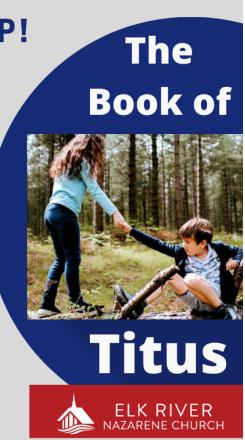
# **NEW LIFE GROUP!**

A CHALLENGE
TO DISPLAY
THE GOSPEL
IN OUR LIVES THROUGH
DOING GOOD.
WE DO GOOD WORKS
NOT
TO EARN GOD'S FAVOR,
BUT AS A RESULT OF
GOD'S FAVOR.

WEDNESDAYS
AT 6:00 P.M.
BEGINNING
SEPTEMBER 15TH
IN THE SANCTUARY



# **ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH**

# August 15, 2021

"Examine me, O Lord, and prove me;
try my reins and my heart.

For thy lovingkindness is before mine eyes:
and I have walked in thy truth.

Lord, I have loved the habitation of thy house,
and the place where thine honour dwelleth...
in the congregations will I bless the Lord."
—Psalm 26:2-3,8,12

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## Elk River Church of the Nazarene



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—hospice Misti Ashworth—surgery recovery Don Bicklev—health Donnie Bickley—health Bill & Rosa Burdette—health Jane Coleman—health Nellie Cottrill—health Jewel Epperly—health Larry Mack—health/recovery Patti Neal-surgery on 8/16 Rachel Paxton—surgery recovery Kevin Radcliff—health Carolyn Reed—pneumonia/blood clot Leann Spencer—recovery/health Mike Todorovich—eyesight/surgery on 8/27 Beth Wagner-loss of sister in law Sherry Wills—health Bill & Lucy Wiseman—health Linda 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.

Susan Lynn-Black—Stage 4 pancreatic cancer
David Hill—cancer; Karen Kutil's brother
Chris Holmes—COVID/pneumonia; Noah Mitchell
Lois Kersey—chemo; Dee Gunno's daughter
Melissa Parsons—breast cancer; Liz George contact
Logan Pennington—18 yr. needs bone marrow transplant
Kim Peters—Stage 3 cancer; Janice Ledsome contact
John Silverman & family—loss of wife
Rita Thomas—health; Georgia Withrow's mother
Doris Washington—cancer; Janice Ledsome contact

### **PRAYER CONNECTION**

Prayer requests may be given in several ways. You may email your request to 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**

Patti Neal	Carolyn Reed	Beth Wagner	Sherry Wills
97 Pauley Heights	151 Dutch Road	5009 Elmhaven Circle	581 Robertson Ridge
Chas., WV 25312	Chas., WV 25302	Cross Lanes, WV 25313	
(Surgery on 8/16)	(Hospitalized)	(Loss of Sister in Law)	(Health)

#### **CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK**

#### **BIRTHDAYS**

15	Debbie Buckner	16 Brogan Dunlap	17	Debbie Titcher	18	Joe Strickland
	Pam Darnold	Kara Moles		Lilly Wiseman	20	Curtis Bias
	<b>Tanner Davis</b>	Scott Shaffer	18	Kirby McFarland		John Swiney
	Ben Jones	17 Dwayne Radcliffe		Steve Pennington	21	Terry Shrader
					22	Dee Gunno
						Allison Woodruff

#### **ANNIVERSARIES**

15 Eddie & Tonia Newhouse 16 Burr & Jamie Doughty

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

### **FAMILY ACCOUNTABILITY**

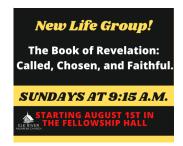
#### 2021-22 Church Year

Weekly Need: 8/8/21 Offering YTD Income: YTD Expenses:	\$ \$ \$	7,896.00 6,206.00 49,501.28 56,905.13
20/21 Mortgage Principal	\$	1,236.00
Faith Promise/World Evangelism Goal Amount Received	\$ \$	18,500.00 1,871.00



9 a.m. Worship at Chas. 1st 9:15 a.m. **Adult Life Group in the Fellowship Hall** 10:30 a.m. Worship at ERNC (with Live Streaming) Children's Church in the River Kids Zone (Age 4—5th Grade) This Is My Story with Jenna Townsend —Fellowship Hall 5:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Young Adult Life Group in the Small Group Room 10:00 a.m. Prayer Group in the Sanctuary 8:30 a.m. **Men's Bible Study Group in the Fellowship Hall** 6:00 p.m. **Adult Life Group in the Fellowship Hall Adult Life Group in the Sanctuary** Children's Life Group in the River Kids Zone **DV8 Youth Group in the Tower** 6:30 p.m. Praise & Prayer Meeting at Chas. 1st —Steve Robertson 7:00 p.m. **Choir Practice** 

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**



Two New Sunday Life Group
Opportunities!
Revelations Study at 9:15 a.m.
Talking with God at 6 p.m.
Both meet in the Fellowship Hall!
Get connected in a Life Group
Today!



**TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER GROUP** meets each Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary. See Jack Kutil or Bill Burdette for more information.

**WEDNESDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP** meets at 8:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall every Wednesday morning! All men are welcome to join us! This a great time to meet with friends, explore the Word and ask questions you may have!

The Missions Council will meet TODAY at 12:15 p.m. in the CIA Room.

This Is My Story with Jenna Townsend will be tonight in the Fellowship Hall.

Pizza will be served at 5:30 p.m., followed by Jenna's story at 6 p.m.



2021 FALL FUNDRAISER
8" & 10" POIS
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12" Tri-Color Muns
13" Tri-Color Muns
14" Tri-Color Muns
15" Tri-Color Muns
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Order forms are available at the Welcome Center for Fall Mums! DV8 Teens Fall Fundraiser! Order by THIS WEDNESDAY!

BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY IS SEPTEMBER 26TH!
Who can you invite?

Save the Date! Our Annual All Church Picnic will be at Coonskin Park's Columbia Shelter on Sunday, September 19th, at 1:00 p.m. Bring your outdoor chairs and games for a fun afternoon together!





OV8 TEENS—SonFest is coming up on Saturday, September 18th!

Teens who are interested in going should see Robin
or Pastor Craig. Tickets are \$20 in advance.

Ticket payment is due Wednesday, September 1st,
and can be paid online through our website or church app.







SAVE THE DATE!
FALL REVIVAL SERVICES
WITH REV. KEN DOVE
Sunday, October 10th through
Wednesday, October 13th
Make plans now to attend!