

# **SOUTHWEST INDIANA DISTRICT**

## **CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

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**2020-2021**



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**DR. TIMOTHY W. CRUMP**  
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**DR. DAVID W. GRAVES**

## Jurisdictional General Superintendent

**Dr. David W. Graves** is a general superintendent in the Church of the Nazarene.

Dr. Graves was chosen for the highest elected office in the denomination at the 27th General Assembly held in Orlando, Florida, USA, in 2009. At the time of his election, Dr. Graves was the senior pastor of College Church of the Nazarene in Olathe, Kansas, where he had served since 2006.

Prior to College Church, he served as director of Sunday School Ministries for the Church of the Nazarene International Headquarters from 2001 to 2006. He has had pastoral assignments in Kansas, Ohio, Tennessee, Oklahoma, and North Carolina. Graves is a graduate of Olivet Nazarene University and received his Master of Divinity degree from Nazarene Theological Seminary. He received an honorary Doctor of Divinity from Olivet. He is the author of three books and has written for numerous publications.

Dr. Graves and his wife, Sharon, have four married children, Michael, John, Stephen, and Rachel, and 12 beautiful grandchildren.





## DR. TIMOTHY W. CRUMP

On July 26, 2016, at the 68th District Assembly, **Dr. Timothy W. Crump** was elected as the eighth District Superintendent of the Southwest Indiana District Church of the Nazarene. Pastor Tim received his Bachelors in Theology (1982) and a Masters of Arts in Religion (1985) from Olivet Nazarene University and has done additional upper-graduate work at Nazarene Theological Seminary. On May 9, 2020, he was conferred the Doctor of Divinity degree by Olivet Nazarene University.

Tim has pastored for 31 years. In September 2012 he accepted the call to be Lead Pastor at Salem First Church of the Nazarene, Salem, Oregon. Prior to his arrival in Salem, Tim led churches in Braidwood, Illinois, Okmulgee, Oklahoma, Lombard, Illinois, Kalamazoo, Michigan, and Decatur, Illinois.

His wife, Cindy, is a certified schoolteacher with a degree from Olivet in Elementary Education, and they are the proud parents of two adult children, Melanie Kwast (Jason) and Matthew Crump (Danielle), and three grandchildren.

# DISTRICT LEADERS



**DR. TIMOTHY CRUMP**  
DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT



**REV. PATRICK SHAY**  
DISTRICT SECRETARY



**STACEY MOORE**  
DISTRICT OPERATIONS &  
TECHNOLOGY ADMINISTRATOR



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DISTRICT TREASURER



**REV. MARK THOMPSON**  
NYI PRESIDENT



**CHRISTY (BOES) EUBANKS**  
NMI PRESIDENT



**REV. DOUG LANE**  
SDMI CHAIRMAN

# MISSION AREA DIRECTORS



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MISSION AREA  
Rev. Joel Parsons**



**BLOOMINGTON  
MISSION AREA  
Rev. Ben Muncie**



**EVANSVILLE  
MISSION AREA  
Rev. Jonathan Scott**



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MISSION AREA  
Dr. Todd Stepp**



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Rev. Tim Lichtley**



**TERRE HAUTE  
MISSION AREA  
Rev. Mark Roberts**



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MISSION AREA  
Rev. Todd Gotshall**

# DISTRICT ADVISORY BOARD



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**Dr. Timothy Crump**



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**Rev. Jane Muncie**



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MINISTER**  
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MINISTER**  
**Rev. Darin Nossett**



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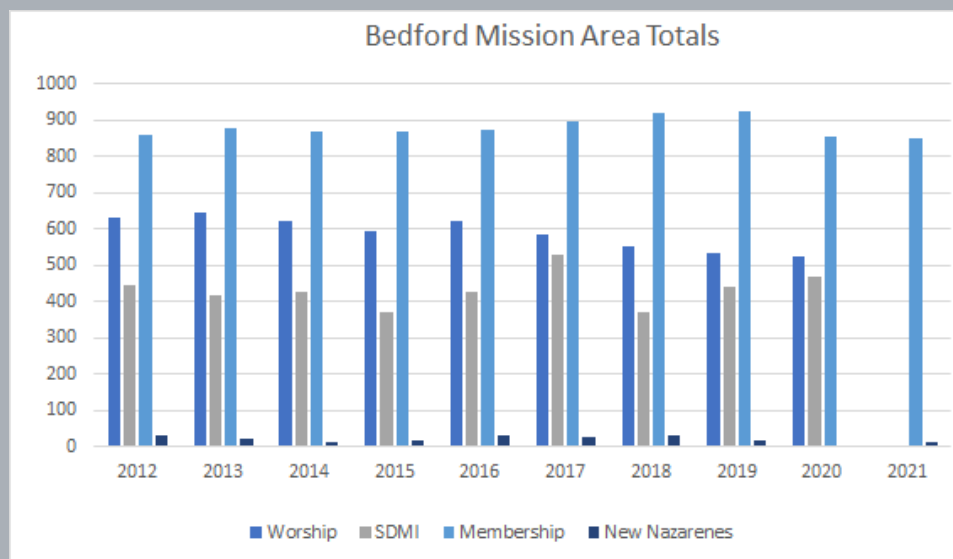
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# BEDFORD

## MISSION AREA



- |                              |                          |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>10</b> Chuck Wagon Cowboy | <b>15</b> Shoals         |
| <b>11</b> Mitchell           | <b>16</b> Springs Valley |
| <b>12</b> Orleans            | <b>17</b> Turning Point  |
| <b>13</b> Restoration        | <b>18</b> Valley Mission |
| <b>14</b> Salem              |                          |



	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Worship</b>	632	644	624	595	623	583	552	532	523	0
<b>SDMI</b>	447	415	425	369	427	529	371	440	466	0
<b>Membership</b>	857	878	868	866	875	898	919	922	855	851
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	30	20	13	19	30	28	33	18	4	12
<b>Total Raised</b>	892,898	972,384	1,214,943	957,224	956,656	961,365	876,500	922,614	957,992	979,205



# Chuck Wagon Cowboy Church of the Nazarene



**Tom & Jacqueline Redden**  
(Lay Minister 2019)



**788 Maple Leaf Rd**  
**Bedford, IN. 47421**

Organized in 2019, we meet in a barn on the property of Greg and Kim Wright east of Bedford. Ownership of animals isn't a requirement for membership. However, the love of rural life, gardens, horses, mules, cattle, goats, pigs, and dogs are a common thread among our membership, along with love for our Lord.

Sunday starts with breakfast at 9:30 am, followed by services at 10:00 am. Our attendance of younger families has recently increased, allowing us to add a Children's Sunday School class. As the demand has grown to have something more permanent, we have started a Sunday evening Bible Study at 6:00 pm, including a pot-luck meal.

Our "Mid-Week Devotional & Dinner" on Wednesday at 6:30 pm has also grown in attendance. Yes, we eat together a lot! One can't be around us for very long without being offered food, even if it's just soft-serve ice cream and desserts.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor			Hanner	Hanner	Hanner	Hanner	Hanner	Redden/Vandev	Redden	Redden
Worship			0	36	44	36	23	26	15	Covid
SDMI			0	0	0	0	0	12	6	Covid
Membership			0	0	0	0	0	8	8	11
New Nazarenes			0	0	0	0	0	8	0	6
Total Raised			0	0	33,461	30,000	559	16,000	40,676	33,031
Budgets Paid			N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y



# Mitchell

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Joel & Rev. Karolyn Parsons**  
(Start Date: 8/15)



**301 W. Grissom Ave**  
**Mitchell, IN. 47446**

The faithful people of the Mitchell congregation have done an amazing job to continue the church's life during the last year, including some creative ways to work around all the circumstances that Covid brought our way.

We are in our second year in our partnership with the Hope Resource Center as a satellite location for faith-based parenting classes, pregnancy support, and baby supplies. Our shared goal is healthy babies, healthy families, and sharing the hope of Jesus. We are excited by how many parents have graduated through the program and have continued to build relationships after their babies have been delivered!

Our sewing ladies also have continued to provide items to various community organizations that reach out to children in need .

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Bechtel	Moore	Moore	Moore	J/K Parsons	J/K Parsons	J/K Parsons	J/K Parsons	J/K Parsons	J/K Parsons
Worship	107	96	86	82	82	70	64	54	39	Covid
SDMI	106	71	62	72	50	73	62	54	37	Covid
Membership	183	188	184	181	173	178	176	170	151	148
New Nazarenes	7	7	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0
Total Raised	151,626	145,724	158,091	140,518	117,111	125,883	116,046	83,003	69,664	65,485
Budgets Paid	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N





# Orleans

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Gerald and Sherry Richardson**  
(Start Date: 11/04)



**263 N. Roosevelt**  
**Orleans, IN. 47452**

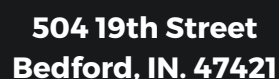
It is my pleasure to present my sixteenth report to the SWID assembly. This church year has been a very fruitful year for the Orleans Church of the Nazarene. We have experienced great blessings from the Lord. God has inspired the hearts of the Orleans people through this pandemic to continue to be faithful to Him. Even though we could not worship in person for some weeks, the Orleans people continued to send their tithes, offerings and testified what they knew God was doing in their lives.

Our food pantry ministry continues to bless not only our people but also the Orleans community. Once again, we were able to help five families in our community and a family in our congregation.

We continue to see the Orleans church congregation taking God's Word into the streets by canvassing the neighborhood, telling people about Jesus, and inviting them to join us in worship. The challenges have been tremendous, and the people of Orleans Nazarene have accepted the challenge and marched forward to new heights.

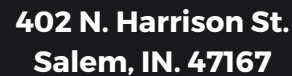
As we at Orleans continue to serve the Lord faithfully, we also experience His blessings that follow. Once again, it is a pleasure to serve the Lord Jesus at Orleans Church of the Nazarene, and I look forward to another year of extended success through God's amazing grace.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson
<b>Worship</b>	50	41	40	43	44	40	47	38	45	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	41	37	25	23	44	45	18	19	18	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	63	63	63	62	61	60	64	65	66	65
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	47,999	54,936	55,206	60,047	60,006	64,636	76,224	77,873	85,066	83,424
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y



Light seems to shine brightest on the darkest days. In the midst of dark days this year, I am thankful for the light of the world that continues to bring clarity to our steps, that reveals paths and pitfalls, and that safely leads people home. May God continue to increase our reach into our community and the world with the life-changing story of redemption and restoration.

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Two people come to mind as I reflect on the past church year. The first, Tim, the brother of one of our members, came to church one Sunday intending to get saved. That's exactly what he did! As soon as the service ended, he asked if he could be baptized the following week, and join the church after he was baptized. Little did we know at the time, Tim would be diagnosed with cancer two weeks later. Tim passed away within two months of his salvation experience.

The second person who comes to mind is Michelle. Michelle had been raised in the church. Most of her extended family attended the church, but Michelle became dependent on drugs and alcohol in her late teens through her early twenties. A little over three years ago, Michelle began, with God's help, to turn her life around. This spring Michelle was able to get joint custody of her two teenage children. Today, as I write this report, we have learned that the father of her two children passed away suddenly from a heart attack. Michelle can comfort hurt children and help them through this difficult time because she surrendered her life to God.

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# Shoals Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. David and Norma Mitchell**  
(12/20 )



**P.O. Box 604 (723 High Street)**  
**Shoals, IN. 47581**

Shoals is striving to be a fellowship that is Christ-like and focused on loving God and our neighbors as ourselves. We are studying the Gospel of John during our weekly Hour of Worship. We have been challenged to memorize a verse of Scripture each week and share the Gospel message with others.

In addition, we have remodeled the parsonage so the pastor can once again live in Shoals.

Members volunteer with a local food bank. We have also raised money to assist a local family who suffered a fire in their home.

We are increasing from a 3 member to 9 members on our church board.

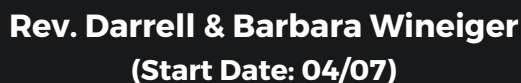
The new leadership team has been challenged to set goals in the following areas: (1) Church Spiritual Growth, (2) Outreach Goals; (3) Mission Goals; and (4) Physical Improvements Goals.

The Church raised the third-most in the last 11 years.

Pray for us. We need to focus on new people. Getting them to not only attend but accept Christ and become involved. We are working with one young man in his twenties as God turns his life around. Pastor and family members started visiting him in jail. He is now out and in a drug rehab program. Praise God. Others, too, are making spiritual growth and decisions to follow Christ. It is a blessing to witness God's hand at work in the lives of individuals. Seeing lives changed by the power of God is what it is all about. We are excited about a possible jail ministry in the future.

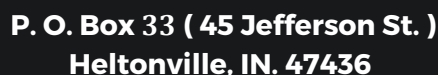
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Chastain	Quinn	Quinn	Quinn	Quinn	Quinn	Quinn	Hughes	Ritter	Mitchell
<b>Worship</b>	45	41	40	34	40	36	32	26	27	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	23	23	19	18	32	51	51	51	34	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	50	50	43	47	46	51	49	46	42	45
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	4	0	0	6	6	6	0	0	0	3
<b>Total Raised</b>	35,653	36,000	30,811	34,210	39,475	37,028	31,635	27,189	30,246	36,224
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y





Faithful and loving through our tithes and mission giving, we have been devoted to the work during COVID. Through prayer, fasting, and generosity, we serve the Lord and community well. Locally we are involved in outreach and an addiction ministry in our old church building with another church group. God is still calling, cleansing, and setting people free. Recently, we enjoyed an excellent worship service with the "Judith Montgomery Family Singers." We have much to praise the Lord about. New faces keep appearing at Springs Valley Church! We thank God for every person who calls us their pastor and wife for another great year!

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Recently we celebrated the salvation of Alberta, an older lady who, until Easter Sunday, had NEVER attended an actual church service. After the service, that morning Alberta sought us out and asked us to pray to invite the risen Savior into her life. Three weeks later, she was baptized and is now registered for our new membership class! She is just one example of the numerous lives that God is changing!

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# Valley Mission Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. John & Rev. Melony Paulus**  
(Start Date: 11/19 )



**110 Hillcrest Way**  
**Bedford, IN. 47421**

We spent the majority of the pandemic making sure we stay connected with our people. We did this through frequent letters from multiple people, including the pastors. We mailed our bulletins each week, added Zoom, Call-em-All, Drive-in services, and a YouTube channel to go along with our Facebook Livestream. We also purchased new video and audio equipment to enhance our Livestream presence. Additionally, we began summer outdoor pavilion services with prayer and worship, and made ourselves available to anyone who would like a pastoral visit and appropriately named it 'pastor porch visits.'

While it sounded crazy in the middle of a pandemic, we agreed to start a capital fund campaign to pay for replacing an aging roof and to reduce our debt from over 525k to a goal of 450k. We also received an exception from paying allocations on these funds from the General Church. As of the writing of this report, our roof has been replaced and paid for. We have already reduced our debt load to 414k with a new goal of getting it down to 350k by the end of the campaign. God has been with us.

Our focus now is shifting to the next steps. We believe God has given us victory in our church building and is now calling us to seek ministry to those outside of our walls. Last September, we organized and participated in a prayer march in Bedford, focusing on praying for our country, state, communities, church, and lost. Over the last several months, as our focus begins to shift from the church building to the community as a whole, we are feeling the call to leading a recovery program/ministry out of the church. God is doing new things, and we are waiting on Him to springboard us into our community.

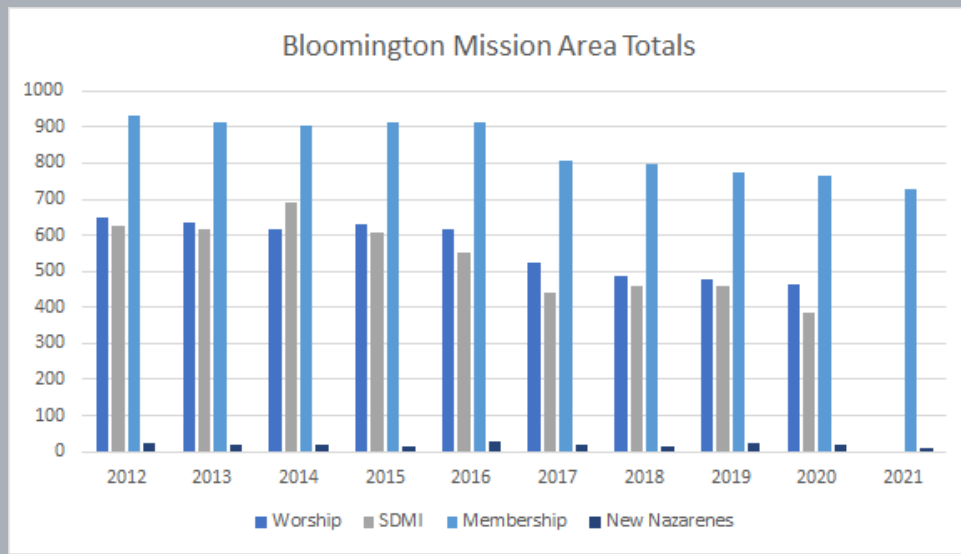
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Pastor	Boady	Boady	Boady	To be supplied	Whiteford	Whiteford	Whiteford	Whiteford	J/M Paulus	J/M Paulus
Worship	178	180	174	135	121	119	107	106	111	Covid
SDMI	96	72	88	75	66	84	84	125	78	Covid
Membership	152	150	140	134	133	139	153	154	108	116
New Nazarenes	7	0	0	0	0	4	11	4	0	3
Total Raised	300,355	287,373	354,448	265,140	254,849	257,052	249,059	245,019	262,638	278,273
Budgets Paid	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

# BLOOMINGTON

## MISSION AREA



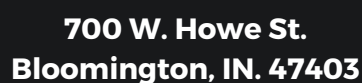
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| <b>20</b> Bloomington Eastview | <b>24</b> Spencer First  |
| <b>21</b> Bloomington First    | <b>25</b> Stinesville    |
| <b>22</b> Freedom              | <b>26</b> Zion Community |
| <b>23</b> Jordan               |                          |

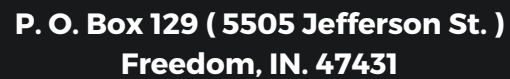
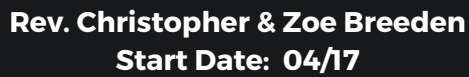


	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Worship</b>	649	636	616	631	618	525	485	476	464	0
<b>SDMI</b>	626	615	691	607	551	441	460	457	385	0
<b>Membership</b>	931	914	906	915	914	805	797	773	764	730
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	23	21	18	14	26	21	14	25	20	8
<b>Total Raised</b>	903,938	914,537	889,286	946,242	936,262	931,918	941,951	888,145	896,501	845,728



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# Jordan Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Larry & Alba Latham**  
(Start Date: 09 / 95)



**7430 North St.**  
**Poland, In. 47868**

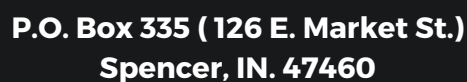
Something enabling the Church to make Christlike disciples is the basecamp we have for missional outreach. The goal for Jordan Village Church is to pay all its budgets in full, but especially the WEF (World Evangelization Fund). Funding the mission includes educating followers of Christ so that leadership is informed and not indoctrinated.

Support for our seminaries (APNTS and NTS) and Olivet Nazarene University is how basecamp churches like Jordan Village fund the mission of making Christlike disciples. Funding the mission also includes Compassionate Ministries at the local level. The Church's Blessing Box shows the villagers that we follow Christ's example in feeding the poor.

We respectfully submit that the empowerment of Christ does goals achieved by the small church, Himself, and for this, we are grateful.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Latham	Latham	Latham	Latham	Latham	Latham	Latham	Latham	Latham	Latham
<b>Worship</b>	12	13	13	15	12	10	13	15	10	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	15	16	61	26	12	12	17	14	10	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	8	8	8	7	6	6	6	6	5	4
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	5,999	4,711	5,723	5,418	6,145	6,772	8,747	9,469	6,608	6,196
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y





Finally, our witness made a difference for William K. as he returned to God and followed Jesus in baptism in late May.

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# Stinesville

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Ben & Carissa Muncie**  
(Start Date: 03/19)



**P.O. Box 88 ( 7635 W. Main St.**  
**Stinesville, IN. 47464**

Stinesville Nazarene Church has not only survived the past year, but God has used us to strengthen His church and be part of people committing to serve Him and His kingdom. We were part of many baptisms and commitments to the local church (membership) that helped us all know that God is at work in our community through our church.

As a church, we continue to tithe on our tithe and give 10 percent back to the local community for outreach and assistance. The more we give, the more God is giving us to give. This is possible because people continue to serve God in the community and give more than they have ever given.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Lee	Lee	B. Muncie	B. Muncie	B. Muncie	B. Muncie	B. Muncie	B. Muncie	B. Muncie	B. Muncie
<b>Worship</b>	65	64	66	76	77	80	75	72	71	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	66	65	68	75	67	61	60	63	57	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	79	69	69	67	62	64	66	63	62	70
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	3	10	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	8
<b>Total Raised</b>	101,248	102,382	95,747	98,814	103,885	102,658	116,103	112,329	108,943	126,623
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



# Zion Community Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Douglas & Morgan Lane**  
(Start Date: 1/18)



**4022 W. Glen Oaks Dr.**  
**Bloomington, IN. 47403**

In mid-June, we were finally able to gather back together, but we knew the pandemic was not over. As we proceeded throughout our church year, we knew that God was still calling us a church that **LOVES GOD** and **LOVES OUR NEIGHBOR**. Because of this calling, we pushed forward with our ministries to the community, even though it looked a little different than it has in years past.

- We continued our partnership with Pantry 279 and provided them with monthly food donations. Instead of collecting food items for their Thanksgiving Baskets, we collected and donated over \$1,500 to their ministry, enabling them to purchase food baskets for those in our community-fighting hunger!
- Instead of having our normal Neewollah Fall Festival, we partnered with our Daycare to host a drive-thru Trunk or Treat. We were able to welcome over 100 families who came to participate in our event.
- Every year, we participate in Angel Tree. While we still purchased gifts for those children who have parents that have been in prison, instead of our usual banquet, we had a drive-thru celebration to pass out the gifts.
- Instead of our traditional Easter Egg Hunt, we welcomed families to join us for an Easter Trail. Our community members were given a chance to learn the story of Easter and receive lots of goodies!
- We continued our partnership with Sojourn House and had a service day to help them continue to renovate their building to welcome guests in the coming year

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Hughes	Hughes	Hughes	Hughes	Hughes	Hughes	Lane	Lane	Lane	Lane
<b>Worship</b>	211	203	181	178	176	112	102	104	102	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	193	178	192	200	182	101	93	144	100	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	261	259	260	264	269	234	236	244	240	238
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	9	2	4	2	5	8	1	13	3	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	168,144	179,993	169,486	165,648	177,227	185,049	166,051	160,316	170,264	152,726
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y

# EVANSVILLE

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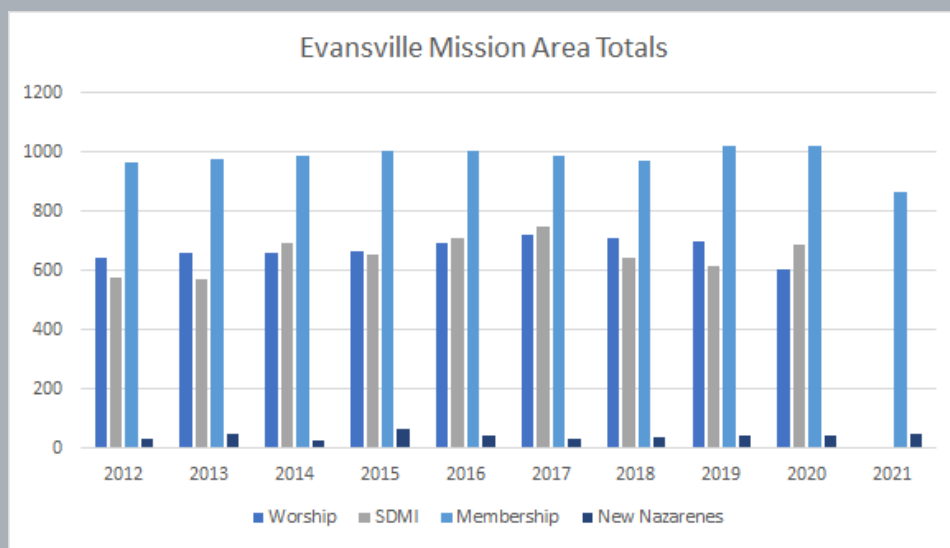
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	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Worship</b>	641	661	662	665	693	722	708	701	605	0
<b>SDMI</b>	578	569	693	657	708	751	644	614	687	0
<b>Membership</b>	964	978	989	1007	1005	986	973	1022	1021	868
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	33	49	29	67	45	33	36	43	43	49
<b>Total Raised</b>	866,219	846,990	918,776	880,004	1,025,287	1,058,056	997,689	1,023,799	1,092,110	1,069,391





# Beyond the Walls (PAC) Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Bryan & Ashley Thompson**  
(Start Date: 2017)



**424 Vine St.**  
**Mount Vernon, IN. 47620**

Will we ever get in the sanctuary? That was a question lightly being tossed around our congregation. In the fall of 2020, we answered that question. On Wednesday evenings, a small group began meeting in the sanctuary for prayer. We have not missed a Wednesday prayer meeting since. Those prayer meetings have changed the dynamics of all that we do.

