# 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, February 4 6:45 am Men's Bible Study/NNU Cafeteria 12:00pm Sr. Adult Trip - Boise Car Museum

#### **TUESDAY**, February 5

- 6:00 am Men's Bible Study 2nd St. Deli 6:30 am Men's Bible Study Sunrise Café 9:30 am Women's Bible Study–Bowers Home
- Heart n' Hand Quilters B55
- 1:30 pm Ladies Prayer Group Mission Hse. 6:00 pm Celebrate Recovery Gym
- 6:30 pm CR-CM Celebration Station-CM225 CR – Yth The Landing – Forum Boy Scouts Troop 112 – B59 King's Travelers - FH

## WEDNESDAY, February 6

- 6:30 am Men's Bible Study Sunrise Café 12:00pm Prayer & Fasting Parlor

- 4:00 pm Free Tax Prep. FH Foyer 5:15 pm Wednesday Night Dinner FH
- 6:15 pm Nursery
  6:30 pm Benson's Buddies PS227 CM-(1st-4th) Lift Off Live CM222 CM-(5th & 6th ) Mix 56 CM224 Yth-Faith, Family & Culture Forum – FH Choir Practice – Choir Rm. Spanish Bible Study – Y09 Divorce Care - Y16/Y17 That the World May Know - CM216 Spiritual Formation – S257 Men's Fusion Bible Study - Y01 Midweek Bible Study - Parlor Financial Peace University – Gym Beth Moore Bible Study of David - Y14/Y15 Life's Healing Choices - Y05 The Living Room - Care Hse.

## **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, February 6 6:30 pm CR Women's Step Study - CM217 Cub Scouts Troop 112 - B59

THURSDAY, February 7 7:00 am Men's Prayer Fellowship – Conf. Rm. 9:30 am Precepts Bible Study – Y14/Y15 Girlfriends Bible Study – Forum 11:00pm Wesley Conference – NNU 4:00 pm Free Tax Prep. - FH Foyer 6:30 pm Carrim's Family Time - CM209 7:00 pm Men's Open Gym Venture Crew 112 - B59

FRIDAY, February 8 8:00 am Wesley Conference - NNU 6:30 pm Single's Road of Healing - Forum CM (5th & 6th) Quest - LeBaron's Home

**SATURDAY, February 9** 8:30 am RRJ Mtg. – Honkers Café 9:00 am CR Men's Step Study – Conf. Rm. 6:00 pm Joint Heirs Game Night - Forum 6:45 pm Nursery 7:00 pm Evening Prayer - Gym

- SUNDAY, February 10 9:20 am Nursery (ages 0 to Kinder.) 9:30 am Early Church – Gym Courageous Men's Group – B59 Sunday School – NFC Grounds Yth – ŃFCU - Forum 10:45am Worship Celebration – Sanctuary
- Treasure Cove FH 10:50am EC 2nd Hr. Classes-NFC Grounds
- 2nd Hr. Spanish Class Y09
- 6:00 pm Evening Service 7:00 pm FingerFood Fellowship - Gym Pakikisama - Parlor

Forum-Downstairs Family life Center Parlor - Sanctuary Building PS - Preschool, Upstairs FLC S - Sanctuary Building Y-Youth, Downstairs FLC YAG - Young Adult Groups

Intermountain District Insights for February are available at the Welcome Center.

NUARY \$ 154,990
date \$ 131,775
5 220 000
SE BUDGET \$ 220,000
se Commitments S 244,375
date \$ 204,902
Offering \$1,551.57

#### **PRAY FOR:**

- Missionary Kids in Papua New Guinea LINKS
- Mark & Glenda Bernhardt Nampa Karcher •
- Matt Skaggs Army

IN THE HOSPITAL: Betty Gardner, Hugh Stringfield, Joani Todd & Mike Wiebe.

