

INFORMATION FOR OUR GUESTS

Our prayer is that you will experience the presence of God today.

NFC Communication Cards are available in the pew racks or on the Early Church round tables. Please use these to communicate prayer requests, questions, or words of encouragement.

Nursery and preschool programs are available this morning in the Family Life Center. Please visit our web site at nfcnaz.org to find out more about NFC and our weekly activities.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, April 14

7:00am NNU Men's Bible Study Fellowship - Wordsworth Rm.
1:30pm NGL Program Stuffing - FH
7:00pm NGL Dress Rehearsal - Sanctuary

TUESDAY, April 15

6:00am Men's Bible Study - 2nd St. Deli
9:30am Heart 'n' Hand Quilters - B55 Ladies Bible Study - Doris Bowers'
No Ladies Bible Study at the Mission Hse
6:00pm Celebrate Recovery - Gym
6:30pm CR - CM Celebration Place - CM225
CR - Yth The Landing - Forum
Boy Scout Troop 112 - B59
7:00pm NGL Dress Rehearsal - Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY, April 16

6:30am Men's Bible Study - Sunrise Café
12:00pm Prayer & Fasting - Parlor
Church Library will not be open
6:30pm Nursery open
CM SLC Choir Practice - Forum
7:00pm No Greater Love Performance - Sanctuary

THURSDAY, April 17

7:00am Men's Prayer Group - Conf Rm
9:30am Girlfriends' Beth Moore Bible Study - Forum
6:30pm Nursery open
7:00pm No Greater Love Performance - Sanctuary

FRIDAY, April 18

5:30pm Good Friday Service - Forum
6:30pm Nursery open
7:00pm No Greater Love Performance - Sanctuary

SATURDAY, April 19

6:30pm Nursery open
7:00pm No Greater Love Performance - Sanctuary

EASTER SUNDAY, April 20

7:00am Easter Sunrise Service - Gym
7:45am Easter Sunrise Breakfast - FH
9:30am Intergenerational Early Church - Gym
10:45am Intergenerational Worship Celebration - Sanctuary
6:30pm Nursery open
7:00pm No Greater Love Performance - Sanctuary

April NFC Board Minutes & Intermountain District Insights April issues are available in the welcome center.

B - Basement of Ferdinand Hall
CH - Care House
CM - Children's Ministries, Upstairs FLC
Conf Rm - Family Life Center
FH - Ferdinand Hall
FLC - Family Life Center

Forum - Downstairs Family life Center
Parlor - Sanctuary Building
Ps - Preschool, Upstairs FLC
S - Sanctuary Building
Y - Youth, Downstairs FLC

WORSHIP GATHERINGS	
9:30 am Early Church	277
10:45 am Sanctuary Service	969
7:00 pm Tuesday Gym	116
Total	1362
Sunday School	1144

OFFERINGS	
GOAL FOR APRIL	\$ 154,085
Received to date	\$ 40,936
FAITH PROMISE BUDGET	\$ 225,000
FAITH PROMISE COMMITMENTS	\$ 258,148
Received to date	\$ 7,963

PRAY FOR:

- John & Vicki Moore - Australia
- Pastor Jeremy Johnston - Salt Lake City Central Church of the Nazarene
- Savannah Rogers - Air National Guard

IN THE HOSPITAL: Donna Mumford, Adalynn Van Stone, Bob Wraith

CONGRATULATIONS TO: Chris & Megan Van Stone on the birth of their daughter, **Adalynn Jane Van Stone**, on April 1. She weighed 1 lbs, 9.2 oz. Proud grandparents are **Karen Taylor, Jim & Daphne Van Stone, Rob & Merre Yergenson**.

IN APPRECIATION: Thank you for the cards, prayers & the many expressions of love extended to our family after the passing of my mother, **Wilma**. We are so grateful to all of you. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Nazarene Care House. - **Neal Moore & family**

YOU ARE INVITED TO: Benjamin Jacob Howard's Senior Vocal Showcase is April 24, 2014 at Emerson Auditorium, NNU, 7:30pm with Reception following at Wordsworth Rm, Student Ctr. Bldg. - NNU in celebration of his upcoming college graduation. Please RSVP by April 21 - phone or text: 514-8948 or 602-1865.