I am highlighting the entire congregation for this report. Covid forced change upon us. What was once an indoor basketball court has become a Sunday morning sanctuary. On a Saturday in March 2021, a group of volunteers from the congregation met at 12611 Bonebank Road. We cleaned, painted, put scriptures on the walls, and hung a twelve-foot-tall wooden cross on the West wall of our COVID19 social distancing approved worship center. We did all that in preparation for our Easter Celebration. We celebrated Jesus, and the celebration has continued. Attendance, faith, and vision increase every week.

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# Boonville

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Paul & Shirley Gates**  
(Start Date: 06/00)



323 S. Fourth St.  
Boonville, IN. 47601

This is my twenty-first year pastoring the church in Boonville. This has been an interesting year. We have had Facebook live services, outdoor services, culminating with a combination of in-house and Facebook live services. We have seen people from Boonville and beyond in other states listen in to our services. God has been good to us both in the people's faithfulness and His faithfulness to provide for every need, both financially and spiritually.

We have fulfilled all of our obligations to the church and are looking forward to continuing this trend. With restrictions being eased, we are anticipating more of God's blessings this next year.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Gates	Gates	Gates	Gates	Gates	Gates	Gates	Gates	Gates	Gates
<b>Worship</b>	34	36	33	28	27	21	19	20	22	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	23	21	20	19	16	11	11	11	12	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	67	68	67	65	62	61	64	63	61	61
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	72,823	49,965	48,043	48,612	39,926	34,076	32,946	35,276	38,623	37,704
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y



# Chandler Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Michael & Theresa Bell**  
(Start Date: 06/15)

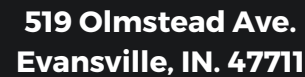


**P.O.Box 55 (204 N. Fourth St)**  
**Chandler, IN. 47610**

Our Church has made great strides throughout our community despite Covid! When we could not meet indoors, we adapted to outdoor church services, and this drive-in ministry enabled us to reach out to many who were not attending any church. We also started a Facebook ministry which is helping us connect with the people in our church and community. In addition, we opened our Ministry Center to several community groups.

We continue to give to the needs of the homeless and have a prayer chain that includes the community. This year we had a man get saved, and we received two new Nazarenes and have an 80-year-old who wants to be baptized. So we are praying for a deeper love and burden for the lost.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Daugherty	Daugherty	Daugherty	Daugherty	Bell	Bell	Bell	Bell	Bell	Bell
<b>Worship</b>	29	30	24	34	32	34	30	25	29	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	47	51	42	34	36	36	27	22	34	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	63	60	59	59	58	57	41	39	38	39
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
<b>Total Raised</b>	58,917	48,948	64,666	59,679	70,355	74,840	71,406	74,854	75,564	68,723
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N

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# Evansville Haitian (PAC) Church of the Nazarene



**Charles Estephede ( Lay Minister)**  
**Start Date: 2020**



**3313 Covert Ave.**  
**Evansville, IN. 47714**

## **Realization from 2020-2021**

1. Three believers have been baptized.
2. Bills paid
3. The church is working towards being organized.

## **Church Goals for 2021-2022**

- To see the spiritual growth of the believers in Christ by teaching the Word of Jesus Christ for an entire life apart.
- To see more sinners convicted concerning sin, and righteousness and judgment and transformed by the Christ's Word.
- To see the church keep growing spiritually and numerically.

**"Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain."**  
**1 Corinthians 15:58**



# Evansville Grace Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Brett & Amy Doninger**  
**Start Date: 12/10**



**5029 Broadway Ave.**  
**Evansville, IN. 47712**

This past year it was easy to focus on negatives and the fear prevalent in all media types. From the beginning, I encouraged us to look for “strawberries,” those sweet surprises that pop up all around us. We heard weekly testimonies of the joys we experienced and the ways we saw God moving in our lives in the midst of all the fear, uncertainty, and strife.

The way we worship changed. Following the guidelines for masks and social distancing meant doing things differently than we were used to. Additionally, many of our congregation did not feel safe gathering to worship, so we sped up our plans to Livestream our services. This resulted in more “strawberries.” We stayed connected even if it was online or through texts and phone calls. We had people join our worship services who I still have not met in person. We were able to share God’s message with more people than we were before the pandemic. My prayer is that this will lead some of our congregation to start home churches. The Livestream in their living room could be a powerful tool to share Jesus with friends and family who might never step foot in a church building.

While we were unable to reach out and minister to our community in many of the ways we had before the pandemic, we continued where we could and discovered some new opportunities as well.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Mead	Mead	Mead	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack
<b>Worship</b>	100	90	90	91	96	107	94	96	91	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	44	44	44	100	133	142	91	100	121	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	160	148	150	152	164	135	138	141	149	147
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	12	0	3	42	16	8	9	8	14	5
<b>Total Raised</b>	72,560	69,655	56,614	65,112	70,472	75,296	75,345	67,339	74,561	86,215
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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# Harmony Chapel Church of the Nazarene



**Brice & Alex Kudej**  
**(Start Date: 05/21)**



**P. O. Box 233 ( 531 E. Steam Mill St.**  
**New Harmony, IN. 47631**

I am honored and privileged to give my first annual report for Harmony Chapel Church of the Nazarene. I was appointed as the Senior Pastor on May 23rd, 2021, and began ministering to the incredible people of this congregation. I believe and attest that God has big plans for this church body, this community, and the surrounding communities.

On the backend of a brutal pandemic, we have already been blessed to see several individuals begin to return and attend Sunday morning services for the first time in almost a year. The joy and hospitality of this congregation proclaim God's goodness and protection of this church. The intentional prayer and compassion for those who surround us have not been forgotten as we continually seek out those who are hurting in our communities. To minister to those who cannot make it to church or are cautious about returning, we did a complete rebuild of our sound system and online streaming service to ensure that other options are available to them.

Currently, the church has been assembling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child and has the incredible goal of sending 100 boxes to children in need by the time we reach December. As a body of believers, we realize that our mission as a global church is both for our neighbors across the street and for those overseas.

We, the people of New Harmony Chapel, believe that God has great things in store for us in the coming days, and we believe and are preparing for him to do immeasurably more than we could imagine.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Kochersperger	Kochersperger	Kochersperger	Kochersperger	Sprouls	Sprouls	Sprouls	Sprouls	Sprouls	Kudej
<b>Worship</b>	41	42	44	36	37	35	34	23	18	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	37	34	44	31	26	20	20	11	7	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	40	41	44	53	28	28	30	29	29	29
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	0	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	51,918	45,748	49,344		82,435	58,391	42,680	54,734	54,851	31,166
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y



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# Newburgh New Life

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Jonathan & Sara Scott**  
(Start Date: 8/14)



**4188 Wyntree Dr.**  
**Newburgh IN. 47630**

The people of New Life have continued to be faithful in fulfilling God's mission to the world. These generous and sacrificial people gave above, and beyond any amount we had seen in 15 years (when the congregation was double in size). It has advanced God's kingdom in the world because of it.

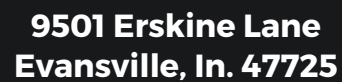
Our long-time but part-time staff member, Lynne Phillips, was hired full-time as our Family Ministries Director. As our children and youth ministry continue to grow, it became vitally important that we provide the best ministry possible to our families. Lynne has done exactly that.

We also strengthened our relationship with the residents and staff of Bell Oaks (the Assisted Living Center next to the church). We gave Halloween baskets filled with candy, cards on Valentine's Day, and roses on Mother's Day. Best of all, we celebrated Easter together on their front lawn!

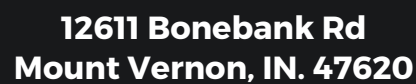
We were also able to provide drinks and snacks to the workers of the local Post Office. During long lines and little patience from the public, New Life made sure these workers felt appreciated. By the look on their faces, this act of kindness did much more than that.

In January, we celebrated 25 years of ministry as a church. During that time, the people of New Life have experienced some great days because of what God has done. And yet, we believe in, hoping, and working for greater days to come because of what God will do.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Karkosky	Karkosky	Karkosky	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott
Worship	103	110	107	96	103	104	104	102	103	Covid
SDMI	68	71	75	75	51	51	35	43	43	Covid
Membership	166	172	171	168	175	179	184	184	183	75
New Nazarenes	6	6	1	1	7	6	4	0	0	4
Total Raised	122,790	141,793	137,093	130,623	168,817	193,239	185,502	172,296	188,425	238,213
Budgets Paid	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y



	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor								Denning	Denning	Denning
Worship								45	43	Covid
SDMI								38	47	Covid
Membership								16	22	24
New Nazarenes								2	0	4
Total Raised								63,225	48,544	73,706
Budgets Paid								Y	Y	Y



Covid-19 had a significant impact on our PAC, Beyond the Walls. Attendance fell sharply and has yet to recover. However, the outreach associated with Beyond the Walls is mostly intact. Another change is that the congregation is praying and working hard to be one congregation. Point Township is reaching its community with the love of Christ. There have been forty-three people pray a prayer of salvation, and we received five new members.

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# Rockport Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Brett & Patty Cieslack**  
(Start Date: 11/14)



**1605 N. Co. Rd 284 W ( 719 N Seventh St.)**  
**Rockport, IN. 47635**

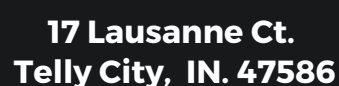
COVID-19 and the present state of our nation have brought fear, concern, and a lot of What ifs. Many of our congregants watch the Sunday Worship Live Feed at home on Facebook due to fear of returning to God's house. I am compassionate to those who have not yet returned and pray they will find the burning desire to return soon.

Did you know the Bible states, do not fear or fear not 365 times! God planted in my heart a heart of Elijah to share fear not with His people!! As the lyrics from Third Day resound, Lord, let me burn for You again, let me return to You again... God's people have started returning to His House of Worship. We want His consuming fire!

In closing, I must share this praise... Let me be honest and confess, with attendance down, I had concerns about the finances of His Church. I should not have given it a thought, but I did. We Nazarenes love to pass the offering plate, don't we? (LOL) We stopped this traditional practice due to Covid-19 and placed a metal bucket in the back of the church. I want to praise God and give him glory!

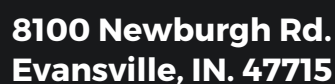
Our church income increased by \$11,654... the highest income in the history of our little church! Praise His Name!!

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Mead	Mead	Mead	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack	Cieslack
<b>Worship</b>	100	90	90	91	96	107	94	96	91	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	44	44	44	100	133	142	91	100	121	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	160	148	150	152	164	135	138	141	149	147
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	12	0	3	42	16	8	9	8	14	5
<b>Total Raised</b>	72,560	69,655	56,614	65,112	70,472	75,296	75,345	67,339	74,561	86,215
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



Finances have been challenging, but people still gave faithfully when stimulus checks saw a marked increase in our giving. We aren't where we want to be financially, but the church plans for the future. Rather than just waiting to see if we significantly improve, the board plans to begin paying our allocations fully, trusting it will happen.

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One night, Kevin had reached a breaking point. He called me because he didn't know where to turn and my name came to his mind. The Holy Spirit settled down as we spoke, and Kevin committed his life to Jesus and declared his intention to follow Him. Salvation truly belongs to our Lord, friends. The structure and face of the Church and our gatherings may be shifting in this season, but our God remains the same, as does our mission. I can honestly say I am excited about what is coming. I believe the harvest is ripe, and I am thankful to be serving the Lord alongside the wonderful church family at Wellspring Nazarene. Our Lord deserves all the praise.

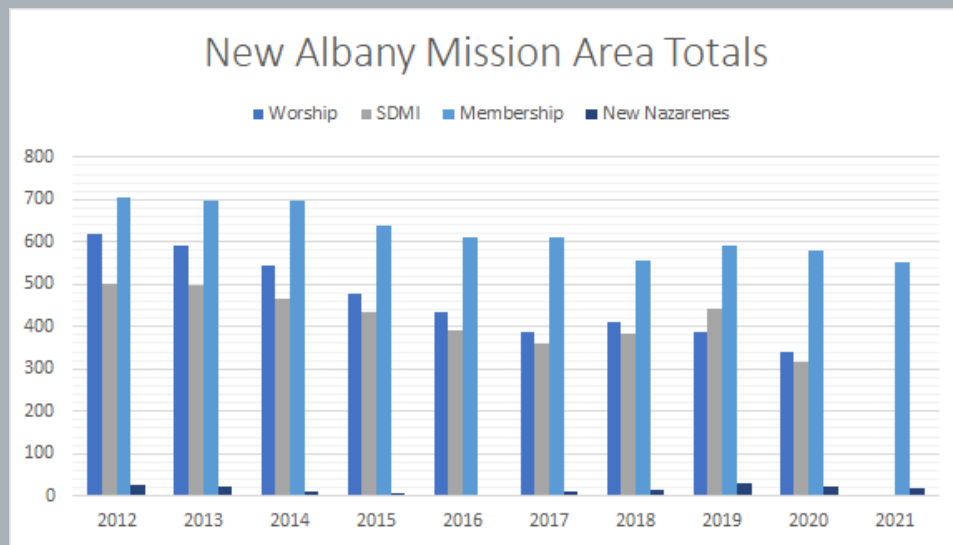
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# NEW ALBANY

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| <b>44</b> Clarksville Parkwood | <b>47</b> Georgetown First            |
| <b>45</b> Community of Hope    | <b>48</b> Heartland                   |
| <b>46</b> Family Fellowship    | <b>49</b> New Albany Christ Community |



	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Worship	618	590	543	477	433	388	412	387	340	0
SDMI	501	499	465	434	391	361	385	444	316	0
Membership	705	696	699	640	610	610	556	592	578	553
New Nazarenes	28	21	11	7	2	10	13	29	22	19
Total Raised	959,257	925,157	860,352	838,606	823,304	750,085	747,638	701,630	650,665	712,129





# Clarksville Parkwood Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Timothy & Eva Hullett**  
(Start Date: 07/20)



**950 Potters Lane**  
**Clarksville, IN 47129**

This is my first report to the Southwest Indiana District as pastor of Clarksville Parkwood church as my family, and I moved from Texas to Hoosier country in July of 2020.

We have had a recovery group meeting in the facilities for a while, and this year another group from the area has asked if they could use our facilities. So I am building some relationships from that. There are some from that group who refer to me as Pastor Tim.

We have not had any major salvation stories, but people are attending and watching online, receiving help, and growing in Christlikeness.

The property is located across the street from a ballpark, so I have been meeting people and building relationships with people who play softball every week.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Freeland	Ashby	Ashby	Ashby	To be supplied	Beville	Beville	To be supplied	To be supplied	Hullett
Worship	34	26	25	25	30	33	39	39	30	Covid
SDMI	16	17	17	15	13	13	11	23	18	Covid
Membership	83	85	85	46	30	34	36	36	37	40
New Nazarenes	11	4	0	0	0	3	2	0	3	0
Total Raised	65,355	40,756	38,310	45,060	45,060	48,205	49,944	48,000	24,560	38,971
Budgets Paid	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N



# Community of Hope Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Michael and Theresa Elliott**  
(Start Date: 08/15)



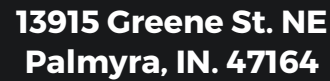
**1500 Corydon Ramsey Rd N.W.**  
**Corydon, IN. 47112**

Two years ago, I met a man and his girlfriend at our church by an unusual means. I will not go into any detail, but I met them two days in a row. Each day ending with me asking if I could pray for them. They both said yes, but he prefaced it with "You can, but I am an atheist." I shared with our church about my encounter, and the people began to pray.

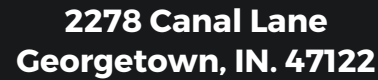
Fast-forwarding to April of 2021. I do a weekly men's bible study with incarcerated men in our county facility next door to the church property. I have been doing a Bible study that goes with the movie "I Can Only Imagine." The first week is called "Imagine a Loving Father." This has been great considering that 95% of those incarcerated did not have a father in their home. This first session, a man got up midway through and went to the back of the room. He returned to his seat a bit later. The next week that same man returned to the group and asked me if I remembered him. I said, "yes, from last week," and he said nothing. At the close of my time with the men, he came up and asked again if I remembered him, and He said, not from last week... he said from the outside about two years ago? He then proceeded to bring me back to that day two years ago, when we met in the church garage. He then told me he was not an atheist but was now a believer.

The week of June 1st, he started coming and spending some time with me and helping to prepare for a church dinner. On June 6th, he was able to attend our church. He truly became a servant with a servant's heart. I have watched him worship with us and serve people the smoked pork he had helped prepare the day before. I have seen him get up and help people by picking up their trash. I look forward to seeing what God has in store for this "atheist turned Christian." God will always honor us if we are examples and start the day with "send someone my way."

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Olson	Olson	Olson	Olson	Elliott	Elliott	Elliott	Elliott	Elliott	Elliott
<b>Worship</b>	90	94	96	83	83	83	73	58	53	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	57	53	50	43	41	50	43	31	29	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	93	94	91	91	96	97	97	93	94	93
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	9	0	0	0	2	2	2	1	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	139,040	150,869	153,075	137,199	155,225	144,790	107,753	86,447	89,613	88,008
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor								P. Walker	P. Walker	P. Walker
Worship								20	22	Covid
SDMI								30	20	Covid
Membership								16	19	18
New Nazarenes								10	2	0
Total Raised								17,179	22,430	21,833
Budgets Paid								N	N	Y



This year, God has blessed Mary Lou and me as we celebrated our 62nd Wedding Anniversary on May 23rd. Thank you, Jesus, for your blessings in our lives and our 50+ years of ministry and missionary work.

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# Heartland

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Taylor Monhollen**  
(Start Date: 09/20)



**6901 Old Vincennes Rd**  
**Floyd Knobs, IN. 47119**

It is my privilege to submit to you my first report for Heartland. Stepping into a first pastorate in the midst of a pandemic is not what I expected when I committed my life to full-time ministry several years ago. However, we serve a mighty God that works in ways that we cannot understand.

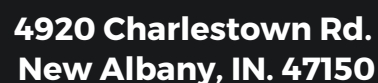
Despite the pandemic, Heartland has made great improvements in many areas. Our primary daycare location remained open throughout the entire pandemic to serve the essential workers in our community. Our second location shut down for a few months but has reopened to serve our family's needs.

This year I had the pleasure of being a part of the graduation for our Pre-K children. That evening we had 17 graduates, all ready to make a big splash in the school system next year.

We also hosted our annual Easter Egg Hunt. This event was a great success, with over 100 children and adults in attendance.

Heartland is looking forward to the year to come and discover how we can make a difference in our community.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Rogers	Rogers	Smith	Smith	Stepp	Stepp	Stepp	Stepp	To be supplied	Monhollen
Worship	172	165	151	81	48	45	64	64	33	Covid
SDMI	203	196	185	155	137	132	128	128	99	Covid
Membership	195	198	206	181	173	169	113	113	110	109
New Nazarenes	7	9	11	4	0	0	4	0	0	0
Total Raised	270,531	246,697	217,539	168,871	133,301	100,496	115,052	116,870	86,972	116,551
Budgets Paid	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y



Like all my fellow Pastors, this past year brought many challenges. However, the staff which served with me was incredible. The people of the church were faithful in viewing Livestream and giving to God's work. I am so proud of New Albany Christ's Community Church of the Nazarene. I also want to thank Dr. Crump for his support and leadership.

In closing, I state; God is amazing. I love Him and will continue to serve Him in ministry as I embrace a new chapter.

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# OAKLAND CITY

## MISSION AREA



**51** Dale

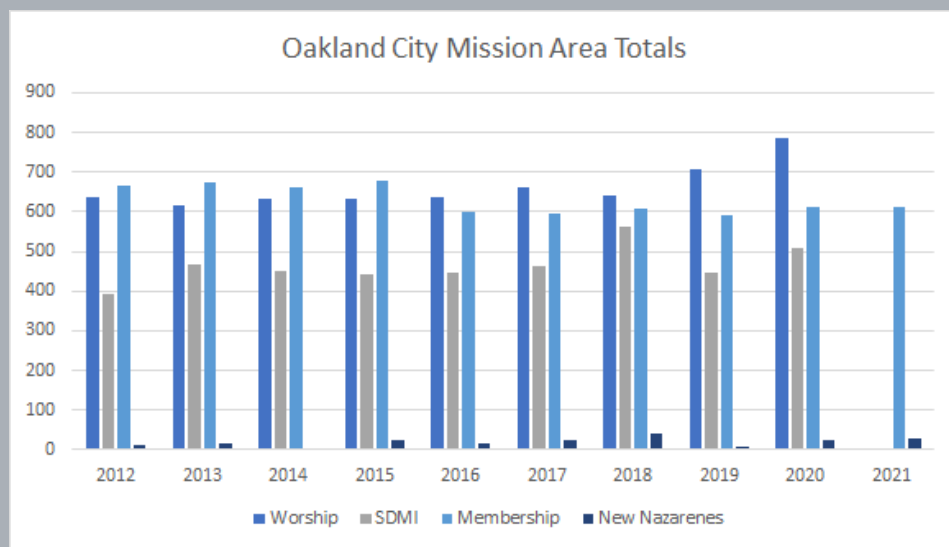
**54** Mackey

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**56** Princeton New Life



	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Worship</b>	639	618	632	634	638	660	641	709	784	0
<b>SDMI</b>	392	469	451	443	445	463	563	447	507	0
<b>Membership</b>	665	674	661	679	600	594	606	592	613	614
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	12	17	2	25	17	26	40	10	24	29
<b>Total Raised</b>	952,792	975,522	966,937	1,116,708	969,415	1,063,294	983,122	1,015,322	1,092,925	1,168,615



# Dale Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Steven & Stephanie Beck**  
(Start Date: 12/16)



**PO Box 223 (210 W. Hammond St.)**  
**Dale, IN 47523**

We have seen a need for a celebrate recovery group to be formed in northern Spencer County. Dale Church of the Nazarene joined in with other like-minded people that also saw the need. This coming together even during a pandemic was really great. We are honored to be part of this community outreach and believe that we will see lives transformed.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Ladson	Doyle	Doyle	Doyle	Doyle	Beck	Beck	Beck	Beck	Beck
Worship	34	25	20	21	18	18	24	15	17	Covid
SDMI	32	21	16	18	25	25	14	9	11	Covid
Membership	31	30	30	32	30	30	33	33	33	34
New Nazarenes	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Total Raised	24,056	25,434	26,319	25,248	21,721	21,182	33,230	30,282	27,420	36,830
Budgets Paid	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y





# Fort Branch

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Bryan & Alyssa Holzappel**  
(Start Date: 2/20)



**PO Box 58 (601 S. Lincoln St.)**  
**Fort Branch, IN 47648**

This has been a challenging year for the world and our country. However, I would also love to give praise for the movement of God within Fort Branch.