#### **COMMUNITY:**

- Free Income Tax preparation NFC is providing space for VITA the (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) program, for taxpayers with income levels below \$50,000. Volunteers are available on Wednesdays & Thursdays from 4:00 – 8:00 pm beginning **February 6 until April 11** (with the exception of March 27-28) in room FH242. No appointment is neces-
- Hands of Hope NW needs you! Here is a great opportunity to serve & use your skills to help those in need both at home & overseas. This volunteer powered ministry will be holding an informational meeting on Tuesday, February 12, 7:00 - 8:00 pm for all who want to explore the possibilities of volunteering. Office assistance, warehouse work, & medical supply sorting are just a few of the positions available. No special training is needed; just a compassionate & willing heart. Come join us for cookies & coffee & find out what it is all about. Please call the office at 461-1473 if
- you have questions & to RSVP. You are invited to the Third Annual Cornerstone Scholarship Dinner & Auction at MAF, March 2, 2013. Please contact Judy Harmon at 498-0784 or jharmon@maf.org for further information. Seating is limited.

We have someone in our church family in need of some household items. Please contact Dotti at the church office if you have any of the following items to donate. Curtains, bed linens, baking dishes, coffee pot, toaster, floor heater. There is a drop box in the church office if you have items to donate. Thank you.

#### LOVE INC:

Love INC. Needs List is available at the Welcome Center. Food & clothing donations may be brought to the donation box in the FLC foyer.

#### Pantry Shortages

- **Food** syrup, jam, cooking oil, vinegar, saltine crackers, kool-aid, coffee, (regular), hot chocolate & dried lentils/peas.
- **Toiletries -** Shaving cream.
- Paper Products Gallon/quart bags •
- Cleaning Products Dish/laundry soap, Comet.

#### The Grace Place: Weekly Special - Warehouse Sale - Furniture, household items, exercise equipment & more - Friday, February 8 & Saturday, February 9 16470 N. Franklin, Nampa.

Kent Conrad - Senior Pastor Mike Wiebe - Worship Pastor Jim Vogel - Adult Pastor **Robbie Durbin** - Singles' Pastor Nate Roskam - Youth Pastor Brian Loeber - Assoc. Youth Pastor Grant Miller - Assoc. Yng. Adult Pastor Marcus LeBaron - Children's Pastor Carol Gunstream - Early Child Pastor

Linda Thompson - Early Church Pastor Barry Lucas - Celebrate Recovery Pastor Eunice Lucas - Celebrate Recovery Pastor Don Renschler - Pastoral Care Bill Downs - Church Administrator Ernie Lowry - Boy Scout Coordinator **Don Durden** - Motorcycle Ministry **Don Moore** - Counseling Ministries Hugh Friberg - NMI President

# FEBRUARY 3, 2013

# We Gather To Worship

Sermon Title: "The Surrendered Mouth"

Scripture: Jeremiah 1:4-10

9:30 am Early Church Service in the FLC Gym

9:30 am Sunday School for all ages

10:45 am Sanctuary Service Choir Special - "When I Rise" Offertory - Grant Miller

10:50 am Second Hour Classes - Early Church

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

## GENERAL INFORMATION

## Wednesday Night Dinner

Join us at 5:15 - 6:16 pm in Ferdinand Hall for a time of food & fellowship with your church family! Menu: Oven fried chicken, rice pilaf, honey-glazed carrots, green salad, rolls, Scripture cake. Pakikisama will serve. Be sure to fill out your Communication Card or RSVP to the church office by Tuesday at 4:00 pm. Cost is \$3.50 for age 9 & older & \$2.50 age 4-8. Age 0-3 are free. Family of four (children up to age 19) \$10 (additional child \$2.50).

You are invited every Wednesday noon, for Prayer & Fasting in the Parlor.

Evening Prayer: Every Saturday at 7:00 pm - Family Life Center Gymnasium. A worship time of prayer, scripture, & songs of praise! Childcare: infant - 3 yrs.

Faith, Family & Culture Forum - This 5 week series concludes this Wednesday, February 6, at 6:30 pm in Ferdinand Hall with our Winter Parent Summit. Come & join us.

Ash Wednesday Service - February 13, 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary. Child Care: infant - 5yrs.

Authentic Men's Breakfast is Saturday, February 16, at 7:30 am in the FLC Gym. Sign up on a Communication Card today or on the website at <u>nfcnaz.org</u> by Tuesday, February 12.

