

NOTEWORTHY

The Lighthouse Café is CLOSED TODAY. Join us Wednesday, September 7, 5:30-7:30pm, as we kick off the school year and open up the Lighthouse Café for Wednesday night suppers.

“Deeper” Bible Study– The Book of Jonah
Wednesday, September 7, 6:30pm in the Sanctuary.
Taught by Pastor Leon.

One Day Ladies Retreat.
How Does Your Spiritual Garden Grow?
Saturday, September 10, 9:00am-3:00pm.
Speaker: Gail Ramesh, from “Living Out 3:18 Ministries”
Cost: \$20.00. Lunch served. Ticketed event.
Contact: Chardell Smallwood.

CCD Teen Quizzing Meet
Saturday, September 10, at Lombard Church of the Nazarene.

Ladies Book Club.
Monday, September 12, 7:00pm, at Teri Blanchette’s home.
Book: “*The Ability to Endure*” by Michael Chitwood.

Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) Men’s Bible Study
Starting September 13, Tuesdays, 7:00pm at Manteno Church of the Nazarene
An interdenominational Bible study through the study of the book of John. Contact Richard Meads, rmeads@k3naz.org

Hispanic Ministry Men’s Day Out
Saturday, September 10, 4:00pm.

Prime Time Ministry Lunch
Tuesday, September 13, 11:30am, in the FLC.

Youth Guy’s Camping Trip
September 16-18 at Martinson’s home. Cost: \$25

Jr High Club @mosphere
Friday, September 23, 6:00pm, Youth Area.

Senior Fair
Wednesday, September 21, 8:30am-3:00pm
Hilton Garden Inn - Conference Center, Kankakee
Sponsored by St. Mary’s Hospital.
Questions: 815-937-3300

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Hospital Visitation Training - Pastoral Care Associates
Wednesday, September 28, 6:30-7:30pm, room 109.
A volunteer ministry that partners with the pastoral staff in showing love and encouragement to individuals in our local hospitals. RSVP to church office or thru a communication card.

“Crossroads” Ministry Lunch-Young Adult Ministry
Sunday, September 25, 11:30am, Family Life Center.
Contact Pastor Gary Gerstenberger for details.

Annual “Life Banquet”
Thursday, September 29, 7:00pm
Hilton Garden Inn, Kankakee.
Sponsored by “Living Alternatives Pregnancy Resource Center”.
There is no cost to attend this event.
There will be an opportunity to make a financial contribution.
See Viola Sultan, Pastor Cindi or call the Church Office to RSVP for his banquet. Deadline is September 19.

ONU Prime Time & Grandparents Day
Thursday, October 6, from 9:00am to 3:00pm.
Cost: \$24 (lunch included).
Featuring: Dr. Ron Blake and The Collingsworths.
Register at 815-939-5258.

Youth Retrieval “Upside Down”
A collaborative Youth Retreat at our Church.
Friday, October 21-Sunday, October 23
Cost: \$40 (due by October 9)
Informational brochure available at the Youth Commons

Chicago Central District Prime Time Thanksgiving Banquet.
Tuesday, November 8, 11:00am—1:00pm
Manteno Church of the Nazarene.
Special Guests: Mark Murphy and Rev. Tom Hruska.
Cost: \$13. Register with Joy Long or Janet Cline.

Caregiver Education Series
Wednesdays, Noon—1:15pm, room 107.
Light lunch provided.
September 7: “Learning to Connect with my Loved One.”
Please contact Amanda, 815-523-9918, for more information.

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A **HUGE Thank you** to everyone that signed up during the ministry fair, to teach and serve in our Nursery Department.

Training for all New Nursery Workers
Sunday, September 11, 9—10am, South Commons.
Important information concerning class schedules; emergencies; activities, etc.
Please contact Pastor Debbie if you cannot attend
pastordebbe@k3naz.org

Crisis Care Kits and School Packs
NMI Compassionate Ministry is collecting items for Crisis Care Kits and School Packs. Please see the display at the North Entrance foyer, or in your Sunday school class for information regarding the collection of items for our kits.

Hope, Freedom, Restoration
Regret, grief, sadness, depression, anxiety.....symptoms sometimes associated with an abortion in your past. Deeper Still is a confidential and free weekend healing retreat for women and men.
For more information: www.hopeforafuture.com/deeperstill or email deeperstillnow@gmail.com

Sympathy. Our continued prayers and thoughts are with Joel Blumenthal on the death of his mother, Lorilee “Lori” Blumenthal. She passed away August 24 in Kankakee. Funeral service was held Tuesday, August 30 in Momence.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Church Office Closed: Monday, September 5

All ministries are back! Wednesday, September 7

One Day Ladies Retreat: September 10, 9:00am-3:00pm

ONU Fall Revival
Sunday, September 18, 6:00pm
Monday—Wednesday, September 19-21, 7:00pm
College Church of the Nazarene
Guest Speaker: Rev. Rob Prince, Senior Pastor
Flint Central Church of the Nazarene, Michigan.

All Church Missionary Prayer Service,
Wednesday, October 5, 6:30pm (Sanctuary)

Life at K3NAZ

Sunday, September 4 **GENERATIONAL WORSHIP-COMMUNION**

No Sunday School/Café Closed

10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
 Spanish Worship Service (Room 160)
11:30 am Men's Prayer Huddle (Sanctuary)

Monday, September 5 Church Office Closed

Tuesday, September 6

6:30 pm Prayer Gathering (Sanctuary)

Wednesday, September 7—Fall Schedule Back!

4:45 pm Teen Quizzing Practice (Room 309)
5:30 pm Lighthouse Café
6:30 pm Children's Ministries
 Midweek Youth Ministries
 Ministerio de Oración-Hispanic Ministry (Room 301)
 Men Under Construction (Room 304)
 Women's Book Study (Room 104)
 Worship Choir Practice (Choir Room)

Saturday, September 10

CCD Teen Quizzing Meet
4:00 pm Hispanic Men's Ministry Day Out

Sunday, September 11

8:30 am Lighthouse Café
9:00 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
 Spanish Worship Service (Room 160)
11:30 am Men's Prayer Huddle (Sanctuary)
Noon Hispanic Ministry Heritage Celebration

Starting September 7th

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MINISTRIES **Are Back!**

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.*

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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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Prayers aren't empty words hurled at the sky.
They are conversations-in fact, they're the most important
conversation of our lives.

Sunday, September 4th, 2016