In the next few weeks, we will have a baptismal service. We will also be taking in several new members to the local church.

God has challenged our way of thinking about our responsibility to our community and the importance of communal prayer. We have doubled our family size within this past year.

We look forward to providing recourses, material goods, spiritual encouragement, and ways to develop healthy discipleship practices throughout this coming year. God is moving, and we are becoming more desperate to hear His voice.

We will continue to claim victory throughout Gibson County and be bold in living out the gospel.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Bell	Bell	Breeden	Breeden	Breeden	Breeden	Kochensparger	Kochensparger	Holzappel	Holzappel
Worship	40	37	32	28	28	26	22	19	18	Covid
SDMI	22	26	25	20	20	22	15	14	16	Covid
Membership	44	44	44	43	43	34	34	32	32	18
New Nazarenes	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Total Raised	54,928	47,234	33,762	32,698	32,698	27,756	25,477	17,134	22,348	25,436
Budgets Paid	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N



# Francisco Church of the Nazarene



**Wayne & Wanda Rowland,  
Lay Minister  
(Start Date: 2017)**



**PO Box 99 (304 S. Cross St.)  
Francisco, IN 47649**

We have had a good year at Francisco Nazarene Church! We have had new people come to worship with us, not as many as we would like, but we are thankful for a small increase of new people.

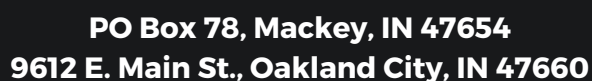
We have been busy fellowshiping as we worked on our Fellowship Hall landscaping. We had two different days of work and different people each time and some that came both days. Our oldest members, Dude and Shirley Edwards, were there both days and worked! They are in their 90's! We received our final inspection from the State on the fellowship hall, and we were approved!

Dude and Shirley Edwards celebrated 74 years of marriage this year on June 1. Their family gave them a surprise meal and invited my wife and me to join them.

We had a high school student from our church graduate and also a college student; I presented Bibles from the church to both of them.

We began a Bible Study on Thursday evening and had some from the community join us and a church family and some of their family that have not been in church. We praise God for this!

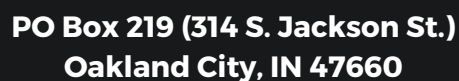
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Scott	Scott	Scott	To be supplied	To be supplied	Rowland	Rowland	Rowland	Rowland	Rowland
<b>Worship</b>	44	45	39	30	28	30	25	32	32	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	32	20	16	12	11	8	10	10	10	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	42	41	41	40	30	28	38	38	38	38
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	0	1	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	39,873	38,493	34,870	31,713	31,713	35,184	34,333	37,173	41,093	34,776
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y



This year also marked a greater awareness of the need for spiritual depth. This year saw a rise in those committed to deepening their walk with Christ and resolve to lead & serve well in the church. We formed a team of 12 individuals who have committed to 6 hours a month for the next year to work on developing spiritually, theologically, and practically in leadership and what it means to be a mature Christian in our local church. We have also added an Executive Pastor, Bill Castillo, to our staff late last summer.

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As a church, we were thrilled to gift one of our young teens with a \$1,000.00 scholarship so that she could participate in a conference that would open up experiences and options as she considers a medical career in her life. We strongly believe that God gives resources for the church to invest in for the sake of others and the work of God's Kingdom. We give God all praise for His faithfulness and guidance over the past year. We rest in the certainty of His love and leadership. May He find us faithful to listen and follow.

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# Princeton New Life Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Andrew & Lydia Johnson**  
(Start Date: 11/13)



**712 N. Embree**  
**Princeton, IN 47670**

In 2018, we carried our altars from the old church to the new. As we walked, we all recognized that His Glory fell. It was so wonderful that the whole city stopped in recognition that what was happening was the only thing that mattered. At NL, we have cherished that memory. One day while reflecting on it, the Lord nudged me to think of that event as a prototype, not as a one-off occasion, but we should carry the altar to people to present the opportunity to meet with the Lord. We constructed an altar to carry, and on October 3rd, 2020, we walked a 2-mile loop—stopping at two city parks. We were able to have conversations with 50+ people, explaining who we were, what the altar was, and the Lord they would meet. We're learning that our House of Prayer can be transitory—we have also done multiple prayer walks seeking to bless homes and individuals we encounter intentionally. It was an amazing day in so many ways.

There were many intimate encounters with God's manifest presence in NL's services. We keep receiving new members (23 total), multiple baptism services a year (15 people total), and seeing people initially and entirely sanctified. Our only strategy: pursue His Presence.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Arnold	Arnold	A. Johnson	A. Johnson	A. Johnson	A. Johnson	A. Johnson	A. Johnson	A. Johnson	A. Johnson
<b>Worship</b>	193	166	160	154	155	154	167	201	215	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	134	181	160	154	153	160	130	150	161	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	171	170	165	186	119	111	131	135	149	167
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	1	0	0	22	7	7	23	6	16	21
<b>Total Raised</b>	243,486	262,001	229,174	251,990	245,696	296,664	248,738	216,836	259,647	286,639
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N

# SEYMOUR

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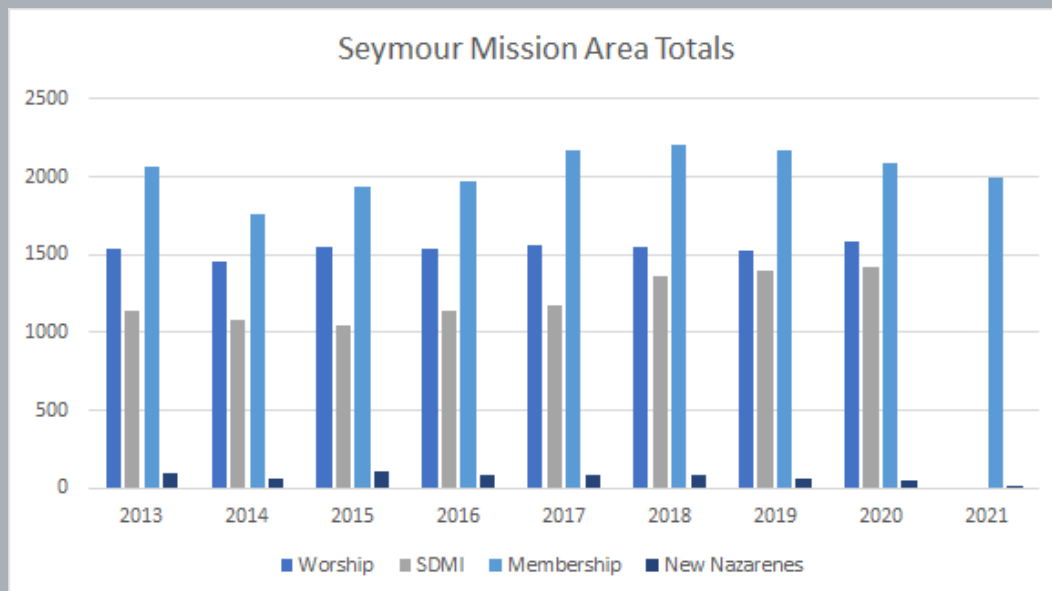
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	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Worship</b>	1585	1537	1450	1554	1542	1562	1551	1523	1579	0
<b>SDMI</b>	1247	1145	1079	1040	1136	1177	1361	1402	1417	0
<b>Membership</b>	1980	2065	1755	1931	1973	2166	2210	2171	2088	1999
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	106	103	62	107	91	82	90	60	46	18
<b>Total Raised</b>	2,252,171	2,179,977	2,039,357	2,139,506	2,241,105	2,306,675	2,604,771	2,765,658	2,668,455	2,644,552

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# Calvary Community Fellowship Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Paul & Karen Blair**  
(Start Date: 7/18)



**5400 Rocky Ford Rd.**  
**Columbus, IN 47203**

We delivered four completed baby bags to a drop-off for Karen's Place in Martin County, Kentucky.

We have continued to support the area Salvation Army.

We contributed to the Christian Appalachian Project.

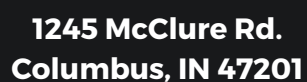
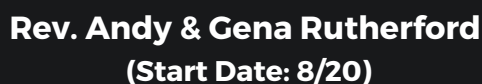
We provided Christmas gifts for three children of prisoners.

We continued to faithfully plant and water the Good seed, trusting God for the increase.

We had a great revival in April!

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Rocker	Rocker	Rocker	Rocker	Rocker	Rocker	Rocker	Blair	Blair	Blair
<b>Worship</b>	65	66	60	65	62	67	42	40	39	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	44	50	39	40	41	43	38	24	18	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	113	113	11	111	107	106	102	109	32	31
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	10	0	5	1	0	0	0	5	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	115,605	115,543	115,913	126,339	115,053	112,305	118,998	138,586	96,921	100,241
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N





Our dependency is on God, and He is always faithful and true. We desire to continue to reach our community in ways that meet them at the point of their need, so a doorway opens to engage with them about the hope we find in Jesus Christ.

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# Crothersville

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Mark & Pam Wooten**  
(Start Date: 11/04)



**606 E. Bard St.**  
**Crothersville, IN 47229**

The community of believers of Crothersville Nazarene has experienced the faithfulness of God and His undeserved goodness in so many ways during this past year.

### **Financial Provision**

Having lost four vital members, we were able to pay off the mortgage on our property, continue our church's weekly ministry, and complete many overdue maintenance and upgrades.

### **Spiritual Unity**

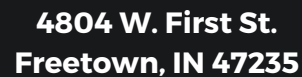
The spiritual unity of the church is stronger than it has ever been while I have been a pastor.

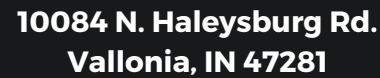
### **Ministry**

The church has left the building--our members are reaching out to others through community Bible studies and outreach ministries.

We pray that God will continue to lead us as we seek to find new ways to help more people find life with God for the good of His kingdom.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Wooten	Wooten	Wooten	Wooten	Wooten	Wooten	Wooten	Wooten	Wooten	Wooten
Worship	105	75	67	51	44	37	41	37	36	Covid
SDMI	74	37	67	32	26	25	118	106	43	Covid
Membership	61	65	59	56	55	45	26	30	29	26
New Nazarenes	4	4	0	2	1	0	3	3	0	0
Total Raised	139,480	145,922	114,100	127,952	99,530	96,836	99,940	97,948	97,943	84,620
Budgets Paid	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N

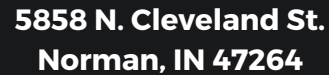
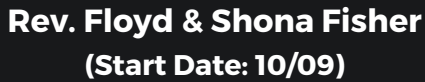
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We have greatly appreciated the prayers and ministry that Pastor Roberts and his wife, Wendy, have given us these past years. We are looking forward to continued ministry here and are excited about a new pastor coming to lead us in the days ahead.

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The gospel of Jesus Christ has been shared, and we have reached many people not currently attending services. Others are reached who may have never attended. The good that has come out of the pandemic is that we have adjusted our worship services to many more people. I am convinced that the Lord will build His Church if we will Be Still and know he is God and listen and follow his direction.

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# Nashville Parkview Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Jason & Amanda Riggle**  
(Start Date: 1/19)



**PO Box 96 (1750 E Hwy 46)**  
**Nashville, IN 47448**

We continue to look for ways to love God, Love Others, and Love Big within our community and beyond. Our church has been praying for David for many years. David began faithfully attending Parkview just over two years ago, and this year David made a profession of faith! We had the privilege of baptizing David at the end of March. David is a real-life example of the transformational work of the Holy Spirit in a life that has completely surrendered to God. We were also excited to hire Rev. Josh and Jennifer Caplinger this past year! Pastor Josh has focused on our youth ministry and is working on more effectively reaching out and connecting with our community.

Here are a few additional highlights:

- We participated in a short mission trip to support ARO flood relief efforts in Kentucky!
- We hosted 3 community food pantries and distributed food to over 100 families!
- We hosted 6 Red Cross Blood Drives!
- Our Wednesday night children's ministry and youth group experienced more growth!
- We baptized 3 people and welcomed 7 people into church membership!
- We effectively began live streaming our worship services on Sunday mornings!

This past year we have witnessed God working through our members to impact our community, and we believe that greater days are ahead. We are excited to see how God continues to use Parkview to LOVE BIG in our community and worldwide!

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Hayes	Hayes	Hayes	Loutner	Loutner	Loutner	Loutner	J. Riggle	J. Riggle	J. Riggle
Worship	173	176	182	205	182	182	185	160	164	Covid
SDMI	124	139	131	100	131	128	139	153	144	Covid
Membership	212	222	229	230	234	244	250	250	256	233
New Nazarenes	5	6	9	6	3	10	5	2	3	3
Total Raised	209,040	207,131	211,024	216,875	197,583	188,700	208,650	243,666	312,199	326,002
Budgets Paid	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y



# Oasis of Hope

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Sara Jimenez & Xenier Jamie**  
(Start Date: 6/17)



**9528 N 760 E**  
**Seymour, IN 47274**

We are thankful for another year of new challenges as it is how God makes us stronger and takes us to where we never expected. We wanted to focus on the positive and continue to reach out to people we do not know...yet. We have continued to use social media to post our prayer/study groups.

We continuously pray that God reaches those who have not heard the message of Salvation, no matter the country or location. We have received messages from people listening to Honduras, Mexico, and Venezuela to God all the glory.

Sometimes communication is a struggle because we use different phrases, but God lets us know that many are listening. Our minds are focused on serving, even those whom we cannot see. God will continue to make a way!

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante	Jimenez	Jimenez	Jimenez	Jimenez	Jimenez
Worship	15	12	33	35	35	25	23	20	18	Covid
SDMI	60	10	33	35	35	35	31	23	21	Covid
Membership	34	34	43	55	57	57	56	55	50	20
New Nazarenes	0	0	9	12	2	5	1	1	0	0
Total Raised	1,696	2,000	6,250	9,046	12,769	11,108	14,628	12,598	7,668	7,160
Budgets Paid	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N





# Peter's Switch Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Keith & Jean Ross**  
(Start Date: 9/07)



**9528 N 760 E**  
**Seymour, IN 47274**

This past year has been difficult for everyone at Peter's Switch. Despite the statistical story, the good folks at the Switch faithfully served the LORD and the community, providing both in-person and online worship opportunities.

Instead of an Easter egg hunt, they delivered Easter Baskets to the children and families we ordinarily would reach in person, conducted a drive through Harvest Party in the Fall, and delivered Christmas baskets to those families at Christmas time.

We did our best to take advantage of the small window of opportunity to "be Jesus" to our community.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Ross	Ross	Ross	Ross	Ross	Ross	Ross	Ross	Ross	Ross
Worship	74	72	75	74	73	68	61	58	57	Covid
SDMI	58	54	42	66	68	47	119	70	69	Covid
Membership	110	110	110	111	111	107	107	106	103	99
New Nazarenes	0	4	1	4	3	0	2	0	0	0
Total Raised	120,294	129,622	137,373	156,015	157,471	148,374	139,332	137,026	168,199	150,978
Budgets Paid	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y



# Shalom Hispanic (CTM) Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. J. David & Glenda Morante**  
(Start Date: 9/07)



1245 McClure Rd.  
Columbus, IN 47201

Los informes de ayer ya se han archivado y las estadísticas se han computado, las metas se han declarado y se espera un porvenir brillante para este nuevo periodo eclesiástico.

La iglesia Shalom está representada por cuatro nacionalidades (Ecuador, México, Guatemala y República Dominicana). Dios ha sido nuestro standarte en este tiempo de pandemia.

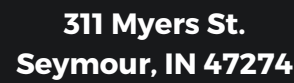
Hemos sufrido la pérdida de algunos familiares cercanos a nuestros miembros, pero eso no ha hecho desfallecer la fe en el único y sabio Dios.

Mientras la iglesia estuvo cerrada tuvimos que crear formas para alimentar al pueblo cristiano que habían quedado encerrados en sus casas, entonces fue necesario hacer uso de la tecnología y empezamos a transmitir los servicios en facebooklive.

Ha sido una experiencia sin igual, hemos visto la mano de Dios obrando a través de una pantalla de computadora o celular, ha sido maravilloso leer las estadísticas de personas que se conectan para disfrutar nuestros servicios online, hoy podemos contar hasta 500 personas que se conectan online para ver y escuchar la palabra de Dios cada semana.

Yesterday's reports have already been filed, and statistics have been computed, goals have been declared, and a bright future is expected for this new ecclesiastical period. The Shalom Church is represented by four nationalities (Ecuador, Mexico, Guatemala, and the Dominican Republic). God has been our standard in this time of pandemics. We have suffered the loss of some relatives close to our members, but that has not weakened faith in the only wise God. While the church was closed, we had to create ways to feed the Christian people who had been locked in their homes, so it was necessary to use technology, and we began to transmit the services on Facebook Live.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante	Morante
Worship	25	19	25	25	25	35	25	45	33	Covid
SDMI	56	16	42	29	35	35	25	48	33	Covid
Membership	38	38	44	46	48	50	45	52	38	38
New Nazarenes	5	0	10	2	2	5	5	7	2	0
Total Raised	7,840	7,500	12,244	5,953	4,911	10,292	7,901	9,073	12,656	12,430
Budgets Paid	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y



Our focus remains beyond the four walls as we continue to do our best to reach our world for Jesus. Our church is healthy and united. We believe that time is of the essence, and we must remain fully committed to the task of reaching a lost world with the message of hope found in Christ. God gets all the glory for the great things happening in and through the ministries of The Point.

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# TERRE HAUTE

## MISSION AREA



**71** Brazil

**72** Cayuga

**73** Cloverdale

**74** Cory Community

**75** Crossroads  
Community

**76** Greencastle

**77** House of Faith

**78** Patricksburg

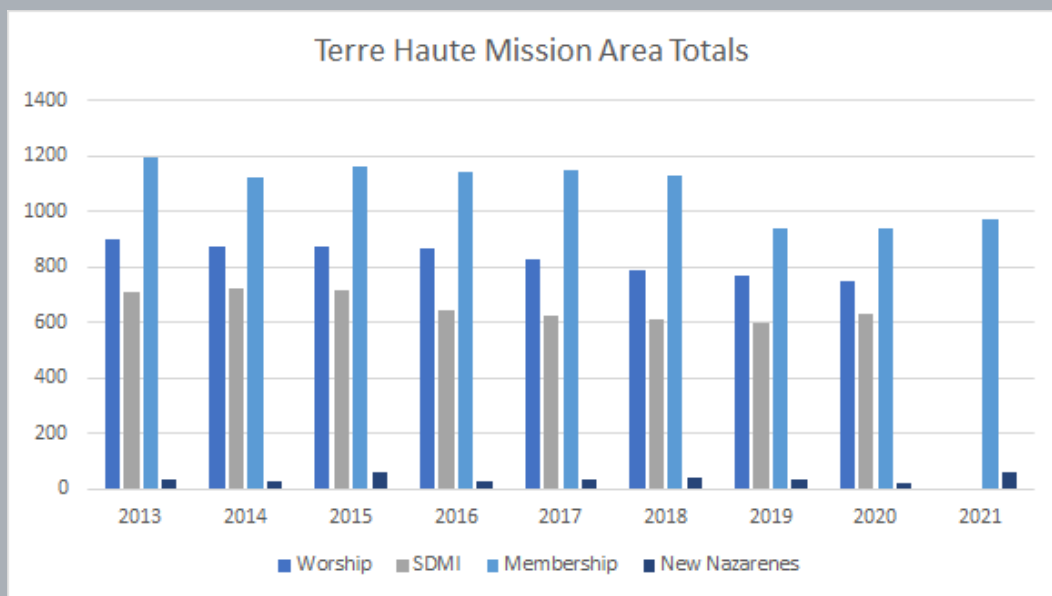
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**80** St. Bernice

**81** Terre Haute First

**82** Terre Haute Southside

**83** Union Chapel



	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Worship</b>	976	901	876	870	869	829	787	767	751	0
<b>SDMI</b>	647	708	724	718	645	624	610	595	629	0
<b>Membership</b>	1271	1194	1122	1160	1145	1147	1129	938	941	969
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	46	32	24	63	26	31	40	37	22	59
<b>Total Raised</b>	1,434,157	1,376,767	1,280,380	1,353,833	1,323,885	1,313,157	1,222,654	1,212,118	1,428,022	1,527,943



# Brazil

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Marlin & Debbie Betts**  
(Start Date: 9/14)



**1002 E. National Ave.**  
**Brazil, IN 47834**

Our church has rebounded in many ways from the effects of the pandemic. Our attendance is at 75% of what it used to be. Our Sunday School and discipleship groups are operating again. Our financial situation is stable. And God's presence is with us!

We improved our church safety by installing security cameras in the main areas inside and outside our buildings. We also added new video cameras in our sanctuary to enhance our live streaming and archived services for people to view. We have averaged over 50 views per week of people watching at least part of our live or recorded Sunday worship services.

Our newest ministry is called "Virtual Hello." Following morning worship, people can record video messages to our shut-ins and non-returnees. This reminds them that their church family still cares and prays for them. So far, we have contacted and encouraged fifteen people with this ministry.

In Brazil, we know that God is still God, and He is still working through His people

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Bechtel	Bechtel	Betts	Betts	Betts	Betts	Betts	Betts	Betts	Betts
Worship	127	144	139	117	110	105	111	114	110	Covid
SDMI	100	111	97	83	75	86	85	93	91	Covid
Membership	169	171	140	146	140	135	134	140	134	133
New Nazarenes	3	7	0	12	5	0	2	6	1	3
Total Raised	214,477	185,337	176,318	189,637	311,672	215,521	202,352	180,633	182,629	195,259
Budgets Paid	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y





# Cayuga

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Rick & Sonya Wetnight**  
(Start Date: 2019)



PO Box 36 Thomspson St.  
Cayuga, IN 47928

Two Thousand Twenty and Two Thousand Twenty-One have been an unbelievable experience for us, especially at the Cayuga Church of the Nazarene. When Covid hit our little community, we were caught by surprise. Little did we know that God was working behind the scenes. Church went on just as usual, well, not quite. Worshiping outside became a normal happening in our lives. The neat thing about outside worshipping was we had people sitting in lawn chairs outside their homes listening to the music and preaching. Instead of saying amen, people would honk their horns. Our spirits never wavered. God was still God then, and God is still God now.

