# **Opportunities to Serve & Other News**

# Take a CROP Walk to Relieve Hunger

TODAY • Meet in the Family Life Center Registration begins at 1:30 p.m.

Walk begins at Nazareth at 2:00 p.m.

Today's the day to place your loose change and bills in the CROP Walk milk can in Fellowship Hall! If you prefer to donate by check, please make your check payable to "Church World Service: CROP."

Bring a jar of peanut butter to the walk, too! All donations will be given to the NE Iowa Food Bank.

75% of donations will go to Church World Service Hunger Relief; the remaining 25% stays in the Cedar Valley. Last year, the Cedar Falls CROP Walk raised more than \$12,000 to fight world hunger.

# **Job Vacancy at Nazareth**

Part-time Co-Director of Senior High Ministry

BA degree required. Formal training with young people preferred. Complete job description can be found at www.naz.org. Send cover letter, resume, and application to Nazareth Lutheran Church, 7401 University Ave, Cedar Falls IA 50613 ATTN: Angie Rath or email application materials to angie.rath@naz.org.

### **Eat & Greet Wednesday Meals**

Wednesdays • 5:00 - 5:45 p.m. • Fellowship Hall \$4 single/\$15 family max/Under 3 years: Free **October 7 Menu:** Spaghetti & garlic toast

# **Pray for Our Missionaries**

Jim and Marissa Stamberg are Nazareth sponsored missionaries now serving in Anchorage, Alaska.

- PTL for their successful move to Anchorage.
- Please pray for Jim in his new roles as Assistant Area Director of SEND International and Short Term Ministries Coordinator. Give him wisdom to know how to bring about healthy change in a positive and tactful way.
- Pray that Marissa continues to have good opportunities for effective witness.
- Pray that their boys, Dawson and Brennan, remain healthy and adjust well to their new school.
- Pray for the ongoing ministries and leadership of their former church in Naknek, Alaska.

### **Body Recall**

Class starts Monday, October 5 8:30 a.m. • M-W-F • Gym • \$30

Certified instructor: Linnea Graen • 266-6195

If you've been looking for an exercise program that won't leave you hurting, then Body Recall is the program for you! Body Recall exercises are appropriate for anyone of any age who is looking for a low-impact fitness program. The program is also excellent for heart patients and for those recovering from surgery, illness, or injury. The exercises help people regain or improve their mobility, range of movement, and strength. Sign up at the Welcome Desk today.

# Sign Up for The Lutheran TODAY

If you are a Nazareth member and would like to receive a paid subscription to *The Lutheran* magazine, sign up today at the Welcome Desk. **Deadline to sign up is Sunday, October 18.** 

# Let Us Know About Your Hospitalization

If you or a member of your family is hospitalized and you would like the Nazareth pastors to know, please contact Director of Visitation Ministry Andy Walser at 266-7589 or andy.walser@naz.org. **This is the best way to be sure the pastors will be notified of your hospitalization.** Please be aware that Prayer Chain requests and prayer request cards are not used for the purpose of informing the pastors of a hospitalization that requires their immediate attention.

#### **Communion. Visits for Homebound Members**

If you know of a Nazareth member who is homebound or ill and in need of a pastoral visit or home communion, please contact Director of Visitation Ministry Andy Walser at 266-7589 or andy.walser@naz.org.

#### Connect with Nazareth on Social Media

Keep up with Nazareth! We share announcements and events and post information and pictures that will keep you connected throughout the week. Find our website at www.naz.org. Visit us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/MyNazareth. Our Twitter handle is @mynazchurch (www.twitter.com/mynazchurch). Follow the Ephesians series by using these hashtags: #grace, #ephesians, #mynazchurch, #sermonnotes.



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Living together in God's amazing grace, we invite all people to know Christ, grow in Christ, and make Christ known

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# **Sunday Worship Services**

8:30, 9:50 & 11:10 a.m.

# **Pastor Brian King**

Senior Pastor brian.king@naz.org

# **Pastor Denny Hanson**

Associate Pastor dennis.hanson@naz.org

#### **Pastor Bob Ericson**

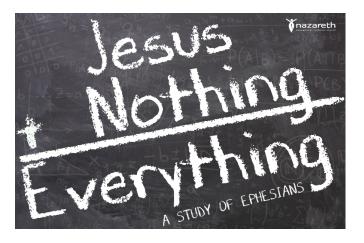
Visitation/Teaching Pastor bob.ericson@naz.org

#### Office Hours

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday - Friday

### **Connect with Nazareth**

Website - www.naz.org Twitter - @mynazchurch (twitter.com/mynazchurch) facebook.com/MyNazareth



I am the vine, you are the branches.
Those who abide in me and I in them bear much good fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing.