A member of our church family is in need of a full-time caregiver. For details, call 830-0126.

COMMUNITY:

- **"Dress'Um Cute" Kid's Clothing Closet** - Saturday, April 26, 9:00am - 12:00pm at Kuna Nazarene Church, 1281 W. Avalon St., Kuna. Join us to find great free clothes for your kids, infant to teen sizes. Questions: 724-5954 or dressumcute@gmail.com. A donation bin is also available at the church in Kuna.
- **Hands of Hope NW** is preparing a shipment of medical equipment & supplies to go to Guinea in West Africa. A national from that country came to Boise as a refugee & now he wants to help the people still in that country. When he left the refugee camp, he was told, "This is like the story of Joseph in the Old Testament. Don't forget about those of us still here." If you can help, please write that on your check & mail it to 1201 S. Powerline Rd. Nampa 83686.
- **Hands of Hope NW** is also collecting baby blankets, baby clothes & funds for a shipment to 2 birthing centers in the Philippines. This will support services for women living in one of the poorest areas of the world & help save babies' lives. To find more information, go to www.handsofopenw.org or call 461-1473.

Love INC Needs: Foster Kit Supplies: Nightlights, travel Kleenex, journals/diaries. **Bedding:** New or gently used twin, full & queen blankets & queen-sized sheets. There is a Love INC bin in the FLC foyer next to the Care House Bin. You may place your donations there. Items are picked up on Monday mornings.

2014 Church Election Results - Total Ballots Cast: 450

Church Board:	NMI Council Members:	NMI President:
Ernie Lowry	Dan Dillon	Don Larson
Jody Nelson	Holly Beech	Carrie Goldsmith
Cary Cook	Errol Carrim	
Anita Field	Ernie Lowry	
Gary Seward	Victor Mendoza	
Vicki Thomas	Curt Bowers	

Kent Conrad - Senior Pastor
Jim Vogel - Adult Pastor
Robbie Durbin - Singles' Pastor
Nate Roskam - Young Adult Pastor
Brian Loeber - Youth Pastor
Marcus LeBaron - Children's Pastor
Carol Schroeder - Early Child Pastor
Linda Thompson - Early Church Pastor

Barry Lucas - Celebrate Recovery Pastor
Eunice Lucas - Celebrate Recovery Pastor
Doran Ritchey - Worship Arts Pastor
Don Renschler - Pastoral Care
Bill Downs - Church Administrator
Ernie Lowry - Boy Scout Coordinator
Don Moore - Counseling Ministries
Hugh Friberg - NMI President

APRIL 13, 2014

We Gather To Worship

Sermon Title: **"The King is Coming"**

Scripture: **Matthew 21: 1 - 11**

9:30 am Early Church - Pastor Kent Conrad preaching - FLC Gym

10:45 am Worship Celebration - Pastor Kent Conrad preaching - Sanctuary

6:00 pm Evening Service - Pastor Kent Conrad preaching - FLC Gym

Prayer Opportunities This Week

Wednesday - 12:00pm - Prayer & Fasting - Parlor
You may also become a part of the Church Prayer Chain by calling Norma at 466-3549.

CHILDREN & PRESCHOOL MINISTRIES

Treasure Cove Today! Grades 1 - 6 & parents are invited to join us in Ferdinand Hall for Treasure Cove worship hour at 10:45am. This week the Puppets will share the Easter story!

No Wednesday Night Ministries this week due to "No Greater Love" performance.

ITS NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN! 5th & 6th Grade Preteen Choir & Missions practice TODAY, 5:55 - 7:15pm. Information is available at nfcnaz.org or ask Lisa Harper in Treasure Cove.