We buried two of our beautiful saints this year. Sharon Craft, and Harold Ellis. Great supporters of the church and Pastor Rick, they will be missed. Loving God and loving others has become our mission statement again. When we love God with our whole heart, mind, body, and spirit, we can't help loving others. We will continue to do so in the coming years until Jesus takes us home. We have gained a brand new couple, Corey and Cora. They are to be married later this year. They are still attending college at the time of this writing.

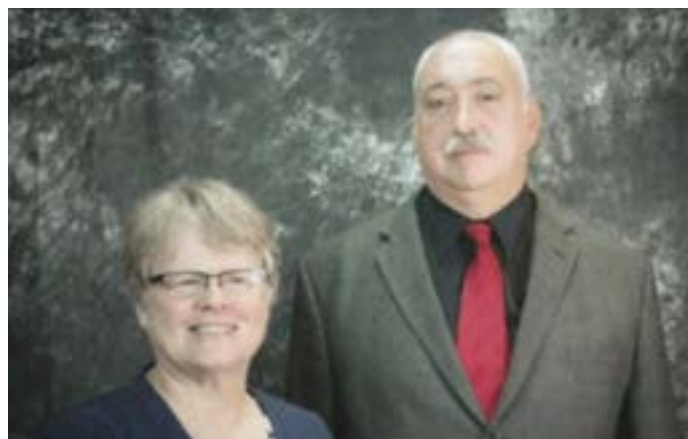
Budgets are paid in full, and we still believe God will do something beautiful in the hearts and lives of the people of Cayuga, Indiana. Keep on believing, trust and obey, for a mighty revival is coming our way. Please, keep us in your prayers. We cherish them.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Medina	Medina	Wetnight	Wetnight	Wetnight
<b>Worship</b>	49	51	43	45	44	40	29	17	12	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	37	52	42	50	44	37	25	9	8	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	53	52	48	49	27	29	23	23	23	23
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	8	0	0	2	3	3	0	0	1	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	87,738	102,558	101,042	85,462	73,498	63,136	51,827	65,716	31,315	44,232
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y



# Cloverdale

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. William & Lillian Pursell**  
(Start Date: 1/11)



**54 W. Water St.**  
**Cloverdale, IN 46120**

The past year has allowed us to move in areas I would have never gone to, but Galileo said, "Doubt is the father of invention" In the early days of the pandemic, there were doubts, will the Church survive? BUT WE PERSERVERED, we quit thinking we were defeated, and we changed how we did worship when not in the building.

We started broadcasting our services over the internet. The adult class went to the cyber world and had Sunday school classes online. The teen group met by zoom. Children had tremendous Tuesdays ( a sing-along with bible stories on Facebook live and a devotional I did each week for those times. Then the door of opportunity was opened by God in a Grant that was available to purchase a better sound system through the Center for Congregations. But it is nearly over; the restrictions are lifted we are returning to Normal. It is time to have a fresh vision for the future; not will we survive, but how will we thrive. Our mission giving held steady, I am happy to report budgets paid in full.

Covid had been rough on our youth group, with kids working more hours, going to college, or entering the workforce as full-time employees. These cycles make NYI directors, and Youth Pastor quit but understand these are normal cycles youth group goes through.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Pursell	Pursell	Pursell	Pursell	Pursell	Pursell	Pursell	Pursell	Pursell	Pursell
<b>Worship</b>	52	45	41	51	42	42	48	58	43	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	77	66	67	68	72	72	52	50	43	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	40	44	44	47	48	47	51	50	51	49
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	6	6	0	4	0	2	4	0	2	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	59,061	59,436	53,617	59,018	54,818	89,492	58,932	56,666	68,024	55,219
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y



We have seen God's movement through powerful individual testimonies, several new members, baptisms including a wonderful 90-year old neighbor, and truly miraculous healing. I want to highlight one such miracle. We have a gentleman that became very ill with Covid-19 and was in the ICU. He was told that the best-case scenario was that he would be in the hospital for another 1-2 months and be on oxygen for the rest of his life. After a service where we anointed his wife for him, he left the hospital three days later with no oxygen. None of his three doctors had any answers, but we know that we do. We praise God with great joy in our hearts despite the challenges because we know that it can bring Glory to God.

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# Crossroads Community Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Mark & Tressia Roberts**  
(Start Date: 4/07)



**117 E. Ste. Rd. 234**  
**Ladoga, IN 47954**

I praise the great people of Crossroads Community and the exceptional leaders with missional hearts that have led through this most challenging year. Just a few of the highlights of the past year, we have seen God working in the heart of an 84-year-old gentleman and to see him come to know Jesus Christ as his personal savior than to see him baptized with many unsaved family members there. Not long after his baptism, we saw the work of the Holy Spirit in those members, and today we are awaiting the arrival of new Brothers and Sisters in Christ. We have seen 4 Young people give their lives to Jesus and are baptized and to watch them being very active in the teen program is a blessing to all.

One Wednesday night during the adult bible study, God came in a mighty way; it was there that 5 adults claimed the work of God in their lives and were sanctified.

We have been blessed with our Journey Of Hope Cancer Support ministry; we have been able to help cancer patients, their caregivers, and family members help with counseling, gas cards, and help with yard work and or cleaning of the house. God has blessed us with new open doors to meet people at some of the darkest times of their lives.

Our focus remains beyond our four walls and continues to meet the needs of our community. 1 Peter 5:11 "To Him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen." This is the heart-felt desire of Crossroads Community, pointing other's attention in His direction, then we are giving Christ "glory" with our lives.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Roberts	Roberts	Roberts	Roberts	Roberts	Roberts	Roberts	Roberts	Roberts	Roberts
<b>Worship</b>	155	128	115	119	132	125	121	122	125	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	75	81	65	62	64	60	58	56	74	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	162	102	97	95	85	90	88	105	113	104
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	12	8	4	4	2	5	6	17	9	3
<b>Total Raised</b>	196,759	159,932	150,857	143,898	143,893	146,165	142,050	127,439	135,452	154,230
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y





# Greencastle

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Phillip & Ashley Diaz**  
**(Start Date: 12/20)**



**580 S. CR 100 E.**  
**Greencastle, IN 46135**

My wife (Ashley) and I were installed at the church during a possible first-ever “Drive-In” Installation service in December of 2020. I was humbled by their willingness to do “church differently” In the short amount of time we have been at Greencastle Church Of The Nazarene, we have seen lives being literally changed by the power of God! We have witnessed God bringing people back from the spiritually dead into a life that is full of His power and strength! We have experienced families being mended back together and being glued together by His grace and love! We have encountered God speaking and working through His Holy Spirit to bring us into a posture of praise, worship, prayer, and expectation of just how awesome He is. Addictions have been left at the altar. Past sins and trauma have been left in the hands of God’s grace. Physical healing and sustainment have been evidenced.

All of God’s work has produced countless people recommitting their lives to Christ, as well as two new people being saved, and three individuals joining in church membership. We are having a baptismal service later this year and expect to see God move mightily as we prepare for that event. We have also had wonderful times of fellowship with our winter “Movie Nights” and a great time in praise and worship with a Gospel music concert by the Andersons.

Our children's and NYI departments are growing each time we gather on Wednesday nights so much that we are running multiple routes with both our bus and church van. Ashley and I, also host a special virtual Sunday night Bible study on Facebook Live at “The Mobile Sanctuary”. The Covid-19 pandemic may have challenged us in ministry on many fronts but I am here to testify that there is nothing that can stop God and the spreading of His gospel to make Christ-like disciples in all the nations.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	R & J Muncie	R & J Muncie	R & J Muncie	R & J Muncie	R & J Muncie	R & J Muncie	R & J Muncie	R & J Muncie	R & J Muncie	Diaz
<b>Worship</b>	60	67	65	64	65	64	61	58	53	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	63	67	61	64	56	51	51	50	53	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	89	83	85	83	80	80	79	83	81	83
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	3	1	3	1	0	3	2	5	0	2
<b>Total Raised</b>	125,905	163,600	151,842	132,682	128,916	118,519	108,750	147,497	132,064	135,798
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y



# House of Faith

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Larry & Diane Carr**  
(Start Date: 2018)



**905 Hampton Ave, Terre Haute, IN. 47801**

As I begin my third report for the House of Faith Church of the Nazarene, I find myself wondering what I can truly report. We continue to look for a place to worship. The Walls have remained gracious in allowing us to worship in their home, and we are thankful for their patience. Although losing one of our members to a long illness has lessened us physically and spiritually, our numbers have remained steady. We have had no great spiritual movements or revivals and no special touches from the Lord which we can report.

I have recently been reminded that God often uses little blessings to remind us that He is still working in my life and the church's life. While the numbers of those following our services online have greatly dropped off, those who have remained have been faithful every Sunday, often committing to the services. The spirit of those attending has remained high as we have rebounded from the pandemic. The joy and expectancy for each service continue to grow as we wait to see what God has in store for us next.

God is moving! Not with great demonstrations of power, but in daily nudges and touches that remind us that He is still watching over His people and His work. It has not been with great outpourings of His blessings but with the still small voice of His encouragement. I continue to look forward to what God is still yet to do. A line from the song "What if I", by Mercy Me says, "What if I was the one to tell you that the war has already been won, what if I was the one to tell you that the work has already been done?" It reminds me that though I have not seen the victory yet. God has already won our victory.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Carr	Carr	Carr	Carr	Carr	Carr	Carr	Carr	Carr	Carr
<b>Worship</b>	9	12	12	11	11	11	10	9	10	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	9	12	14	14	7	7	5	8	11	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	65	64	65	65	63	63	43	13	13	83
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	2
<b>Total Raised</b>	13,643	27,679	15,787	16,447	14,994	14,930	8,983	15,104	16,855	135,798
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



# Patrickburg

## Church of the Nazarene



**Clarabelle Jukes, Lay Minister**  
(Start Date: 6/89)



**1539 Byerly Rd.**  
**Patrickburg, IN 47455**

This has been a very crazy year with covid. Pastor Clarabelle Jukes fell and broke her hip, she is up walking and healing well. Pastor Clarabelle is mentoring Christy Mangin, she has given a few sermons and is doing well. Please keep us in your prayers, thank you, God Bless,

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Jukes	Jukes	Jukes	Jukes	Jukes	Jukes	Jukes	Jukes	Jukes	Jukes
<b>Worship</b>	11	11	16	17	20	20	25	20	15	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	16	13	33	26	29	26	34	18	21	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	22	22	22	28	38	31	33	37	36	0
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	3	0	0	7	1	2	2	4	0	36
<b>Total Raised</b>	9,290	10,928	11,854	11,279	9,394	10,740	8,908	9,328	7,668	9,825
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y



# Rockville Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Sheila & Jack Thompson**  
(Start Date: 1/18)



**262 S. North Dr.**  
**Rockville, IN 47872**

As I report on our last year, I do not want to look at any of the bad days we may have had. Rather, I would like to share the good days we have experienced. Regardless of the numbers in attendance on any given Sunday morning, we survived. We are still here; we are still a church body; we are still open and able to minister to our people, our building, and our community. We celebrated weddings, birthdays, anniversaries, and heavenly homecomings. We broke bread together as we received communion 8 times during the year and fellowshiped together on the occasions we were able. We celebrated Advent, Christmas, Lent, and Easter. We also had prayer meetings, missionary events, Hymn sings, and a few fellowship gatherings.

We hosted two ONU Ambassadors, Hailey and Luke, and fellowship with them after service at the local Mexican restaurant. We also hosted a missionary preparing to go to Africa and raised over \$500 for her funds. We celebrated our children on KIDS Sunday and gave out 13 Bibles to kids of all ages. And again, in the fall, we were able to host a KIDS Pumpkin Carving event with a devotional. We raised enough money in our HVAC special offerings to purchase a new unit, and it is paid in full.

Knowing God has brought us through this past year gives us HOPE and reason to carry on for the coming year. Should we become discouraged, we can reflect on God's faithfulness throughout the 20/21 church year and realize He has a plan and a purpose for our local church.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	A. Riggle	A. Riggle	A. Riggle	A. Riggle	A. Riggle	To be supplied	Thompson	Thompson	Thompson	Thompson
<b>Worship</b>	31	24	23	20	18	15	19	34	37	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	24	13	12	13	9	9	23	33	32	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	32	30	27	27	26	21	23	25	25	25
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	39,719	31,333	23,971	26,072	23,372	18,678	23,540	32,342	34,636	34,009
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y





# St. Bernice Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Garrett & Carol Lee**  
(Start Date: 8/05)



**2938 W. Broadway St.**  
**St. Bernice, IN 47875**

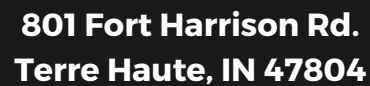
St. Bernice celebrates a great recovery back to our pre-pandemic levels. (Of course, with a church our size, that's like the tortoise getting back in the race and boasting of being back to full speed!) The last month of the church year averaged live attendance matching the growth level we were experiencing when the pandemic hit. All former ministries are back in full swing, and we have added a care-basket ministry for shut-ins and an online adult Bible study. All families have now returned to in-person worship, but we maintain and hope to strengthen our Livestream of services with more reliable tech.

Finances are the healthiest they've been in a decade, so now we are looking into ways to increase our missional outreach into the community and make Christlike disciples.

Children's ministry was almost nonexistent for much of the year as we were unsuccessful in maintaining a viable online connection to our kids from unchurched homes. This was the last area of ministry to relaunch. We put forth what effort we could with what we had into children and youth, hosting two outreach events to the children of our community: A drive-thru candy giveaway on All Hallows Eve and an Easter egg hunt in the park. The year concluded with a worship celebration of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost Sunday followed by a birthday party dinner for the Church Universal—complete with birthday cake and ice cream, balloons, party hats, and games.

The greatest outcome we can report from our long-term focus on children and teens is having each give their hearts to Jesus Christ with baptism plans in the works! We are aiming for double-digit salvations this year. At St. Bernice, our attitude is, "We're not out of the woods, but we're back in the race!"

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee
<b>Worship</b>	32	29	34	30	31	29	28	26	30	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	27	23	25	23	21	20	19	19	21	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	62	57	57	57	55	55	53	53	51	49
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	41,484	43,793	52,945	54,017	41,472	43,724	41,448	47,056	41,828	42,833
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y



It is an absolute honor to report the exciting activity of God at Terre Haute First Church of the Nazarene! I am so thankful that God called me and uses me. I am humbled! I desire that in all things and at all times, I will make much of my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

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# Terre Haute Southside Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Dale & Kayla Stoops**  
(Start Date: 8/13)



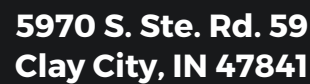
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**Terre Haute, IN 47802**

We give thanks to God for seeing us through a difficult year. As with most congregations, Southside closed all activities for a time during the pandemic. We resumed our Sunday morning worship in June 2020 and have been able to meet safely since.

We stayed in touch with our people through the closure through weekly letters containing a devotional, words of encouragement, and prayer requests. The people found these letters and regular phone calls among fellow members encouraging through an uncertain time. We have yet to resume all our activities but are hopeful that we will restart them with the COVID vaccine and reports of fewer hospital cases.

God has provided through regular giving, answers to prayers, and shining His Light in the darkness. Whatever the future may hold, we see hope on the horizon

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	K. Suits	K. Suits	Stoops	Stoops	Stoops	Stoops	Stoops	Stoops	Stoops	Stoops
Worship	41	30	26	28	26	20	20	20	22	Covid
SDMI	37	30	45	52	41	16	15	21	13	Covid
Membership	98	86	49	51	52	47	29	31	31	30
New Nazarenes	0	0	5	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
Total Raised	81,469	64,649	52,471	52,876	66,833	67,451	70,570	56,356	70,906	63,169
Budgets Paid	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	Y



Our attendance saw some increase in the midst of the pandemic, and our giving was up for the third year in a row. My prayer is that the church has a deep hunger to continue to be transformed by God's grace and to see souls people have been praying for coming to Jesus. I am thankful for the opportunity to pastor the wonderful people of Union Chapel and be a part of their lives.

"To God be the glory!"

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# VINCENNES

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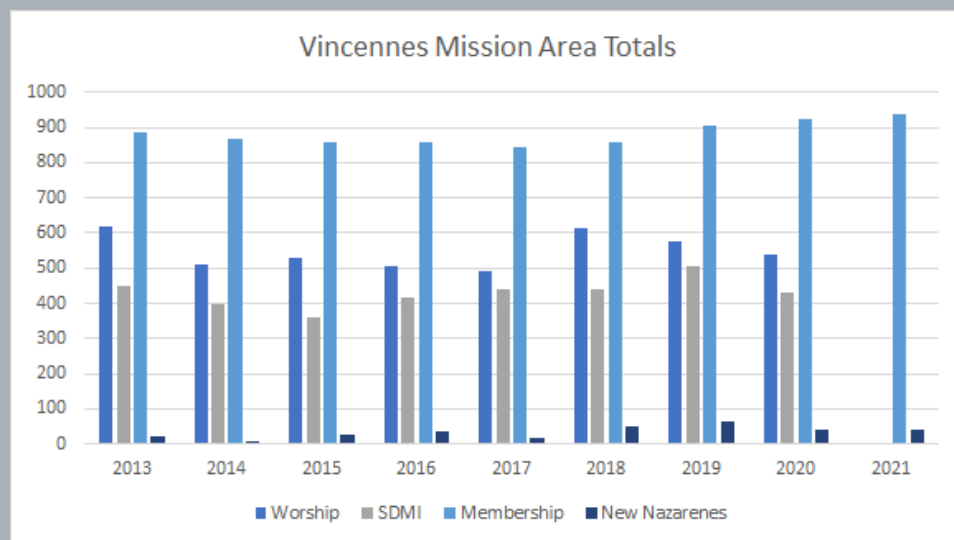
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	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Worship</b>	615	617	512	531	504	490	612	576	537	0
<b>SDMI</b>	432	450	397	362	415	441	439	508	429	0
<b>Membership</b>	882	885	867	858	857	844	859	904	924	938
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	29	23	8	25	35	15	48	64	41	40
<b>Total Raised</b>	933,420	874,533	810,320	808,977	773,762	849,843	809,380	785,530	791,717	819,143



# Bicknell Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Brad & Susan Delp**  
(Start Date: 5/17)



**1125 Durbin St.**  
**Bicknell, IN 47512**

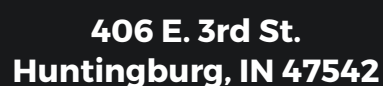
**A Family transformed** - Melissa Sergent started attending Bicknell Xtreme Naz with her kids. After a couple of weeks, they began bringing more family. Melissa's family is starting to get baptized. In addition, Melissa recently gave up smoking, is dedicated to fully changing her life, and is an active part of our recovery ministry at the Christ community center.

**Someone called into ministry** - Grace Mulkey is our Worship leader at Bicknell Xtreme Naz. She is currently attending Oakland City University for her bachelor's in Christian Ministry. She is in her second year and is dedicated to following the call in her life. One conversation with her and one would realize she only wants to do what God would call her. That call is being honed and molded into something more specific every day. She is in the process of getting her local license.

**Something enabling the church to make Christlike disciples** - Our Pastor Brad Delp has shifted Bicknell Xtreme naz from a purely evangelistic focus to a more discipleship-oriented focus. Sunday school discipleship has increased, and more people are attending the classes we offer. We also have a small group on Tuesdays and currently working through the book of James; our Wednesday nights are discipleship-oriented and multiple recovery classes at the Christ Community Center that is helping with addictions and giving an opportunity to disciple more and more people.

**Missional Highlights** - Acquisition of the Christ Community Center - A multifunctional ministry center which will house a new church plant (the CCC church of the Nazarene), housing for women's recovery, an office for churches embracing offenders, an office for Jabez ministries (a food distribution ministry) and space for a tutoring program.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	McKinnon	Clark	Clark	Clark	To be supplied	Delp	Delp	Delp	Delp	Delp
Worship	50	42	58	58	30	30	126	154	119	Covid
SDMI	24	58	46	33	33	30	71	158	119	Covid
Membership	140	139	146	146	139	133	166	203	235	253
New Nazarenes	2	0	5	3	0	0	31	39	32	22
Total Raised	56,950	78,818	48,771	45,744	31,452	49,847	61,908	54,346	64,702	81,317
Budgets Paid	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y

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# Jasper Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Michael & Janice Suits**  
(Start Date: 6/17)



**1056 W. Ackerman Rd.**  
**Jasper, IN 47546**

This past year we have seen God at work in Jasper. We have two new couples that started regularly coming each Sunday. They have been a real blessing to our church.

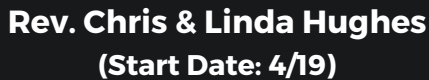
The new Jasper Elementary School opened across from our church last fall. We began hosting the Kids of the Kingdom religion classes in our building at that time. We have over 300 children attending in K-5th grade. My wife, Janice, teaches K-2 three days a week, and someone else teaches the other two days. This is her third year teaching in this program.

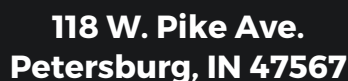
Two years ago, on the first day of class, Janice had a first-grade boy who told her that he was evil. Every color sheet she handed out that year, he colored everything black. Last year, he was doing some better when school attendance was halted. This year he is in third grade with a different teacher. A few weeks ago, at the beginning of class, when the teacher normally asks children to pray aloud, she instead asked them to close their eyes and pray silently. When prayer time ended, this boy raised his hand and said that God touched him on his back while they prayed. He was changed that day and has continued to be a different boy since then!

There have been a total of 10 children in grades K-5 who have given their hearts to Jesus in 2021 through these classes in our building. We are impacting our community in positive ways through hosting Kids of the Kingdom!

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	Beck	Beck	Beck	Beck	Young	Young	Suits	Suits	Suits	Suits
<b>Worship</b>	44	40	34	27	30	30	28	33	37	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	32	25	21	11	17	31	19	17	17	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	63	55	53	39	44	45	23	20	25	25
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	2	2	2	4	3	1	1	0	2	0
<b>Total Raised</b>	107,941	87,161	84,365	72,793	71,468	65,727	78,925	81,687	72,357	77,526
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y



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Sadly, I report that we lost a member, Sharon Williams, and a regular attendee Brian Smith this year.

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# Sullivan

## Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Todd & Sonya Gotshall**  
(Start Date: 11/18)



**1050 N. Main St.**  
**Sullivan, IN 47882**

Sonya and I have been at Sullivan Church of the Nazarene since November of 2018. We are in our third year of ministry with this great body of faithful followers of Jesus. We have had many victories over this last year.

As a pastor, one of the greatest things to be a part of is seeing a person's life change before your eyes. People being saved and sanctified is a wonderful thing to be a part of. We are seeing people in the church craving a deeper relationship with their savior. The church is growing in number and in-depth.

The church has had a vision for many years to build a new fellowship/ministry center. Through much prayer, the new building was constructed this year. We praise the Lord!

We are excited to see the strength of our lay leadership praying as to what ministry they will be a part of in the new center. We plan to serve meals to the less fortunate in our community regularly.

Too many praises to list in a report, but we are proud to be mighty warriors for Christ here in Sullivan!

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	I/K Parsons	I/K Parsons	I/K Parsons	I/K Parsons	Loredo	Loredo	To be supplied	Gotshall	Gotshall	Gotshall
<b>Worship</b>	55	54	45	37	50	55	52	36	54	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	51	37	34	27	63	71	27	22	57	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	71	71	68	70	52	49	47	53	61	66
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	7	0	0	1	0	1	1	9	5	3
<b>Total Raised</b>	71,486	70,648	63,339	68,608	64,076	88,235	91,850	87,693	97,553	112,954
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y





# Vincennes First Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Travis & Alyssa Stamper**  
(Start Date: 12/19)



**1902 Main St.**  
**Vincennes, IN 47591**

God truly has blessed us this year with His Presence and allowing us to grow together and serve one another.

