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Our Vision is to:
 Encounter God, Connect with Others, & Serve the Community



First time here? We are so happy to have you. Please fill out a welcome form and place it in the offering plate. We would love to meet you after the service. Please say hello to a staff member; our pictures are on the back of this bulletin.

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Office Hours: Mon-Fri 9am-2:30pm

Weekly Schedule

Today is: Sunday 4/15/2018

8:30am - Bible Study - Parlor

9:30am - Prayer - Parlor

10:00am - Worship Service

Childcare for birth - Pre-K. Check in by the gym.

Children K-5th. Check in downstairs.

11:30am - Teen membership class

2:30pm - Night of Talent PRACTICE (time is approximate)

Monday 4/16 - Lighthouse School inservice day

5:30pm - Softball coaches meeting

6:00pm - Men's Basketball

6:30pm - Prayer

Tuesday 4/17

10:00am - Ladies Bible Study - downstairs

10:30am - Ladies Bible Study - parlor

6:30pm - Mission Area meeting - Sebege

SPHS Girls Lacrosse team dinner

Wednesday 4/18

5:30pm - Family Indoor Picnic - gym till 7:30pm

Thursday 4/19 - NMI Convention begins

7:30am - Clothing closet at Life Essentials

12:00pm - JOY Group at Bruno's in Portland

5:00pm - Girl Scouts - downstairs

Friday 4/20 - NMI Convention

6:00pm - Pickle ball - Gym

6:30pm - AA - North Wing

Saturday 4/21 - NMI Convention

Sunday 4/22 - Brooks Family send off after church

SOP0180 - Student Ministries

Date Change!

The youth Night of Talent Fundraiser has been moved to Sunday, May 20th at 5:30pm. Please mark your calendars. You don't want to miss the brass and wind ensemble or any of the other acts!

No Early Youth or Youth Group tonight

Night of Talent Rehearsal Tonight: 4/15, after the membership class.

Youth Membership Class- today after service. See Pastor Amanda for details

Family Indoor Picnic

Come Wednesday April 18th for an indoor picnic with burgers, dogs, drinks, and fun family games! We will also have some scrapbook materials available for you to make a page for the Brooks family's memory book. Bring a side dish or dessert to share. Kid's Bridge and small groups will NOT be meeting.

The picnic will take place from 5:30pm-7:30pm. Come and go as you are able. Questions? See Kelly Miner (contact info on the back.)



SPCN WEEKLY FINANCES

Funds needed every week \$ 8,200

Funds received 4/8/18 \$ 9,429

Funds received online Mar. 2018 \$

Online giving is available. Visit
www.spcnazarene.com/our-church/giving

Prayer Chain

Would you like to know about specific prayer requests for our church family? Sign up on your welcome form or send Kelly an email at spcnazarene@gmail.com. (The prayer chain is email only. Don't have email? Ask a friend who does to keep you up to date or help organize a phone tree.)

Prayer Requests

- Ken & Barbara Conley - listening for God's will
 - God's hand and blessing on the restoration and reunification of Andrew Baker & his daughters Natalia (9) and Liliana (6)
 - Dick & Francene Downs: health issues for both.
 - Natasha Lyons' mom & grandmother & friend Diane: health
 - Our many friends and family who are in need of physical healing and who are fighting depression.
 - Kelly Zwicker - healing from cancer, strength through chemo
 - Justine needs a kidney
 - Roy Brooks
 - Ty, Monica Sobey's husband, US Army Reserves Deployed to Jordan
 - The family of Brylee Hutchinson 9/22/2014 - 3/22/2018
 - Joshua Hosler - Bike Accident
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Make someone's day, send them a card!

(if you know someone who is home bound or in rehab, please let Kelly know!)

Lela Quinn: 1700 Broadway Apt #186 South Portland, ME 04106

Midge Shaw: 72 Gorham Rd. Apt 205 Scarborough, ME 04074

Nancy Jardine: 1012 Sawyer St. Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107

Today's Service: Sunday April 15th, 2018

Preacher: Pastor Timothy Brooks

Scripture: Matthew 6:19-34, John 21:1-14

Songs:

Here for You
Your Promises
My Heart is Yours
It Is Well
Speak O Lord
Rescue

Learn Something New? Write it down!

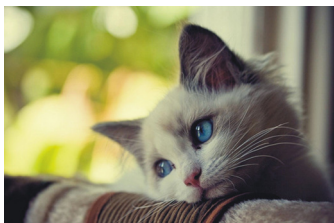
Softball

Softball season is here!!! All men interested in playing softball, Saturday afternoons from May through July, please sign up by April 22nd. You can do so on the bulletin board, via your welcome form, or using the Google form on the website.



Brooks Family Send off

Pastor Tim Brooks and family, (including Mary!) have accepted a call to move to Maryland. We are sad to see them go, but wish to give them a great send off. Please plan on staying after the service Sunday, April 22nd for a going away party.



There will be a money tree and basket for cards to help them on their journey and as they begin their adventure in Maryland, as well as a scrapbook for you to add to.

Women's Retreat

Self care is something that we all struggle with. Women's retreat is one guaranteed way to get the rest and relaxation that you need in order to be the best that you can be. Most importantly, you'll grow spiritually. Andrea Garcia will be speaking to us about worship and leading us in song.

Don't delay! Start making payments to reserve your spot. (\$20/week or every other week is a great start.) The total cost is \$125. Please hand them to Kelly Miner or Rebecca Crooker so they can be properly accounted for. Thank you!

Women's Retreat is at Windsor Hills Camp (about 90 min away) June 22nd - 24th. Carpools and scholarships are available. See Kelly Miner for more info.

Church Election Results - *Updates in italics*

Two-year Term:

Jason Darling
Julie Bennett
Paul Murphy
Jim Harris
Jonathon Oertel

One Year Term:

Brandon Stultz
Hank Dunn
Brad Sass
Christy Elgee
Carl Helstrom

District Assembly Delegates:

Merrill Briggs
Tim Curlew
Linda Gervais
Dale Grant
Linda Grant
Lila Kirkwood

NYI President: *Chris Miner*

SDMI President: Bonnie Porter

NMI President: Kate Mathieu

A Note from Miss Ida Austin

I'm now at home, (Praise God), continuing recovery. It will be sometime until I see you at church but I want to thank you all for the prayers in my behalf and all your great cards. What a wonderful church family! - Ida Austin

Just Older Youth Group

The JOY group will be meeting at Bruno's in Portland on Thursday, April 19th at noon. All retired persons are invited to attend. RSVP to Pauline Lane at 207-883-6156.

