

People in the Word

SCRIPTURE WRITING PLAN 2025

Spend a few minutes a day writing and meditating on God's Word. Let the Spirit speak to you through these scriptures. "Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God." Romans 10:17

DAY 1—Esther 1:1-4

DAY 2—Esther 1:5, 9

DAY 3—Esther 1:10-12, 15

DAY 4—Esther 1:16-20

DAY 5—Esther 1:21-22

DAY 6—Esther 2:1-4

DAY 7—Esther 2:5, 7-9

DAY 8—Esther 2:10-14

DAY 9—Esther 2:15-18

DAY 10—Esther 2:19-23

DAY 11—Esther 3:1-3

DAY 12—Esther 3:4-6

DAY 13—Esther 3:8-11, 13

DAY 14—Esther 4:1-5

DAY 15—Esther 4:6-9

DAY 16—Esther 4:10-17

DAY 17—Esther 5:1-5

DAY 18—Esther 5:6-8

DAY 19—Esther 5:9-14

DAY 20—Esther 6:1-5

DAY 21—Esther 6:6-11

DAY 22—Esther 6:12-14, 7:1-2

DAY 23—Esther 7:3-6

DAY 24—Esther 7:7-10

DAY 25—Esther 8:1-6

DAY 26—Esther 8:7-8, 11-12

DAY 27—Esther 8:15-17

DAY 28—Esther 9:1-5

DAY 29—Esther 9:11-14

DAY 30—Esther 9:18, 26-28

DAY 31—Esther 9:29-32

JULY ESTHER & MORDECAI

WRITE IT	JOURNAL SCRIPTURE
OBSERVE IT	LOOK FOR KEY PHRASES, PEOPLE, PLACES
RELATE IT	HOW CAN YOU RELATE IT TO YOU
DECLARE IT	PRAY OVER IT

WELCOME TO

ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

July 13, 2025

"Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel, and not frightened in anything by your opponents."

—Philippians 1:27-28

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Welcome!

Sunday Morning @ 9:30/10:30 a.m.

Sunday Evening @ 6 p.m.

Wednesdays @ 6:15 p.m.

Children's Summer Program

6:30 p.m. Youth Group & Life Groups

Real People. Real Life. Real Hope!

 **ELK RIVER**
NAZARENE CHURCH

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!



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 Find us on YouTube:
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Check out our website to stay up to date on our upcoming events!

<p>Prayer List—Our Church Family</p> <p>Linda Ashworth—health Edna Banks—health Jewel Epperly—health Juanita Fisher—hospice care Angie Foster—surgery recovery Bob & Stephanie Gunno—health/caregiving Janice Ledsome—health JoAnn & Danny Lucas—health Vickie Marcum—surgery 7/15 Adele McFarland—health Betty Miller—health John & Vicky Shank & Family—bereavement Betty Townsend—surgery recovery</p> <p>Our Children, AWANA Families, Teens & College Students. LINKS Missionaries: Larry & Lynne Bolinger; Kevin & Jenny Campbell-White serving in Mongolia.</p> <p>*Unspoken requests from our church family *Pray for those in nursing homes & homebound PROTECTION & GUIDANCE FOR OUR CHILDREN, MILITARY & GOVERNMENT LEADERS</p>	<p>Prayer List—Family & Friends</p> <p><i>*Requests will be left on our list for at least two weeks then may be removed.</i></p> <p>Dennis Dunlap—cancer. Brenda Stuck's bro Jerry Harper II—cancer; nephew of R. Harper Kim—cancer/treatments; friend of G. Beha Barbara Kitchen-severe pain; Tammie Jones Angi Swearingen—Stage 4 cancer Regan—cancer/treatment; N. Hanson's friend Unspoken</p> <p>PRAYER BOX</p> <p>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!</p>
<p><u>PRAYER CONNECTION</u></p> <p>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.</p>	

Encouraging The Family

Vickie Marcum

253 Surface Drive
Chas., WV 25302
Surgery 7/15

Betty Townsend

149 Dutch Rd. Apt 107
Chas., WV 25302
Surgery Recovery

Jewel Epperly

28 Burgess Drive
Chas., WV 25312
Health

Birthdays

13 Missy Kasten	19 Dennis Marcum
18 Bobby Bickley	20 Bill Cavender

Anniversaries

19 Nate & Kara Moles

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 with Pastor Shawn Kasten
4:00 p.m.	GriefShare in the Encouragers Room

Tuesday

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

8:30 a.m.	Men’s Bible Study Group in the Fellowship Hall
6:15 p.m.	VBS—Sanctuary— Age 3—Teens
6:30 p.m.	Into the Word Life Group—Sanctuary Classroom
	Encouragers Adult Life Group in the Encouragers Room
	Adult Choir Practice
6:30 p.m.	Evening Service at Chas. 1st with Pastor Allan Jones

UPCOMING EVENTS



Vacation Bible School-LIVE IT OUT!
EVERY WEDNESDAY IN JULY.
Ages 3—Teens will meet
each Wednesday Night
at 6:15—7:30 p.m.
for our Bible School Program.
Make plans to attend
and bring your friends!

THIS WEEK! Camp Meeting is July 13th—July 20th in Summersville. Rev. Jeremiah Bolich, from Watertown, TN, will be preaching and Dan Anderson (one of our very own) from Circleville, OH will be leading us in worship and praise. We will also be hearing from our two District Superintendents and 4 of our pastors (2 from the North District and 2 from the South District) in the morning services. In addition, we will be blessed with the historical insights and dynamic ministry of Nazarene Archivist and Historian, Ryan Griffin.

District Conventions & Assembly at Teays Valley Nazarene Church

Friday, August 1:	NYI Convention (PM)
Saturday, August 2:	NDI Convention (AM)
Saturday, August 2:	NMI Convention (Afternoon)
Saturday, August 2:	NMI Rally (PM)
Sunday, August 3:	District Assembly /Ordination Service (PM)
Monday, August 4:	District Assembly Business (AM)

JOY Club Luncheon—Join us at Mediterranean Breeze in St. Albans on August 5th, at 11:30 a.m. for lunch! Bring a friend or two! Please sign up in the foyer. See Angie Bickley with questions.

Ladies Night Out for August will be on Tuesday, August 12th, at Recovery Grill at 6 p.m. Parking is available in the parking garage. Be sure to bring your ticket in for Recovery to stamp if you purchase dinner. Please sign up in the foyer.



August 8th—10th
District Lay Retreat
Complete Information
is in the Foyer!

July Crisis
Care Kit Item:

One
Fingernail
Clipper



FALL MUMS SALE!
ORDERS DUE 8/13/25

All Orders Must Be Paid in Advance.



Scan to
Order!



Order in the Foyer!