

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, September 1

Office Closed for Labor Day

TUESDAY, September 2

6:00am Men’s Bible Study – 2nd St. Deli
9:30am Heart n’ Hand Quilters – B55
6:00pm Boy Scouts Troop 112 – B59
6:30pm King’s Travelers - FH
6:45pm Celebrate Recovery Childcare
(0 - 4 years) - Nursery
7:00pm Celebrate Recovery – Gym
CR – CM Celebration Place – CM225
CR – Yth The Landing – Forum

WEDNESDAY, September 3

6:30am Men’s Bible Study – Sunrise Café
12:00pm Prayer & Fasting – Parlor
3:00 – 5:00 pm Church Library open – Rm135
6:15pm Nursery Opens
6:30pm Authentic Men’s Prayer Mtg – S259
Intergenerational Gal’s Prayer Group -
Rm124
CR Women’s Step Study – 217
CR Men’s Step Study – 216
CM Swim Night – Circle Dr
Midweek Bible Study – Parlor
Reading Thru the Bible – Conf Rm
Yth – The HUB – Forum
Esperanza Spanish Bible Study – Y09
Choir Rehearsal – Choir Rm
Early Church Mtg – CM219

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

WEDNESDAY, September 3, continued

6:30pm Cub Scout Pack Mtg – B59
8:00pm Youth Fall Parent Mtg - Forum

THURSDAY, September 4

7:00am Men’s Prayer Mtg – Conf Rm

FRIDAY, September 5

6:30pm Singles Road of Healing - Forum

SATURDAY, September 6

8:30am Middle School Parents Seminar -
NNU
9:30am NMI Retreat – 2nd St Deli
10:30am RRJ Mtg – Flying M
11:00am Grace Geselle Funeral - Gym

SUNDAY, September 7

9:20am Nursery (ages 0 to Kinder.)
9:30am Early Church – Gym
Sunday School – NFC Grounds
Yth – the HUB – Forum
10:45am Worship Celebration – Sanc
Fall Youth Parent Mtg – Y27
Treasure Cove - FH
10:50am EC 2nd Hr. Classes-NFC Grounds
12:30pm Membership Luncheon - Gym
4:00pm Teen Quizzing – Y14/15
4:30pm Back to School Bash – Seward’s
5:30pm CM Quizzing – CM209
6:00pm Evening Worship

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

PRAY FOR:

- Glenn & Jill Noble - Kosovo
- Pastor Mouse McKinney - Enterprise Church of the Nazarene
- Jacob Barlow - US Army

IN THE HOSPITAL: Cammi Ellis, R. G. Vanderpool

YOU ARE INVITED: Drop in & greet the new **Borah babies**, their parents & grand-
parents on Saturday, September 13, 2:00 - 4:00pm at 8107 Southside Blvd. If you have
questions, please call 901-9246 (Neva) or 467-1504 (Marlene).

CONGRATULATIONS TO: **Brent & Anne Peterson** on the birth of their daughter
Sydnee Reece Peterson. She weighed 7lbs, 7oz. She joins her siblings, **Noah &
Lexi**. Proud grandparents are **Dave & Linda Peterson & Bill & Niki Jo Loverde**.

A **Memorial Service for Grace Geselle** will be held in the FLC Gym on Saturday,
September 6, at 11:00am. Everyone is welcome.

Breakfast is served: Overflow Java Ministry is serving Breakfast Burritos, Egg
Sandwiches, Pancakes & French Toast; all at low prices from 8:40 - 9:30am on Sunday
mornings in the Forum. Also, serving gourmet espresso drinks & other cafe favorites for
\$2 or less.

Overflow Coffee Cart will be at the Nampa Farmers’ Market every Saturday through
October! Come by to see our teens & buy your favorite coffee-shop drink! All proceeds
go to our Youth Ministry. Nampa Farmers’ Market is open from 9:00am - 1:00pm. Thank
you for your support.

COMMUNITY:

- God & Country - 8th Annual Family Fair & Roundup** sponsored by Mountain
View Church of the Nazarene, September 7, 8:30am - 4:00pm, at Owyhee County
Fair Grounds, Homedale. Free admission. 10:30am Cowboy Church service.
- Clown School 101** - Beginner Clown Full Meal Deal! Friday & Saturday,
September 12 - 13, at NFC in Ferdinand Hall. Ages 8 to adult. Cost of \$25 per
person includes food & beverage. Headliner clown is Regina “Cha Cha” Wollrabe.
For information, time schedule or registration, call Mary Ann Kojis at 484-5326.
- Closer to Heaven – A Tour of Mountain Homes:** Help Mountain Kids’ Day
Camp, a free, faith-based camp for kids, on September 13, 10:00am – 4:00pm. The
tour includes private homes, historic buildings & The Sluice Box in Idaho City. Home
tour tickets, \$10, on sale in the church office. \$10 will also buy a ticket on the church
bus to & from Idaho City. **Tickets available today in the West Foyer**. Lunch:
As a fundraiser, a baked potato bar lunch for \$5, apple crisp for \$2 & apple crisp
with ice cream for \$2.50 will be available at the Idaho City Senior Center.