Tableproject Training - If you are an NFC ministry group leader & you received Pastor Kent's letter about attending the Tableproject training, please be sure to RSVP to nfc@ nfcnaz.org or by calling the church office.

30 Hour Famine - Every year, thousands of students in the U.S. unite through the 30-Hour-Famine to feed hungry children & families. When you do the Famine, you are challenged to be part of something bigger than yourself. To take action for God's kingdom, to help save the lives of hungry kids. Join us **March 1 - 2** for this year's Famine! For more details, check out the "Attitude". For a fundraising envelope, see Pastor Brian or Jensina Miller.

Thank you Nampa First Church for your tremendous support of the NFC Kids Bible Quizzing program! The Dinner & Dessert Auction on Sunday, January 27, raised \$12,800 designated to send a quiz team from our church to the World Quiz in June, which is part of General Assembly. Any additional funds will support our kids quizzing program in future years. May God richly bless you for giving & impacting the next generation with God's Word. Thank you! Jenny Mark.

Testament wishes to express their gratitude to the congregation of Nampa First Church for their very generous response in giving to Ryan and Angie Ketchum.

Thank you to the 38 volunteers from NFC who donated 231.75 hours of time to Love INC in the month of December 2012. If you would like to become a volunteer, call 466-7810 ext. 3.

The 2012 Contribution statements are available at the Welcome Tables at Early Church, the Sanctuary Welcome Center & at the Church Office on weekdays.

# Care House Ministries

Care House served since last Sunday - Boxes - 191 People - 874 Meals Served: 2,622

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

# UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

**NFC Senior Adults** Monday, February 4

We will take a trip back in history to the Yanke Antique Car & Equipment Museum. Meet in Ferdinand Hall at 12:00 noon. Lunch will be served at 12:15 pm & the bus will leave at 1:00. We will visit the museum until 3:30 & return to the church by 4:15. Cost for the trip & meal - \$10. Admission to the museum is by donation. This is a private collection museum & we suggest wearing warm footwear & coats. Sign up on a Communication Card or call 466-3549. For more information, call Bill Downs 941-1074.

## God's Merry Widows & Friends Luncheon "Celebrating Friendship" - Monday, February 11, 12:00 noon.

Special guest, Ginny Cowley, will share how God used her & Don during their time in Salt Lake. You will be amazed, blessed & inspired! Food, fun, fellowship, music & door prizes. Cost: \$5. For reservations & transportation call 466-3549 by Thursday, February 7. Bring your best friend – married or not. Note: Date change due to President's Day.

## Family Fun Night Out! Join us to hear Ken Davis,

a best-selling author, TV & radio guest & a very funny guy, with The Martins, a Multi-Dove Award winning & Grammy nominated vocal group, on **Thursday, Feb-ruary 21** – 7:00 pm. Doors open at 5:30 pm. Tickets on sale now. General admission \$16. Groups of 20 or more, \$13. Children under 12, \$10. Artist Circle admission, \$25. Contact IMCconcerts.com or 800-965-9324 or the church office.

# MISSIONS

Pakikisama Missionary Chapter Meeting - Sunday, February 10, 7:15 pm in the Parlor. Marcus or Sarah LeBaron will be sharing about their time spent in Singapore last month. The Rendezvous – reorientation for high school students graduating & going back to their home culture. Come & join us.

Missions Faith Promise Weekend: March 1 - 3 with Verne & Natalie Ward. We will not want to miss hearing our own Verne & Natalie as they share God's global mission in which He's invited us to share. They will be speaking 8 times from Friday through Sunday evening. But we will also want to be involved in local ministry opportunities on Saturday morning, as well as committing our resources (time, talent & money) to God's mission on Sunday.

East Timor Work & Witness: February 1 - 18. Please be in prayer for the team on mission in East Timor. The team will be blessing East Timor with a church building project in the capital city, Dili, with delivering the equipment for & showing the Jesus Film, & with presenting our generous offering for a well in the community of Lospasos.

# SINGLES MINISTRIES

The SOS class is studying the book of Mark. The Splash class is continuing "That the World May Know" series by Ray Vander Laan, led by Ben Choy.

