

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

NEWS & NOTES

Children's Ministries

NEW PRETEEN MINISTRY BEGINNING! Join us at 222 TODAY, from 12-3pm for a Potluck dinner for preteens and parents. Hear about the reformatting of our ministry to 5th & 6th graders. Followed by family games.

Kid Friendly Lunch

At the home of Carol Watson, on Sunday, January 17, following the Worship Service, for families of those in her Sunday School class. RSVP this week if you have not already, carol@k3naz.org

5th Sunday Family Connections Soup and Sandwich Supper

January 31st, 2016
5:00 – 6:00 pm, Family Life Center
For families of children in Nursery and Early Childhood. Bring a soup; sandwiches, or dessert and meet parents of children your child's age; play family games and fellowship.

Breakfast and Briefing for Children Ministry Workers

Sunday, January 31
9 - 10 am, LL 31.
"Help for the Sensory Seeker/
Sensory Avoider Child".
- Children 1st - 6th grade will be in Children's Worship area for, "What's in the Bible?" with Buck Denver.
- 4 year olds - Kindergarteners will be in the Early Childhood Worship Center.

Youth Ministries

Recharge Winter Retreat
February 5-7
Sherman Lake YMCA
Augusta, MI

This year's theme is "The Vine." We will be exploring what it means to be connected as branches to The Vine, who is Jesus, and how that impacts our living.
Speaker: Tyler Sauer, Pastor to Senior High Youth & Families @ Flint Central
Worship Leaders: Ali Deckard and Youth Praise Team Leader.

NEWS & NOTES

Lighthouse

Food Pantry Distribution
Sunday, January 24

Café

The Café is open Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:30pm. The special this week will be Chicken Salad.

Don't forget your **donations** for our Food Pantry-items needed include cereal, canned fruit and vegetables and snack items.

Prime Time Ministries

Tuesday, January 12
11:30 am
We're ringing in the New Year with a traditional **Ham and Beans meal** (and an alternative entree for those who aren't the "traditional" type.) After the meal, entertainment will be provided by Mimi Meads. The Prime Time committee will provide the entrees, while members are asked to bring an item to help fill in the meal
A – H Crackers and Cheese
I – P Desserts
Q – Z Salads
If you have any questions or need to arrange for a ride, please phone Janet Cline, 815-939-349, or Joy Long, 815-426-6408.

Women's Ministries

New Six Week Bible Study
Becoming More Than a Good Bible Study Girl by Lysa TerKeurst
Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, Room 104
Learn how to make a Bible passage come alive in your devotional time.

Book Club

Tuesday, January 19, 7pm
@ Debbie Heid's house
(102 Dartmouth, Bourbonnais)
For the Love – Fighting For Grace in a World of Impossible Standards by Jen Hatmaker.

Save the Date! ONU Ladies Day
Saturday, April 16

Join Liz Curtis Higgs for a day of hope, encouragement, inspiration, and laughter! Musical Guest: Jonny Diaz, contemporary Christian recording artist.

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Dare To Care Ministries

Our next meeting will be:
**Thursday, January 21
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.

Haiti Mission Trip Information

Saturday, January 23 through
Saturday, January 30.
There are 19 people going this year. (13 flying from Chicago, 3 from Indianapolis, 2 from Nashville, and 1 from San Antonio - all meet in Atlanta and then fly on to Port-au-Prince, Haiti.)
The plan is to build 3 houses, have VBS at night with the kids, and do any maintenance work needed at the mission house where the group stays. We will be handing out basic toiletries, small items and possibly distribution of small bags of food. Please keep the team members in your prayers.
Amy Bottomlee
Jennifer Caplinger
Joshua Caplinger
Michael Clouse
Jared Horne
Daniel Huerta
Jeffery Starkweather
Ripley Ludlow
Julie Starkweather
From K3NAZ
Laura and Steve Emling
Brigitte Emme
Joel Greer
Josh Gregoire
Mike Kent
Troy Lovell
Brett Paape
Scott Remmenga
Chuck Reynolds

SPECIAL REQUEST
The group is in need of at least 4 additional old suitcases to bring supplies and leave in Haiti. The suitcases would need to be brought to the church by Sunday morning, January 17 and could be brought to the main Welcome Center.

