

## 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.



## REVIVAL SERVICES

WILL BEGIN ON  
AUGUST 18TH,

9 A.M. AT 1ST CHURCH

10:30 A.M. & 6 P.M. AT 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!**

## WELCOME TO ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

**July 28, 2024**

Nevertheless, I am continually with You;  
You hold my right hand.

You guide me with Your counsel,  
and afterward You will receive me to glory.

Whom have I in heaven but You?

And there is nothing on earth that I desire besides You.

My flesh and my heart may fail,  
but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.

—Psalm 73:23-26

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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 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!

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  
Tex Canada—health/stroke recovery  
Rick & Marilyn Clark—health  
Danny & Juanita Fisher—health  
Roy & Cathie Hoffman—health  
Janice Ledsome—health  
Ann Lewis—health  
Adele McFarland—health  
Betty Miller—covid (Cathi Davis' mom)  
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.*

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  
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  
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](mailto: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

**Tex (Carol) Canada**  
3714 Greenbrier St.  
Chas., WV 25311  
(Stroke Recovery)

**Bob Miller**  
4157 Rutledge Rd.  
Chas., WV 25311  
(Encouragement)

**Betty Miller** (Cathi Davis' mom)  
c/o Meadbrook Acres, B5  
2149 Greenbrier St.  
Chas., WV 25311  
(COVID)

## Birthdays

28 Kim Radcliffe	29 Heather Jones	31 Isabelle Smith
29 Weston Carder		1 Debbie Fields

## Anniversaries

31 Pastor Randy & Susan Ledsome

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

## Sunday Worship Services

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**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.    [Ice Cream & Fruit Social with the ERNC Mission Trip Group](#)  
[Costa Rica Experience in the Fellowship Hall](#)

## Tuesday

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10:00 a.m.    Prayer Meeting in the Sanctuary

## Wednesday

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8:30 a.m.    Men’s Bible Study Group in the Encouragers Room  
6:30 p.m.    **No Wednesday Evening Services. Please join us at the  
Campground in Summersville for our District Ordination  
Service.**

## Thursday

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6:00 p.m.    **AWANA Sparks Training Meeting in the RKZ**



# UPCOMING EVENTS



Join us tonight in the Fellowship Hall  
at 6 p.m. for an  
Ice Cream & Fruit Social  
as we share about the  
ERNC Mission Trip Experience to Costa Rica!

**Everyone  
is  
Encouraged  
to  
attend!**

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

**There will be services this Wednesday Evening!  
Please join us at the Campground in Summersville  
for our District Ordination Service.**

**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!



**Sunday, August 25th at 1 p.m.  
Coonskin Park's  
Columbia Shelter #1**



## **VISION 2030 DEBT ELIMINATION TODAY!**

On the last Sunday  
of each month,  
we will receive  
a love gift to be applied  
to the principal  
of our church mortgage.  
Trusting the Lord to become  
debt-free 6 years early!

**Rosa Burdette received the biopsy results from her breast cancer surgery. All margins are clear & she is cancer free. Rosa has an appointment next week to meet with the oncologist to discuss next steps. Bill, Rosa, and family would like to thank each of you for your prayers, phone calls, texts, cards and well wishes. God is good!**