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It's a girl!

Congratulations to Alexis & Jordan Holstein on the birth of their daughter, Charlotte Danielle, born on March 12th. Charlotte weighed 7 lbs. 15 oz and measured 21 inches long. Proud grandparents are Sandy & Jeff Boggess, and great-grandparents Carol & Jake Buckner.

WELCOME TO

ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

March 16, 2025

He was still speaking when, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to Him."

When the disciples heard this, they fell on their faces and were terrified. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and have no fear." And when they lifted up their eyes, they saw no one but Jesus only.

—Matthew 17:5-8

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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 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

Don Bickley—health Jake & Carol Buckner—health Bill & Rosa Burdette—health Rick Chin—bereavement Angela Foster—health LeWanda Gandee—broken arm Susan Green—surgery recovery Bob & Stephanie Gunno—health Janice Ledsome—health Whitley Ledsome—health JoAnn & Danny Lucas—health Adele McFarland—health Betty Miller—health Julie Miller—encouragement Jackie Ward—bereavement Our Children, Teens & College Students LINKS Missionaries: Larry & Lynne Bolinger; Kevin & Jenny Campbell-White serving in Mongolia.

*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.

Angie—metastatic cancer; Sheri Crump Eddie Canada—foot ulcer; Carol Canada's son C. Frye—bone cancer; Joan Canada's friend Josiah 8-year-old spina bifida; Liz George Mike Hay—surgery recovery; Jim Fields' friend Miriam Higginbotham-cancer; Tammie Jones David Hill—brain cancer; Karen Kutil's brother Pat Looney—health; LeWanda Gandee's sister Mike Schuster—heart attack; McFarland Joe Withrow—cancer; Marc George's uncle

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

Adala McEarland

2023 Hudson St. Chas. WV 25302 (Encouragement)	10917 Charleston Rd. Clendenin, WV 25045 (Encouragement)	PO Box 13454 Chas., WV 25360 (Encouragement)
	<u>Birthdays</u>	
16 Jan Cummings Shane Guthrie Robert Spradling	19 Randy Ledsome 20 Reva Gunno 21 Bret Layton	22 Mark Guthrie Patti Neal Mike Sennett 23 Brenda O'Neil

Sucan Groom

Iulia Millar

Anniversaries

20 John & Belinda Browning

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) Sanctuary Level
	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 Danny Lucas

Monday

6:00 p.m. Ladies Bible Study in the CIA Room

Tuesday

9:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting in the Sanctuary

Wednesday

8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study Group in the Fellowship Hall

6:00 p.m. AWANA Club for Age 3-5th Grade

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

6:30 p.m. Evening Service at Chas. 1st with Pastor Bill Burdette



UPCOMING EVENTS



This Sunday evening, March 16th, at Teays Valley Church of the Nazarene at 6pm is a special celebration service with our new LINKS missionaries. While we cannot share their name due to them being a Creative Access assignment, we know that you will be encouraged by their message.



Sight & Sound Theatre Trip—

October 3, 2025 at 7 p.m.

Non-refundable tickets are \$89 each.

Tickets must be paid for when they are ordered. Contact person, Joe Beha. All ticket orders must be confirmed TODAY. Food, lodging & transportation will be your responsibility. Please sign up in the foyer.



RISEN SAVIOR, CONQUERING KING OUR ADULT CHOIR EASTER MUSICAL will

be held on Sunday, April 13th, at 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

Invite your friends and family to join us!

Thank You! We cannot express the depth of gratitude we have for the ongoing relationship & support you give us. You are hospitable, generous, and always make us feel like we are coming home to friends & family. Thank you so much for always welcoming us & remembering us in your prayers.

In Christ, Kevin & Jeni Campbell White



EASTER COMMUNION will be held on Sunday, April 13th, at 6 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Please join us for this special time of reflection and gratitude for the sacrifice Jesus made for us!

OUR RESURRECTION SUNDAY CELEBRATION SERVICE will be on Sunday, April 20th, at 10:30 a.m.! Make plans now to attend this joyful time of worship!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE will be on Thursday, April 17th, from 1—6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up in the foyer to donate or register at www.redcrossblood.org and enter: elkriver.



WOMEN'S HOPE BUILDERS

with Barbara Kees-Light
will be on Friday, April 25th,
at 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary.
This is a special time of worship and praise
for all ladies! Our Theme is: Reach Out to Jesus. He's Reaching Out to You.
Please sign up in the foyer!

PAMPERED CHEF FUNDRAISER FOR THE WEST SIDE GATHERING—If you love Pampered Chef products and would like to support the West Side Gathering, please see Robin McFarland to order! WSG will earn much needed kitchen products!

RADA FUNDRAISER FOR ADULT MINISTRIES: Catalogs will be available in the foyer. Orders are due with payment by April 27th. Make checks out to ERNC. Please turn orders/payment to Shelia Robertson, or order online at: https://radarundraising.com?rfsn=4685428eOceb5. See Shelia with any questions.