One way we have seen God at work is with a family that started coming on Easter and has been coming regularly since then. On their third or fourth Sunday, this family asked for prayer over a serious need. It was such a powerful moment when almost the entire church gathered to lift this family in prayer. After the service, we had the family over for lunch, and they were so moved that the church showed them so much love and prayed for them. What makes it even better is that the very thing we were praying about got resolved **THAT WEEK!** It seemed like an impossible situation, but with God, all things are possible.

God is at work in our church and this family, and we are thankful for His many blessings."

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	Taylor	Taylor	Taylor	Sloan	Sloan	Sloan	Sloan	To be supplied	Stamper	Stamper
Worship	139	142	65	92	88	88	119	88	68	Covid
SDMI	81	70	65	37	79	89	84	54	35	Covid
Membership	214	212	205	206	208	213	213	217	206	212
New Nazarenes	2	0	0	4	9	8	7	0	0	5
Total Raised	170,082	154,989	121,393	140,389	144,494	139,278	143,953	133,121	149,268	166,879
Budgets Paid	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y





# Washington Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Darrell Hayley Sellers**  
(Start Date: 11/19)



**516 S. Meridian St.**  
**Washington, IN 47501**

I have witnessed God call people to His temple. I have a brother that has rededicated his life, joined the Church of the Nazarene with a profession of faith, and has done so in response to God calling him home like the prodigal son. We celebrated as his knees hit the alter his third week with us. He had not been inside the walls of a church since 1974, except for his wedding day! God breaks walls down and softens hearts in Washington.

I have witnessed obedience. Someone who has every excuse to pass the torch is not. Instead, he is asking God for more opportunities to disciple. A small group of 1-2 has grown to 5, two separate one-on-one times and leadership among men of all ages, afflictions, and backgrounds. Disciples are being made in Washington.

I have witnessed the call of a lay leader to women's ministry. The fire of the Holy Spirit burns in her face as she is determined to build stronger women of faith in Washington.

I have witnessed tragedy hit a family, and the dad becomes the spiritual anchor he is called to be to keep his family connected to the local body of Christ here in Washington.

I have witnessed cancer open doors to evangelism. That same cancer has been a window into what pure faith looks like. Cancer can be evangelistic and a witness all because He promised that He could work well through all things for those who love Him!

I have witnessed a new "sanctuary" form as live streaming has brought the Gospel to people who have vowed never to return to church. Meeting people where they are, like Jesus met the blind and lame, has allowed His message to rebirth in people's lives as they return their hearts to God Almighty!

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Pastor</b>	G. Johnson	G. Johnson	G. Johnson	G. Johnson	G. Johnson	G. Johnson	G. Johnson	To be supplied	Sellers	Sellers
<b>Worship</b>	29	33	29	29	31	31	30	20	20	Covid
<b>SDMI</b>	28	32	32	36	39	43	41	41	18	Covid
<b>Membership</b>	30	27	24	24	24	24	26	24	26	15
<b>New Nazarenes</b>	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	4
<b>Total Raised</b>	55,979	53,955	53,102	64,371	66,668	64,614	48,285	48,390	58,321	65,413
<b>Budgets Paid</b>	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y



# Winslow Church of the Nazarene



**Rev. Joseph & Raychel Decker**  
(Start Date: 1/20)



**205 W. Center St.**  
**Winslow, IN 47598**

Winslow Church of the Nazarene has had a year of ups and downs. Throughout this past year, we had to rework how we could effectively do ministry amidst a pandemic. Although all around us we could see things falling apart, death, and sickness, God still had a plan and about to do some great things. There was still hope. Winslow Nazarene still found a way to love, care, serve, and share the message of Jesus Christ with the community around us despite what life threw at us.

In this past year, the Church family was able to see one person being baptized into the faith, two people entirely sanctified, three children dedicated to the Lord, and three new members added to the Winslow Nazarene family.

One of the biggest highlights from this past year was our food pantry's partnership with Tristate Food Bank to distribute "Farmer to Family" food boxes. We served over 100 people each month (March-May) with a food box and a loving smile from their friendly neighborhood church through this ministry.

God has great things in store for the community of Winslow as we move forward into this new year of living in, living out, and living through our identity as the Family of God.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Pastor	G. Sloan	G. Sloan	G. Sloan	F. Grenier	F. Grenier	F. Grenier	F. Grenier	F. Grenier	Decker	Decker
Worship	33	47	45	57	56	56	54	50	45	Covid
SDMI	17	38	30	54	34	39	37	49	31	Covid
Membership	71	79	80	83	98	94	93	88	81	75
New Nazarenes	5	6	0	10	10	0	0	7	0	3
Total Raised	79,502	52,773	55,978	58,172	63,260	60,153	63,544	64,463	57,317	43,383
Budgets Paid	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N

# NEWLY RETIRED MINISTERS



DR. MARK FLESCHER

**Terre Haute First**

*29 years in ministry*

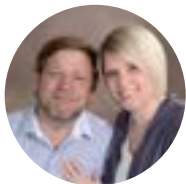
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ON YOUR  
RETIREMENT

**GOD BLESS YOU**

# BARE MINIMUM CHURCHES

*3 People Saved,  
3 Baptized, and  
3 New Nazarenes*



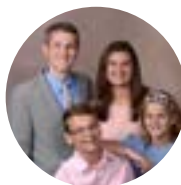
**BICKNELL**  
**Rev. Brad Delp**  
46 People Saved  
28 Baptized  
22 New Nazarenes



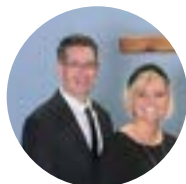
**CROSSROADS COMMUNITY**  
**Rev. Mark Roberts**  
18 People Saved  
8 Baptized  
3 New Nazarenes



**THE POINT**  
**Rev. Steve Greene**  
39 People Saved  
22 Baptized  
5 New Nazarenes



**MACKEY**  
**Rev. Jared Henry**  
19 People Saved  
6 Baptized  
6 New Nazarenes



**PRINCETON NEW LIFE**  
**Rev. Andrew Johnson**  
13 People Saved  
15 Baptized  
21 New Nazarenes



**NASHVILLE PARKVIEW**  
**Rev. Jason Riggle**  
3 People Saved  
3 Baptized  
3 New Nazarenes



**STINESVILLE**  
**Rev. Ben Muncie**  
4 People Saved  
4 Baptized  
8 New Nazarenes



**Chuck Wagon Cowboy**  
**Thomas Redden, lay minister**  
3 People Saved  
3 Baptized  
6 New Nazarenes



# NEW NAZARENES

Church Name	New Nazarenes	Church Name	New Nazarene
<i>Bicknell</i>	22	<i>Clarksville Parkview</i>	0
<i>Princeton New Life</i>	21	<i>Cloverdale</i>	0
<i>Cory Community</i>	11	<i>Community of Hope</i>	0
<i>Columbus First</i>	9	<i>Crothersville</i>	0
<i>Evansville Faith</i>	8	<i>Dale</i>	0
<i>Stinesville</i>	8	<i>Evansville Grace</i>	0
<i>Chuck Wagon Cowboy</i>	6	<i>Faith Community</i>	0
<i>Mackey</i>	6	<i>Family Fellowship</i>	0
<i>Point Township</i>	5	<i>Francisco</i>	0
<i>Rockport</i>	5	<i>Freedom</i>	0
<i>The Point</i>	5	<i>Freetown</i>	0
<i>Vincennes First</i>	5	<i>Georgetown First</i>	0
<i>Newburgh New Life</i>	4	<i>Grandview</i>	0
<i>Northside Community</i>	4	<i>Haleysburg</i>	0
<i>Washington</i>	4	<i>Harmony Chapel</i>	0
<i>Brazil</i>	3	<i>Heartland</i>	0
<i>Crossroads Community</i>	3	<i>House of Faith</i>	0
<i>Nashville Parkview</i>	3	<i>Jasper</i>	0
<i>Petersburg</i>	3	<i>Jordan</i>	0
<i>Shoals</i>	3	<i>Kurtz</i>	0
<i>Sullivan</i>	3	<i>Mitchell</i>	0
<i>Valley Mission</i>	3	<i>Oakland City</i>	0
<i>Winslow</i>	3	<i>Oasis of Hope</i>	0
<i>Chandler</i>	2	<i>Odon</i>	0
<i>Fort Branch</i>	2	<i>Orleans</i>	0
<i>Greencastle</i>	2	<i>Patrickburg</i>	0
<i>Salem</i>	2	<i>Peter's Switch</i>	0
<i>Terre Haute</i>	2	<i>Rockville</i>	0
<i>Union Chapel</i>	2	<i>Shalom Hispanic</i>	0
<i>Brownstown</i>	1	<i>Spencer First</i>	0
<i>New Albany Christ's Community</i>	1	<i>Springs Valley</i>	0
<i>Newburgh</i>	1	<i>St. Bernice</i>	0
<i>Restoration</i>	1	<i>Tell City</i>	0
<i>Bloomington Eastview</i>	0	<i>Terre Haute Southside</i>	0
<i>Bloomington First</i>	0	<i>Turning Point</i>	0
<i>Boonville</i>	0	<i>Wellspring</i>	0
<i>Calvary Community Fellowship</i>	0	<i>Zion</i>	0
<i>Cayuga</i>	0		
		<b>Total New Nazarenes</b>	<b>163</b>

# BAPTISMS

Church Name	Baptisms	Church Name	Baptisms
<i>Bicknell</i>	28	<i>Crothersville</i>	0
<i>The Point</i>	22	<i>Dale</i>	0
<i>Princeton New Life</i>	15	<i>Evansville Grace</i>	0
<i>Crossroads Community</i>	8	<i>Faith Community</i>	0
<i>Evansville Faith</i>	7	<i>Family Fellowship</i>	0
<i>Terre Haute</i>	7	<i>Fort Branch</i>	0
<i>Mackey</i>	6	<i>Francisco</i>	0
<i>Kurtz</i>	4	<i>Freedom</i>	0
<i>Salem</i>	4	<i>Georgetown First</i>	0
<i>Stinesville</i>	4	<i>Grandview</i>	0
<i>Chuck Wagon Cowboy</i>	3	<i>Greencastle</i>	0
<i>Nashville Parkview</i>	3	<i>Haleysburg</i>	0
<i>Peter's Switch</i>	3	<i>Harmony Chapel</i>	0
<i>Restoration</i>	3	<i>House of Faith</i>	0
<i>Brazil</i>	2	<i>Jasper</i>	0
<i>Cory Community</i>	2	<i>Jordan</i>	0
<i>Freetown</i>	2	<i>Mitchell</i>	0
<i>Rockport</i>	2	<i>New Albany Christ's Community</i>	0
<i>Spencer First</i>	2	<i>Newburgh New Life</i>	0
<i>Turning Point</i>	2	<i>Oasis of Hope</i>	0
<i>Heartland</i>	1	<i>Odon</i>	0
<i>Newburgh</i>	1	<i>Orleans</i>	0
<i>Northside Community</i>	1	<i>Patrickburg</i>	0
<i>Oakland City</i>	1	<i>Petersburg</i>	0
<i>Valley Mission</i>	1	<i>Point Township</i>	0
<i>Vincennes First</i>	1	<i>Rockville</i>	0
<i>Winslow</i>	1	<i>Shalom Hispanic</i>	0
<i>Bloomington Eastview</i>	0	<i>Shoals</i>	0
<i>Bloomington First</i>	0	<i>Springs Valley</i>	0
<i>Boonville</i>	0	<i>St. Bernice</i>	0
<i>Brownstown</i>	0	<i>Sullivan</i>	0
<i>Calvary Community Fellowship</i>	0	<i>Tell City</i>	0
<i>Cayuga</i>	0	<i>Terre Haute Southside</i>	0
<i>Chandler</i>	0	<i>Union Chapel</i>	0
<i>Clarksville Parkview</i>	0	<i>Washington</i>	0
<i>Cloverdale</i>	0	<i>Wellspring</i>	0
<i>Columbus First</i>	0	<i>Zion</i>	0
<i>Community of Hope</i>	0		
		<b>Total Baptisms</b>	<b>136</b>

# CONVERSIONS

Church Name	Conversions	Church Name	Conversions
<i>Bicknell</i>	46	Oasis of Hope	1
Point Township	43	Orleans	1
The Point	39	Shoals	1
Mackey	19	Wellspring	1
<i>Crossroads Community</i>	18	<i>Bloomington Eastview</i>	0
Terre Haute	17	<i>Bloomington First</i>	0
Vincennes First	14	<i>Calvary Community Fellowship</i>	0
Princeton New Life	13	<i>Cayuga</i>	0
<i>Columbus First</i>	8	<i>Clarksville Parkview</i>	0
<i>Cory Community</i>	6	<i>Cloverdale</i>	0
<i>Faith Community</i>	6	<i>Dale</i>	0
Washington	5	<i>Evansville Grace</i>	0
<i>Brownstown</i>	4	<i>Family Fellowship</i>	0
Kurtz	4	<i>Fort Branch</i>	0
Stinesville	4	<i>Francisco</i>	0
<i>Chuck Wagon Cowboy</i>	3	<i>Georgetown First</i>	0
<i>Community of Hope</i>	3	<i>Grandview</i>	0
<i>Crothersville</i>	3	<i>Haleysburg</i>	0
Nashville Parkview	3	<i>Harmony Chapel</i>	0
Petersburg	3	<i>Heartland</i>	0
Restoration	3	<i>House of Faith</i>	0
Rockport	3	<i>Jasper</i>	0
Salem	3	<i>Jordan</i>	0
Sullivan	3	<i>Mitchell</i>	0
Turning Point	3	Newburgh New Life	0
<i>Boonville</i>	2	Odon	0
<i>Brazil</i>	2	Patrickburg	0
<i>Freedom</i>	2	Peter's Switch	0
<i>Freetown</i>	2	Rockville	0
<i>Greencastle</i>	2	Shalom Hispanic	0
Oakland City	2	Springs Valley	0
Spencer First	2	Tell City	0
St. Bernice	2	Terre Haute Southside	0
<i>Chandler</i>	1	Union Chapel	0
<i>Evansville Faith</i>	1	Valley Mission	0
New Albany Christ's Community	1	Winslow	0
Newburgh	1	Zion	0
Northside Community	1		
		<b>Total Conversions</b>	<b>301</b>



# MISSION TEN CHURCHES

All Funds Paid plus 10% Given to Missions

**Bicknell**  
**40.2%**

**St. Bernice**  
**10.69%**

**Oakland City**  
**15.93%**

**Sullivan**  
**10.22%**

**House of Faith**  
**13.24%**

**Shalom Hispanic**  
**10.10%**

**Community of Hope**  
**12.9%**

**Mackey**  
**10.01%**

**Petersburg**  
**12.05%**

**Freedom**  
**10.00%**

**Grandview**  
**11.23%**

**Newburgh New Life**  
**10.00%**

**Spencer**  
**11.21%**



## NAZARENE BIBLE COLLEGE OFFERING

Church Name	Given to NBC
Brazil	\$ 100.00
Community of Hope	\$ 20.00
Dale	\$ 50.00
Freetown	\$ 50.00
Grandview	\$ 25.00
Newburgh	\$ 200.00
Newburgh New Life	\$ 200.00
Oakland	\$ 200.00
Petersburg	\$ 20.00
Restoration	\$ 100.00
Rockville	\$ 100.00
Shoals	\$ 50.00
Springs Valley	\$ 50.00
Sullivan	\$ 350.00
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Total Gifts Given	\$ 1,515.00

# NAZARENE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OFFERING

Church Name	Given to NTS
Brazil	\$ 100.00
Community of Hope	\$ 20.00
Francisco	\$ 50.00
Greencastle	\$ 135.00
Huntingburg	\$ 100.00
Newburg New Life	\$ 400.00
Oakland City	\$ 200.00
Restoration	\$ 100.00
Rockport	\$ 100.00
Spencer First	\$ 100.00
Springs Valley	\$ 85.00
Union Chapel	\$ 100.00
Zion Community	\$ 30.00

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Total Gifts Given	\$ 1,420.00
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# ALL FUNDS PAID IN FULL

Bicknell  
Bloomington Eastview  
Bloomington First  
Boonville  
Brazil  
Brownstown  
Cayuga  
Chuck Wagon Cowboy Church  
Cloverdale  
Columbus First  
Community of Hope  
Cory Community  
Crossroads Community  
Dale  
Evansville Faith  
Evansville Grace  
Faith Community  
Family Fellowship  
Francisco  
Freedom  
Freetown  
Georgetown  
Grandview  
Greencastle  
Harmony Chapel  
Heartland  
House of Faith  
Jasper  
Jordan  
Mackey

Nashville Parkview  
New Albany Christ's Community  
Newburgh  
Newburgh New Life  
Northside Community  
Oakland City  
Odon  
Orleans  
Patricksburg  
Peter's Switch  
Petersburg  
Point Township  
Restoration  
Rockport  
Rockville  
Shalom Hispanic  
Shoals  
Spencer First  
Springs Valley  
St. Bernice  
Stinesville  
Sullivan  
Terre Haute First  
Terre Haute Southside  
Turning Point  
Union Chapel  
Valley Mission  
Vincennes First  
Washington  
Zion Community

# TOTAL CHURCH INCOME

Church Name	Total Church Income	Church Name	Total Church Income
The Point	\$ 1,066,172.00	Bloomington Eastview	\$ 75,981.00
Mackey	\$ 538,039.00	Northside Community	\$ 73,706.00
Columbus First	\$ 533,338.00	Freedom	\$ 72,610.00
New Albany Christ's Community	\$ 410,846.00	Petersburg	\$ 68,957.00
Restoration	\$ 332,356.00	Chandler	\$ 68,723.00
Nashville Parkview	\$ 326,002.00	Springs Valley	\$ 68,066.00
Princeton New Life	\$ 286,639.00	Mitchell	\$ 65,485.00
Terre Haute	\$ 279,835.00	Washington	\$ 65,413.00
Valley Mission	\$ 278,273.00	Newburgh	\$ 63,831.00
Cory Community	\$ 254,423.00	Terre Haute Southside	\$ 63,169.00
Oakland City	\$ 246,895.00	Georgetown First	\$ 57,753.00
Newburgh New Life	\$ 238,213.00	Cloverdale	\$ 55,219.00
Brownstown	\$ 230,509.00	Kurtz	\$ 50,330.00
Spencer First	\$ 218,804.00	Haleysburg	\$ 47,302.00
Brazil	\$ 195,259.00	Tell City	\$ 44,804.00
Bloomington First	\$ 192,788.00	Cayuga	\$ 44,232.00
Vincennes First	\$ 166,879.00	Winslow	\$ 43,383.00
Crossroads Community	\$ 154,230.00	St. Bernice	\$ 42,833.00
Zion	\$ 152,726.00	Salem	\$ 42,336.00
Peter's Switch	\$ 150,978.00	Turning Point	\$ 40,101.00
Point Township	\$ 136,276.00	Clarksville Parkview	\$ 38,971.00
Greencastle	\$ 135,798.00	Boonville	\$ 37,704.00
Evansville Grace	\$ 128,412.00	Dale	\$ 36,830.00
Stinesville	\$ 126,623.00	Shoals	\$ 36,224.00
Faith Community	\$ 126,609.00	Freetown	\$ 35,470.00
Union Chapel	\$ 123,313.00	Francisco	\$ 34,776.00
Heartland	\$ 116,551.00	Rockville	\$ 34,009.00
Wellspring	\$ 113,204.00	Chuck Wagon Cowboy	\$ 33,031.00
Sullivan	\$ 112,954.00	Harmony Chapel	\$ 31,166.00
Calvary Community Fellowship	\$ 100,241.00	Fort Branch	\$ 25,436.00
Evansville Faith	\$ 99,947.00	Family Fellowship	\$ 21,833.00
Community of Hope	\$ 88,008.00	Grandview	\$ 20,892.00
Rockport	\$ 86,215.00	House of Faith	\$ 16,137.00
Crothersville	\$ 84,620.00	Shalom Hispanic	\$ 12,430.00
Orleans	\$ 83,424.00	Patrickburg	\$ 9,825.00
Bicknell	\$ 81,317.00	Oasis of Hope	\$ 7,160.00
Jasper	\$ 77,526.00	Jordan	\$ 6,196.00
Odon	\$ 76,105.00		
		<b>Total Church Income</b>	<b>\$ 9,698,348.00</b>



# TOTAL GIVEN TO GLOBAL MISSIONS

Church Name	Total Given To Global Missions		Church Name	Total Given To Global Missions
Mackey	\$ 49,936.00		Jasper	\$ 5,187.00
Columbus First	\$ 35,064.00		Bloomington Eastview	\$ 4,954.00
Oakland City	\$ 34,006.00		Northside Community	\$ 4,903.00
Bicknell	\$ 29,372.00		Freedom	\$ 4,895.00
Nashville Parkview	\$ 23,992.00		Chandler	\$ 4,868.00
The Point	\$ 23,418.00		Terre Haute Southside	\$ 4,643.00
Spencer First	\$ 22,843.00		Orleans	\$ 4,630.00
Restoration	\$ 22,319.00		Washington	\$ 4,475.00
New Albany Christ's Community	\$ 21,834.00		Newburgh	\$ 4,375.00
Newburgh New Life	\$ 21,656.00		St. Bernice	\$ 4,137.00
Brownstown	\$ 19,791.00		Cloverdale	\$ 4,136.00
Valley Mission	\$ 18,583.00		Shoals	\$ 3,416.00
Terre Haute	\$ 18,057.00		Tell City	\$ 3,343.00
Princeton New Life	\$ 17,978.00		Freetown	\$ 3,226.00
Cory Community	\$ 14,033.00		Clarksville Parkview	\$ 3,087.00
Bloomington First	\$ 13,285.00		Rockville	\$ 2,764.00
Brazil	\$ 12,551.00		Boonville	\$ 2,649.00
Wellspring	\$ 12,378.00		Cayuga	\$ 2,539.00
Peter's Switch	\$ 11,033.00		Winslow	\$ 2,509.00
Crossroads Community	\$ 10,766.00		Dale	\$ 2,321.00
Sullivan	\$ 10,472.00		Mitchell	\$ 2,250.00
Heartland	\$ 10,353.00		Francisco	\$ 2,143.00
Community of Hope	\$ 10,335.00		Harmony Chapel	\$ 2,140.00
Greencastle	\$ 10,306.00		Grandview	\$ 2,110.00
Vincennes First	\$ 10,157.00		Turning Point	\$ 2,086.00
Faith Community	\$ 9,458.00		Kurtz	\$ 2,062.00
Zion	\$ 9,240.00		House of Faith	\$ 1,887.00
Union Chapel	\$ 8,834.00		Chuck Wagon Cowboy	\$ 1,723.00
Evansville Grace	\$ 8,617.00		Family Fellowship	\$ 1,340.00
Petersburg	\$ 8,069.00		Shalom Hispanic	\$ 1,140.00
Stinesville	\$ 8,019.00		Crothersville	\$ 938.00
Point Township	\$ 7,402.00		Haleysburg	\$ 895.00
Calvary Community Fellowship	\$ 7,004.00		Jordan	\$ 515.00
Evansville Faith	\$ 6,954.00		Patrickburg	\$ 515.00
Rockport	\$ 6,356.00		Oasis of Hope	\$ 421.00
Georgetown First	\$ 5,928.00		Fort Branch	\$ 378.00
Springs Valley	\$ 5,823.00		Salem	\$ -
Odon	\$ 5,581.00			
			<b>Total Global Missions</b>	<b>\$ 682,433.00</b>

