

Women's Ministry

Donations for Foster Closet

July--September 22nd

to benefit children in the foster care system.

We are collecting winter coats
for children and babies.

Also need: Diapers, Shoes from Toddler to Adult Size 6,
Crib Mattresses, Cribs, and New Car Seats.

Beth Wagner is in charge of donations.



This Is My Story!

Kim Spradling

**August 11th at 6 p.m.
in the Fellowship Hall**

WELCOME TO

ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

July 21, 2024

God looks down from heaven
on the children of man
to see if there are any who understand,
who seek after God.

—Psalm 53:2

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Changing Lives. Strengthening Families.



Children's Programs/Archery/AWANA Teen Gatherings Adult Friendships



You Belong! You have found a place where you fithere 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!

Find us on Facebook: [Facebook.com/ElkRiverNazareneChurch](https://www.facebook.com/ElkRiverNazareneChurch)

Find us on YouTube: [YouTube.com/@elkrivernazarenechurch](https://www.youtube.com/@elkrivernazarenechurch)

Check out our website to stay up to date on our upcoming events!



Prayer List—Our Church Family

Dean Banks—health
Jake & Carol Buckner—health
Rosa Burdette—health
Rick & Marilyn Clark—health
Danny & Juanita Fisher—health
Roy & Cathie Hoffman—health
Kevin King—health
Janice Ledsome—health
Ann Lewis—health
Adele McFarland—health
Harold & Kathy Shaffer—health/caregiving
Eddie Smith—health
Edna Surface—health
Our Children, Teens & College Students
LINKS Missionaries: Larry & Lynne Bolinger
*Unspoken requests from our church family
*Pray for those in nursing homes & homebound
PROTECTION & GUIDANCE FOR OUR MILITARY,
& GOVERNMENT LEADERS

Prayer List—Family & Friends

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

Laura Abrams—liver disease; Keith Basham's sister
Cathie Campbell—metastatic cancer; Jonnie's s.i.l.
Joe Chapman—health; Pastor's b.i.l.
Valerie Colegrove—cancer; Vickie Marcum
Becki Conley—ovarian cancer; Tammie Jones
Chelsie Cottrell—uterine cancer. 7/10 surgery
Lauren—preeclampsia/hospitalized; Beha niece
David Gillespie—St 4 colon cancer; N. Hanson
Leonard Good—health; Jonnie Blackburns bil
Lois Kersey—cancer; Dee Gunno's daughter
Leisa Reed—Stg 3 cancer; Dan Reed's cousin
Chip Short—lymphoma; Pastor's cousin
Dollie Townsend—cancer/health
Julie Tucker—metastatic melanoma; S Ledsome

PRAYER BOX

If you desire prayer for a friend
or loved one who is in need of salvation,
please fill out a prayer card and place it in the
prayer box in the foyer
(to the left of the main entrance).
The Men's Prayer Group will be praying
specifically for these needs!

PRAYER CONNECTION

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

Jake & Carol Buckner
11 Brighton Lane
Chas., WV 25311
(Health/Encouragement)

Eddie Smith
905 Hanna Drive
Chas., WV 25312
(Health)

Danny Fisher
244 Kenna Drive
So. Chas., WV 25309
(Encouragement)

Birthdays

23 Cathie Hoffman
Kaleigh Shaffer

26 Mindy Gardner
27 Sue Harper

28 Kim Radcliffe

Anniversaries

21 Mike & Cindy Todorovich

27 Rick & Anita Chin

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

Sunday Worship Services

- 9:00 a.m. Worship Service at Chas. 1st
- 9:30 a.m. Life Groups for all Ages
- 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service in the Sanctuary (with Live Streaming)
- Nursery (Birth to 35 months)
- Beginners Church in Celebration Station (Age 3—K)
- Children’s Church in the River Kids Zone (1st—5th Grade)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Worship with Pastor Shawn Kasten
- Next Steps Class in the Encouragers Room

Tuesday

- 10:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting in the Sanctuary
- 6:30 p.m. Church Board Meeting in the RKZ

Wednesday

- 8:30 a.m. Men’s Bible Study Group in the Encouragers Room
- 6:30 p.m. Into the Word Life Group—Sanctuary Classroom
- Encouragers Adult Life Group in the Encouragers Room
- Teen Group in the Loft
- Adult Choir Practice in the Choir Room
- Children’s Summer Program on the Mid-Level
- 6:30 p.m. Evening Service at Chas. 1st with Pastor Jim Jones

UPCOMING EVENTS



THE NEXT STEPS CLASS will meet tonight at 6:00 p.m. in the Encouragers Room on the Lower Level. If you have any questions, please see Allan Jones.



Larry & Lynne Bollinger, Missionaries currently serving in Manila, Philippines, will be with us on Sunday, July 28th, during the Morning Worship Service. During his 30+ years of ministry with the Church of the Nazarene, he has traveled to over 100 countries providing leadership, training, and technical assistance to mobilize the Church to be the hands and feet of Christ in a world of need. He currently serves as the President of Asia-Pacific Nazarene Theological Seminary (APNTS) in Manila, Philippines. Lynne is an ordained elder in the Church of the Nazarene, a published author about her work with immigrant and refugee families and has previously served in ministry at Nazarene Theological Seminary in Kansas City, MO and Chaplain of the College at Eastern Nazarene College in Quincy, MA. She currently serves as an Instructor of Christian Formation at APNTS and is the Asia-Pacific Regional Coordinator of Nazarene Women in Leadership.

WV South Lay Retreat will be August 9-11, **2024 “BLESSED BEYOND MEASURE”** Numbers 6:24-26 in Summersville. **FEATURING** • Worship Services • Friday Snacks and Games • Auction • Saturday Social, Games & Movie • Sunday Morning Sunday School • Communion Service • Shane Hostutler will be our speaker and music will be provided by the Jay Humphreys Trio! Registration is due by July 26th!

July Crisis Care Kit Item: One Fingernail Clipper

**Everyone
is
Encouraged
to
attend!**

JULY 27	NYI Convention Saturday 9:00 AM South Charleston First Nazarene <i>Registration Begins at 8:30 AM</i>
JULY 30	NMI Rally/ Parade of Flags Tuesday 7:15 PM Summersville Campground <i>Prelude at 7:15 PM NMI Rally at 7:30 PM</i>
JULY 31	NMI Convention Wednesday 8:30 AM Summersville Campground <i>Registration Begins at 8:30 AM</i>
JULY 31	Ordination Service Wednesday 7:30 PM Summersville Campground <i>Elders/Deacons and Choir Practice Report at 6:30 PM Pre-Service Music at 7:15 PM</i>
AUG. 1	District Assembly Thursday 8:30 AM Summersville Campground <i>Registration Begins at 7:45 AM District Superintendent's Report District Business</i>



REVIVAL SERVICES
WILL BEGIN ON
AUGUST 18TH,
AT 6 PM @ ERNC
AUG. 19TH @ 1ST CHURCH @ 6:30 PM
AUG. 20TH @ ERNC @ 6:30 PM
AUG. 21ST @ 1ST CHURCH @ 6:30 P.M.
MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND!