## **Early Registration is Open Now!**



# 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.



# WELCOME TO ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

# August 4, 2024

Keep your heart with all vigilance,
for from it flow the springs of life.
Put away from you crooked speech,
and put devious talk far from you.
Let your eyes look directly forward,
and your gaze be straight before you.
Ponder the path of your feet; then all your ways will be sure.
Do not swerve to the right or to the left;
turn your foot away from evil.
—Proverbs 4:23-27

#### Randy Ledsome, Senior Pastor

143 Dutch Road Charleston, WV 25302 Phone: 304.342.6052 elkrivernaz@elkrivernaz.com www.elkrivernaz.com

### 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 Find us on YouTube: YouTube.com@elkrivernazarenechurch Check out our website to stay up to date on our upcoming events!



### **Prayer List-Our Church Family**

Jonnie & Mike Blackburn—bereavement Jake & Carol Buckner—health Tex Canada—health/stroke recovery Rick & Marilyn Clark—health Nellie Cottrill—bereavement Janice Ledsome—health Ann Lewis—health Adele McFarland—health Betty Miller—covid (Cathi Davis' mom) Amy & Mike Myers—bereavement Harold & Kathy Shaffer—health/caregiving Glada Stone—health Joe Strickland—health Edna Surface—health Kevin Workman—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.

Family of Cathie Campbell—bereavement Joe Chapman—health; Pastor's b.i.l. Valerie Colegrove—cancer; Vickie Marcum Becki Conley—ovarian cancer; Tammie Jones Chelsie Cottrell—uterine cancer 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 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**

Nellie Cottrill 208 Alethia Street Chas., WV 25302 (Loss of Daughter)	Joe Strickland 230 Dutch Road Chas., WV 25302 (Health)	Mike & Jonnie Blackburn 2515 Kay Lane Chas., WV 25302 (Loss of Sister in Law)
Amy & Mike Myers 4201 Staunton Avenue Chas. WV 25304 (Loss of Aunt)		
<u>Birthdays</u>		
8 Barbara Light 10 Aieshia Boggs	10 Kenny Howard 11 Corey Dunlap	11 Rusty Lynch
<u>Anniversaries</u>		
	11 Mike & Cathi Davis	

Sundau V	Vorship 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 in the Sanctuary with Pastor Jim Jones Young Adult Life Group in the Sanctuary Classroom Next Steps Class in the Encouragers Room
[uesday_	
10:00 a.m.	Prayer Meeting in the Sanctuary
Wednesd	au
8:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Study Group in the Encouragers Room
6:00 p.m.	AWANA Cubbies Training Meeting in the Conf. Rm.
6:30 p.m.	Into the Word Adult Life Group in the Sanctuary Classroom Encouragers Adult Life Group in the Encouragers Room Children's Class in the River Kids Zone
	Youth Group in the Loft
	Adult Choir Practice in the Choir Room
6:30 p.m.	<b>Evening Service at Chas. 1st with Pastor Mike Todorovich</b>

WV South District Lay Retreat Begins

Friday

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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!



Next Sunday Night!

July Crisis Care Kit Item: One Fingernail Clipper



Sunday, August 25th at 1 p.m.
Coonskin Park's
Columbia Shelter #1
All Food is Provided!



## 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!



AWANA Club Begins on September 4th!
Please see Joan if you would like to be involved!

If you would like to donate to help provide Bibles, Books & Uniforms for the kids, please mark your donation as: ERNC AWANA!