Easter Sunday Services, April 20: Sunday School will be available both hours for your preschooler. However, there will be no Elementary Sunday School classes or Treasure Cove. All Easter services are intergenerational.

KIDCHECK: A new check-in system for the Early Childhood Department will roll out on Sunday, April 27! At Nampa First Church, the safety & security of your children is very important. In order to make the transition as smooth as possible, please visit kidcheck.com, select "Sign-up," then "I'm a Parent, Guardian." Follow the link "set up your free login account." Call the CM office at 466-2302 if you have questions.

Trinity Pines Summer Camp registrations are now available! Look for the forms online at nfcnaz.org or on the Treasure Cove welcome tables. Call the CM office at 466-2302 with any questions or to turn in Camp Bucks, which help kids pay for camp!

Next Baby Dedication is on Sunday, April 27; deadline is Monday, April 14.

SINGLES MINISTRIES

Sunday - 9:30am - The SOS class is studying the Book of Joshua; Rita Daugherty leads. The **SPLASH class** is continuing "Basic Bible Studies for the Spirit-Filled & Sanctified Life" by Chic Shaver & is led by Marsha Rogers. Everyone welcome.

Sunday, April 13, 7:00pm - Coffee & Conversation at Marsha's home.

Wednesday, April 16 - No Divorce Care class this week due to the "No Greater Love" performance in the Sanctuary at 7:00pm.

Friday, April 18, 7:00pm - Potluck at Paul Sulik's home. Bring a dish to share.

Saturday, April 19, 7:00pm - Judah Smith - Details on NFC Singles Facebook & email.

Easter Sunday, April 20, 6:00am - Weather permitting - Carpool from church to Lizard Butte for sunrise service at 6:45am.

Saturday, April 26 - "Heaven Is For Real" movie at Edwards Theater - Details on Facebook & email.

JESUS, A Ministry of Hope.... At Home, Across The Street, and Around The World

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nampa First Church of the Nazarene's 35th Annual Presentation of NO GREATER LOVE

Performances nightly, April 16 - 20, at 7:00pm, in the NFC Sanctuary.
The cost per ticket is \$5 & they are available at the Nampa Civic Center box office, 468-5555 or online at nampaciviccenter.com.
Childcare for infant through kindergarten provided nightly.
Tuesday Dress Rehearsal is not open to the public; Care Facilities by invitation.

ANNUAL GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

April 18, 2014 from 5:30 - 6:00pm
Family Life Center downstairs in the Forum

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

Special Speaker - Grant Miller

April 20, 2014 - 7:00am - NFC Gym

Join us for a celebration of our Savior's Resurrection

Everyone is invited to Ferdinand Hall for the

ANNUAL EASTER SUNRISE BREAKFAST - 7:45am

Menu: Bill's Eggs, Ham, Fruit Bowl, Cheryl's Cinnamon Rolls, Drinks

GENERAL INFORMATION

There will be no Wednesday Night Dinner nor Wednesday night classes & activities this week due to the "No Greater Love" performance at 7:00am in the Sanctuary.

Graduation Honors: If you or someone you know is graduating from college or receiving a Masters or Doctorate Degree, we want to know! Please put the graduates name & contact information (or your contact information) on a communication card & place it in the offering. We will be honoring these graduates during Early Church & Sanctuary services on May 4.

Easter Lilies - Again this year, you may provide an Easter Lily in memory/honor of someone. Cost for each lily is \$8. Please clearly mark your check "Easter Lily" with the name of the person you wish to honor. Approximately 40 plants are needed.

Authentic Men's Breakfast - Saturday, April 26, 7:30am - FLC Gym. Celebrate Recovery Pastor Barry Lucas will share his amazing testimony. Make your reservation today on a communication card or register online at nfcnaz.org by Tuesday, April 22.

Steve & Tamara Fairbanks, from a Restricted Access Area, will be here April 26 & 27. Adult, young adult & youth Sunday school classes are invited to hear the Fairbanks talk about "Loving our M* Neighbors," during their respective SS hour either in the Sanctuary or the Gym. There will be a deputation service on Sunday evening with finger food fellowship. Who are your M* Neighbors? Come find out for yourself!

