

Welcome to First Church of the Nazarene!  
We are glad you are here!

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.

## NOTEWORTHY

### Dare to Care

Thursday, July 21, 10:30am, Room 104  
Contact Ginny Burlend for more information.

### Food Pantry

Needs for this month: canned fruits and veggies, cereal, pop-tarts, pasta and spaghetti sauce.  
Our next distributions are July 24, and August 28.

### Stories From Thailand - Sunday, July 31, 9:00 am

Missionary Lisa Lehman will be our special guest on Sunday, July 31, 9:00 am in the gym. Sunday school classes, (Grade School, Youth, & Adult) will come together to enjoy Lisa's stories of life and ministry in Thailand.

### Ministry Expo Sign Up - Deadline, August 7, 2016

Are you involved in a ministry? Share it with our congregation at our First Church Ministry Expo, August 21 & 28 in the Commons. Contact the Church Office to reserve table space.

### Prime Time

August 9, 11:30 am.

### One Day Ladies Retreat

Saturday, September 10, 9:00am-3:00pm  
Speaker: Gail Ramesh, from "Living Out 3:18 Ministries"  
How Does Your Spiritual Garden Grow?  
Ticketed event. Cost: \$20.00. Lunch served.

### Change for Change

Your loose change can save a life. Pick up an empty baby bottle from the back ledge of the sanctuary. Return the bottle full of change any time between now and Labor Day. You may drop the full bottle off at the Lighthouse Café or give to an usher. All proceeds will benefit the Kankakee Pregnancy Resource Center.

## NOTEWORTHY

### Women's Book Club.

Monday, September 12 at 7:00pm  
Teri Blanchette's home.  
Next book is "The Ability to Endure" by Michael Chitwood.

### House Fire Restoration Project

Construction has begun to help the Wilson Family restore their home from fire. The church needs manpower, building supplies and donations. John DeMint (708-341-0119) is our project manager and has listings of work dates, needed supplies and costs.

### Thank You Note from Joann Trobaugh

"I am so grateful to be a part of the First Church family. Thank you for your many acts of kindness - especially your prayers, as I continue to recuperate from my fall. God Bless You!"

### Pinewood Derby Faith Community Event

August 17, 24, & 31. We are looking for adults who might bring a saw, files, sandpaper, etc and help a child cut their car. Meet new people as you sit beside them and show them how to paint it, shape it – encouraging them and building relationships.  
We would like people to contact us before August 10<sup>th</sup> if they can bring a saw. On August 17 and 24 the FLC will be set up and ready to help anyone cut/build their car. (3 divisions – children; youth and adults with a grand prize winner). The actual race is on August 31, 6 p.m. in the FLC. Come cheer on your favorite car!  
If you have further questions, feel free to contact the church office.

**SAMS Ministry** has their herbs available at reduced prices. Jars \$3 Potted \$5, South Commons.

## WITH CHILDREN

### 6th Grade - Nazarene Catechism Class

TODAY through August 14, from 9-10am. Children's Café area.

**Kids Camps:** Indian Lake Nazarene Camp  
- **Adventure Camp.** July 18-22 (2nd-4th grade)  
- **Voyager Camp.** July 25-29 (4th-6th grade)

## WITH CHILDREN

**Wee Camp:** TODAY, 4:00 - 7:00 pm

For children 2yrs - Kindergarten, and their parents. A night of indoor camping with your child! Experience camping, food, games and crafts without one mosquito bite or dirt! Parents are free. \$5 per child for an evening of family fun!

### Family Connection Glow-in-the-Dark night

July 31, 5:00-7:00pm. Family Life Center  
Open to all parents and children, birth – 6th grade.

### 6th Grade Graduation Party

Thursday, August 11. from 2:00 to 7:00pm at Jay and Jeanette Martinson's home. Swimming, games, bonfire, food provided.

**PLEASE CHECK YOUR SUMMER CALENDAR**  
for details about Children events.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- **July 25-28**  
ECC—"Everyone Cares Camp" at Dickson Valley Campground
- **Wednesday, August 10**  
"Praying for Schools", 6:30pm.  
Gather to pray for our children, the teachers, the schools in our county.
- **Wednesday, August 17**  
Pinewood Derby Prep I, at 6:30pm.  
Rules and tips for making and racing a car.  
This is a family event!
- **Sunday, August 21**  
First Church Ministry Expo, in the Commons.  
Contact the Church Office to reserve table space.
- **Wednesday, August 24**  
Pinewood Derby Prep II
- **Sunday, August 28**  
First Church Ministry Expo, in the Commons.  
Contact the Church Office to reserve table space.
- **Wednesday, August 31**  
Pinewood Derby Race Night, 6:00—8:00 pm.  
Come watch and cheer for your favorite driver!

## Life at K3NAZ

### Sunday, July 17

8:30 am Café Open  
9:00 am Sunday School for all ages  
Preteen Catechism Class (Children's Cafe)  
10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
Spanish Worship Service (Room 160)  
11:30 am Men's Prayer Huddle (Sanctuary)  
2-7:00pm Sunday Funday (Youth)  
4-7:00pm Wee Camp (Family Life Center)

Monday, July 18 - Friday, July 22 Adventure Camp (ILNC)

### Tuesday, July 19

6:30 pm Prayer Gathering (Sanctuary)

### Thursday, July 21

10:30am Dare to Care (Rm 104)

### Sunday, July 24

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9:00 am Sunday School for all ages  
Preteen Catechism Class (Preteen Room)  
10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
Spanish Worship Service (Room 160)  
11:30 am Men's Prayer Huddle (Sanctuary)  
3:15-4:30pm Food Pantry



**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***

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Sunday messages on our church's website.  
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Church Bulletin?  
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Sunday, July 17th, 2016