Thank you to the 34 very special people from NFC who volunteered 288.75 hours to
Love INC in the month of July. If you would be interested in volunteering for Love INC,
please call 466-7810, ext. 3.

Tableproject: Come join us on the Table. It’s a private online meeting
place, just for our church, that enables us to connect 24/7, not just on
Sunday. Need help or more information? Contact the group leader of any
of the ministries in which you are involved or email tablehelp@nfcnaz.org
for more information.

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
James Austin - Community Life 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

AUGUST 31, 2014

WORSHIP GATHERINGS	
9:30 am Early Church	241
10:45 am Sanctuary Service	785
7:00 pm Tuesday Gym	111
Total	1137
Sunday School	913

OFFERINGS	
GOAL FOR AUGUST	\$ 195,338
Received to date	\$ 148,635
FAITH PROMISE BUDGET	\$ 245,000
FAITH PROMISE COMMITMENTS	\$ 249,602
Received to date	\$ 100,255

We Gather To Worship

Sermon Title: “Instruction for Working the Path”

Scripture: Romans 12: 9-21

9:30am Early Church – Pastor Kent Conrad preaching - FLC Gym
10:45am Worship Celebration - Pastor Kent Conrad preaching - Sanctuary
6:00pm No evening service - Enjoy the holiday weekend with your family

Prayer Opportunities This Week

Wednesday - 12:00pm - Prayer & Fasting - Parlor
6:30pm - Authentic Men’s Prayer Meeting - S259
Intergenerational Gals’ Prayer Group - Rm 124, Main ofc.
You may also become a part of the Church Prayer Chain by calling Norma at 466-3549.

GENERAL INFORMATION

GOD’S MERRY WIDOWS* LUNCHEON

A Celebration of Autumn - Monday, September 15, 12:00pm - Ferdinand Hall
Special Speaker: Molly Beech - Special Music: Becky Walker - \$5 at the door
Make your reservation by calling 466-3549 by Thursday, September 11.
*A NFC ministry for single senior ladies & those with husbands in a care facility

Today is Dollar Sunday. Thank you for your continued support of the Care House Ministry. May we suggest you give \$1 to help feed our neighbors in need.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE: Thursday, September 4, 1:00 - 6:00pm in FLC Gym. Call Lee Lais (in Nampa), 541-601-6127, with questions/concerns or to make an appointment. YOU can make a difference & save a life!

The Church Office will be closed Monday, September 1, in observance of Labor Day.

Bible Study/Prayer Group Opportunities:

- **Men’s Prayer Meeting** resumes on Thursday, September 4, at 7:00am in the FLC Conference Room.
- **Ladies Bible Study** will begin meeting again on Tuesday, September 9, at 9:30am in CM217. The study will be the book of Colossians.

YOUTH MINISTRIES

The ‘HUB’ - Forum, Sundays at 9:30am & Wednesdays at 6:30pm.

Middle School Parents Seminar - September 6, 8:30am - noon at NNU. Registration is \$20. Bring your own lunch. For more information, visit the Teens upcoming events page at nfcnaz.org or email Stacie (sballard@nfcnaz.org).

Back to School Bash September 7, 4:30 - 8:00pm, for Middle & High School students at Seward’s home. Leaving the church as a youth group at 5:00pm.

Fall Semester Parent’s meeting options: Please attend one! September 3, 8:00pm - Forum; September 7 during second service in Y27; September 9, 7:00pm - Y14/15.

For more information on our weekly youth ministry rhythms or for upcoming events, visit us at nfcnaz.org/ministries/teens or [facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com) at NFC Student Ministries.

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

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Are you interested in becoming a member of NFC?

You are invited to attend a Membership Information Luncheon following the Sanctuary Service Sunday, September 7. We will receive members the following Sunday, September 14. Those who are not transferring from another Nazarene Church will need to attend a Doctrine Class on Wednesday, September 10. Youth membership class (mandatory for membership) also on September 10, 8:00pm in the Forum. Please fill out a communication card if you plan to attend the luncheon.

