Bethel Church of the Nazarene

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I recently returned from a trip to Israel and on that trip we went to a site where they believe Jesus was crucified. Nearby there is a tomb where it is believed Jesus was buried. I went into the tomb and found that it was empty! The empty tomb gives us hope because we believe that Jesus Christ rose from the dead. In rising from the dead, Jesus conquered sin and death. His victory is our victory through faith in Jesus. The presence of our Risen Savior conquers any fears we might have. There is no need for fear of death because it has been defeated by Jesus. We do not need to fear whatever we find in this world because Jesus has overcome the world. The darkening clouds of fear have been blown away by the living light of Jesus. We are called to live in the light of this victory not in the fear of the darkness. As we live our lives, let us remember that we are victors in Christ. Let the victory of Christ lead us to live our lives of joy for the glory of God!

Straight Ahead!

Pastor Doug



- Apr. 2- Camp Dinner
- Apr. 3- Ladies Table Talk
- Apr. 5- Single's lunch bunch
- Apr. 8- EGGstravaganza!
- Apr. 9- Kids Program
- Apr. 10- Missions Council
- Apr. 14- Good Friday service
- Apr. 16- EASTER Sunday
- Apr. 17- Membership class
- Apr. 17- Ladies Table Talk
- Apr. 18- NASA
- Apr. 21- Caravan dinner
- Apr. 22- Faith Promise dinner
- Apr. 23- Faith Promise

Faith Promise

Join us on April 22 & 23 for our annual missions focus and Faith Promise celebration.

"What Begins Here Transforms the World"

Saturday, April 22, 6pm - Africa themed all-church dinner Sunday, April 23, 9am & 10:45am

Missionary Guest - Rob North from Africa Nazarene University

Faith Promise giving is the method used by our church for raising financial support for World Evangelism. It is dedicated specifically to the support of our missionaries deployed around the globe.

You will have opportunity to pledge your 'promise' toward missions.

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EASTER SERVICES-

Palm Sunday - April 9 - Kids Program

Good Friday.-. April 14 - Service at 7pm.

Easter Sunday- April 16

Sunrise Service - 7am

Breakfast served from 8am - 9:30am

Contemporary Worship – 9am

Traditional Worship- 10:45am

No Sunday school/No evening service

EGGSTRAVAGANZA!

Saturday, April 8th, 11am to 1pm

Community Outreach * Free Family Event

Egg Hunt * Hot Dogs * Games * Face Painting

FUN!

Candy donations are needed to stuff 12,000 eggs. Volunteers are needed! Please sign-up at the Easter Egg table in the foyer.

Egg stuffing is Wed., Apr. 5, at 9:30am

<u>Single Again Lunch Bunch</u> will meet on <u>Wednesday, April 5th at 1:30pm</u> at the Honker restaurant for lunch & fellowship.

<u>Israel Report</u>- Pastor Doug will present a report on his recent trip to Israel on Sunday, April 9 at 6pm.

Membership Class will be offered on Monday, April 17th at 7pm. Please contact Pastor Doug if you are interested in learning more about membership at Bethel and the doctrine of the Nazarene church.

NASA-Nazarene Active Senior Adults will have their annual BIRTHDAY BASH on Tuesday, April 18th at 6:45pm. Please signup at the Welcome Center. Everyone will celebrate their birthday! A variety of skits, music, and comedy will be performed by some of the NASA members. Fun for all!

<u>Caravan Blue & White dinner is Friday, April 21 at 6:30pm</u>. Our caravan kids will be serving dinner to parents and leaders and also showing off their talents. The NNU concert band will also be performing.

Coming May 6th * Ladics Teal

"Spring in the Spirit"

Saturday, May 6th, 2:00-4:00pm

Ladies, please join us for this beautiful catered luncheon & tea.

You will be encouraged with the empowerment of the Holy Spirit with

video presentation by Jill Briscoe entitled "Little Pot of Oil".

There will be special gifts, prizes and giveaways.

Cost- \$10/adults * \$5/ages 12-18

Childcare is available upon request.

Purchase your tickets in the foyer on Sundays or from the church office by April 30th.

KIDS * TEENS * Summer Camp registration is open!

Forms are available at the Welcome Center * Journeyland * Teen Center. Visit www.tpines.org for details. Scholarship help is available upon request.