# TOTAL GIVEN TO DISTRICT MISSION

Church Name	District Ministry Funds	Church Name	District Ministry Funds
<i>Columbus First</i>	\$ 27,356.00	<i>Northside Community</i>	\$ 3,668.00
<i>The Point</i>	\$ 26,800.00	<i>Freedom</i>	\$ 3,574.00
<i>Mackey</i>	\$ 26,333.00	<i>Haleysburg</i>	\$ 3,484.00
<i>New Albany Christ's Community</i>	\$ 21,330.00	<i>Chandler</i>	\$ 3,375.00
<i>Restoration</i>	\$ 16,597.00	<i>Springs Valley</i>	\$ 3,310.00
<i>Nashville Parkview</i>	\$ 16,119.00	<i>Washington</i>	\$ 3,272.00
<i>Princeton New Life</i>	\$ 14,610.00	<i>Terre Haute Southside</i>	\$ 3,260.00
<i>Terre Haute</i>	\$ 13,990.00	<i>Newburgh</i>	\$ 3,161.00
<i>Valley Mission</i>	\$ 13,739.00	<i>Cloverdale</i>	\$ 2,890.00
<i>Oakland City</i>	\$ 13,045.00	<i>Georgetown First</i>	\$ 2,847.00
<i>Cory Community</i>	\$ 12,654.00	<i>Family Fellowship</i>	\$ 2,727.00
<i>Newburgh New Life</i>	\$ 11,677.00	<i>St. Bernice</i>	\$ 2,156.00
<i>Brownstown</i>	\$ 11,228.00	<i>Francisco</i>	\$ 2,016.00
<i>Spencer First</i>	\$ 10,738.00	<i>Turning Point</i>	\$ 1,991.00
<i>Bloomington First</i>	\$ 9,947.00	<i>Boonville</i>	\$ 1,942.00
<i>Brazil</i>	\$ 9,765.00	<i>Dale</i>	\$ 1,816.00
<i>Crossroads Community</i>	\$ 8,503.00	<i>Harmony Chapel</i>	\$ 1,812.00
<i>Vincennes First</i>	\$ 8,403.00	<i>Shoals</i>	\$ 1,776.00
<i>Zion</i>	\$ 7,539.00	<i>Freetown</i>	\$ 1,708.00
<i>Peter's Switch</i>	\$ 7,462.00	<i>Rockville</i>	\$ 1,691.00
<i>Greencastle</i>	\$ 6,853.00	<i>Mitchell</i>	\$ 1,690.00
<i>Point Township</i>	\$ 6,779.00	<i>Chuck Wagon Cowboy</i>	\$ 1,644.00
<i>Union Chapel</i>	\$ 6,395.00	<i>Jasper</i>	\$ 1,637.00
<i>Evansville Grace</i>	\$ 6,354.00	<i>Clarksville Parkview</i>	\$ 1,301.00
<i>Faith Community</i>	\$ 6,303.00	<i>Winslow</i>	\$ 1,099.00
<i>Stinesville</i>	\$ 6,229.00	<i>House of Faith</i>	\$ 1,029.00
<i>Heartland</i>	\$ 5,646.00	<i>Grandview</i>	\$ 987.00
<i>Wellspring</i>	\$ 5,620.00	<i>Shalom Hispanic</i>	\$ 740.00
<i>Sullivan</i>	\$ 5,395.00	<i>Crothersville</i>	\$ 552.00
<i>Evansville Faith</i>	\$ 4,914.00	<i>Oasis of Hope</i>	\$ 512.00
<i>Petersburg</i>	\$ 4,378.00	<i>Cayuga</i>	\$ -
<i>Rockport</i>	\$ 4,375.00	<i>Fort Branch</i>	\$ -
<i>Community of Hope</i>	\$ 4,368.00	<i>Jordan</i>	\$ -
<i>Orleans</i>	\$ 4,350.00	<i>Kurtz</i>	\$ -
<i>Calvary Community Fellowship</i>	\$ 4,239.00	<i>Patrickburg</i>	\$ -
<i>Bicknell</i>	\$ 3,860.00	<i>Salem</i>	\$ -
<i>Odon</i>	\$ 3,741.00	<i>Tell City</i>	\$ -
<i>Bloomington Eastview</i>	\$ 3,729.00		
		<b>Total District Missions</b>	<b>\$ 445,030.00</b>

# MEMBERSHIP

Church Name	Membership	Church Name	Membership
The Point	623	Springs Valley	69
Columbus First	430	Bloomington Eastview	67
New Albany Christ's Community	263	Sullivan	66
Bicknell	253	Orleans	65
Zion	238	Evansville Faith	62
Nashville Parkview	233	Boonville	61
Bloomington First	229	Evansville Grace	56
Brownstown	222	Haleysburg	55
Vincennes First	212	Cloverdale	49
Point Township	208	St. Bernice	49
Mackey	202	Georgetown First	48
Princeton New Life	167	Newburgh	47
Union Chapel	166	Freedom	45
Salem	162	Shoals	45
Restoration	159	Chandler	39
Terre Haute	159	Francisco	38
Oakland City	155	Shalom Hispanic	38
Cory Community	148	Patrickburg	36
Mitchell	148	Dale	34
Rockport	147	Calvary Community Fellowship	31
Kurtz	142	Terre Haute Southside	30
Brazil	133	Harmony Chapel	29
Faith Community	126	Tell City	27
Valley Mission	116	Crothersville	26
Heartland	109	Jasper	25
Crossroads Community	104	Rockville	25
Peter's Switch	99	Northside Community	24
Wellspring	99	Cayuga	23
Community of Hope	93	Oasis of Hope	20
Odon	92	Grandview	19
Greencastle	83	Family Fellowship	18
Freetown	80	Fort Branch	18
Turning Point	80	Washington	15
Spencer First	77	House of Faith	12
Newburgh New Life	75	Chuck Wagon Cowboy	11
Winslow	75	Clarksville Parkview	4
Petersburg	74	Jordan	4
Stinesville	70		
		<b>Total Church Members</b>	<b>7,617</b>



# ADVISORY BOARD REPORT

## **District Advisory Board Members 2020-2021:**

Ordained Assigned Ministers: *Ken Bushey, Andrew Johnson, Jane Muncie, Darin Nossett*

Lay Members: *Doug Jones, P.J. Doerner, Bruce Marshall, Tim Scott*

Secretary: *Rev. Ken Bushey*

Chairman: *Dr. Tim Crump*

We, the District Advisory Board, submit the following report:

The District Advisory Board met at the call of the district superintendent to transact business vital to the district's interests. In addition, we have served as the District Home Missions Board and the District Insurance Commission during the year.

Interim ministerial transfers have been processed and referred to the District Board of Ministry per MANUAL, Paragraphs 205.8, 231.9-231.10, 537-537.2. The following transfers to SWID were approved: Bill Castillo, David Mitchell, Andy Rutherford, Taylor Monhollen. Alex Connell, Chris Rego, Brice Kudej. The following transfer to another district was approved: Fred Grenier and Danny McDowell.

The following licensed ministers, serving as pastors, were recommended to the District Board of Ministry for issuance of new or the renewal of district minister's license per MANUAL, Paragraph 532.5: Joe Decker, Bryan Holzappel, Brice Kudej, Sara E. Jimenez Marquez, Taylor Monhollen, Melony Paulus, Gerald L. Richardson, Darrell Sellers, Bryan Thompson, and Sheila R. Thompson.

Special Service/Interdenominational Ministry (SPC) status was granted to Mark Fleschner, Ron Freeland, David Hayes, Robert King, Joshua Nichols, William Pike, Todd Stepp, and Houston Thompson per MANUAL, Paragraphs 528, 528.1, 528.2, 538.1, 538.8, 538.10 and, 53 8.13 by the District Advisory Board with the approval of the District Assembly and the Board of General Superintendents. SPC status was denied to Tracy Gorman per MANUAL, Paragraphs 528 and 538.8.

The District Advisory Board approved the following appointments of the District Superintendent per MANUAL, Paragraph 212.1: Bruce Yates (Bloomington Eastview), Paul T. Blair (Calvary Community Fellowship), Rick Wetnight (Cayuga), Tom Redden (Chuck Wagon Cowboy), Tim Hullet (Clarksville Parkwood), Mark Wooten (Crothersville), Steven Beck (Dale), Peter Ken Walker (Family Fellowship), Bryan Holzappel (Fort Branch), Wayne Rowland (Franciso ), Dale Braker (Freetown), Taylor Monhollen (Heartland), Larry Carr (House of Faith), Michael Suits (Jasper), Larry Latham (Jordan), Nate Denning (Northside Community), Sara Jimenez Marquez (Oasis of Hope), Clarabelle Jukes (Patrickburg), Brett Cieslack (Rockport), Sheila Thompson (Rockville), Javier Morante (Shalom Hispanic), David Mitchell (Shoals), and Darrell D. Wineinger (Springs Valley).

Per MANUAL, Paragraph 540.3, the SWID Recovery Team has suspended recovery efforts with Tim Cox due to the lack of participation in the district-approved plan and process for one desiring to be reinstated as a member of the clergy.

In recognition and appreciation of Dr. John Bowling's retirement after thirty years of faithful leadership to Olivet Nazarene University, the SWID Advisory Board approved \$10,000 to Olivet's John and Jill Bowling Scholarship for Olivet Students.

We, the District Advisory Board, appreciate the leadership, guidance, and direction of our District Superintendent, Dr. Timothy W. Crump, over the past year and thank the Lord for His hand upon the churches of the Southwest Indiana District.

Respectfully submitted,

Ken Bushey,  
Secretary

Timothy W. Crump,  
Chairman



# BOARD OF MINISTRY: CREDENTIALS REPORT

## **Board of Ministry Members 2020-2021:**

Members: *Revs. Marlin Betts, Ken Bushey, Nate Denning, Michael Elliott, James Hicks, Andrew Johnson, Doug Lane, Jane Muncie, Robert Muncie, Keith Ross, Sarah Ross, Jonathan Scott, Patrick Shay, Mark Thompson.*

Secretary: *Rev. Jason Riggle*

Chairman: *Dr. Tim Crump*

## **Partial Report No. 1**

We, your Board of Ministerial Credentials, submit the following partial report:

We find it a joy to welcome and to recommend the following incoming transfers to be received:

### **Elders:**

Alex E. Connell from Chicago Central District

David L. Mitchell from Southern California

Christopher M. Rego from Midsouth District

Andy L. Rutherford from Central Gulf Coast

### **Licensed Ministers:**

William A. Castillo from Kentucky District

Brice J. Kudej from Iowa District

Taylor R. Monhollen from Indianapolis District

## **Partial Report No. 2**

We, your Board of Ministerial Credentials, submit the following partial report:

Having met the necessary study and experience in service qualifications and having been carefully examined by the board as to their character, integrity, and agreement with the doctrines and polity of the Church of the Nazarene, we recommend the following for ordination as elder subject to the approval of the general superintendent: Joseph Aaron Decker, Andrew Scott DeKemper, Jarren Bryant Rogers, Darrell Reed Sellers II, Matthew Joseph Smith, Bryan Scott Thompson, and Sheila Renee Thompson.

## **Partial Report No. 3**

We, your Board of Ministerial Credentials, submit the following partial report:

We recommend the following be granted a minister's license: Seth A. Jones, Sam A. Moore, and Travis R. Stockelman.

We recommend the following be granted a renewal of minister's license: David M. Anderson, Alyssa D. Beadle, Tyler K. Beadle, Corbin V. Bushey, William A. Castillo, Joseph A. Decker, Andrew S. DeKemper, Jodie, K. George, Bryan L. Holzapple, Sara E. Jimenez Marquez, Brice J. Kudej,

Taylor R. Monhollen, Ashley M. Nichols, Michael D. Nickle, Chad M. Olds, Melony M. Paulus, Charles J. Phillips, Gerald L. Richardson, Jarren B. Rogers, Anthony C. Sedletzeck, Darrell R. Sellers II, Matthew J. Smith, Garrett M. Sparks, Bryan S. Thompson and Sheila R. Thompson.

We recommend the following be granted renewal of tenured evangelist and song evangelist status: Larry D. Leckrone.

We recommend the following be granted renewal of tenured evangelist status: H. Lane Loman.

We recommend the following be granted renewal of registered evangelist status: A. David Street.

We recommend the following be granted renewal of evangelism service retired status: Bryan E. Solomon.

At their request, we recommend the following transfers out be granted:

Elders:

Fred Grenier to Northwest Indiana District

Danny McDowell to Southwest Ohio District

We recommend the following be granted retired assigned status: Mark E. Fleschner.

We recommend the following ministers be recognized as no longer in the process of restoration due to his unresponsiveness per Manual 504.3: Timothy A. Cox.

We recommend the following be dropped from the roster of ministers, having joined the Church Triumphant: Thomas Charles, Jr.

Respectfully submitted,

Jason Riggle,  
Secretary

Timothy W. Crump,  
Chairman

# BOARD OF MINISTRY: STUDIES REPORT

## Board of Ministry Members 2020-2021:

Members: *Revs. Marlin Betts, Ken Bushey, Nate Denning, Michael Elliott, James Hicks, Andrew Johnson, Doug Lane, Jane Muncie, Robert Muncie, Keith Ross, Sarah Ross, Jonathan Scott, Patrick Shay, Mark Thompson.*

Secretary: *Rev. Jason Riggle*

Chairman: *Dr. Tim Crump*

The following students are enrolled in Ministerial Studies on the Southwest Indiana District:

- Anderson, David M. – (DL) Crossroads Community
- Beadle, Alyssa D. – (DL) Princeton New Life
- Beadle, Tyler K. – (DL) Princeton New Life
- Bushey, Corbin V. – (DL) Restoration
- George, Jodie K. – (DL) Kurtz
- Holzappel, Bryan L. – (DL) Princeton New Life
- Jimenez Marquez, Sara E. – (DL) Oasis of Hope
- Jones, Seth A. – (DL) Restoration
- Kudej, Brice J. – (DL) Harmony Chapel
- Monhollen, Taylor R. – (DL) Heartland
- Nichols, Ashley M. – (DL) Evansville Grace
- Nickle, Michael D. – (DL) Crossroads Community
- Olds, Chad M. – (DL) New Albany Christ Community
- Stockelman, Travis R. – (DL) Columbus First

The following students are currently in the Graduate Status on the Southwest Indiana District:

- Castillo, William A. – (DL) Mackey
- Decker, Joseph A. – (DL) Winslow
- DeKemper, Andrew S. – (DL) Evansville Grace
- Moore, Sam A. – (DL) Cayuga
- Paulus, Melony M. – (DL) Valley Mission
- Phillips, Charles J. – (DL) Columbus First
- Richardson, Gerald L. – (DL) Orleans
- Rogers, Jarren B. – (DL) Columbus First
- Sedletzeck, Anthony C. – (DL) Terre Haute First
- Sellers II, Darrell R. – (DL) Washington
- Smith, Matthew J. – (DL) Evansville First
- Sparks, Garrett M. – (DL) Mackey
- Thompson, Bryan S. – (DL) PAC/Beyond the Walls
- Thompson, Sheila R. – (DL) Rockville

Jason Riggle,  
Secretary

Timothy W. Crump,  
Chairman

# NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

## **District Nominating Committee 2020-2021:**

Members Present: Tim Crump, chairman; Patrick Shay, secretary; Charles Areson, Alissa DeKemper, Floyd Fisher, Carolyn Gambill, Andrew Johnson, Jen Lichtly, Joel Parsons, Carolyn Pate, Brenda Scott, Tonya Soltrman, Todd Stepp, Sheila Thompson, Linda Walker, and Michael Suits.

We, your Committee on Nominations, submit the following report:

During the nomination process, the motion was made and approved that at least three times the number of individuals for each position would be nominated by the committee. Alternates were approved for positions in which one or two is to be elected.

The committee voted to place the following individuals on the ballot.

District Advisory Board: Assigned Ordained Minister (one to be elected for a four-year term, one to be elected for a one-year term)—Ken Bushey, Jane Muncie, Jason Riggle, Mark Roberts, Sarah Ross, and Patrick Shay.

District Advisory Board: Layperson (one to be elected for a four-year term)—Philip (PJ) Doerner, Shona Fisher, and Sonya Nixon-Gotshall.

District Board of Ministry: (three to be elected for a four-year term, one to be elected to a three-year term, and one to be elected for a two-year term with the three highest vote totals of elected candidates to serve the four-year terms, the fourth-highest total to serve the three-year term, and the fifth-highest vote total to serve the two-year term)—Duane Brown, Brett Doninger, Michael Elliott, Todd Gotshall, Jared Henry, Joel Parsons, Jason Riggle, Maria Smith, Travis Stamper, Todd Stepp, Dale Stoops, Mark Thompson, and Ken Walker.

Court of Appeals: Assigned Ordained Minister (two to be elected for a four-year term)—Jane Muncie, Josh Nichols, Joel Parsons, Mark Roberts, Pat Shay, and Todd Stepp.

Court of Appeals: Laypersons (two to be elected for a four-year term)—Jan Charles, Philip (PJ) Doerner, Shona Fisher, Ted Jackson, Doug Jones, and Ron Ritter.

Olivet Nazarene University Trustee: Layperson (one to be elected for a three-year term)—Lydia Johnson, Kayla Stoops, and Doug Young.

The committee recommends that wherever possible, elections will be by plurality.

The committee recommends that voting will be by electronic means to be conducted on-site and will begin and end as established by the assembly.



The committee recommends the following be elected with the approval of the District Nominating Committee report:

That the District Advisory Board will serve as the District Home Missions Board and the District Insurance Commission;

The District Executive Finance Committee will be composed as follows: The District Superintendent, the District Secretary, the District Treasurer, and the District Advisory Board.

That the District Assembly Finance Committee was composed as follows: The District Superintendent, the District Treasurer, the District Secretary, the District Advisory Board, and the pastor, and one layperson from each local church.

That the District Investment and Audit Committee will be composed as follows for the coming year: The District Superintendent, the District Treasurer, Steve Boggs, Steve Englert, Dede Jones, and Tom McCool;

That Real Estate and Titles held by the Southwest Indiana District Church of the Nazarene shall be signed by the District Superintendent and the Secretary of the District Advisory Board.

Respectfully submitted,

Patrick Shay,  
Secretary

Timothy W. Crump,  
Chairman

# DISTRICT CHURCH PROPERTIES BOARD REPORT

## District Church Properties Board Members 2019-2020:

Ordained Assigned Ministers: Ben Muncie, Ashley Nichols, Joshua Nichols, Darin Nossett, Mark Roberts, Patrick Shay

Lay Members: Steve Doerner, Doug Jones, Steve Ritter, Tim Scott

Secretary: *Rev. Darin Nossett*

Chairman: *Dr. Tim Crump*

The SWID Church Properties Board met throughout the church year 2020--2021 to conduct business related to property matters for local Nazarene churches of SWID. Meetings this year were conducted electronically.

The District Church Properties Board functions under the guidance of the MANUAL Church of the Nazarene 2017-2021; paragraphs 236-237.5. Meetings are scheduled and announced in advance so that our churches can submit requests in a timely manner. We realize everything does not always occur at convenient times; special consideration is given in such circumstances. During this church year, requests to build, borrow money, refinance, sell property, and lease property came to the board. The Properties Board prayerfully, thoughtfully, and consistently applied established guidelines in consideration of and action toward each request. Following is a summary of the work of the Properties Board:

Washington	Approval to sell property
Dale	Approval to lease the parsonage
Dale	Approval for a Major Remodel
Terre Haute 1 st	Approval to sell property
Valley Mission	Approval for a Major Remodel
Turning Point	Approval to sell property
Sullivan	Approval to borrow funds/new construction
Nashville Parkview	Approval for Major Renovation

The Policy and Procedure Manual and Request Application are available on the SWID website. Information and instruction are available there. Please feel free to reach out to the board with any questions concerning these matters. Thank you to the churches who have applied with requests for their patience and understanding as the process moves forward.

Thank you to the members of the board who serve faithfully.

Dr. Tim Crump  
Rev. Ben Muncie  
Rev. Darin Nossett  
Tim Scott

Steve Doerner  
Ashley Nichols  
Steve Ritter  
Rev. Pat Shay

Doug Jones  
Rev. Josh Nichols  
Rev. Mark Roberts

We recognize the desire of the local church to make decisions for their good and benefit; we consider the denominational partnership and accountability shared by Churches of the Nazarene globally. With this structure and understanding, the District Properties Board serves the church locally, district-wide, and globally.

Darin Nossett,  
Secretary

Timothy W. Crump,  
Chairman

# DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

## Dr. Timothy W. Crump, District Superintendent

I want to begin my 5<sup>th</sup> report as the District Superintendent of the Southwest Indiana District by praising our faithful, gracious, and Holy God! It is God who has called, equipped, and empowered the people who comprise the Southwest Indiana District. To God be the glory, great things He has done. This year, our pastors and staff provided incredible leadership as they have risen to the challenges all around them. They have been innovative and creative, thoughtful, and resourceful, and have given themselves wholly to the work of the Lord. It is a privilege to serve the Lord with you! Thank you, Pastors and staff!

Let me express my appreciation to Dr. David Graves, our jurisdictional General Superintendent, and his wife, Sharon. Thank you, Dr. Graves, for your godly wisdom, timely guidance, and constant encouragement and leadership these past two years. Today, we are highly favored to have from my alma mater, Olivet Nazarene University, the new President, Dr. Gregg Chenoweth. Dr. Chenoweth and his wife, Tammy, are an answer to our prayers, and we look forward to great days for our university. It is also a blessing to have Dr. Brian Allen, Olivet's Vice President for Institutional Advancement, with us today. Dr. Allen has been a friend and support for many years. Thank you all for joining our District Assembly.

I also want to recognize Dr. Garry Pate, District Superintendent Emeritus, and his precious wife, Carolyn, as they continue to serve the Lord faithfully. Thank you! Finally, I want to extend my appreciation to our delegates and local church leaders. Thank you for your faithfulness, service, and sacrificial giving.

Christy Boes Eubanks, our District NMI President, recently led an outstanding Mission Rally at Columbus First with Brian Helstrom, Executive Director of the Jesus Film Harvest Partners. This year SWID gave \$8,462 towards the Jesus Film ministry. By the way, last I checked, we had overpaid our World Evangelism Fund by \$11,602 by giving \$509,727. Thank you, Christy and NMI council, for your excellent work!

Rev. Doug Lane, our District SDMI Chairperson, recently launched a weekend event designed for families with small children called Family Camp. What a fantastic event! The SDMI also planned a day at Holiday World, where 549 of our people enjoyed the day together. Many exciting things are coming our way. Thank you, Pastor Doug and SDMI council! SWID is ramping up!

Rev. Mark Thompson, our District NYI President, just got back from a fantastic Youth Camp where God was moving and calling young people into Christian service. Pastor Mark and his council have continued to seek out creative ways to help our teens connect to one another and God. Great work, Mark and the NYI council!

I want to thank Rev. Ken Bushey, Rev. Jane Muncie, Rev. Darin Nossett, Rev. Andrew Johnson, Tim Scott, Doug Jones, Bruce Marshall, and Phillip (PJ) Doerner, who have served as our District Advisory Board. Thank you for your prayers, participation, timely advice, and help throughout this year.

