

Welcome to First Church!



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.

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

NEWS & NOTES

Children's Ministries

Ministry Expo

Look for the Children's Ministry tables in the Commons for information on what your kids will be doing this fall and where you can serve.

Church Directory

CHURCH PHOTO DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!!

If you had your picture taken for the church Photo Directory, you are welcome to come pick up your free copy of the directory at the North Commons counter before Sunday School, during café time, or after church. You may also pick up your Photo Directory during the week in the church office. If you did not participate in the directory and would like a copy, you may purchase one for \$10 each.

Women Ministries

Book Club

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, September 16, 7:00 pm at Carol Morse's home. The new book is "Choose Joy Because Happiness Isn't Enough" by Karen Warren. We will meet at Carol Morse's home at 7:00 pm. Please take note of the next meetings: November 11, 2014 2015: January 13, March 17, May 12.

Fall Retreat— Save the Date!

September 26 & 27 at the Parke Regency in Bloomington, IL. More details to follow.

Prayer Ministry

Tuesday Prayer Gathering 7:00pm, Sanctuary

Youth Ministries

Teen Quizzing is back! This year we are studying the Book of Acts. There will be an informational meeting for everyone (teens and parents) interested in Teen Bible Quizzing in the youth room **tonight, August 10th from 6pm-8pm**. If you have ever thought about quizzing, this is the time to check it out. Also, free pizza!!

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Youth Ministries

Parent Informational Meeting

If you were not able to attend the meeting this past Wednesday there is another opportunity. **Tonight, Sunday, August 10th at 7:00pm** in the youth room. You are highly encouraged to attend this meeting as we will be covering details for the 2014-15 school year, discussing NYC 2015, and distributing calendars and waiver forms.

The Man Date Camping Trip

The guys will take their annual camping trip to Turkey Creek, IN on the weekend of September 12-14. This trip is open to junior and senior high students. The total cost is \$40. Students must sign up on the youth room door and turn in their registration form by Wednesday, September 3rd. Forms can be found on the church website or obtained from the youth room.

Sleep Pray Shop

September 13-14
This weekend, is designed to provide opportunities for bonding with your fellow girls over meals, girlish fun, worship, and shopping! The weekend will begin with a sleepover at the McMullens' featuring food and activities followed by a morning of worship and an afternoon of shopping in Orland Park! The cost is \$30 and is due along with your waiver form by Wednesday, September 3rd.

Nazarene Youth Conference 2015

It's that time! NYC is our denomination's quadrennial youth conference and is an incredible opportunity to be challenged by top-notch speakers, experience worship with thousands of other Nazarene students, serve the host city in a variety of ways, and build relationships with other students from our district and region. If you are interested in attending NYC 2015, please complete the application form found on the church website and turn it in to Pastor Brandon no later than Sunday, August 10th.

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Hispanic Ministry

Sundays, 9:00am

"The Book of Ecclesiastes"
"Ecclesiastes y el sentido de la vida"
Classes are in Spanish, taught by Pastor Willy. Room 301.

Nazarene Missions International

Crisis Care Kits

The mission council would like to collect Crisis Care Kits for six weeks. With hurricane season approaching we want to be proactive. We know that the best response occurs following a disaster, but we want to be prepared.

Birthday Greetings

Lisa Lehman, our First Church missionary serving in Thailand, is celebrating her birthday on August 13th. Let's flood her with Birthday greetings and assurance of our prayers.
Address:
P.O.Box 27
Central Post Office
BangNa, Bangkok, 10264
Thailand
Email - Lisa35@truemail.co.th

Birthday Greetings

Natalie Bullock, our First Church missionary serving on Mercy Ships, is celebrating her Birthday on August 15th. Let's flood her with Birthday greetings and assurance of our prayers.
Address: Natalie Bullock- Hospital
AFM Crewmail
P.O. Box 2020
Lindale, TX 75771

Email - natalie.bullock@mercyships.org

Dare To Care Ministries

Thursday, August 14
10:30am in room 104
Please contact Ginny Burlend for more information.

Food Pantry

Friday, August 22
3:30-5:00pm
Please pick a flower from the pots on the café tables. We are currently restocking the shelves for this month's distribution.

NEWS & NOTES

Wednesday Night Bible Study

Wednesdays, 7:00pm

We will resume the Wednesday night Bible Study and Prayer meeting on August 20th with Praise and Prayer. Come out and join us as we reflect on God's presence in our lives this summer. August leaders are Sandy Settles and Becky Farrar.

Ministry Expo

Sundays, August 10 & 17
9:00-10:30am
North & South Commons
Take time today to enjoy the Ministry Expo taking place in our Commons Area this morning. Various ministries have set up booths to inform you of the many ways you can connect at K3NAZ. There are Ministries that represent all generations and levels of discipleship.

