

"A Plea for Justice" Psalm 82 Pastor Bridget Benn



JULY 13, 2025

ALL COMMUNITY

TEXAS EMERGENCY RESPONSE

We are heartbroken by the loss of life caused by the recent flooding in the Hill Country region of Texas. In response, **Nazarene Compassionate Ministries** (NCM) is collaborating with <u>Convoy of</u> <u>Hope and other churches</u> to distribute **Crisis Care Kits and provide chaplaincy support.**

We are also in communication with Nazarene districts across Texas to assess ongoing needs and determine how we can further assist.

At this time, a designated giving link specific to this response has not been created. However, if you would like to help give, <u>mark your donations to the</u> "<u>NCM Emergency Relief Fund."</u>

SILENT AUCTION FUNDRAISER

The children's department is currently hosting their **final fundraiser** for children's camp and upcoming children's events.

The children have built and personally decorated their own birdhouses.

Today, t<u>he kids **will host a silent**</u> **<u>auction</u> to sell each of their beautiful creations. Come and help support our children's department.**

FAMILY SWIM AFTERNOON

The children's department will be hosting an all-Community **Family Swim party** at the McPhillip's pool on **Sunday**, **July 20th from 3:00-5:00pm**. People are invited to bring snacks to share. This is not just a children's event. Everyone is welcome to attend! Please see Pastor Eva for more details.

POLICY UPDATE

Parents, we wanted you to be aware of a policy update. The **nursery will now be open 15 minutes before service**.

At the end of service/ Sunday school, the nursery, children's church room and/or Sunday School classrooms **will remain open until 12:15 pm**. Thank you so much for promptly picking up children following service times.

BAPTISMS

If you or someone in your family is **interested in being baptized**, please speak to one of our pastors.

CHILDREN

CHILDREN'S CAMP

The District Kids (grades 3rd-5th) and Tween (grades 6th & 7th) camps are coming up **July 28-August 1st** at Riverview Bible Camp. The **cost is \$300 per child**. Registration is now open if your child/tween is interested in attending. Scholarships are available. Please see Pastor Eva for more details.

CREATIVE ARTS CAMP

We are excited to announce our upcoming <u>Creative Arts Camp</u>, scheduled for <u>Mon. Aug. 11th - Thurs.</u> <u>Aug. 14th</u>. This year will be a fun Beach Theme. During the camp, kids will have an opportunity to choose from various activities. More details will be coming.

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YOUTH CAMP

The District Teen Camp will be **Tues. July 22- Sat. July 26, 2025** at Riverview Bible Camp. The theme for this year is "Experience Joy."

The early bird cost is **\$300** through the end of May. See Pastor Ryan for details.

DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

<u>Sunday:</u>

Barrett Bible Study	11:00 am
Benn Bible Study	
Dutrow Small Group	
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WOMEN

MAROLYN YARD QUILT

Karen Kennedy has graciously made a **beautiful quilt for Marolyn Yard** as a memento of her time here at Spokane Bethel. **Parishioners are invited to come and sign one of the squares** with a message of love to Marolyn.

We know that not everyone had an opportunity to sign the quilt, so the quilt will be on display in the foyer **Sunday**, **July 13th and July 20th**. Please see Karen Kennedy for more information.

MISSIONS

MISSIONARIES AT SPOKANE VALLEY

Come hear from some of our sponsored **NW District Missionaries**, <u>Scott and</u> <u>Emily Armstrong</u>, serving in Argentina on **Friday and Saturday**, **July 18-19**. This Special Event begins with a <u>BBQ</u> on <u>Fri. at 6pm in the Gym</u>. On Saturday morning, there will be a <u>Coffee and</u> <u>Donut Fellowship</u> in the Teen Center starting at 8 am. **Admission is free** for this event, with donations welcome. In order to know how much food to prepare, **Registration for the event is** <u>due by July 13</u>, and can be found at <u>SVNC.ORG "Events"</u>. See Barb Wold for more details.



ALL COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR

July 13	Children's Birdhouse Silent Auction Fundraiser
	Marolyn Yard Quilt
July 18-19	Missionary Speakers at Spokane Valley
July 20	Family Swim Party
July 22-26	District NYI Camp
July 28-August 1	District Children's Camp
August 11-14	Creative Arts Camp

District Prayer Emphasis For this Week: Pray together for **Hermiston First Church of the Nazarene**. Lift up Lead <u>Pastor Eric and Sharon Fritz</u>. Pray for them as they seek Jesus, share life, and serve others. @Hermnazchurch.

Mission Area Emphasis this Week: Pray for the people in **Mali, Mozambique,** and **Namibia**, that the people will come to know Christ and receive the fullness of the Holy Spirit. Also pray for the development of Christian leaders in these areas to "Make Disciples" and be a blessing to their communities.



SERMON NOTES:

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