

WEST VIRGINIA SOUTH DISTRICT

CONVENTIONS AND DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

JULY 13

NDI Convention

Saturday | 9:00 AM | Davis Creek Nazarene
Continental Breakfast at 8:00 AM | Registration Begins at 8:00 AM

JULY 27

NYI Convention

Saturday | 9:00 AM | South Charleston First Nazarene
Registration Begins at 8:30 AM

JULY 30

NMI Rally/ Parade of Flags

Tuesday | 7:15 PM | Summersville Campground
Prelude at 7:15 PM | NMI Rally at 7:30 PM

JULY 31

NMI Convention

Wednesday | 8:30 AM | Summersville Campground
Registration Begins at 8:30 AM

JULY 31

Ordination Service

Wednesday | 7:30 PM | Summersville Campground
Elders/Deacons and Choir Practice Report at 6:30 PM | Pre-Service Music at 7:15 PM

AUG. 1

District Assembly

Thursday | 8:30 AM | Summersville Campground
Registration Begins at 7:45 AM | District Superintendent's Report | District Business

WELCOME TO

ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

July 7, 2024

Now the Lord is the Spirit,
and where the Spirit of the Lord is,
there is freedom.
—2 Corinthians 3:17

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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
Debbie Brown—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
Adele McFarland—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
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
Dave Townsend—cancer; Jenna & Brooke's dad
Dollie Townsend—heart surgery/cancer
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

Chris & Caitlin Runion
1466 Clover Street
Sunburg, OH 43074
(Loss of Bessie Thomas)

Edna Banks
587 Robertson St.
Elkview, WV 25071
(Encouragement)

Ron Thompson
3229 Virginia Ave.
Hurricane, WV 25526
(Encouragement)

Birthdays

11 Noah Mitchell 12 Tim Davis 13 Missy Kasten

Anniversaries

7 Mike & Dreama Sennett 11 Larry & Laura Abshire

*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. Evening Worship Service with Allan Jones

Tuesday

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

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
Archery on the Hill 2nd-5th Grade
6:30 p.m. **Evening Service at Chas. 1st with Pastor Jim Jones**

Thursday

1:00 p.m. Red Cross Blood Drive in the Fellowship Hall until 6 p.m.

Saturday

8:30 p.m. **NDI Convention at Davis Creek Nazarene**

UPCOMING EVENTS

NEXT STEPS

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE CHURCH?

Learning who we are & what we believe...Are you ready to take the next step in your spiritual journey with Jesus? Have you considered membership? Our Next Steps Small Group will help you! This is a 5-week class meeting in the Conference Room on the mid-level. Sign Up in the foyer. Start date TBD. Facilitated by Allan Jones.

Red Cross Blood Drive —Sign up in the Foyer to donate to the Red Cross on Thursday, July 11th, from 1-6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall!

Rev. Anthony Dye will be our Guest Speaker on Sunday, July 14th, at 10:30 a.m.! Make plans to join us!

CampMeeting 2024
July 14-21

WEST VIRGINIA

•NAZARENE CAMP•

**WEST VIRGINIA
NORTH & SOUTH DISTRICTS**

Activities for the whole family

Dr. Greg Mason
Guest Evangelist

Dr. Brannon & Gloria Hancock
Guest Worship Leader

Rev. Jadon Bird
Youth Evangelist

Rev. Christy Johnson
Children's Evangelist

Also featuring guest evangelists....

Rev. Jean Miller, Dr. Paul Whiteford,
Rev. Bennett Briles, Rev. Brian Knight,
Rev. Bret Layton, and Dr. Kevin Dennis

**Make Plans
to Attend
at the
Tabernacle in
Summersville!**

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!



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.

**THIS IS MY STORY
WITH DIANE BILLINGS
IS COMING UP ON
SUNDAY, JULY 14TH, AT 6 P.M.
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL!
MAKE PLANS TO JOIN US
FOR DINNER AND
DIANE'S STORY OF FAITH!
PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE FOYER!**