

# Southwest *Church of the Nazarene*

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## *All the Way My Savior Leads Me*

All the way my Savior leads me—  
What have I to ask beside?  
Can I doubt His tender mercy,  
Who through life has been my guide?  
Heav'nly peace, divinest comfort,  
Here by faith in Him to dwell!  
For I know, whate'er befall me,  
Jesus doeth all things well;  
For I know, whate'er befall me,  
Jesus doeth all things well.

All the way my Savior leads me—  
Cheers each winding path I tread,  
Gives me grace for ev'ry trial,  
Feeds me with the living bread.  
Though my weary steps may falter  
And my soul athirst may be,  
Gushing from the rock before me,  
Lo! a spring of joy I see;  
Gushing from the rock before me,  
Lo! A spring of joy I see.

All the way my Savior leads me—  
Oh, the fullness of His love!  
Perfect rest to me is promised  
In my Father's house above.  
When my spirit, clothed immortal,  
Wings its flight to realms of day,  
This my song through endless ages:  
Jesus led me all the way;  
This my song through endless ages:  
Jesus led me all the way.

- Fanny Crosby

## Church Events

- ❖ January 18th, Tuesday – 6:30pm  
Church Board Meeting
- ❖ January 24th, February 14th & 28th, and March 14th & 28th,  
Mondays – 6:30pm – 8:00pm –  
MOPS meeting
- ❖ January 28th, Friday – R!OT Youth  
will attend the Winter Jam concert.  
See Dave/Dana for details.
- ❖ February 12th, Saturday – Eat  
Your Heart Out Fundraiser for  
R!OT
- ❖ February 26th, Saturday – 8:00am  
– 4:00pm – Indy District NYI  
Celebrate Life tryouts at Westside  
COTN
- ❖ May 12th - May 14th, Thurs. – Sat.  
– Regional Celebrate Life at Olivet  
Nazarene University

## Praises:

- ❖ Praise the Lord for those healing up from COVID! Thank you Lord being with us through our sicknesses and bringing the strength we need to recover.
- ❖ Praise the Lord for a good report for Dave Metcalf! He has been through a difficult few days. He, however, with the help of a great group of doctors and nurses and the Lord's help, is progressing in the right direction.
- ❖ Praise the Lord for a wonderful spirit in the service Sunday! Southwest Church is blessed with great musicians and singers who help bring us into the spirit of worship! Thank you praise team.

### **“Bear One Another’s Burdens”**

**Take a moment this week to reach out to someone who is ill or going through a difficult time. Bring some cheer and inspiration through a text, call, note, or drop something by for them! We are in this together!**

### **Psalm 61:1-4**

*<sup>1</sup> Hear my cry, O God; Attend to my prayer. <sup>2</sup> From the end of the earth I will cry to You, When my heart is overwhelmed; Lead me to the rock that is higher than I. <sup>3</sup> For You have been a shelter for me, A strong tower from the enemy. <sup>4</sup> I will abide in Your tabernacle forever; I will trust in the shelter of Your wings. NKJV*

## Prayer Needs:

- ❖ Please remember all the family members of our church who are dealing with the COVID virus right now.
- ❖ Please pray for our unsaved children, family, and friends.
- ❖ Please pray for our country to turn away from their sinful ways and return to the Lord.
- ❖ For Personal Prayer Needs, please see the mailed and emailed versions of the church newsletter.

### **Current Sermon Series: Our Helper**

When Christ ascended to heaven, his disciples were not left alone. Nor are we. The Father would send the Holy Spirit - our Helper! Jesus said He will Guide Us, Purify and Fill Us, Empower Us, and would ever-shape us in the image of Christ. This is the hidden Power of the Church! Join us this Sunday as we continue along this in this series.



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## **28 Day Prayer and Bible Challenge**

**January 9<sup>th</sup> – February 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Read one chapter in the Book of Acts each day**

**-and-**

**Pray each day these in your prayers, that... :**

1. **Our church would honor and glorify God in all we do.**  
*I would honor and glorify God in all I do.*
2. **Our church leaders would have the Lord's anointing, protection, and strength to faithfully proclaim the Word.**  
*I would have the Lord's anointing, protection, and strength to faithfully proclaim the Word.*
3. **Our church would be a hospital for broken humanity.**  
*I would be a Good Samaritan for broken humanity.*
4. **Our church would be faithful in prayer.**  
*I would be faithful in prayer.*
5. **Our church would be faithful to share the Gospel.**  
*I would be faithful to share the Gospel.*

# Announcements

## Church Board Meeting

Tuesday, January 18th at 6:30pm. Please send your reports to Katrina by Friday, January 14th at [southwest@swnazarene.org](mailto:southwest@swnazarene.org).



**NYI District Lock-In has been postponed! There isn't yet a rescheduled date. We'll keep you posted.**

## **Monday, January 24<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm – 8:00pm - MOPS Meeting:**

If you are a mother of children who from birth through Kindergarten, please join us at a MOPS Meeting. Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) connects moms to one another and Jesus through quality, small group gatherings. Crafts, devotions, snacks, and opportunities to socialize with other women in the same stage as you are in right now! Share stories, experiences, and your faith journey! Questions: See Renee Plank.

## **Saturday, February 12<sup>th</sup>**

### **Eat Your Heart Out Dinner**

**Fundraiser:** Enjoy a meal catered by Chef and Terri Greene and served by our R!OT Youth members! The youth chapel becomes a 5-star restaurant for this one night a year! Invite friends, spouses, or family members, make a reservation, and have a great evening together. More details and sign-ups coming soon. This fundraiser will provide funding that will benefit upcoming R!OT Youth activities. Thanks for your support!



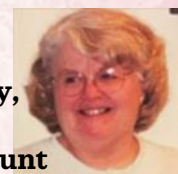
## **Friday, January 28<sup>th</sup>**



**Winter Jam Concert:** R!OT Youth will be going to see performances from Skillet, Tauren Wells, Colton Dixon, and many others! Ticket price is \$10. Bring extra money for any food, drinks or merchandise you'd like to purchase. Don't forget to invite a friend! Concert starts at 7:00pm. We'll meet at the church before and head that way together. See Dave/Dana with questions.

## **Miriam Hood's Celebration of Life:**

Miriam's family would love to invite you to a celebration of the life of this special lady on Saturday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11:00am. Lunch will be served following the memorial service. So we will have a count for the caterers, please indicate your intent to join us for lunch by checking the "going" option on the Facebook Invite or by contacting Ronda Troyer at 317-416-5529. Thank you to so many of our dear friends and family who have stood by us through this difficult time. Miriam's family is looking forward to seeing you



## **Saturday, February 26<sup>th</sup> 8:00am – 4:00pm**

Indy District Youth Celebrate Life tryouts at Westside COTN. Cost is \$25 each.

Compete in events such as: poetry, painting, photography, singing, playing an instrument, table tennis, chess, basketball, bowling, tennis, volleyball, dodgeball, 5K run, etc. It will be a fun day spending time with teens from all over the district! See Dave/Dana Metcalf for details.

## **Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup> - Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup>**

Regional Celebrate Life at Olivet Nazarene University – the next step along for Celebrate Life! Those attending will stay a couple days on campus and compete while having a great time! You won't want to miss out on this experience. More details will come out after the Indy District Celebrate Life has taken place. See Dave/Dana Metcalf with any questions.