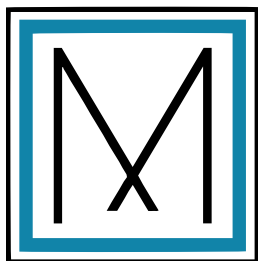


December 7, 2025



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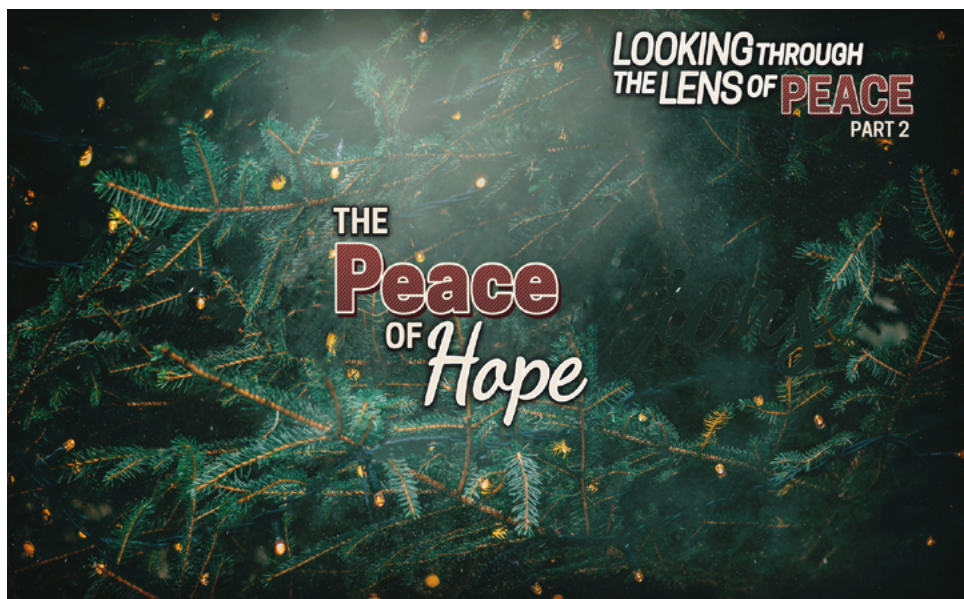
Authentically
Love
God

Humbly
Serve
others

Intentionally
Share
Jesus

Sunday Worship:

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CHRISTMAS at MISSION

Sundays of Advent 2025
SUNDAY SERVICE AT 10:30AM

- **DECEMBER 14**
The Peace of Joy
with Presentation by
Mission Nazarene Preschool
(All kids will sit with their
families for the presentation,
then will be released for Kids'
Church)
- **DECEMBER 21**
FAMILY SERVICE
The Peace of Love
Special music by Mission Kids

Christmas Eve SERVICE
AT MISSION CHURCH
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 24
FAMILY SERVICE
AT 5:00PM

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28
10:30AM FAMILY SERVICE
Nursery care provided
(ages 0-pre-K)

*Regular Sunday schedule
resumes JANUARY 4.*
(9am Sunday School and
10:30am Worship Service/Kids' Church)



**Homemade treats
on Sunday, Dec. 14.**
After the service on
Sunday, December
14, we'll be serving
homemade treats! If

you'd be willing to contribute, sign up in the
courtyard.

What is Advent ?



The season of Advent lasts four Sundays leading up to Christmas. It is a time of preparing for and anticipating the coming of Jesus Christ (from Latin *adventus* "coming; arrival"). We light a candle for each Sunday of Advent, representing four aspects of what Christ's birth brought (and continues to bring) into a world of darkness:

Peace - Hope - Joy - Love

The center candle represents Christ himself, lit on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day.

The purple of the candles for hope, love and peace, represent (collectively) royalty, repentance, contemplation. The pink candle on week three (joy), reminds us that even in the midst of somber self-reflection and expectation, we experience the joy of life in Christ!

Advent Bible Reading Plan



"Making Space" - 25-day plan on YouVersion Bible App (hard copy printouts available in the foyer) As the Christmas season begins, we usually find ourselves more stretched for time than the rest of the year. We get caught up in the frenzy - and forget to focus on what's truly important. This devotional will help you clear the clutter so you can make more room for Christ this Christmas.

3M MEN'S BREAKFAST
Saturday, Dec. 13 at 8am
in the Fellowship Hall



Sign up at missionnaz.org/mens-breakfast



Family Mission Trip in December. Join us on the Family Mission Trip as we build homes for families in Mexico **December 28-January 1.** Sign up at missionnaz.org/events. More information at the Missions Table or talk with Barry Jones (619-742-2068; bjdj44@cox.net).

Follow along with the sermon with the YouVersion Bible app!

On Sunday mornings:

1. Open the app
2. Select "more" in the navigation menu, then "events."
3. Select "Mission Church of the Nazarene" to see the sermon outline / scriptures and to take notes on the sermon. (To save your notes for later, you must save the event.)



Sermon Notes

Today's Scripture:

Romans 15:13

Ruth 1:16-17

Ruth 2:3

Ruth 3:8-13

Ruth 4:13

Ruth 4:17



REGULAR SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

All children must be checked in by an adult family member in the courtyard before any Sunday morning programming.

Age 0-2 in nursery (next to the sanctuary), starting at **9am**

A nursing room for moms is located next to the nursery (Rm. 401)

Preschoolers age 3 & 4

--9am in Nursery.

--10:30am - Sunday lesson and music in Room 204.

Grades K-5

--Sunday School at 9am in Room 206

--Kids' Church at 10:30am. Meet for Kids' Church in Room 206 at 10:30am.



Sundays

9am - 10am in Rm. 205

Wednesdays

6:30-8pm in Rm. 205

Contact missionyouth@missionnaz.org

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Mission Church Sunday School/Small Groups (on-campus groups)

SUNDAYS 9:00 AM

- Kids' Sunday School Room 204/206
- Student Ministries Room 205
- Young Adults Room 201
- Moms in Prayer Room 203
- Harvest (Adult) Fireside Rm.
- Whole Hearted (Adult) Room 208
- Kingdom Builders (Adult) E Fellow. Hall
- Seventh Day (Adult) Room 210
- Spirit Alive (Adult) Room 109
- Care N Share (55+) Room 110

12:15 PM

- College/ Career Room 202

MIDWEEK GROUPS

- Wednesday Morning Prayer, 6:30am (Sanct.)
- Mission Youth, Wednesday 6:30pm (Rm. 205)
- Shift Bible Study, Wednesday 6:30pm (Fireside Rm.)
- Women's Bible Study, Thursday 10am (Fireside Rm.)

**For a more complete list including off-campus and
virtual small groups, go to missionnaz.org**