Mary Schweigert, our NMI President at
maschweigert@olivet.edu

Class of 2016

Graduation Sunday

Sunday, May 22.

One of the most exciting times in the
life of our High school Students. As
their Church, we want to celebrate all
their accomplishments during our
worship service.

Class of 2016

Alexa Brodien

Sierra Bruner

Katie Enfield

Nathan Eylander

Sydney Ferris

Elizabeth Graven

Jordan Hollywood

David Kirkpatrick

Tim Lloyd

Madison McMullen

Dakota Mellish

Jacob Reneau

Hannah Schouten

Derek Schultz

Victoria Sikma

Brittany Weidner

Austin Wray

NEWS & NOTES

Hispanic Ministry Family Camp Fundraiser

TODAY

Café area, after the worship service
Delicious Tacos and Quesadillas for
lunch. The proceeds will go to their
Family Camp to be held June 3-5 at
Indian Lake Nazarene Camp.

"Deeper" Bible Study on
Wednesday nights, taught by Pastor
Leon Blanchette, will end on June
8th.

Sympathy

- *Keith Nelson* passed away May
1st, in Youngstown, OH. A memorial
service was held on May 6 at the
Cherry Valley Church of the
Nazarene, Andover, OH. He was
the father of Jessica Nelson.

- *Clarence E. Catron* passed away
May 3 in Illinois. Funeral service
was held Saturday, May 7 in
Hoopeston, IL.
Clarence attended our church for
many years, and worked in
maintenance after he retired.

Hospital Notices

If you or family members are being
admitted to the hospital, please
contact the Church office. We want
to support our church families at all
times. Due to privacy laws, it is
difficult to obtain information from
the hospitals. Thank you for your
help.

Sunday, May 22

Graduation Sunday
Sunday School
Worship Service
Food Pantry

Sunday, May 29

Memorial Day Weekend
No Sunday School/Café closed
Worship Service at 10:30 am

Monday, May 30

Church Office Closed
Memorial Day

Wednesday, June 1

VBS Registration & Games
Come and sign -up for the bike ride
AND Register for VBS
6:30—7:30 pm

Sermon Notes

Title: Can These Bones Live?
Scripture: Ezekiel 37:1-14

What did God say?

What is God saying to me?

How will I respond?

Life at K3NAZ

- Sunday, May 15**
8:30 am Prayer Time (Sanctuary) / Lighthouse Café
9:00 am Sunday School (Classes for all ages)
Nursery Volunteers Training (3 year old room)
10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
Spanish Worship Service
11:30 am Men's Prayer Huddle (Sanctuary)
Hispanic Ministry Fundraiser
Youth Life Groups
6:00 pm Youth Life Groups
- Tuesday, May 17**
6:30 pm Prayer Gathering (Sanctuary)
7:00 pm Women's Book Club (Teri Blanchette's home)
- Wednesday, May 18**
4:45 pm Teen Bible Quiz Practice
5:30 pm Lighthouse Café - regular menu
6:30 pm Adult Sunday School Teachers Meeting (Conference Room)
Bicycle Safety Class for Children (Children's area)
Youth Ministries Midweek (Youth area)
Worship Choir Practice (Choir Room)
Hispanic Prayer Ministry (Room 301)
Women's Ministries Bible Study (Room 104)
"Men Under Construction" (Room 304)
Deeper (Sanctuary)
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10:30 am Dare To Care Ministries (Room 104)
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VBS Workers Training (Children's Sanctuary)
10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
Spanish Worship Service
11:30 am Men's Prayer Huddle (Sanctuary)
3:00 pm Food Pantry
6:00 pm Youth Life Groups