BEYOND THE ASHES IN CONCERT!

Sunday, September 14 - 6:00pm - NFC Sanctuary
Free admission - Doors open at 5:15pm

KARI JOBE CONCERT

NFC on Tuesday, September 23, at 7:00pm
Tickets now on sale at the church office or go to nfcnaz.org & click on the link
\$25 General Admission - \$20 Group of 10 or more
Doors open at 6:00pm
Call church office for special NFC member price at 466-3549

CHILDREN & PRESCHOOL MINISTRIES

Intergenerational Services Today! Parents & grades K - 6 are invited to worship with their families during today’s morning services. Please plan to pick up your elementary child on the steps of Ferdinand Hall by 10:40am to attend the Sanctuary Service. **There will not be a second hour Sunday School class today.** Pick up your Kindergartner in their classroom. Early Church kindergartners may be brought back to the Fox class in the Preschool Department for your Sunday School hour.

Last Summer Swim Night at Pastor Marcus’ house is this coming Wednesday, September 3, for our current 1st – 6th graders! Bring your swim suit & towel & meet in Circle Drive at 6:30 pm sharp. We will return at 7:45pm.

Bear Class Promotion September 7: The 3’s from the Nursery will be promoting to their new Sunday School class upstairs in the FLC Preschool room.

Regular Fall Children’s Activities will begin the week of September 7. Treasure Cove will start on Sunday, September 7. Benson’s Buddies for the Pre-K (Fox Class) & Kindergartners, Lift Off Live for grades 1 - 4 & MIX56 for grades 5 & 6 will begin on Wednesday, September 10.

Baby Dedication is Sunday, September 21. If you would like your baby dedicated, please contact the Children Ministries office at 466-2302 by Monday, September 8.

WOMEN’S MINISTRIES/GIRLFRIENDS

Beth Moore Fall Bible Study begins Thursday, September 11, 9:30 - 11:00am. We will use Beth’s brand new study, “Children of the Day,” from 1 & 2 Thessalonians! Workbooks are \$17.50. If you want one, call the church office or write your name, phone number & “Thessalonians” on a communication card & drop in the offering today. Childcare is provided. All are welcome....Can’t wait!

CARE HOUSE MINISTRIES

Thank you for all the “Grow-A-Row” & other produce that is being brought into the Care House. It is a big help to our neighbors in need.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY



Tuesday, September 2, 2014 - FLC Gym Testimony

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

NAZARENE MISSIONS INTERNATIONAL

Crisis Care Kits are desperately needed due to the many disasters around the world. You may pick up a list of items for CCK’s at the welcome center.

Missionary “reading” books for kids are available in the children’s department; the adult books, as well as CD’s, can be found at the missions kiosk in the west foyer & in the church library. The theme this year is faithfulness in persecution. Check them out!

Alabaster offering will be taken September 28, the last Sunday of the month. Continue filling your Alabaster boxes for this offering.

SINGLES MINISTRIES

Sunday mornings - SOS is studying the Book of John led by Becky Warner. **SPLASH** is continuing their study on sanctification led by Marsha Rogers & Benny Choy.

Sunday evenings - Fellowship in the Park - Bring a snack & your lawn chair & join us at Lions Park at 7:00pm.

Monday, September 1, at 2:00pm - Labor Day BBQ at Sandy’s. Call Marsha, 989-1098, for details.

Wednesday, September 10, at 6:30pm Divorce Care & DC4Kids begins! Divorce Care in Y16/17 & DC4 Kids (ages 5 -12) in CM218.

Friday, September 5, at 6:30pm - ROH beginning a new session. All singles, ages 25 plus, are welcome!

October 17 - 19 - Singles Retreat at Trinity Pines - \$90 for the weekend. Jerry McConnell is the speaker this year! You want to be there! Register online at www.nfcnaz.org/ministries/singles/singles-retreat. Open to all singles age 25 plus. Contact Marsha or Robbie with questions.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES

Young Adult Class – Sundays – 9:30am in S260, studying the Book of Romans. Teachers: Grant Miller/John Emerson.

Thursdays, 8:00 - 9:00pm: “10’s & 2’s” - a midweek young adult gathering for worship, connection & encouragement, meets at Real Life Community Church, in Nampa across from Flying M. Hang out at 9:00pm at Flying M. Coffee’s free your first time!

For more details on young adult events, check out nfcnaz.org/ministries/young-adult or [facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com) at NFC - Young Adults.