

La Mirada First Church
of the Nazarene
NEWSLETTER



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JANUARY 2023

HAPPY NEW YEAR

The building program continues. Despite weather and some setbacks, we continue to push forward. The water run-off filtration system is still in progress, but much is happening indoors and out! We are praying for a possible May opening.

It is our hope to keep you informed of the many things happening at our facility. Each month we will do our best to update and highlight new events.

If you would like to contribute to the newsletter - please do so by presenting to Pastor Debbie before the third week of the prior month (before printing).

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ONE MISSION... ONE VOICE

AN NMI - NYI - NDI EVENT

JANUARY 28 AT 9AM-12PM

ANAHEIM 1st CHURCH
1340 N. CANDLEWOOD ST.

BRUNCH, WORSHIP, WORKSHOPS
& DR. LARRY GARMAN



DAVID HAZEL
I hear You
calling... What's
my next step?



ROD HARRISON
Tuning my ear to
God's Spirit in a
chaotic world



DOUG GUNSALUS
I'm called to serve,
but I am burned
out... HELPI



JOE HOLLOWAY
Where does God
show up when life
slows down?

REGISTER BY JANUARY 19 AT [HTTPS://ADNAZNDI.REGFOX.COM/MISSIONEVENT](https://adnazndi.regfox.com/missionevent)

JANUARY MISSIONS EVENT:

ANAHEIM FIRST CHURCH

This month we will be joining with NDI and NYI for a special event being held at the Anaheim First Church of the Nazarene. Registration and payment must be made online before January 19th.



*"For I am about to do something new.
See, I have already begun! Do you not see it?
I will make a pathway through the wilderness.
I will create rivers in the dry wasteland." Isaiah 43:19*



JANUARY

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Jan. 1 – Joint Service at Four Square Church; Communion Service
- Jan. 4 - Prayer & Praise on Facebook
- Jan. 6 – Epiphany
- Jan. 8 – Services back at Redeemer Church
- Jan. 10 – Church Leadership Board Meeting on Zoom
- Jan. 11 – Bible Study with Pastor Arthur on Facebook
- Jan. 14 – District Women’s event at Cerritos Church 2 pm
- Jan. 18 – Bible Study with Pastor Arthur on Facebook
- Jan. 19 – Tentative Local LM1 NMI Council Meeting on Zoom 7pm
- Jan. 22 – Children’s Mission Lesson on Thailand during Children’s Church
- Jan. 25 – Bible Study with Pastor Arthur on Facebook
- Dec. 28 – District NYI/NMI/NDI Convention at Anaheim 1st with Missionary Larry Garman; Reservations required.

Be sure to refer to the Weekly Update sent out Saturday evenings for *any additions or changes*.

ANUARY BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES

BIRTHDAYS:

- Amelia Huante – 1st
- Robert Rodriguez – 2nd
- Victor Sanchez* 6th
- Carmen Ruano* - 6th
- Renee McKibben – 7th
- Adriana Palomo – 10th
- Jared Ochoa* - 12th
- Chuck Montoya – 22nd
- Bonnie Cook – 24th
- Jesse Toyos – 30th



ANNIVERSARIES:

- Gabriel & Rosalinda Del Castillo – 1st

If you do not see your name on this list and it should be, it is because the office does not have your information! Please keep us informed too. Fill out an information card and place in the offering or give to a pastor.

Weekly Schedule:

Sunday

English Worship Service – 12:30 pm Currently at Redeemer Church & Online with Facebook

Hispanic Service – 2:15pm at the Redeemer Church

Adult SS Class (F.B.I.) – 6 pm on Zoom

Wednesday

Bible Study & Prayer - Online on Facebook 6:30 pm

Youth at Redeemer in the Mountain Room at 6:30 pm

Saturday

Prayer Group – 9:30 am on Free Conference Call – the phone contact information is listed on another page.

The Church has been using our “Breeze” account that is able to send out our mailings and messaging. It has automated our address system making it easier to communicate with the members of our church. [If at any time you wish to be removed from our list, please email us directly.](#)



As of 12-28-22 Sanctuary and offices off Foster Road.



Candle light Service Christmas Eve at Redeemer

NMI READING BOOKS

PLEASE REMEMBER TO CONTACT PASTOR DEBBIE OR CHARLOTTE IF ANY OF THE BOOKS HAVE BEEN READ. Books for the 2021/2022 year have been added to the website.

Three new books for 2022 have been added to the website. Hardcopies have not been purchased but last years copies may still be read for credit. WE HAVE ONLY one MONTH TO MEET OUR READING GOALS FOR PRIORITY ONE!

The NMI website has been updated and can now be accessed at: www.nazarene.org/nmi then click on "About" on the task bar to find the links to the Missionary Reading Books. Reading the books are free of charge! This gives our church extra credit toward our Priority One Goal in March.

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***During Construction we will be meeting at the
Redeemer Church during construction***

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As of 12-28-22 from Sterns corner of parking lot.

THE SATURDAY MORNING PRAYER GROUP CONTINUES TO MEET VIA CONFERENCE CALLS EVERY SATURDAY MORNING AT 9:30 am. If anyone would like to join the prayer time with your own request or to pray for one another, simply join us at:

1-701-802-5468
Access code is:
109758#

This is a FREE service and anyone is invited to join us. Simply call the above number and enter our reserved access code. There is power in prayer. **To God be the glory!**



If anyone would like to request a special time of communion with any of the pastors, please call and request a time or appointment. We always have corporate communion on the first Sunday of the month in person. However, if you are unable to make it, an in-home visit can be arranged.