



# May

## Friendship

Day 1 – Proverbs 18:24  
Day 2 – Ecclesiastes 4:9-12  
Day 3 – John 15:12-14  
Day 4 – Proverbs 27:17  
Day 5 – Proverbs 17:17  
Day 6 – 1 Thessalonians 5:11  
Day 7 – Romans 12:15-17  
Day 8 – Proverbs 27:9  
Day 9 – Job 6:14  
Day 10 – Proverbs 27:6  
Day 11 – 1 Peter 4:8-10  
Day 12 – Hebrews 10:24-25  
Day 13 – Proverbs 16:28  
Day 14 – Romans 12:18-21  
Day 15 – 1 Corinthians 1:1-8  
Day 16 – Proverbs 13:20  
Day 17 – Luke 6:27-31  
Day 18 – Proverbs 27:5-6  
Day 19 – 1 John 4:7-8

Day 20 – Romans 12:9-10  
Day 21 – Proverbs 22:24-25  
Day 22 – Colossians 3:12-14  
Day 23 – Philippians 2:1-4  
Day 24 – 2 Corinthians 13:11  
Day 25 – Romans 15:5-7  
Day 26 – John 17:20-23  
Day 27 – 1 Corinthians 1:10  
Day 28 – 1 John 4:11-12  
Day 29 – Romans 12:13-14  
Day 30 – 1 John 4:19-21  
Day 31 – Ephesians 4:1-6



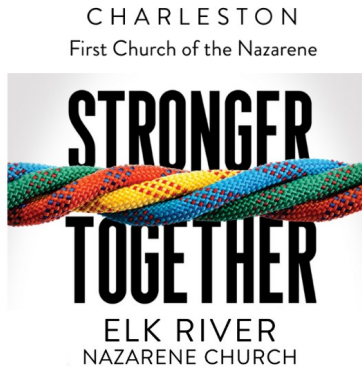
## WELCOME TO ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

### May 2, 2021

*“Lord, how are they increased that trouble me!  
Many are they that rise up against me.  
Many there be which say of my soul,  
there is no help for him in God. Selah  
But thou, O Lord, art a shield for me;  
my glory, and the lifter up of mine head.  
I cried unto the Lord with my voice,  
and He heard me out of His holy hill. Selah.  
I laid me down and slept; I awaked;  
for the Lord sustained me.”  
—Psalm 3:1-5*

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## Elk River Nazarene Church

SUNDAYS 10:30AM/6PM

WEDNESDAYS 6PM

*You Belong!* You have found a place where you fit ....here among friends. Join in the singing & worship together with us today! We look forward to learning & navigating life together as a church family with you!  
You have a place to belong here at The River!

*Check out our church facebook page or website for more information on all of our upcoming services and events!*



### Prayer List—Our Church Family

Glen Arthur—health  
Don Bickley—health  
Patty Bumpus—health  
Carol Canada—health/surgery on 5/3  
Marilyn Clark—COVID recovery  
Nellie Cottrill—health  
Jewel Epperly—health  
Martha Krause—hernia  
Larry Mack—health  
Carolyn Reed—cancer/encouragement  
Isabelle Smith—health  
Justin Spencer—torn ACL  
Leann Spencer—epilepsy/health  
Glada Stone—health  
Anna Thompson—cancer  
Bill & Lucy Wiseman—health  
Linda Wiseman—health  
Mat & Becky Wiseman & family—loss of uncle  
Sarah Wiseman—health  
Our Children, Teens & College Students  
\*Unspoken requests from our church family  
\*Pray for those in nursing homes & homebound  
PROTECTION & GUIDANCE FOR OUR MILITARY  
AND GOVERNMENT LEADERS

### Prayer List—Family & Friends

*\*Requests will be left on our list for at least two weeks then may be removed.*

Dennis Batten—cancer; Dee Gunno contact  
Dee Campbell—pancreatic cancer; Allan Jones contact  
Sherry Cantrell—stage 4 colon cancer; E. George  
Rudy Capece—11 yr old w/cancer/chemo treatments  
Buck & Nancy Chestnut—cancer/health; S.Ledsome  
Polly Cozart—broken pelvis; friend of Jewel Epperly  
Gale—diagnosed with MS; friend of Debbie Fields  
Landon Hoyle—8 yr old; brain tumor/chemo/stroke recovery, partial loss of eyesight.  
Kim Hyers—tumors in chest; Marilyn Clark's niece  
Kathleen Jordan—health; friend of Drema Clark  
Kelsey—spiritual healing; niece of Debbie Fields  
Lois Kersey—chemo; Dee Gunno's daughter  
Ronnie Lopez—cancer/radiation; Carol Canada contact  
Rick Morris—colon cancer; friend of Liz George  
Mallory—breast cancer; Cindy Todorovich's niece  
Kathy Newsome—stage 2 breast cancer; N. Hanson  
Scott Rader—cancer; friend of Drema Clark  
Jennifer Slone—brain cancer; Sandy Boggess' friend  
Rita Thomas—health; Georgia Withrow's mother

### PRAYER CONNECTION

Prayer requests may be given in several ways. You may email your request to [elkrivernaz@elkrivernaz.com](mailto:elkrivernaz@elkrivernaz.com) at anytime or you may call the Church Office at 304-342-6052 for special requests Monday-Friday from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. After hours, simply call the main number and you will be auto-prompted to the Pastor's mail box. Your request will be handled in confidence in whatever manner it is received, via e-mail or by phone.