Mercy Ships Support

Natalie Bullock has left for her third missionary term on Mercy Ships; this time to Benin, Africa. Those who would like to begin or continue contributing to this mission, go to <http://mercyships-us.donorpages.com/crewmates/bullockn/>. When you donate thru this web site, a receipt will be sent to be used for tax purposes. Natalie still needs to raise about 70% of this third tour of ministry as a lead nurse on Mercy Ships

Prime Time Ministries

Monthly Meeting

Tuesday, August 12
11:30 am in the FLC
Sloppy Joes and Twinkling Toes
The Prime Time committee will provide the sloppy joes and the members will bring: (by last name)
A-F: Desserts
G-L: Salads
M-Z: Chips
After the meal, students from "Dance in the Light" will be performing.

Prime Time and Grandparents Day at ONU

Featuring the Hoppers
Tuesday, September 23
Call 815-928-5258 or register online at www.olivet.edu

NEWS & NOTES

"Crossroads" Ministries

Crossroads Lunch
Sunday August 31st following the morning service.
This lunch is for all those post high school through twenty something? We will be eating in the FLC. Come join us! Please RSVP to: pastorgary@k3naz.org by Friday August 29th to help us to be good stewards.

You are Invited!

Rev. & Mrs. Carlos Lonberger and Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Orr requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of their children

Marjorie Jean Lonberger &
Jeremy Robert Orr
September 13, 2014 at 1:30pm
Kankakee First Church of the Nazarene

Reception to follow in the Family Life Center
Please RSVP by August 22nd to:
LONBERGER.ORR.WEDDING.RSVP@GMAIL.COM

Happy Anniversary

Although they are unable to be in our Service this Sunday – Elmer & Dorothy Joplin are celebrating their **73rd Wedding Anniversary, today, August 10, 2014**

They reside at:
Heritage Woods
355 Diversatech Dr
Apt 127
Manteno, IL 60950

Happy Birthday!

Juanita Baldrige will be celebrating her 95th birthday this year on August 31st. Her family would love for her to receive at least 95 cards from her friends to help her celebrate. You can send cards to:
Juanita Baldrige
E14920 Warner Ave
Hillsboro, WI 54634

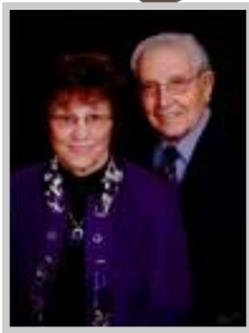
Thank you

"...for your flowers, cards, visits and most of all, your many prayers."
Ben Bretveld

Sermon Series on *Marriage*



Earl and Norma Morgan
43 years



"In ALL your ways acknowledge HIM and HE WILL direct your paths" Proverbs 3:6



Ivor and Ruth Newsham
46 years

"Trust in the Lord with ALL your heart..... And never give up!"

Kankakee 1st Church of the Nazarene Day @ **SPLASH VALLEY**

Wednesday, August 13, 2014

You must have one coupon per household to get the special price.



Pick up a coupon at the
Welcome Center or the Church Office

First Church Special Admission
Price of **\$5.50** per
person

1:00 - 7:00 pm



Kankakee Valley Park District
Splash Valley
Aquatic Park

K3NAZ—This Week

Sunday, August 10 Ministry Expo

- 8:30 am Prayer Time
- Lighthouse Café Open
- 9:00 am Sunday School for all ages
- 10:00 am Café Time
- 10:30 am Kids Music Camp Performance (FLC)
- 11:30 am Men's Huddle (Sanctuary)
- 6:00pm Teen Quizzing Informational Meeting (Youth Room)
- 7:00pm Parent Informational Meeting (Youth Room)

Tuesday, August 12

- 7:00 am Personal Prayer Time (Sanctuary)
- 11:30am Primetime
- 7:00 pm Prayer Gathering (Sanctuary)

Wednesday, August 13

- 1:00pm Splash Valley Day
- 6:45pm Worship Choir Kick-off

Thursday, August 14

- 10:30am Dare 2 Care
- 7:00 pm Stitches (Barnes and Noble)

Sunday, August 17 Ministry Expo

- 8:30 am Prayer Time
- Lighthouse Café Open
- 9:00 am Sunday School for all ages
- 10:00 am Café Time
- 10:30 am Worship Service
- 11:30 am Men's Huddle

SAVE the DATE!



November 15-16, 2014

Sundays, August 10 & 17

8:30am—Noon

South and North Commons

MINISTRY Expo

Finding Your Place
at K3NAZ!



Don't miss your chance to check out the 60 + Ministries that are here to help you serve the Lord!

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August 10th, 2014