John 15:5



October 4, 2015

# October 4, 2015 • Series: Jesus + Nothing = Everything

Sermon - *3500 = One* - Pastor Denny Hanson Today's Texts - Ephesians 4:1-7; John 15:1-8, 16-17

#### 8:30 a.m.

Prelude - *Menuet Gothique* from SUITE GOTHIQUE (Boëllmann) Gathering - *The Church's One Foundation* - #369 (green) Offering - *Prière à Notre-Dame* from SUITE GOTHIQUE (Boëllmann) Distribution hymns - #370 (green), #748 (blue), #285 (brown) Postlude - *Toccata* from SUITE GOTHIQUE (Boëllmann)

## 9:50 a.m.

Gathering - *The Church's One Foundation* - #369 (green) Offering - *Bind Us Together* - #748 (blue) (ensemble) Distribution - *Make Us One* (ensemble) Sending Song - *We Are the Body of Christ* (ensemble)

# 11:10 a.m.

Worship Songs - Not to Us; We Are; Send Us Out Offering - Center

### **Worship Assistants**

Nathaniel Parrish - Director of Music (8:30/9:50) Worship Leader - Enrique Ochoa (11:10) Readers - Peg Wiebenga (8:30); Jim Buschkamp (9:50)

# Next Week's Worship • Sunday, October 11, 2015

8:30, 9:50 & 11:10 a.m. - Pastor Brian King

# **Visit the Coffee Shop TODAY**

Good coffee Sweet treats

Family Life Center Lobby

Donations Accepted

#### **Naz Notes**

#### Read It!

Ephesians 4: 1-32 1 Corinthians 12:1-31 John 15: 1-17 *Life Together* by Dietrich Bonhoeffer

#### Watch It!

We Are Marshall (example of the power of unity in time of tragedy)

#### Live It!

Engage in a volunteer opportunity this week where you can join others in getting your hands and feet dirty for the sake of others in the name of Christ.

Pray for farmers and agricultural workers as the fall harvest is gathered.

Take time to write a note to someone who, through the fruit of their life, has touched you with the enduring fruit of Christ's love and grace.

As we live in response to God's amazing grace and love, the people of Nazareth value









#### **Nazareth News**

We are blessed by your presence at worship this morning. Please join us for fellowship and refreshments in Fellowship Hall between services.

# A Special Welcome to Our Visitors

Whether you're visiting from across town or out of state, your presence is a blessing to us. Be sure to request a Welcome Brochure from an usher or ask for an information packet and a special gift at the Welcome Desk this morning.

# **Visit the Naz Next Steps Table**

Fellowship Hall near the fountain

Take the next step to a deeper relationship with Jesus. Sign up for small groups, adult classes, and special volunteer opportunities at Nazareth and beyond.

# **Local Missions October Focus Groups**

Did you know Nazareth's Local Missions budget supports two radio ministries?

Since 1936, **Christian Crusaders** has broadcast 4,108 sermons; 8,216 prayers; and 8,000 to 9,000 hymns. In addition to weekly radio broadcasts, the program is also available online at www.ChristianCrusaders.org. Christian Crusaders' national office is located at Nazareth.

**Life 101.9** radio, broadcasting Christian music and programs, is part of the University of Northwestern/St. Paul.

You can support both ministries through prayer and financial gifts. For more information, check out the Local Mission bulletin board in Fellowship Hall during October.

# Free Tickets Available for Oster-Regent Play

Nazareth has a **very limited number** of free tickets for a performance of *Dearly Departed* at the Oster-Regent Theater on **Sunday, October 11 at 2:00 p.m.** Tickets are available at the Welcome Desk this morning on a first-come, first-served basis.

### Attendance Statistics - September 2015

<u>8:30</u>	<u>9:50</u>	<u>11:10</u>
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The flowers at the altar are in memory of Tom Carter. The flowers at the pulpit celebrate the 20<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of John and Angie Shephard.

**The 2016 Flower Calendar** is ready for your orders. Sign up today at the Welcome Desk or contact Communications Secretary Nancy Woodford at 319-266-7589 or nancy.woodford@naz.org.

#### Thank You

From **Gordon Nieman** to Pastor Denny Hanson, Pastor Bob Ericson, and Andy Walser for their visits during his recent hospitalization, and to all Nazareth friends for their visits and cards.

**Known to Be Hospitalized** (as of September 29)

Jerry Gehrke; Francis Kreb

# Sunday Morning Weekly Class Schedule Adult Classes

8:30 a.m.	MidKids	Room 156
9:50 a.m.	Prime Time	Room 151
9:50 a.m.	New Lives	Room 155
9:50 a.m.	Special Needs	Room 156

#### Kidz ROCK • 9:50 a.m.

3-year-olds – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade (assigned locations)

#### Confirmation • 9:50 a.m.

7<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> Grade (assigned locations)

### October 11 Sunday Bulletin Deadline

Monday, October 5 • 8:00 a.m.

# November *Messenger* Deadline

Friday, October 9 • 8:00 a.m. nancy.woodford@naz.org

#### NewAldaya Pancake Breakfast & Bake Sale

Saturday, October 17 • 7:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Main Street at NewAldaya

Adults: \$7 • Children 4-10 years: \$4

Tickets available at the door

All proceeds from the breakfast will go towards the new Memory Care Unit for Alzheimer's patients.