









Teens: Sign up now with
Pastor Jason & Emily
To attend SonFest
on Saturday,
September 28th

at Mount Vernon Nazarene University!

WELCOME TO

ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

August 11, 2024

...blessed are those who keep My ways.

Hear instruction and be wise,
and do not neglect it.

Blessed is the one who listens to Me,
watching daily at My gates,
waiting beside My doors.

For whoever finds Me finds life
and obtains favor from the LORD,

—Proverbs 8:32-35

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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/FlkRiverNazareneChurch 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

Jake & Carol Buckner—health Tex Canada—health/stroke recovery Bertha Grace—health Janice Ledsome—health Ann Lewis—health Adele McFarland—health Betty Miller—health Harold & Kathy Shaffer—health/caregiving Glada Stone—health Joe Strickland—health/stroke recovery 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.

Joe Chapman—health; Pastor's b.i.l. Lois Kersey—cancer; Dee Gunno's daughter 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

Joe Strickland
230 Dutch Road
Chas., WV 25302
(Stroke Recovery)

Juanita Fisher 244 Kenna Drive So. Chas., WV 25309 (Encouragement)

Bertha Grace 2368 Laurel Fork Rd. Clendenin, WV 25045 (Health)

<u>Birthdays</u>

1	1 Corey Dunlap	12 Jim Shank	13	Linda Shank	16 Brogan Dunlap	17 Debbie Titcher
	Rusty Lynch	13 Justin Hanson	14	Phoenix Neal	Kara Moles	18 Kirby McFarland
1	2 Anna Darnold	Amanda Mays	15	Pam Darnold	Scott Shaffer	Joe Strickland
	Elisabeth Lynch	Cindy Montgomer	y	Ben Jones	17 Dwayne Radcliffe	Maybelle Vance

Anniversaries

11 Mike & Cathi Davis 17 Dale & Maybelle Vance

If your birthday or anniversary does not appear in

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)
Noon	Missions Council Meeting in the Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m.	This Is My Story with Kim Spradling in the Fellowship Hall

Tuesday

10:00 a.m.	Prayer Meeting in the Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.	NDI Meeting in the RKZ

Wednesday

8:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Study Group in the Encouragers Room
6:00 p.m.	AWANA T & T Training Meeting in the CIA 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.	Evening Service at Chas. 1st with Pastor Mike Todorovich

Saturday

9:00 a.m. District Men's Breakfast at New Beginnings

UPCOMING EVENTS



Join us tonight at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for Kim Spradling's story of faith!
Menu includes: Hamburgers, Salad,
Corn on the Cob and Desserts.
Everyone is welcome to attend!



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!



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

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!



Early Registration is Open Now!

August Crisis Care Kit Item: One 30+ Count Box of Band Aids

Donations for the Foster Closet: Our Women's Ministry is accepting donations of winter coats for children and babies. There is also a need for diapers, children's shoes, crib mattresses, etc. If you have any children's donations, please bring them to the Welcome Center or see Beth Wagner before September 22nd.



I want to thank my church family for all the prayers, support, and kindness in the loss of my daughter, Lorri Cottrill. We appreciated the visits, food, and your support during this very difficult time. I am so thankful to have my church family.

With much love Nellie Cottrill & Family

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Men's Group—The blue box in the foyer is for our Helping Hands Ministry that assists with repairs and help for the elderly. Donations are welcome, and if you know of someone that needs help, please place their name & contact info in the box. You can contact Jim Gerencir or Ed McMinn with any questions.