Dr. Todd Stepp, Rev. Jonathan Scott, Rev. Todd Gotshall, Rev. Steve Beck, Rev. Ben Muncie, Rev. Mark Roberts, Rev. Joel Parsons, and Rev. Tim Lichtley have served as our Mission Area Directors. I am grateful for your assistance in providing care and oversight for the churches and



pastors of our mission areas. Please go to our website ([www.swidnazarene.org](http://www.swidnazarene.org)) to hear our Mission Area Pastors reports. They are outstanding!

Rev. Pat Shay, our District Secretary, has again excelled in the many diverse responsibilities assigned to him. He has a servant's heart which we greatly appreciate. Thank you, Pastor Pat!

Gary Ritter, our District Treasurer, continues to be a blessing to our pastors, churches, and treasurers. He has the heart of a shepherd, which is evident in his work on our district and his ministry at Valley Mission. Thank you, Gary.

This year, we welcomed Stacey Moore as our District Office Administrator. She assumed this role as Rev. Matt Gargiulo transitioned to full-time ministry at our Zion Church. Stacey is a fast learner and a real asset to our district. She has a passion for the Lord and His people. Thank you, Pastor Gargiulo and Mrs. Moore.

Lastly, I want to express my love and appreciation to my wife, Cindy, a dedicated servant of Jesus Christ. I am incredibly thankful for your ministry these many years and the work you accomplished directing the Celebrate Recovery Ministry at the Compassion and Hope House.

This year, I have encouraged pastors and churches, preached online and in-person, led seventy-four church board meetings (both in-person and zoom), conducted thirteen pastoral reviews, and installed eight pastors. Provided revitalization training for three of our churches, led young pastors' training opportunities and conducted two orientation sessions for new SWID pastors. In addition, the following presenters provided zoom training opportunities for our pastors: Dr. Scott Sherwood, Rev. Lennie & Joy Wisheart, Dr. Ron Blake, Michael Thompson, Rev. Mark Bane, Rev. Gary Hartke, Rev. Jay Height, and Rev. Jason Kwast.

### **"Reignite the Fire!"**

*"Ahab, son of Omri, did more evil in the eyes of the Lord than any of those before him. He not only considered it trivial to commit the sins of Jeroboam, son of Nebat, but he also married Jezebel, daughter of Ethbaal, king of the Sidonians, and began to serve Baal and worship him. He set up an altar for Baal in the temple of Baal that he built in Samaria. Ahab also made an Asherah pole and did more to arouse the anger of the Lord, the God of Israel, than did all the kings of Israel before him."*

*I Kings 16:30-33*

Elijah was living in a day where people were assimilating the worship of God with false gods. Baal worship was the latest to catch the attention of the people. This false god was looked upon as the lord of (sky & fertility) rain and dew, the two forms of moisture needed for Canaan's fertile soil. The people of God had been warned to obey God, but once they got settled into their comfortable and blessed lives, they so often chose to forsake Him. We need to be careful not to assimilate false teachings and practices from the culture of this world.

In I Kings chapter 17, Elijah, the prophet, informs King Ahab there will be no rain for the next few years. Now, I am not sure of the king's response, but I imagine he did not believe Elijah; after all, the King believed in Baal and who was this man named Elijah. Yet, for the next three years, there was no dew or rain in the land. How could that be if Baal was the god of rain and



dew? Imagine no rain or dew for over 1,000 days. Whether you believed in Baal or God – that would be unsettling. Most of the people in that day were putting their faith and trust in Baal.

Ironically, this drought began because of the rebellion and sin of God's people, and it would end when God said it would end! Today, we should be reminded that God will deal justly with sin.

In I Kings 17:2, God directs Elijah to hide, and what this prophet discovers is that God can provide; a good lesson for all of us today. However, in I Kings 17:7, we read that the brook which provided water for Elijah dries up. After all, that is what happens when there is no rain for a long time. Then in I Kings 17:7-24, God provides for Elijah, a widow, and her son, daily food. Elijah learns to depend on God, even in times of testing.

There was a man named Obadiah, a follower of God who was serving as the palace administrator for evil King Ahab. To protect the faithful prophets from Ahab, the Scripture tells us he hid 100 prophets in two caves (I Kings 18:4). One day, Elijah encountered Obadiah, and he asked him to tell Ahab, Elijah is here. Obadiah was afraid to tell the King of Elijah's presence.

Elijah declares: "As the Lord Almighty lives, whom I serve, I will surely present myself to Ahab today." Obadiah was soon to witness Elijah taking a courageous stand for God. Even Elijah had been hiding. Critical reminders for God's people:

- There is a time to hide and discover we can depend on God.
- There is a time when we need to stand courageously for God.
- Even when we stand alone, God is with us.
- Elijah's obedience was complete in its surrender.

When Ahab sees the prophet, he declares: "Is that you, you troubler of Israel?" To which Elijah responds: "I have not made trouble for Israel. But you and your father's family have. You have abandoned the Lord's commands and have followed the Baals" (I Kings 18:17-128). Expect persecution like prophets before you when standing for the truth of God.

Elijah tells the King to gather people from all over Israel and bring the 450 prophets of Baal and the 400 prophets of Asherah, who eat at the king's table, to Mount Carmel. As they gather, the prophet says to the people: "How long will you waver between two opinions? If the Lord is God, follow Him; but if Baal is God, follow him, but the people said nothing" (I Kings 18:21). The silence was deafening. We must declare we serve the God of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

They gathered wood and two bulls to sacrifice, and Elijah said: "Then you will call on the name of your god, and I will call on the name of the Lord. The god who answers by fire-he is God. To which the people said – that is good" (I Kings 18:24).

Elijah is up against 850 prophets. Even when you are in the minority, stand for the truth. From morning till noon, these 850 prophets shouted to their god, but there was no response. They had danced around the altar they had made, and even cut themselves until the blood flowed. Still, no fire fell from their false god.

**"Then Elijah said to all the people: Come here to me! They came to him, and he repaired the altar of the Lord, which had been torn down. Elijah**

**took twelve stones, one for each of the tribes descended from Jacob, to whom the word of the Lord had come saying, "Your name will be Israel." With the stones, he built an altar in the name of the Lord, and he dug a trench around it . . ." He then placed the wood on the altar, cut the bull into pieces, and laid it on the wood" (I Kings 18:30-32).**

Don't forget an altar is still a place where people can find grace, mercy, and the forgiveness of sin.

Then what Elijah does next, seemingly makes no sense. He orders four large jars of water to be poured over the sacrifice. He does this three times. It seems to me Elijah was not helping God as he soaks the wood. Then Elijah prays:

**"Lord, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, let it be known today that you are God in Israel and that I am your servant and have done all these things at your command. Answer me, Lord, answer me, so these people will know that you, Lord, are God and that you are turning their hearts back again" (I Kings 18:36-37).**

Elijah calls them to repentance, and when the fire comes down, there is only one explanation!

**"Then the fire of the Lord fell and burned up the sacrifice, the wood, the stones and soil, and also licked up the water in the trench. When all the people saw this, they fell prostrate and cried, "The Lord -he is God! The Lord-he is God" (I Kings 18:38-39).**

Elijah planned, prepared, and prayed, and then he stepped aside and relied upon God to send the fire. Elijah did not wipe his hands from the tasks God had placed on His heart. Instead, he prayed and then waited for God to act. God longs to break through our programs, plans, and even our sermons. He is looking for people who will be holy as He is holy!

- There may be a time you will need to hide and depend on God. He will provide what you need.
- There may be a time you will need to stand courageously for God. Even when we stand alone, God is with us.
- Elijah's simple and swift obedience was complete in its surrender.
- God will always prove faithful.

Often, we stop reading this story before it is over. In verse 40, Elijah commands them to seize the false prophets, and they killed them. For most of my life, that never registered with me. I never even thought about what might have happened to Elijah if the fire did not fall.

One of SWID's former District Superintendents, Dr. Scutt, recently reminded me of two things the U.S. military had taught him:

- (1) If you are not prepared to die, don't enlist.
- (2) If you hesitate, people will die.

Those are good words for us today! Elijah, the prophet, willingly surrendered his life to God. When did the fire fall? Was it not when God found a man willing to listen and obey? There are many idols people worship today. They are not made of gold or silver or carved from wood. Be careful to what and whom you give your life.

As a result, the altar was repaired, the sacrifice was offered, the water was poured, and the man of God prayed. Why do we want the fire of God to fall? So that people will know He is God and that they will then turn their hearts back to Him.

*"He who wants a meeting of life and power should remember that there is no substitute for the Holy Ghost. He is life. He is power. And if He is sought in earnest, faithful prayer, He will come, and when He comes, the little meeting will be mighty in its results. "Put your all on the altar and leave it there; do not take it back, and God's fire will surely come and consume the offering."*

*Samuel Logan Brengle*

**May the fire of the Lord fall, and may we be found faithful to His call!**

Respectfully Submitted,  
Dr. Timothy Crump  
District Superintendent

### **Bare Minimum Churches**

(A minimum of three people saved, baptized, and joined the church)

#### **Bicknell**

Rev. Brad Delp  
46 people saved  
28 baptisms  
22 New Nazarenes

#### **The Point**

Rev. Steve Greene  
39 people saved  
22 baptisms  
5 New Nazarenes

#### **Princeton New Life**

Rev. Andrew Johnson  
13 people saved  
15 baptisms  
21 New Nazarenes

#### **Stinesville**

Rev. Ben Muncie  
4 people saved  
4 baptisms  
8 New Nazarenes

#### **Crossroads Community**

Rev. Mark Roberts  
18 people saved  
8 baptisms  
3 New Nazarenes

#### **Mackey**

Rev. Jared Henry  
19 people saved  
6 baptisms  
6 New Nazarenes

#### **Nashville Parkview**

Rev. Jason Riggle  
3 people saved  
3 baptisms  
3 New Nazarenes

#### **Chuck Wagon Cowboy**

Tom Redden, Lay Minister  
3 people saved  
3 baptisms  
6 New Nazarenes

## 2020-2021

Organized Churches	74
Inactive Church	1
Officially Disorganized	0
PAC's/CTM'S/Venues	5
Active Congregations/Venues	79
Compassionate Ministry Center	1
District Membership	7,617
New Nazarenes	163
Conversions	301
Baptisms	136

## Finances at a Glance

Adjusted Income	9,777,392
Church Income	9,703,847
WEF Giving	509,727
Mission Specials	167,050
ONU Giving	174,245
District Giving	445,030
P&B Giving	188,447
Indebtedness	4,044,459

## Church/Pastoral Reviews

<u>Church</u>	<u>Pastor</u>	<u>Result</u>
Newburgh New Life	Jonathan Scott	Affirmative
Brazil	Marlin Betts	Affirmative
Sullivan	Todd Gotshall	Affirmative
Tell City	Charles Areson	Affirmative
Nashville Parkview	Jason Riggle	Affirmative
Cloverdale	William Pursell	Affirmative
Evansville Grace	Brett Doninger	Affirmative
Stinesville	Ben Muncie	Affirmative
Crossroads Community	Mark Roberts	Affirmative
Odon	Chris Hughes	Affirmative
Terre Haute First	Denny Wilson	Affirmative
The Point	Steve Greene	Affirmative
Chandler	Michael Bell	Affirmative

## Pastoral Installations

<u>Date</u>	<u>Church</u>	<u>Pastor</u>
July 12	Clarksville Parkwood	Tim Hullett
August 9	Columbus First	Andy Rutherford
September 27	Heartland	Taylor Monhollen
December 6	Greencastle	Phil Diaz
December 13	Shoals	David Mitchell
January 17	Bloomington Eastview	Bruce Yates
February 14	Bloomington First	Alex Connell
May 23	Harmony Chapel	Brice Kudej



# SDMI CHAIRMAN REPORT

## Rev. Doug Lane, Chairman

Dr. Crump, Members of SWID, and all the Great People in the Greatest Region of the Greatest State of this beautiful Country,

I bring you my first report as your District SDMI Chair. Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve in this capacity.

We all know how unique this past year was on many different levels. The beginning of our church year found us still in the midst of a pandemic. This led to many of our events, like Kids Camp and our Prime Time Banquets, being canceled, rescheduled, or moved to a virtual setting. Thankfully, this past spring, we've been able to gather together once again safely. Here are a few highlights from this past year, as well as some wonderful things to look forward to in the coming year:

- **Children's Quizzing:** Our kids were so flexible and wonderful as we began the year of quizzing in an online format. Quiz Teams were encouraged to either complete the quizzes online or gather together as a church and quiz in smaller settings. They did this without hesitation, and we were able to begin in-person quizzing again this Spring. Thank you to McKenzie Woolsey, our Children's Quizzing Director, for all her hard work in helping our kids have a great season! This is McKenzie's final year as Quizzing Director. We are so thankful for her leadership these past few years.
- **Prime Time Banquets:** Due to the pandemic, our Prime Time Banquets were postponed to September 2021! We hope you can attend one of the banquets at the following churches: Cory Community, Columbus First Church, and Mackey Church of the Nazarene. Mark Vice will again be ministering to us through music! Thank you to Tom Bush for your leadership and awareness of everyone's safety when deciding to adjust the dates of these events.
- **Men's Ministry:** Under the direction of Rev. Mark Roberts, our Men's Breakout took place in March. Around 90 men gathered for a time of worship and a meal together. It was one of the best turnouts we have had in recent years! Thank you, Rev. Mark, for all your hard work. In addition to the Men's Breakout, our District Men's Ministry is looking forward to an additional event in the fall. We look forward to this time of fellowship and another great year for the Men of SWID!
- **Women's Ministry:** Our Women's Ministry gathered in Brown County, at our Nashville Parkview Church, for our Ladies' Day event! We had over 150 women gather together for a time of worship through song and a message from Leann Willis. Thank you to Rev. Sheila Thompson for all your work in leading the Women's Ministry this year! Our District Women's Ministry is also looking to add an event this coming fall for another chance to gather together! We are excited for this ministry and its future under Rev. Sheila's leadership!
- **Family Camp:** The 2021-2022 Church Year has already started with a bang! At the beginning of June, seven families gathered together at Camp Higher Ground for our first ever Family Camp! We had a wonderful time gathering as families to play games, fellowship, worship, and eat lots of great food! We played on inflatables, had a bonfire, watched a movie on a HUGE screen, went down a giant slip 'n slide, and learned about what it means to worship

together as a family! My favorite part of the weekend was seeing and hearing the children as they worship through song. It was a beautiful and joyful noise unto the Lord! Thank you to Rev. Matt Gargiulo for helping plan and speak at this retreat. We are so excited to see how this event grows in the coming years! You will not want to miss out next year!

- Family Day at Holiday World: When I set up an event for our District to have a fun day at Holiday World, I reserved 150 tickets. Two days before registrations were due, 450 people had signed up! We ended up with 550 SWID members gathering together at Holiday World! This was a wonderful day of fellowship, good food, and tons of fun! We look forward to doing it again next summer!

In addition to those mentioned above, I want to take a moment to thank our SWID SDMI Council! With this being my first year, there was a steep learning curve as I was trained on my role and its responsibilities. The SDMI Council was gracious, encouraging, filled with wonderful ideas, and always a joy to meet with! Thank you to our Adult Ministries Director, Rev Jonathan Scott, for overseeing our Women's Ministry (Rev. Shelia Thompson), Men's Ministry (Rev. Mark Roberts), and Prime Time Ministry (Tom Bush). More than leading these ministries, you were a great sounding board and always offered incredible advice and guidance when called upon. Thank you to Rev. Matt Gargiulo, our newly instated District Children's Ministry Director. In addition to leading our Family Camp, you worked with our Camp Director (Tom McCool) and other children's workers to begin leading our Children's Ministries into the future. We look forward to the days ahead as you jump into this wonderful and much-needed ministry in our district!

Thank you to Rev. Andrew Johnson, Rev. Josh Caplinger, Christina Shay, Bethany Burdette, and Dede Jones. You have been such an encouragement to me, and I sincerely mean that I could not have had a better council for my first year as SDMI Chair! Thank you for your timely responses to the many questions I had, for hours spent on Zoom Meetings, and your service to this great District.

Sunday School and Discipleship Ministries are such a vital part of the Mission of God and the Mission of the Church of the Nazarene. In the coming church year, we will be discovering together, with Nazarenes worldwide, that this path of discipleship is a journey of grace. This journey begins before we ever knowingly accept Jesus as our Savior. It saves us, sanctifies us, sustains us, and sends us to spread the love of God to everyone we know! No matter where you are on the journey of grace, the SWID SDMI Council looks forward to partnering with you by providing opportunities for growth and resources to use in your local church. If there is any particular way we can help you in your local context, let us know. We are here to serve! I join in the prayer that Paul prayed over the church in Ephesus:

"I pray that out of his glorious riches, he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God. Now to him who can do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever! Amen." (Ephesians 3:16-21)

Respectfully Submitted,  
Doug Lane

# NMI PRESIDENT REPORT

## Christy Boes Eubanks, NMI President

Dr. Crump, Members, and Friends of SWID NMI,

Hello and Welcome to our first-ever virtual NMI Gathering. I bring you my fourth report as SWID NMI President. I miss being together in one location as a SWID NMI body, but I am so excited that more people from across SWID can join us this year to hear how God is moving across SWID, the USA, and Globally.

I am so grateful for the amazing District NMI Council that serves SWID with a servant's heart. Unfortunately, we were not able to meet face to face this past year. Emails, texts, calls, and Zoom meetings became our friends quickly. I believe we survived, but we are looking forward to meeting in person this fall. The wonderful council members are Lillian Pursell, Marilyn Hicks, Debbie Betts, Jarren Rogers, Michael Elliott, Lydia Elliott, Marci Lichtley, Beth Brown, Sarah Ross, Shelia Thompson, Sonya Nixon Gotshall, Doug Jones, Ken Walker, Dave Lynn, Janet Ritter, Ron Ritter, Ashley Diaz, Carrie Burris, Bethany Burnett, Stephanie Beck, and Treva Lukens.

With a heavy heart, I share that we lost one of our dearest friends and co-worker of SWID NMI at the end of May. Renee Johnson served as the District NMI Secretary for the past several years. A void has been left on our council and in our hearts. I know when she approached the gates of Heaven, she was greeted with the words, "Well done thy good and faithful servant." I also know her precious husband, George, was standing there to greet her. Renee, we will never forget you! You will forever be in our hearts! We love you! Thank you, Marilyn Hicks, District NMI Treasurer, for stepping in and helping with the year-end reports.

NMI is alive and well. COVID-19 did not defeat the advancement of His Kingdom. The Nazarene Church now ministers in 164 world areas. During the 2021 General Board, Luxembourg, in the Eurasia Region, became the latest world area to be added. In 2020, there were 531 missionaries from 64 world areas, serving in 96 countries. Last year, there were 66 new missionary deployments. Within these missionary families, there are 302 missionary kids.

Nazarene Missions International is ONE PEOPLE! We are people praying, giving, building, and engaging all ages with the good news of Jesus. We encourage people to pray for all efforts of World Evangelism. We inform people of the world's needs and what the Church is doing to meet those needs. We challenge children and youth to learn about and participate in the mission of the church. We raise funds for mission outreach! We are Vision. We are Impact.

To do all of this, NMI focuses on five strategic areas where the local church can have maximum impact on missions in the Church of the Nazarene. These five areas are Prayer, World Evangelism Fund (WEF), Alabaster Offering, Engage Children and Youth, and LINKS. Let's see how God used SWID to impact our mission fields through these areas of impact this past year.

1

Prayer is one thing everyone could do this past year without leaving our homes. It is the lifeblood of all that we do. Prayer links us to our brothers and sisters in Christ across the globe. We must never stop praying for our missionaries. Many are often facing troubled times where they are serving. We are called to be intercessors for them through prayer.

1 Timothy 2:1 reminds us, "I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them."

I encourage everyone to subscribe to the weekly Prayer Mobilization Line which focuses on the prayer needs and praise reports for the global ministries of the Church of the Nazarene and our missionaries. This is also excellent information to use for Mission Moments.

**2** World Evangelism Fund (WEF) is the key to fulfilling our mission. The WEF fuels the Church of the Nazarene's global mission. Because we can do more working together than we can alone, every church shares a small portion of income to make Christlike disciples in the nations. The WEF goal for SWID was \$496,696.19! This was more than our goal last year! God still blessed our churches this past church year, even in the midst of a global pandemic.

Guess what, SWID? We gave \$500,196.04 towards WEF! Our WEF is PAID IN FULL! We can never outgive God! What is even more exciting is that sixty churches gave 100% of their goal or more to WEF!

This year SWID has thirty-six churches that have received the Church of Excellence Award because of their giving to WEF. To do this, the churches paid at least 5.7% of their income for WEF. Congratulations to Oakland City for leading the way in giving to WEF. They paid 264% of their WEF goal, which was \$19,258.10 over their WEF goal.

Thank you, churches, for being faithful servants in giving this past year for missions! God is good!

I am excited to announce that Southwest Indiana was acknowledged as a 2020 World Evangelism District of Excellence during the February 2021 General Board Meeting. THANK YOU, SWID, for doing our part for missions by contributing to the World Evangelism Fund.

CONGRATULATIONS to the 19 SWID Churches recognized as a Mission 10+ Church during the 2021 General Board Meeting. These churches gave at least 10% of their total income to Missions. Special recognition goes to Spencer for 34 consecutive years of receiving this award.

**3** Through the Alabaster Offering, ministries around the world receive funds to purchase property and buildings. While we know the church consists of the people and not the building, buildings help convey the message that the Nazarene Church intends to "put down roots." SWID gave \$40,514.66 this year. Thank you for giving to this important work. Our goal for SWID is for every church to participate in the Alabaster Offering, which typically occurs in September and February. This year we had sixty-two churches give to Alabaster.

**4** The fourth strategic area is Engage Children and Youth through education and fostering calls to missions. We must involve children and youth in all mission endeavors. We must engage them, empower them, equip them, expose them, encourage them, and excite them related to missions. Aren't we glad that God is still calling children and youth into full-time ministry of serving him through missions?

**5** The final strategic area of NMI is LINKS. LINKS strategically connects Nazarene missionaries and Nazarene churches through prayer, personal contact, and generous giving. This allows each church to become personally connected with a missionary family and their field of service. I encourage everyone to learn as much as possible about the missionaries and where they serve. Share with the missionaries about the local church here. Pray for each other regularly. By getting to learn and know more about each other, you will feel more connected. Share life and communicate as much as possible. Finally, please give to Links missionaries as the Holy Spirit guides you.



The SWID Links Missionaries through 2022 are Carol Rittenhouse from Costa Rica and Stephane & Sandra Tibi from Germany-Switzerland. Next year we will receive new LINKS assignments.

To be a Missions Priority One Church, a church must participate in all five of these strategic Areas of Impact. We have 54 churches to recognize as Missions Priority One Churches this year. This is an increase from last year. Way to Go!

Thank you, churches, for making missions a priority in your local church, even when it may have looked different this year! May God richly bless each of you for all that you do to Share the Goodness!

Last summer, in my written report, I challenged SWID to continue to be the Light for Jesus in this dark world, to be the Light in the world that helps others see! I reminded us that we aren't called to shine our own light; we are called to reflect HIS! I think it is evident that SWID did continue to be a Light this past year.

Little did we know that the Global Pandemic was beginning last summer. We had no clue that this past church year would continue to bring challenges and cancellations. The good news is that God is not dead! God could not BE QUARANTINED! In fact, I heard it said that Jesus is our ONLY effective vaccine! Our SWID family still prayed, gave, educated, and engaged children and youth for missions through it all. It might have looked different, but our purpose remained the same.

Here are a few examples of mission happenings across SWID this past church year.