TODAY - February 3 - 4:00 pm - Super Bowl Party at Glenn Larsen's home.

Wednesday, February 6 - 6:30 pm - New Divorce Care Series continues! Join the group in Room Y16/Y17.

Friday, February 8 - 6:30 pm - Road of Healing in the Forum. Team 2 will provide dinner. Join us for the Andy Stanley video series followed by discussion & games.

Saturday, February 9 - 6:00 pm -Valentine's Day Banquet - see email for details.

Sunday, February 10 - 1:30 pm - Activities Planning Meeting @ Stacey's.

Treasure Cove Today: Grades 1 - 6 & parents are invited. See you there!

Wednesday Night Ministries: Benson's Buddies, for the Pre-K & Kindergarten classes, will meet in the Preschool Department from 6:30 - 7:45 pm. Lift Off Live for grades 1 - 4 will meet in room #221 upstairs in the FLC & MIX56 for grades 5 & 6 will meet in room #224.

Family Tubing Day: Join us for a great snow day at Bogus Basin on Monday, February 18 from 9:00 - 3:00 pm. (1st - 3rd Graders will need to have a parent or guardian accompany them.) The cost is \$13.00. Tickets can only be reserved & held by signing up & prepaying by February 6, on the web at <u>nfcnaz.org</u>, at the welcome tables, or call the Children's Ministry Office at 466-2302.

5th & 6th Grade QUEST: All 5th & 6th graders are invited to our QUEST discipleship at Pastor Marcus & Sarah's home this Friday, February 8, from 6:30 - 8:00 pm. Along with food & fun, we'll be diving into God's word. Bring your bible, notebook & a pen. Please contact Children's Ministry at 466-2302 if you need directions to their home.

**Preschool Teacher Vacancy:** Teacher needed for the Fox Class, beginning in March, to teach every other month. Please call the Children's Ministry Office at 466-2302 or talk to Pastor Carol Gunstream if you would be interested.

Next Baby Dedication: February 17, deadline is Monday, Feb. 4.

class at 9:45!

SuperBowl Party today! - Teens, young adults, parents & families are invited to join us at 4:00 pm in the Forum today to watch the SuperBowl & the COMMERCIALS! We're doing food potluck style, so bring food and/or drinks to share!

The HUB is back to Wednesdays! Come join us at 6:30 pm on Wednesday nights, downstairs in the Forum for a Jr. & Sr. Hi combined worship service! Gather, Encounter, Respond, & Send... all these elements are paramount during our weekly time together.

Sr. High Winter Retreat! - There are only a few spots left! Our Sr. Highers will go up to McCall on February 15 - 18. The cost is \$65. Space is limited so make sure you register today! Registration is online at <u>nfcnaz.org > ministries > teens > upcoming</u> events.

# Young Adult Ministries

Foundations Class - Sundays - 9:30 am in FH242.

Young Adult community on Wednesday nights! Come at 5:15 pm for community dinner in Ferdinand Hall, then plan on attending the "Conversations" series with the Spiritual Formation class at 6:30 pm. Following that, meet at 8:00 pm in the Forum for free coffee! A night of fellowship & deep spiritual growth. If you have any questions or just want to get together, contact Grant Miller at 360-903-8559 or gmiller@nfcnaz. org.

# Celebrate Recovery

Tuesday, February 5, 2013 - Lesson 10 - Spiritual Inventory. We meet in the FLC gym. Each week the schedule is as follows:

8:00 pm - Small Groups

# CHILDREN & PRESCHOOL MINISTRIES

Faith, Family & Culture Forum: Please read details under General Information.

# YOUTH MINISTRIES

NFCU - We'll see you down in the Forum for Homerooms at 9:30 am, then off to your

6:00 pm - Dinner (\$3.00)



7:00 pm - Nursery (0-5 yrs) Celebration Station (Elementary) The Landing (Teens) Large Group Worship (Adults)

9:00 pm - Coffee Fellowship

A step study for women meets Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in FLC Rm. 217. A men's step study meets Saturdays at 9:00 am in the Conference Rm.