For immediate response, please call Rev. Randy Ledsome at 304-541-1910.

ENCOURAGING THE FAMILY

Martha Krause  
417 Crestview Drive  
Chas., WV 25302  
(Health)

Mat & Becky Wiseman and Family  
179 Lomax Lane  
Elkview, WV 25071  
(Loss of Uncle)

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

BIRTHDAYS

2 Caroline Davis    4 Tony Petry    7 Pam Enoch    9 Nancy Casto  
Eddie Smith    6 Jason Hundley    8 DarLena Martin

ANNIVERSARIES

6 Tim & Autumn Davis

*If your birthday or anniversary does not appear in  
the bulletin when it should, please contact the church office.*

FAMILY ACCOUNTABILITY

Weekly Need:	\$ 7,896.00
4/25/21 Offering	\$ 6,721.63
YTD Income:	\$ 327,932.44
YTD Expenses:	\$ 324,267.21
20/21 Mortgage Principal	\$ 7,384.00
Faith Promise/World Evangelism Goal	\$ 18,034.00
Amount Received	\$ 11,430.00

Sunday Worship Services

- 9 a.m.      Worship at Chas. 1st
- 10:30 a.m. Worship at ERNC ( with Live Streaming)  
Children’s Church in the River Kids Zone  
(Age 4—5th Grade)
- 6 p.m.      Worship at ERNC In-Seat Service (w/Live Streaming)  
Firm Foundations Class in the Fellowship Hall
- 7 p.m.      Young Adult Class in the Foyer
- Wednesday Services
- 8:30 a.m.   Men’s Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall
- 6:30 p.m.   Praise & Prayer Meeting at Chas. 1st
- 6:00 p.m.   CIA/VIP Classes in the Sanctuary  
Encouragers Class in the River Kids Zone  
DV8 Youth in the Fellowship Hall
- 7:00        Choir in the Sanctuary



# UPCOMING EVENTS

Join us tonight at 6 p.m.  
for Sunday Evening Worship with Rev, Shawn Kasten!



**COUNTRY COUSIN LADIES RETREAT  
REGISTRATION FORMS**  
are available at the Welcome Center!  
Retreat Date: May 14-15th



**GRADUATION SUNDAY IS MAY 23<sup>RD</sup>!** All Senior High School, College and Graduate School Graduates! Please sign up for our Graduation Sunday service by TODAY, May 2nd! Register with Jenna Townsend, through our Facebook event, or on our website at [www.elkrivernaz.com/calendar](http://www.elkrivernaz.com/calendar).



**WV Nazarene District Lay Retreat** will be June 4-6th at the WV Nazarene Campground in Summersville. Dr. Mervin Smith will be our speaker and music will be provided by the Jay Humphreys Trio! Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center! Register by calling Darlene Ratliff Washington at 304-552-8787 or contact Denny & Phyllis Ferguson at 304-753-9421 for more info.



**TROUBLE ACCESSING ONLINE CHURCH DIRECTORY?** iPhone users having trouble accessing our online church directory should go to settings, click safari, & turn off prevent cross-site tracking. This will fix the problem!



**2nd Annual River & Light Company's River Float!** Join us on Saturday, May 22nd, as we float down the Elk River! Sign up at the Welcome Center for complete details. Call Steve at Elk River Get-A-Ways at 304-993-0006 to reserve your spot and time you want to do it. You will be given a reduced rate. Hope to see you there! Bring the family along!



Summer Camp registration information is available. Please see Susan Ledsome to register your child for Primary and Jr. Camp. Registration forms are on the Teen Bulletin Board in the Main Hall for Middle School and High School Camps. Submit registration forms to Robin McFarland.



**There will be a RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE**  
on Thursday, May 13th at Charleston First's Family Life Center from 2--7 p.m.  
No appointment is necessary.



**MEMORIAL SUNDAY WILL BE ON MAY 30<sup>TH</sup>**—We will be remembering specifically those who have lost a spouse, sibling or parent (including in law) to death from May 2020—May, 2021, on Sunday, May 30th. A NMI Memorial Roll certificate will be presented to the family. A donation of \$75 is made to the "Missionary Health Care Fund" in memory of your loved one. We want you to know that you & your family remain in our prayers. If you have someone other than the described immediate family member that you would like considered for inclusion, please contact the church office. This is a great opportunity to reach out to other family members.

**THE ANNUAL CHURCH ELECTION** will be on June 13th & 20th, in the foyer. Church members who are age 15 and up will be able to vote from 9--9:45 a.m. and at Noon on these days. Membership will be verified. **Votes will be tallied on June 20th, prior to the Evening Service. All members are encouraged to vote!**