

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 29

7:00pm NMI Council Mtg – Conf Rm
CR Women’s 12 Step – Rm 124

TUESDAY, September 30

6:00am Men’s Bible Study – 2nd St. Deli
9:30am Heart n’ Hand Quilters – B55
Ladies Bible Study – CM217
1:30pm Ladies’ Prayer Group at Mission House
6:00pm Boy Scouts Troop 112 – B59
Celebrate Recovery – Gym
CR – CM Celebration Place – CM225
CR – Yth The Landing – Forum
6:45pm CR Childcare (0 - 4 yrs) - Nursery

WEDNESDAY, October 1

6:30am Men’s Bible Study – Sunrise Café
12:00pm Prayer & Fasting – Sanc
3:00 – 5:00pm Church Library open – Rm 135
5:15pm Wednesday Night Dinner – Gym
6:00 - 6:30pm Church Library Open – Rm 135
6:15pm Nursery Opens
Brass Ensemble Rehearsal – S4
6:30pm Authentic Men’s Prayer Mtg – S259
Intergen Prayer Grp for Gals – Rm124
CR Women’s Step Study – 217
CR Men’s Step Study – 216
Midweek Bible Study – Parlor
Reading Thru the Bible – Conf Rm
Yth – The HUB – Forum
Esperanza Spanish Bible Study – Y09
Choir Rehearsal – Choir Rm
Cub Scout Pack Mtg – B59
Financial Peace University – FH
Holiness for Ordinary People – S260
Benson’s Buddies (Pre-K & K) - Pre-School Dept.
Lift Off Live (1st – 4th Grades) - CM221

WEDNESDAY, October 1, continued

6:30pm CM Mix 56 (5th & 6th Grades) - CM224
Divorce Care – Y16/17
Divorce Care for Kids – CM218
Beth Moore Bible Study – Y14/15
Community Life Mtg – CM219
Young Adult Women’s Prayer Grp - S256
Bible Study – Book of John – Y01
7:30pm Treasure Cove Practice/Preteen Leadership - FH

THURSDAY, October 2

7:00am Men’s Prayer Mtg – Conf Rm
9:30am Beth Moore Bible Study – Forum
5:06pm Cuba W&W flight lands - Boise Airport
7:00pm Men’s Open Gym Bball - Gym

FRIDAY, October 3

6:30pm Singles Road of Healing - Forum

SATURDAY, October 4

10:30am RRJ Mtg @ Flying M
6:00pm Preteen Leadership Training

SUNDAY, October 5

9:20am Nursery (ages 0 to Kinder.)
9:30am Early Church – Gym
Sunday School – NFC Grounds
Yth – NFCU – Forum
10:45am Worship Celebration – Sanc
Treasure Cove - FH
10:50am EC 2nd Hr. Classes - NFC Grounds
4:00pm Teen Quizzing – Y14/15
Puppet Team Practice – Puppet Rm
5:30pm Children’s Quizzing – Y209
6:00pm Crusader Choir/Orchestra
Performance – Sanc
High School Girls Life Group - Forum

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 | 247 |
| 10:45 am Sanctuary Service | 1009 |
| 7:00 pm Tuesday Gym | 146 |
| Total | 1402 |
| Sunday School | 1197 |

| OFFERINGS | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| GOAL FOR SEPTEMBER | \$ 156,270 |
| Received to date | \$ 111,054 |
| FAITH PROMISE BUDGET | \$ 245,000 |
| FAITH PROMISE COMMITMENTS | \$ 249,602 |
| Received to date | \$ 116,347 |

PRAY FOR:

- Mary Beth Leatherman - Creative Access Area - LINKS
- Harper Church of the Nazarene - In Transition
- Phillip Bates - US Air Guard

IN THE HOSPITAL: Sandra Brown, Vera Evans, Janna Goode

IN APPRECIATION:

- A huge thank you from Jennifer Alban & Mountain Kids’ Day Camp to all who bought tickets, donated to, attended, or otherwise supported the recent Closer to Heaven - Tour of Mountain Homes in Idaho City. New fundraising records were set for the event, thus insuring many children will be hearing the gospel at camp for several years to come. We really appreciate all the encouragement & support.
- A huge “Thank You” from the **Families of Evelyn Beech Winkle** for the many remembrances & the excellent dinner provided following Evelyn’s memorial service. You could not have been more kind or thoughtful!

