

"Embracing our True Identity"

Exodus 2:11-22 Pastor Bridget Benn



SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

AL COMMUNITY

FAMILY PAINT NIGHT

Our next **Family Paint Night** is scheduled for **Friday, September 26**, from **6:30-8:30 pm**, all are invited to a fun night of painting. All supplies and snacks will be provided. There is no charge, but donations and RSVP are appreciated. See Dale Schafer for more details or let the church staff know if you are coming.

SPIRITUAL PARENTING

On Wednesdays, Pastor Bridget is offering a 6-8 week class on **Spiritual Parenting**. This class highlights how to foster faith in your children, and how to discipline through the wisdom of the Spirit. This class is for parents/grandparents/guardians of kids of All ages. See Pastor Bridget for more details.

DEER PARK WELCOME BACK

This afternoon, come join our sister church Deer Park Church of the Nazarene, as the have their Welcome Back Celebration. The celebration is today, at 3 pm.

DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRY MEETING

Our next Discipleship Ministry Team Meeting will be Tuesday, September 9th. Our next Church Board Meeting, will be Tuesday, September 16th.

NATIONAL GOOD NEIGHBOR DAY

Once again we want to celebrate **National Good Neighbor Day** by tangibly blessing our community.

This year, National Good Neighbor Day is **Sunday, Sept. 28th.** We want to make that a day where we work to BE THE CHURCH. We will have a brief worship service that morning, and then we will head out of the doors and begin picking up trash in our community.

If you are aware of a specific needs, or if you have ideas of other ways we can serve our local community, we would love to hear your input.

For questions, see our Pastors.

ADULT DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday:	
Barrett Bible Study	11:00 am
Benn Bible Study	11:00 am
Dutrow Small Group	6:30 pm
Wednesday: (Beginning	in September)
Shafer Bible Study	6:30 pm
Spiritual Parenting	6:30 nm

YOUTH

NW NYI SUPER 7 AT SILVERWOOD

The <u>District NYI's Annual Super 7 event</u> will take place this year at <u>Silverwood</u> Theme Park on Saturday, September 27, from 10:00 am-6 pm. <u>Cost is \$65.00</u> which includes an entry pass, all-you-can eat BBQ, and unlimited drinks throughout the park. The registration deadline is Sept 7th and payment deadline is due Sept. 21st. The sign-up sheet is at the welcome center. Please see Pastor Ryan for more details.

NYC '26 WONDER

Nazarene Youth Conference (NYC) is June 29-July 11 and is now open for Registration! Teenagers completing 8th-12th grade are eligible to go to this transformational event in Salt Lake City, which includes service projects, worship, and fun with 10,000 other teens.

The cost for this event is \$2,700. There will be lots of opportunities for fundraising to help cover the cost.

WORLD EVANGELISM

Faith Promise Funds Received

(March 1–September 6)

\$5,648.65 (Goal: \$18,000)

QUIZZING

CHILDREN'S BIBLE QUIZZING

The **Children's Bible Quizzing** season is almost upon us. We will start Children's Bible Quizzing on **September 10**th. This year our children will be <u>studying</u> <u>Genesis</u>. Be on the lookout for more information and upcoming dates.

TEEN BIBLE QUIZZING

Teen Bible Quizzing has officially started but its not to late to join. Today, following Sunday School, we will be practicing over 1 Corinthians 2 in the Youth Room.

Our first **District Quiz** will be on **Saturday, September 13**. See Sonya Mounts or Pastor Clint for info.

MISSIONS

ALABASTER OFFERING

On **Sunday, September 21st** we will be taking our **Alabaster Mission Offering**.

The Alabaster Funds are used to help build churches, hospitals and schools around the world. Alabaster boxes will be available in the foyer.

Pick up a box today and start collecting your loose change.

ALL COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR

September 7	Deer Park Welcome Back Celebration
September 9	Discipleship Ministry Meeting
September 10	Children's Quizzing Begins
September 13	District Teen Quiz at Spokane Valley
September 16	Church Board Meeting
September 17	Dale and Bea' Small Group Class Begins
September 21	Alabaster Mission Offering
September 26	Family Paint Night
September 27	Super 7 at Silverwood Theme Park
September 28	National Good Neighbor Day

<u>District Prayer Emphasis For this Week:</u> Pray together for <u>Leavenworth Church of the Nazarene</u>. Lift up <u>Pastor Greg and Michele Appleby and Associate Pastors Paige Derossett and Jacob & Andrea Mitchell.</u> God, help them as they pursue knowing Jesus, following Jesus, and serving Jesus.

Pray together for Pray together for **NW District Multicultural Ministry Coordinator**, <u>Herminia & Armando Esqueda</u>. Pray together for **NW District Native American Ministry Coordinator** <u>John & Geri Gros Venor</u> & **NW District Hispanic Ministry Coordinator** Pastor Julio & Alina Barragan.

Mission Area Emphasis this Week: Pray for the people in Costa Rica, Cuba, and Dominica, 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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