

## RESPOND TO YOUR VISIT

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Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Visitor \_\_\_\_\_ Regular Attendee

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Note to the Pastor \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer Request \_\_\_\_\_

Comments \_\_\_\_\_

I would welcome further contact by:

email  phone  personal visit

## This Week at FCN:

**Sunday** 9:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Fellowship in Vestibule  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service  
4:00 p.m. Band of Brothers Men's Group  
4:30 p.m. Cantata Practice  
6:00 p.m. Common Ground, Cornerstone Café Youth,  
Children's Caravan, College & Career Group

**Wednesday** 6:00 p.m. Jubilee Sr. Adult Bible Study  
7:00 p.m. "The Well" Prayer Group, WYBT1 Youth  
Group, College & Career Group

**Thursday** 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast (Cracker Barrel)  
11:30 a.m. Prime Timers Fellowship

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6:00 p.m. NMI Emphasis & Fellowship  
Children's Caravan

### Adopt-A-Light Goal

To Date: \$ 5,145.00  
Goal: \$ 21,130.15

### Children's Mission Money March

Sunday, March 4 \$ 63.24  
Month To Date: \$ 63.24  
Year To Date: \$ 479.52

### March Ushers

Charles Barrington Bernie Hehn  
Jazer Bullock Aaron Hocking  
Sandy Bullock Neal King  
Steve Hastings

### March Steward

Sandy Bullock

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

FIRST CHURCH of the NAZARENE — ABILENE, TX

Welcome to  
**Abilene FCN**

*"More than a church — We are a family"*



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## First Time Visiting?

We are so glad you chose to join us and we hope you will truly experience the presence of God today. Below you will find some important information about different programs and opportunities to connect at Abilene FCN. Also, make sure you take some time to explore our website for even more information:

[www.fcnable.org](http://www.fcnable.org). Thank you again for worshipping with us today!

### Sunday Morning:

**Adults:** Sunday School begins at 9:30 a.m. Several groups meet together during this hour. Worship Service begins at 10:30 a.m.

**Children:** We offer Children's programming throughout the morning. We have a Nursery for infants-4 years of age located in the Children's wing. Children 5 years of age and older will be dismissed for Children's Church after the song service. The 2nd Sunday of every month is **Family Sunday**. Children 5 years of age and older will remain with their family in the Sanctuary for the Worship Service.

### Sunday Evening:

**Community Groups:** Groups usually begin anywhere between 4-6:00 p.m. These vary by topic and facilitator. For more information, check out our website: <http://fcnable.org/connect/community-groups>. On the 2nd Sunday of the month, everyone meets together at 6:00 p.m. in the FCN Dining Room for a mission study and fellowship.

**Kids:** Children's Caravan meets at 6:00 p.m. during the school year in the Children's Wing. This is an awesome scout-like program for kids preschool through 6th grade.

**Teens:** Cornerstone Café meets in the Youth Room (in the Youth Wing) for a casual Bible study at 6:00 p.m.

### Wednesday Evening:

**Adults:** The Jubilee Senior Adult Bible Study meets at 6:00 p.m. in the Prime Timer classroom.. "The Well" Prayer Centered Life Group meets at 7:00 p.m. in the Prayer Room.

**Children:** Freestyle Wednesday—Join us for an object lesson and fun activities! We meet at 7:00 p.m. in the Children's Wing.

**Teens:** **WYBT1** (Will you be the one?) meets at 7:00 p.m. in the Youth room for a time of worship and study.

**College/Career:** We meet in "The Gathering Place" (east wing) at 7:00 p.m.

### Message:

"The Zeal of God and For God"

John 2:13-25

Pastor David Kessell

Date: March 11, 2018



## Announcements

**There will be no Children's Activity on Wednesday night, March 14, due to Spring Break.**

**Prime Timer's (Senior Adult Ministries) Monthly Meeting**—Thursday, March 15, at 11:30 a.m.—This meeting will be held in the FCN Dining Room. Food will be provided. Join us for great food and fellowship!

**Sunday Night Mission Fellowship has been moved to Sunday, March 18.**

We will meet at 6:00 p.m. in the Dining Room. beginning with a finger foods and fellowship time with Mission Emphasis time to follow. We want everyone to be able to attend, so we will not keep you past 7:00 p.m. We are excited about adding some new local Compassionate Ministries projects this year. We will have a special speaker at our Mission Emphasis service to share about the population of homeless students in Abilene schools and ways we can help meet the needs they have. We need to be JESUS to Abilene! Please join us!

**The next FCN Book Club** meeting will be Monday, March 19, at Mad Coffee and More located at 8049 Hwy 83/84 (the corner of FM 707 & Hwy 83/84) at 6:30 p.m. Our next read is "The Devil in Pew Number 7" by Becky Alonzo. Contact Carol Hehn for more information.

**Attention FCN family**—The Abilene Police Department will be holding an Active Shooter Response Team Training session at FCN on Tuesday, March 20, at 6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. This class is for anyone who would like to educate themselves on how to react and respond in the case of an active shooter situation here at the church. FCN will be forming an official security team which will be headed up by Terry Butler. We already have individuals who check all the halls and parking lots throughout services each week but we will now be building a security team which will better ensure the safety and security of the FCN Family, visitors, and guests. More information about the FCN Security Ministry will be coming soon. It is sad that we have come to a day and time where we have to have classes such as these, but nonetheless, that day and time is here and we want to make sure that everyone is safe and secure in the case of any event.

**Our annual Flash Light Egg Hunt** will Saturday, March 24, at 12:00 p.m. Don't forget your flashlights! We will have the Easter story, food, and games. A donation box for candy to stuff our eggs is near the Children's Department wing. Your help is greatly appreciated!

**There will be an All-Church Meeting** on Sunday, March 25, after the Morning Worship Service, for a business item that needs a congregational vote. Those who are a member of FCN and 15 years of age or older may vote.

## Mission Prayer Needs

- Many people in Guam, Hong Kong, Palau, Saipan, and Japan will come to know Christ and receive the fullness of the Holy Spirit
- Development of Christian leaders in Guam, Hong Kong, Palau, and Saipan



### Missionaries:

Scot Riggins  
Asia-Pacific Region

Beth Heath  
Africa Region

Tonya Kucey  
Mesoamerica Region

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Asia-Pacific Region

Daniel Herrera  
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Africa Region

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### Our LINKS Missionaries

Barry & Charlie Carney  
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