YOU ARE INVITED TO:

- A 100th Birthday celebration for **Esther Michaelis**. Drop in on Sunday, October 5, between 2:00 - 5:00pm at Robin’s Nest on 16th Ave. Please, no gifts & please sign the guest book.
- The marriage of **Joanna Evangeline Vanderpool & Jeremy Lee Black** on Saturday, October 4, 2014 at 2:00pm at College Church of the Nazarene, 504 E Dewey Ave, Nampa. Reception to follow. RSVP: 208-949-9882.

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

OVERFLOW JAVA MINISTRY - Downstairs of the FLC adjacent to the Forum. A variety of flavored hot/cold coffees & drinks are available until 9:25am for \$2 or less. Proceeds support our NFC Youth Ministries.

Our thanks to the 39 NFC family members who gave 265.25 volunteers hours to Love INC during the month of August. If you too would like to volunteer for Love INC, you may 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

SEPTEMBER 28, 2014

We Gather To Worship

Sermon Title: **"Working the Path Starts With Me"**
Scripture: **Philippians 2: 1-11**
9:30am Early Church - Pastor Marcus LeBaron preaching - FLC Gym
10:45am Worship Celebration - Pastor Marcus LeBaron preaching - Sanctuary
6:00pm Jerry Nelson Concert - Free admission - Sanctuary

Prayer Opportunities This Week

Tuesday - 1:30pm - Ladies' Prayer Group - Mission House
Wednesday - 12:00pm - Prayer & Fasting - Parlor
6:30pm - Authentic Men's Prayer Meeting - \$259
Intergenerational Gals' Prayer Group - Rm 124, Main ofc.
Thursday - 7:00am - Men's Prayer Meeting - FLC Conference Rm
You may also become a part of the Church Prayer Chain by calling Norma at 466-3549

GENERAL INFORMATION

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

Join us for a time of food & fellowship with our church family, 5:15 - 6:15pm, in the Gym!
Menu: Corned beef with cabbage, taters, carrots, cornbread & cookies.
Koinonia will serve. Make a reservation today on a communication card or email nfc@nfcnaz.org by 4:00pm Tuesday.
Cost is \$3.50 for ages 9 & older; \$2.50 for ages 4 - 8; ages 0 - 3 are free.
Family of 4 (children up to age 19) \$10 (additional children \$2.50 each).

Alabaster offering will be received TODAY in our morning worship services. Alabaster boxes may be picked up at the welcome center.

Today is Dollar Sunday. May we suggest that you give \$1 to the Care House Ministry to help feed the hungry in our neighborhood. And thank you for your continued support.

Boise Rescue Mission Holiday Banquets here at NFC are scheduled for November 26 (Thanksgiving) & December 20 (Christmas). Volunteer sign-ups begin Wednesday, October 1 & are being handled by Boise Rescue Mission this year. Please visit boiserm.org to volunteer. To sign up to work the Prep shift 8:00 - 10:00am either day, please call Dotti at 466-3549 or write your name, phone number & "Prep" on a communication card. You will be contacted.

Volunteer Opportunities: Contact Facilities at 466-3549 if you are interested.

- **Sound & video techs** for services & various events. Training will be given.
- **CDL Drivers** needed for various scheduled church trips.

Project Shoebox: It's time to start thinking about Christmas shoeboxes! Now is the time to begin looking for the good deals! More information will be coming soon.

CARE HOUSE MINISTRIES

The Care House needs plastic grocery bags for our clients' use. Please take them to the Care House bin in the FLC foyer. Thank you.

