

PRAYER REQUESTS

Continue praying at 7:28 every evening for the church, Pastor Charles Wells & family, our new district superintendent, and his wife.

- Gale Briggs, uncle of the pastor. Has congestive heart failure and is being made comfortable.
- Charles Pellerin fell last week.
- Eldena Plain – Prayers for healing and encouragement.
- Lori Wells' thyroid removal surgery is on July 8th.
- Matthew, Georgia's great-grandson needs much prayer.
- Please pray for the pastor in Durant Lifesong 118. He has terminal cancer.
- Damian Starks Needs prayer for healing and encouragement.
- Continued prayers for David's mom, Lena Fay Engle.
- Salvation for lost loved ones & friends.

Please Note - If there is a need/prayer request/emergency, etc., do not be afraid to contact me at any time, day or night. I want to walk beside you in good and bad times and for me to help you, I need you to help me. I love you and am here for you! Pastor Cell – (903)249-1271

Office Hours for the Week of March 31st

Tuesday 9 AM-12 PM, Wednesday 9 AM-12:30 PM, Thursday 9 AM-12:30 PM



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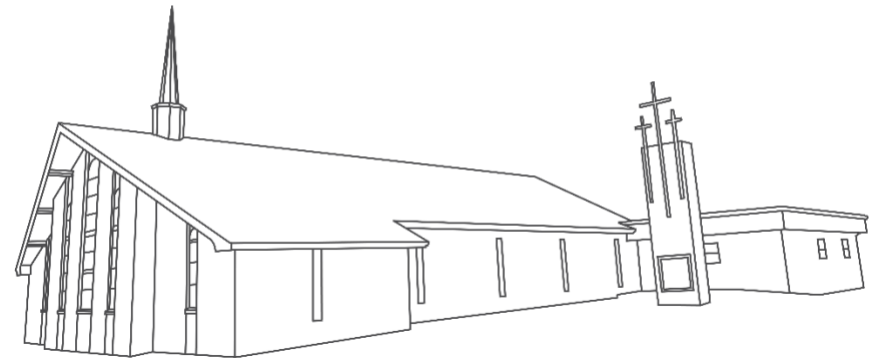
Sunday School9:30 am
Sunday Worship10:30 am
Bible Study..... Wednesdays @ 6:00 pm



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April 7, 2024



2nd Sunday of Easter

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Have a great week! I love you all! -Pastor Charles

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Call to Worship/Opening Prayer

Song: Because He Lives (Amen)

Song: Glorious Day

Welcome & Announcements

Song: Might To Save

Song: Amazing Grace/ My Chains Are Gone

Pastoral Prayer

Connection Break

Gathering at the Table: Communion Celebration

Reading of the Word: Luke 10:37b (NASB)

Sermon: "Called to Be a Hero"

Song: Revelation Song

Benediction

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Easter Sunday was beautiful and was an awesome day of ministry here. During my sermon, I revealed our new vision statement. It simply states this "Disciples making disciples to reach our community and the world for Jesus." The vision aims us towards the future while the mission statement tells us how we are going to get there. When the Lord led me last week during my sermon prep that it was time to share this with the church, it was very exciting since I have been praying about this statement since Christmas. I wanted to do it sooner, but I felt the Lord saying, 'not yet.'

The exciting thing is that the Easter Season doesn't end until Pentecost Sunday. Remember to pick up your prayer journal that we will use in combination with my messages to pray with the Church of the Nazarene until Pentecost Sunday. This is a great time to pray for God's leading in how we can bless the community that we are a part of. We had some great ideas brought together late last year and now that Easter Sunday is over, I am turning my attention to how these can be launched and used to impact many for Christ while meeting needs.

Thank you for letting me take some time off this past week. After the meetings were held on Monday night and I slept in until almost 10 AM on Tuesday (which rarely happens), I knew that I was ready for some time off to just relax and focus on restoring myself, spiritually and physically. Please remember to take care of yourself too because it allows you to be your very best for Jesus.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome, familiar faces and new friends! Your presence lights up our congregation. To our regulars, thank you for your ongoing support. To our visitors, we're delighted to have you with us. Let's share in the spirit of fellowship, worship, and love. Your journey is now a part of ours. Welcome to our church!

Children's Church: Held downstairs during our sermon time. Kids will be dismissed to go during our connection break. Open to grades K-3.

Concert w/Bruce & Betty Moses – April 14th @ 6 PM

Monthly Fellowship Meal – April 14th after Morning Service.

Church Workday – April 20th – 9 AM – We have both interior and exterior work that we will need to get done. More information will be in next week's bulletin.

District Assembly - April 28-29 – Bethany, Oklahoma

Text Message Service – Get updates for everything AlvaNaz. Text "join" to (833) 284-9953 and we will ensure you are added. Send all interaction including prayer requests to this number.

Offering - Offerings are collected in the red church box in the foyer.



(See John 20:1-18)

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I WANT YOU TO FOLD UP MY BURIAL
CLOTHES, WAIT FOR MARY, AND REMEMBER
THAT THIS IS SERIOUS ... NO HIDING
AND YELLING "BOO"