Join us for a 4-week Parenting Webinar with Pastor Jayme Lenker sponsored by NFC Children's Ministries beginning Monday, April 28, 6:00 - 7:30pm in Ferdinand Hall. The topic is "A Misbehaving Child is a Discouraged Child" followed by a brief question & answer time. Register online at nfcnaz.org or call the CM office at 466-2302. Additional weeks' topics include "Punishment & Discipline, What are the Differences?", "Family Meetings" & "Sibling Rivalry."

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 20, SCHEDULE:

7:00am Intergenerational Sunrise Service - Grant Miller preaching - FLC Gym

7:45am Annual Easter Breakfast - Ferdinand Hall

No Sunday School classes/2nd hour classes

9:30am Intergenerational Early Church Service - Pastor Kent Conrad preaching - FLC Gym

10:45am Intergenerational Sanctuary Service - Pastor Kent Conrad preaching - Sanctuary

7:00pm Final 2014 performance of "No Greater Love"

HELP SAVE A LIFE: Red Cross Blood Drive, Thursday, May 1, 1:00 - 6:00pm in the FLC Gym. Sign up today at the welcome center or welcome tables in Early Church, or call Jessie Marbry at 429-5835.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

Tuesday, April 15, 2014 - FLC Gym
Lesson 15: Victory

6:00pm Dinner - \$3.00 - (Optional)

7:00pm Family Friendly Services:

Nursery (up to 5 yrs); Celebration Place (Elementary);
The Landing (Teens); Large Worship (Adults)

8:00pm Small Groups

9:00pm Coffee Fellowship



YOUTH MINISTRIES

*the HUB: Sunday, 9:30am - Forum

*No Wednesday Night activities this week.

For more information on our weekly youth ministry rhythms or information for upcoming events, visit us @ nfcnaz.org/ministries/teens or on Facebook; search NFC Student Ministries.

For questions or to receive regular emails, mark Youth on a communication card or email Brian Loeber at bloeber@nfcnaz.org.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES

Young Adult Class - Sundays - 9:30am in S260, continuing a study of the Book of Hebrews. Grant Miller, teacher.

Wednesday Night: No Wednesday Night Dinner & activities this week due to "No Greater Love" performance in the Sanctuary at 7:00pm. Regular Wednesday Night Dinner & activities will resume next week.

NAZARENE MISSIONS INTERNATIONAL

Pakikisama Missionary Chapter will not meet tonight as scheduled. Glen Noble will speak after Wednesday night dinner, April 23. Come & bring a friend.

The Launch Missions small group will be meeting TODAY at 12:15pm in Ferdinand Hall. During lunch together, Denise will share about her upcoming trip to do social work & physical therapy in South Asia. Childcare is provided. For information, call 615-7835.

Our annual NMI Convention will be in conjunction with the District Assembly beginning Wednesday, April 30, at 7:00pm, with Dr. Louie Bustle as the missions speaker, & ending with an NMI Delegates' banquet on Friday, May 2, at 12:00pm.

Now is the time. The door is currently open for us to help our church in Cuba! We need your help to develop the Saavedra Community Garden and/or help with the W&W building project at the Cafetal church. Both projects are September 20 - October 4, 2014. Applications are available online or the Welcome Center. June 15 is the sign up deadline. Join us for this upcoming & exciting W&W trip.

Thailand Mission Trip Yard Sale Fund Raiser: We are raising funds to support at risk & orphaned youth in Northern Thailand, & would love to have your donations. Our yard sale will be Saturday, April 26, from 9:00am - 3:00pm, at NFC. Call to schedule a drop off or pick up time: Lisa Harper 465-6106 or DJ Watanabe 467-2447.

CARE HOUSE MINISTRIES

Target food for April is Mac & Cheese & Tuna.

Since last Sunday, the Care House has served:
People: 648 Boxes: 155 Meals Served: 1,944