NEWS & NOTES

Marriage Inc. Date Night 2016

SAVE THE DATE!
**Saturday, February 20
CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE:
DATE NIGHT 2016**
6:00 - 9:00 pm
ONU Centennial Chapel

Guests this year will be Jeff and Debby McElroy, along with comedian couple Ron McGehee and Kerri Pomarolli. Come prepared to LAUGH! Tickets are \$15 per person. Posters can be found as PDFs on the www.celebrationofmarriage.org website and can be printed directly from that site.

K3NAZ Movie Night - WAR ROOM

Come and enjoy this blockbuster hit
Sunday, January 17 at 6:00pm
A compelling drama with humor and heart that explores the power that prayer can have on marriages, parenting, careers, friendships, and every other area of our lives. To get your ticket, please **bring one-non-perishable food item**, per person, to the North Commons. Only 400 tickets available!
Make sure to get yours! (Rated - PG)

Crossroads Ministries

Bible Study
Join us on Sundays, at 9:00 am in Room 160. A class for **college and career young adults** looking at current social issues and how they can make a difference.

Crossroads Lunch

Sunday, January 31
Family Life Center
following the worship service
RSVP pastorgary@k3naz.org
by Friday, January 29.

Sunday School Ministries

Young Marrieds/Engaged Class
will begin meeting on Sunday, January 24, in Room 204. Please contact Kathy Heck if you have questions.

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Cancellation Information

Because of inclement weather or national emergency, First Church may have to cancel a service or close the building down. If this happens on a Sunday or Wednesday evening, there are many ways for you to find out.

- ◆ Check our website: www.k3naz.org
- ◆ You will be receiving a phone call from the Church office
- It is our desire that everyone should be notified by 7:30 am on a Sunday
- If this action is necessary for a regular week day, the guide will be that if in town schools are closed, First Church is also closed.

Sympathy

Our prayers are with Marcela Settles. Her mother passed away last week in Southern Indiana.

Contributions. To look at your contributions, you can go to www.k3naz.org, click the **Resource tab** and then **WebView**. If you need more assistance, please call the church office, 815-933-1000.

ONU Winter Revival

January 31—February 3
With Dr. David Busic, general superintendent in the Church of the Nazarene.

You can listen to
Sunday messages on our
church's website.

Looking for announcements?
Women's Ministry's
Newsletter
Children Ministries'
Newsletter
Church Bulletin?

Go to www.k3naz.org
Resources



MOVIE NIGHT

FROM THE CREATORS OF FIREPROOF AND COURAGEOUS

WAR ROOM

PRAYER IS A POWERFUL WEAPON

January 17
6:00 pm

Family Life
Center

PG

ADMISSION: One non-perishable food item per person
You will enjoy the movie and receive (1) free popcorn!
Remember to bring your non-perishable food item(s)
when you pick up your ticket(s).

Proceeds go towards our Food Pantry.
Concessions will be available for purchase at the movie night.

Life at K3NAZ

Sunday, January 10

- 8:30 am Prayer Time (Sanctuary) / Lighthouse Café open
- 9:00 am Sunday School (Classes for all ages)
- 10:30 am Worship Service
- 11:30 am Men's Huddle (Sanctuary)
- 12:00pm 222 Preteen Ministries
- 6:00 pm Youth Life Groups

Tuesday, January 12

- 11:30 am Prime Time Lunch (FLC)
- 6:30pm Prayer Gathering (Sanctuary)

Wednesday, January 13

- 4:45pm Teen Bible Quiz Practice
- 5:30pm Lighthouse Café opens
- 6:30pm Kids "Wanna Be Wednesday"
- Locker Room (Rm 304)
- Women's Book Study (Rm 104)
- Deeper (Sanctuary)
- Hispanic Ministries
- Youth Ministries

Thursday, January 14

- 6:30 pm Stitches (Barnes and Noble)

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- 11:30 am Men's Huddle (Sanctuary)
- 6:00 pm MOVIE NIGHT



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Offering

Builds:
Churches
Schools
Medical Facilities
Homes

Sunday, January 24, 2016

Sunday, January 31
11:30 am, in the FLC

Crossroads

Young Adult Ministry

LUNCH

RSVP to pastorgary@k3naz.org
by Friday, January 29

Sunday, January 10th, 2016