Nazarene Care House count for September 13, 16 & 18:

People: 684 Boxes: 149 Meals: 2,082

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

JERRY NELSON IN CONCERT

Tonight, September 28 - 6:00pm - NFC Sanctuary
Free admission - Doors open at 5:15pm - A love offering will be received

NORTHWEST GOSPELFEST

Hosted by Liberty Quartet & featuring The Talley Trio & Tribute Quartet
October 10 & 11, 2014 at NFC
Single Concert \$15* - Both Concerts \$25* - Ladies' Brunch or Men's Breakfast \$20
Tickets at northwestgospelfest.com or the NFC office
*Prices before October 1

CHILDREN & PRESCHOOL MINISTRIES

Pastor Marcus is preaching for today's Intergenerational Services! Kids, bring your completed worship bulletin up to the podium for a special prize. Parents & K-6th graders are invited to worship with their families during today's intergenerational services. Please plan to pick up your elementary child on the steps of Ferdinand Hall by 10:40am to attend the Sanctuary Service. Pick up your Kindergartner in their classroom. There is no Elementary 2nd Hour Sunday School class this week. Early Church kindergartners may be brought back to the Preschool Department for 2nd hour Sunday School.

Wednesday Night Ministries: Lift Off Live, for grades 1 -4, will meet in room #221 upstairs in the Family Life Center. Theme is "God Keeps His Promises." MIX56, for grades 5 & 6, meets in FLC #224. Theme is "God's Word: Is That It?" Benson's Buddies (Pre-K & Kindergarten) will be back in the Preschool Department continuing our unit on farms.

MOMS Club is every 2nd & 4th Tuesday each month from September through May. This year we are beginning with a book study "Six Ways To Keep the 'Good' in Your Boy" by Dannah Gresh. Childcare is available at 9:05am for \$3.00. See you Tuesday, October 14.

Baby Dedication is scheduled for October 12. If you are interested in having your child dedicated, please contact the CM office by Monday, September 29.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES

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

Young Adults are invited to our Wednesday Night Dinner for FREE! Come fellowship with other young adults & adults from the church & have a great home-cooked meal. New discipleship groups just started. Email Pastor Nate for more information.

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/nfcnaz.org) at NFC - Young Adults.

YOUTH MINISTRIES

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

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

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

With Christ,
MOVING FORWARD
Out of Denial
Into God's Grace!

This week:
Video Testimony

Tuesday, September 30, 7:00pm, FLC Gym
Family Friendly Programs
A Safe place to leave hurts, habits & hang-ups
& move forward!

BIBLE STUDY 101- Room CM209 - Tuesdays at 8:00pm

This Bible Study goes deeper into The Eight Principles of Celebrate Recovery. It is designed to provide a greater application & working knowledge of each of the Beatitudes from Jesus' Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5:3-12).
Leaders are Jerry Powers & Reese Verner.

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 & Coffee, 7:00pm, at Marsha's house, 1030 E Hawaii.

Wednesday, October 1 - Divorce Care & DC4Kids (ages 5 - 12), 6:30 - 7:45pm. Divorce Care in FLC Y16/17 & DC4Kids in CM218.

Friday, October 3, 6:30pm - Forum. "Destinations" with Andy Stanley continues. Bring your own dinner & join us for the video followed by discussion, prayer & games.

Saturday, October 11 - Day trip to Idaho City. \$5.00 for the shuttle. Bring your own lunch. Meet at the church at 9:30am. We will be back about 3:00pm. RSVP to Marsha 989-1098.

October 17, 18, 19 - Singles Retreat! Register on line at nfcnaz.org (click on singles). Great speaker & worship music! To RSVP for the van, call Marsha 989-1098.

NAZARENE MISSIONS INTERNATIONAL

NMI Council Monthly Meeting tomorrow, September 29, 7:00pm in the Conference room.

Nazarene Compassionate Ministries hopes to address the root cause of all the children coming across our southern border by establishing at least 10 new Child Development Centers in the 3 countries of Guatemala, El Salvador & Honduras. The CDCs will address issues that send children over the border, such as extreme poverty, neglect & exploitation. Your help is needed. To send donations by mail, make checks payable to "General Treasurer" & send them to: Global Treasury Services, Church of the Nazarene, Nazarene Compassionate Ministries P.O. Box 843116, Kansas City, MO 64184-3116. Be sure to put 123582 in the Memo area.

School Pal-Paks: These supplies are sent to our mission schools for the children of our missionaries around the world. If you would like to help with this need, you may pick up a list of items & a bag to put them in at the Welcome Center.

As the Ebola outbreak in West Africa enters its seventh month, the Church of the Nazarene continues to serve affected individuals & communities through education, preventative measures, & prayer. In Togo, children at a Nazarene orphanage prayed for God to take away Ebola. Lord, please hear & answer their prayers.