

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
OBSERVE IT
RELATE IT
DECLARE IT

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

WELCOME TO ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

July 6, 2025

So if the Son sets you free,
you will be free indeed.
—John 8:36

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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!



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

Linda Ashworth—health
 Edna Banks—health
 Don Bickley—health
 Marilyn Clark—surgery recovery
 Juanita Fisher—hospice care
 Angie Foster—surgery recovery
 Bob & Stephanie Gunno—health/caregiving
 Martha Krause—health
 Janice Ledsome—health
 Whitley Ledsome—surgery recovery
 JoAnn & Danny Lucas—health
 Vickie Marcum—health
 Adele McFarland—health
 Betty Miller—health
 John & Vicky Shank & Family—bereavement
 Our Children, AWANA Families, 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 CHILDREN, MILITARY & GOVERNMENT LEADERS

Prayer List—Family & Friends

**Requests will be left on our list for at least two weeks then may be removed.*

Dennis Dunlap—cancer. Brenda Stuck’s bro
 Jerry Harper II—cancer; nephew of R. Harper
 Kim—cancer/treatments; friend of G. Beha
 Miriam Higginbotham—cancer; Tammie Jones
 Lloyd Lewis, Jr.—health; J. Lewis’ bro.
 Gloria Newhouse—loss of daughter
 Ann Runion—surgery recovery
 Angi Swearingen—Stage 4 cancer
 Regan—cancer/treatment; N. Hanson’s friend

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.

Encouraging The Family

Melissa Seabolt

27207 Furlong Ave.
St. Albans, WV 25177
Bereavement-Josh Shank

Joe Bautista

100 Jackson Drive
Elkview, WV 25071
Encouragement

Adele McFarland

PO Box 13454
Chas., WV 25360
Encouragement

Birthdays

6 Kenny Carder
Dave Darnold
Greg Foster

11 Noah Mitchell
12 Tim Davis
13 Missy Kasten

Anniversaries

6 Donnie & Amanda Mays 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.

9:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m.
- Worship Service at Chas. 1st**

Life Groups for all Ages

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)

Crisis Care Kit Packing in the Fellowship Hall

GriefShare in the Encouragers Room

Tuesday

- 9:00 a.m.

6:00 p.m.
- Prayer Meeting in the Sanctuary

Ladies Craft Night in the Fellowship Hall

Wednesday

- 8:30 a.m.

6:15 p.m.

6:30 p.m.
- Men’s Bible Study Group in the Fellowship Hall

VBS—Sanctuary— Age 3-Teens

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

Thursday

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Crisis Care Kit Packing will take place tonight at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please come out and take part!

Senior High School Camp: July 7th – 11th.

All applications are online at: wvsnazarene.org.



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!

Red Cross Blood Drive—Join us for a Red Cross Blood Drive on Thursday, July 10th, from 1--6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All blood types are needed! Register online at www.redcross.org. Enter: Elk River. Please sign up in the foyer to donate!

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.

The Debit Card Machine has been repaired
and is now functioning.

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)

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.

Conventions and District Assembly

August 1-4, 2025
@ Teays Valley Nazarene

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

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