In late February, Eastern Kentucky experienced massive devastation due to an ice storm, snow, and flooding. A call rang out from Appalachia Reach Out (ARO) needing help. Rev. Josh Caplinger, the Associate Pastor at Nashville Parkview, heard the cry for help and acted quickly. Within a couple of hours, Josh and his brother Joey drove through the night and delivered 5,000 pounds of water. A week or so later, at least sixteen churches from SWID collected supplies to send to ARO. A few days after that, a team of individuals from at least four SWID churches left to be the light at ARO. The team spent a week there cleaning up, painting, and passing out supplies, including food and water. The awesome part about this trip is that children and teens were members of this working group and adults. Yes, SWID, we are engaging children and youth for missions! Praise be to God!

Crisis Care Kits will always remain a need when a disaster strikes in areas around the world. Dave Lynn, SWID Compassionate Ministries Director, led the charge with collecting CCK and School Pal-Paks at the end of March. Dave made his 29th trip to Pennsylvania in April. He took a total of 130 boxes from SWID and Indy. That is 780 CCK. Since 2007, Dave has delivered 1,975 CCK to the warehouse from SWID. CCK will be collected again at the SDMI Convention on Saturday, August 28. Be sure to start working on them now. Want to hear some inspiring news? This fall will make the 2000th SWID CCK box given since 2007. That is 12,000 CCK. Great job, SWID!

On April 17, we were able to have a SWID Mission Rally Event at Columbus First. This was the first NMI in-person event in over a year. Over seventy people, young and old alike, heard from Brian Helstrom, Executive Director of Jesus Film Harvest Partners. The Jesus Film could go places people physically could not go to last year. I am so grateful that families all across SWID give to the Jesus Film each year. This past year, SWID gave \$8,462.40 towards spreading the Gospel through the Jesus Film.

The Mission Rally was such a wonderful time together that I did not want others to miss out on hearing from Brian. Brian graciously agreed to share again about what is happening through the Jesus Film. (Play Brian Helstrom's video [here](#).)

Wow! Aren't you encouraged by what is going on across the globe with the Jesus Film? 914 teams are showing the Jesus Film around the world, even during the pandemic. Every 42 seconds, another precious soul is deciding for Christ. We have promised Brian that we will take a group from SWID to help reach an area that has not been reached yet. This may not happen for a year or two, but be watching for more information about this. God will never be quarantined!

What will this new church year look like for missions? People need to hear the Gospel. Now more than ever, we, the people of SWID, must be willing to serve others. SWID must never stop doing our part to "be witnesses in Jerusalem, and all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the Earth." We must be willing to serve and reach our church families, our local communities, the USA, and worldwide for Jesus.

Matthew 20:28 (NLT) states, "For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others and give his life as a ransom for many." There is a spot for all of us to serve. Where will you serve? How will you serve? Billy Graham said, "When we come to the end of ourselves, we come to the beginning of God."

The Booth Brothers sing a song titled, My House Is Full (But My Field Is Empty). Some of the lyrics are:

"My house is full, but my field is empty. Who will go and work for Me today? It seems my children all want to stay around my table, but no one wants to work in my field. No one wants to work in my field.

Push away from the table. Look out through the windowpane. Just beyond this house of plenty lies a field of golden grain, and it's ripened unto harvest. But the reapers, where are they?

Souls are crying. Men are dying. Won't you lead them to the cross? Go and find them. Help to win them. Win the lost at any cost. But no one wants to work in my field. No one wants to work in my field."

Luke 10:2 states, "He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

I ask all of us as one SWID NMI Body, who will "Hear the call of the Kingdom to be children of light"? Who on Southwest Indiana will say, "King of Heaven, we will answer the call. We will follow bringing hope to the world filled with passion; filled with power to proclaim Salvation in Jesus' name?" Who will "Hear the call of the Kingdom to reach out to the lost with the Father's compassion?"

Who of you will go work in His fields while the Harvest is plentiful? (Play the song Whom Will Hear the Call of the Kingdom)

Respectfully Submitted,

Christy Boes Eubanks  
SWID NMI District President

# NYI PRESIDENT REPORT

## Rev. Mark Thompson, NYI President

Dr. Crump, SWID NYI Council, pastors, youth workers, students, family & friends,

I bring to you my sixth report as SWID NYI President. I continue to be humbled by the opportunity to lead such a great group of young people and leaders across this great district. First of all, let me give glory to God who deserves it all! In a year full of uncertainty, his grace and guidance remain constant. The team of NYI Presidents, volunteer youth leaders, youth pastors, and pastors across our district who continue to imagine week after week how to remind young people there is hope in Jesus...you all are the BEST! And I am proud of our students; we have the best!

Although the year was marked by a lot of cancellations, we were able to have a few district gatherings.

- QUIZZING – Quizzing had another great year with both in-person and virtual meets! The leadership worked hard to provide safe gatherings when they were able to gather together. The virtual gatherings were a success and gives us another way to meet when circumstances won't allow in-person gatherings down the road. Thanks to Garrett Lee and the team around him who creatively put together a season unlike any other!

- CELEBRATE LIFE – Although the field event at Olivet was cancelled this year, we were able to meet for a district gathering at Nashville Parkview in May. We had over 150 present! It was the first time we gathered (outside of quizzing) as a district NYI in over a year. What a refreshing time we had! Thanks to Nick McDowell for his great leadership for this event and to Nashville Parkview for being great hosts.

We have had another great year of leadership from our SWID NYI COUNCIL. It's not secret we have had to navigate some decisions and situations that are brand new. Thanks for your great leadership and support throughout this year! Our EXECUTIVE COUNCIL has stepped up again with excellent leadership throughout the year. I continue to ask a whole lot out of Travis Stamper, Jennifer Caplinger, and Amanda Riggle. These three talented and wise leaders have been up for every step! I want to thank my church family/church board/Pastor Ken who continue to support me in so many different ways. The youth team at Restoration continue to consistently show me how to love students well. To Allyson, Asher, Levi...no doubt, the greatest sacrifice has been made by you. You've handled the extra hours in the office, a few more trips away for daddy with grace, understanding, and unwavering support. Allyson, not a day goes by I am not grateful for the opportunity God gave me to share life with you. You are the best! And finally, thank you Jesus! Your grace has made all the difference. Your presence has never wavered and always remained constant throughout the year. I am forever grateful!

SO...Where do we grow from here??? We continue to pray for health and healing where it is needed in our world today. This obviously pertains to the global pandemic and we are grateful for the strides that have been made in our world that have allowed us to once again meet safely in person. But our prayer for health and healing goes beyond the physical. I have spoken with many youth workers across our great district who are tired and worn out, wondering where we go next. We live in a world full of students who are lost, living without hope. Many of them feel alone and defeated. The pandemic has not helped this reality. I am so grateful for the living hope we find in

Jesus! We serve a God who can give us and the students we serve victory over sin. He gives us purpose and direction. Our tomorrow may look different than our yesterday. As we remember God's faithfulness in our yesterday (and today) and look forward to what's next, we can walk confidently knowing the one who holds tomorrow holds our hand!

I want to return to a thought I shared last year with Dr. Crump. When we met in January 2020 to talk about our convention that following summer, I shared with him then how I felt the Lord was leading me to share a word about proximity; nearness in space, time, or relationship. The irony of this topic is still not lost on me. And yet I still wonder...could the Lord still be inviting us to consider new ways to draw near to Him and minister in new ways in order to continue to draw near the lost, the broken, the voiceless? What does it look like to live in proximity to God and our neighbor?

God, out of His great love for humanity, showed us what proximity looked like by coming near to us, moving into our neighborhood (John 1:14, Philippians 2:1-11). In our moment of despair, God draws near! Jesus went to Zacchaeus' house. He touched the leper. He invited the kids to come. He spent his last meal dining with the betrayer, the denier, those who would desert him in his greatest hour of need. And ultimately, he provided the way for us to draw near to God through his death and resurrection. God demonstrated how much he desires us to be near to Him by coming near to us!

Proximity is messy, isn't it? It is easier to keep your distance. However, when you get close, darkness becomes illuminated, the lost are given a name, their "problems" become our problems, "issues" have a face. Being near another requires a lot of prayer, time, and great sacrifice. Jesus is not asking us to do anything he has not already done for us! We can no longer stay on our side of the street, but are invited by God to stop, cross the street and try to make a difference in our world by drawing near the lost and the broken (Luke 10:25-37). This is what love requires! Jonathan David Smith says, "Proximity dispels ignorance and creates collaboration, understanding and compassion." Although we continue to face challenges like never before to proximity within space, I still believe the message and hope of living in proximity to God and others is critical in these days! I am grateful we don't have to step into tomorrow alone. As questions about our new normal abound, we serve a God who is not shaken by uncertainty. He is trustworthy and will lead us! But we must be willing to draw near to Him.

WE HAVE THE BEST YOUTH WORKERS ON OUR DISTRICT! Pastor, SS teacher, quiz coach, youth worker, college student trying to find your way...are you tired? Don't let the enemy tempt you into believing you aren't making a difference. YOU ARE! Now is not the time to give up on the next generation. Keep fighting for their hearts. God is still at work! Stay near to Him. Remember, we cannot lead students to a place we are not. Is your talking about God outpacing your listening and talking to God? Continue to carve out space in your daily routine to pause and draw near to Him! I believe as we draw near to God, our hearts will break for what breaks God's heart. We will see the students and a world around us who desperately need to encounter Jesus. He makes all the difference! And we will hear again the call to take the love of God to the lost and broken in our neighborhood. Danielle Strickland says, "Jesus' example is always to send us, always to lead us across divisional lines. Let us go to the other side. Proximity is a key that opens the door to mutuality. Jesus is always inviting us to follow Him to places we wouldn't normally go. Don't be afraid - let love lead you." May God give us the courage to love as he has loved us!



I want to close the same way I have closed my previous five reports with a very simple, yet powerful prayer. May these words be true of all of our hearts today.

O Creator and mighty God, You have promised strength for the weak, rest for the laborers, light for the way, grace for the trials, help from above, unfailing sympathy, undying love. O Creator and mighty God, help us to continue in your promise. Amen.

Thank you again for the honor to lead.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mark Thompson

# FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

We, your Committee on Finance, submit the following recommendations:

1.1 District Superintendent:

- 1.2 That the district superintendent's yearly compensation be \$ \$40,200 salary, \$34,800 housing allowance, \$12,000 annuity, \$18,000 for Social Security and \$1,500 for medical reimbursement.
- 1.3 That the district superintendent be reimbursed for district operational expenses. We have allocated \$ 6,500 for conferences, \$2,900 for hospitality, \$750 for travel expenses and \$15,000 for mileage.
- 1.4 That the district superintendent receives five weeks of vacation with pay, \$1,000 for Pastor Appreciation and a Christmas gift of \$1,200.
- 1.5 That the district pays for the health and life insurance premiums for the district superintendent. (\$32,000)
- 1.6 That the district allocates a total of (\$8,800) for health insurance, the cost of attending retired district superintendent functions (\$400), and Christmas gifts (\$600) for the retired SWID district superintendents who maintain their membership on SWID.

2.1 District:

2.1	Office supplies and postage	\$ 6,000
2.2	All district insurance	\$ 5,000
2.3	Equipment	\$ 2,000
2.4	<u>Office Utilities (Internet &amp; Cell Phones)</u>	\$ <u>5,080</u>
2.5	Software/Computers	\$ 6,800
2.6	District Advisory Board & Departmental Christmas Gifts	\$ <u>1,100</u>
2.7	Pastoral Wellness	\$ 2,000
2.8	DS discretionary	\$ 1,000

3.0 District Office Salaries and Benefits:

- 3.1 That the district treasurer be paid \$22,141 yearly, \$1,721 in employer taxes, a Christmas gift of \$350, and \$200 for professional expense.
- 3.2 That the district secretary be paid/reimbursed \$3,600 per year and \$250 for professional expenses. and we set aside \$1,000 for the District Personnel Conference.
- 3.3 That the district operational technology administrator yearly compensation be \$33,280 salary, ~~\$6,192 for medical insurance, \$21,000 housing allowance,~~ \$1,200 Annuity, \$350 Christmas gift, and \$2,572 social security. In addition, the district will cover ~~\$1,500 for retreats and District Assembly. and training as well as \$2,400 for Education and \$1,000 for General Assembly.~~
- 3.4 That when district secretarial help is used by a department, the district office will bill that department for this service.
- 3.5 That the district allocates \$750 for payroll expense.

4.0 District Treasurer and Secretary:

- 4.1 That a qualified individual or firm be instructed to prepare an audit of the district's financial records for the use of the members of the District Assembly. (\$900)

5.0 District Communications:

That the district will email a PDF copy of the district journal to each church.  
That the district maintains the district web site. (\$350)

6.0 District Training and Multiplication:

- 6.1 That the district actively participates in training and multiplication (\$4,000).  
6.2 That the district provides \$2,000 for Ministerial Candidate workshop.  
6.3 That the district provides \$2,500 for Board Of Ministry expenses.  
6.4 That the district provide \$5,000 to support Nazarene Bible College with \$2,500 of this amount to be offered to SWID NBC students as a scholarship and \$2,500 to be sent directly to NBC. If scholarship money is not used in a given year the remaining money will be sent to NBC.

7.0 District Miscellaneous:

- 7.1 That the expense for flowers be set at \$1,900 and \$2,500 for gifts.  
7.2 That district boards expenses be paid and mileage at the current IRS rate (\$ 6,000)  
7.3 Dues and Legal fees (\$ 3,400)  
7.4 District Assembly (\$20,000)  
7.5 District Christmas Dinner (\$ 5,500)  
7.6 District Retreats (\$ 9,000)  
7.7 General Assembly savings (\$ 0)  
7.8 Background Checks/Electronic Giving (\$ 750)  
7.9 That the district provides \$1,500 for recovery and restoration of ministers and \$500 for the support of the evangelist gathering and the Regional Women's Conference.

8.0 World Evangelism and Ministries Funds:

- 8.1 That the World Evangelism Fund be set at 5.5% of church income less contributions to World Evangelism Fund and approved mission specials.  
8.2 That the District Budget is 5.25% of church income less contributions to World Evangelism Fund and approved mission specials. That the district departmental budgets be accepted as presented below: The NMI and SDMI will each receive \$ 5,000 from the district budget. The NYI will receive \$20,000.  
8.3 That the Pensions and Benefits Fund and Olivet Nazarene University Fund be set at 2.25%.

### SWID NMI Departmental Budget

<u>Compassionate Ministries</u>	<u>\$1,200.00</u>
Convention Expense	9,700.00
Council Expense	<u>3,000.00</u>
Deputation Expense	2,000.00
Global Convention	5,000.00
Missionary Christmas	<u>400.00</u>
President's Conferences	1,900.00
<del>Scholarships</del>	<del>500.00</del>
Teen C.A.R.E. Corps	2,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$25,200.00</u></b>

### SWID SDMI Departmental Budget

<del>Chairman &amp; Directors'</del> SDMI Leadership Conferences	<u>\$ 4,500.00</u>
Children's Bible Quizzing	2,500.00
Children's Camps	<u>3,000.00</u>
<del>Empowering Families</del> Family Fun Day	<u>2,000.00</u>
Ladies' Day/ <u>Resources &amp; Training</u>	<u>1,500.00</u>
Men's Breakout/ <u>Retreat</u>	<u>1,500.00</u>
Prime Time	1,850.00
SDMI Board & Leadership Expenses	1,150.00
SDMI District Convention	5,000.00
SDMI Global Convention	5,000.00
<del>Special Training Time</del> Children's Leader Development	<del>600.00</del> <u>\$2,000</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$30,000.00</u></b>



### SWID NYI Departmental Budget

MINISTRIES/EVENTS		
	Camp	\$ <u>6,000.00</u>
	Teen C.A.R.E. Corps	<u>000.00</u>
	Youth Worker Development	2,000.00
	Quizzing	750.00
	Y.E.S. (Youth Equipped to Serve)	<u>000.00</u>
	College & Early Career	<u>000.00</u>
	District Convention	<u>1500.00</u>
	General NYI Convention	500.00
	District Leadership Conference	<u>1500.00</u>
	NYC 2023	2,500.00
	<b>Ministries Subtotal</b>	<b>\$14,750.00</b>
ADMINISTRATION		
	District President Expenses	\$ <u>600.00</u>
	Council Expenses	000.00
	Central Field Dues	<u>310.00</u>
	Quizzing Scholarships	800.00
	Timothy Award	<u>225.00</u>
	Insurance	1,200.00
	Miscellaneous	700.00
	District President—Christmas Gift	500.00
	District Vice-President	200.00
	District Secretary	200.00
	District Treasurer	200.00
	Ministries/Events Leader Support	1,100.00

	<del>Directors of the following: Basketball Tournament, Lock- In, YES, College/Career, Quizzing, Celebrate Life, Camp (ee-directors)</del>	
	<b>Administration Subtotal</b>	<b><u>\$6,035</u></b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$20,785</u></b>

9.0 Local Church:

- 9.1 That the recommendations concerning the local church, Items 9.1 through 9.18 be read in full to the local church board at the first meeting after the district assembly, by the local church board secretary.
- 9.2 That each local church set aside at least \$50 per month during this quadrennium to assist their pastor and spouse in attending the General Assembly. This fund would be for the pastor of the local church at the time of the General Assembly.
- 9.3 That the local church pays the pastor's utility bills.
- 9.4 That the local church gives the pastor an amount equal to his or her total Social Security.
- 9.5 That each pastor be given paid vacations based on the following years of service: two weeks in the first five years of ministry, three weeks for five to ten years of ministry, and four weeks for more than ten years of ministry, and five weeks for 25 years of ministry and beyond. In case of a pastor or staff member resigning in the midst of a church year, the pay for vacation will be prorated.
- 9.6 That the local church pays the supply pastor an honorarium (\$100 suggested) plus mileage.
- 9.7 That the local church pays the expense of the pastor and ministry staff (and their spouses) to all district functions. Also, that the church makes childcare provisions as needed for pastoral families attending such events.
- 9.8 That the local church board secretary, at their February board meeting, or at the time of the annual budget review, delegate to a finance committee, the review of their pastor's salary. A minimum salary increase equal to the cost of living increase is recommended. At the next board meeting, this committee's report is to be made an item on the agenda. The local church secretary is to report the action taken by the local church, in writing, to the district superintendent.
- 9.9 That each local church understands that ministry mileage in the pastor's car and other professional expenses are local church expenses and should be reimbursed in keeping with IRS guidelines.
- 9.10 That each church pays its pastoral staff and dependent's health insurance premiums, if an ACA-compliant group health plan is feasible, or adjusts their salaries to consider insurance premiums and health care costs if such a plan is not a viable option.
- 9.11 That the local church board consider the paid ministry staff's benefits.
- 9.12 That the local church gives the pastor at Christmas time an amount equal to one week's

- salary or receive a love offering for the pastor.
- 9.13 That all treasurers of all departments of the local church use the services of a banking system.
  - 9.14 That all accounts shall be in the name of the local church.
  - 9.15 That the church establishes a Literature Fund for HOLINESS TODAY, unless otherwise provided for.
  - 9.16 That careful attention be given to the salary of our evangelists with a minimum of 200 percent of the pastor's salary per Sunday of the meeting; also, that an amount equal to the evangelist's Social Security be given. Further, that the church where the evangelist holds membership and pays his tithe assist the evangelist financially with his expense to the General Assembly. The amount of such assistance is to be decided by the church board.
  - 9.17 That we strongly encourage each local church to give financial help to their students attending Nazarene colleges, Nazarene universities, and the Nazarene Theological Seminary.
- 10.1 Missional Growth
- 10.2 That \$2,000 be set aside for training.
  - 10.3 That \$1,000 be set aside for insurance expense, and \$10,000 for church closure.
  - 10.4 That \$4,000 be set aside for Mission Area Directors expense.
  - 10.5 That \$37,000 be set aside for new endeavors with \$2,000 for Evansville Beacon (Haitian ministry), \$5000 for Compassion & Hope House, and \$30,000 for other new endeavors.
  - 10.6 That \$13,000 be set aside for district assistance.
  - 10.7 That \$250 be set aside to audit our missional growth account.
  - 10.8 That we set aside \$2,000 for legal fees relating to new works and church closures.
  - 10.9 That we set aside \$200 for office supplies and \$ 500 for New Church Task force expenses.

*Respectfully submitted,*

**GARY RITTER, Secretary**

**TIMOTHY CRUMP, Chairman**

## SWID NMI DEPARTMENTAL BUDGET

Category	2021-22 PROPOSED BUDGET
Compassionate Ministries	\$1,200
Convention/Mission Events	\$9,700
Council Expense	\$3,000
Deputation Expense	\$2,000
Global Convention	\$5,000
Missionary Christmas	\$400
President's Conferences	\$1,900
Teen CARE Corps	\$2,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$25,200</b>



# SWID NYI DEPARTMENTAL BUDGET

## 2021-2022 SWID NYI Budget

<b>MINISTRIES/EVENTS District Money</b>	<b>2020-2021 Budget</b>	<b>2021-2022 Proposal</b>
Camp	6,000	6,000
Teen C.A.R.E. Corps	0	0
Youth Worker Development	2,000	2,000
Quizzing	750	750
Y.E.S. (Youth Equipped to Serve)	0	0
College & Early Career	0	0
District Convention	0	1,500
General NYI Convention	500	500
District Leadership Conference	750	1,500
NYC 2023	2,500	2,500
<b>ADMINISTRATION District Money</b>		
District President Expenses	750	600
Council Expenses	0	0
Central Field Dues	425	310
Quizzing Scholarships	800	800
Timothy Award	325	225
Insurance	1,200	1,200
Miscellaneous	700	700
Christmas gift for District President	500	500
District Vice-President	200	200
District Secretary	200	200
District Treasurer	200	200
Ministries/Events Leader Support	1,100	1,100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>18,900</b>	<b>20,785</b>

**District Convention** increase is due to having a NYI Convention this year.

**District Leadership Conference** increase is due to it being a NYC23 site visit/planning trip and needing to include SWID's NYC Coordinator on the trip.

**District President Expenses** decrease will still cover cell phone stipend.

**Central Field Dues** decrease is due to dues being 1.5% of our budget.

**Timothy Award** decrease is due to cost being \$225.

## 2021 - 2022 SWID SDMI DEPARTMENTAL BUDGET

### SDMI Leadership Training and Conventions

SDMI Leadership Conference	\$4,500
SDMI Board and Leadership Expenses	\$1,150
SDMI District Convention	\$5,000
SDMI Global Convention	\$5,000
<b>SDMI Subtotal</b>	<b>\$15,650</b>

### Children's Ministries

Camp	\$3,000
Family Fun Day Cost	\$2,000
Quizzing	\$2,500
Children's Leader Development	\$2,000
<b>Children's Min. Subtotal</b>	<b>\$9,500</b>

### Women's Ministries

Ladies Day	\$1,000
Women's Min Resource Training	\$500
<b>Women's Min Subtotal</b>	<b>\$1,500</b>

### Men's Ministries

Men's Breakout	\$1,000
Men's Retreat	\$500
<b>Men's Min Subtotal</b>	<b>\$1,500</b>

### Prime Time Ministries

Prime Time Events	\$1,850
<b>Prim Time Subtotal</b>	<b>\$1,850</b>

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$30,000</b>
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# PROGRAM COMMITTEE REPORT

The District Program Committee has been charged with the responsibility of the issues in the Christian Action, Christian Education, and Church Growth reports. With responsibility to this task, we address;

## **a. Christian Action**

We recommend:

1. That our pastors and church leaders inform their churches concerning the stand of the Church of the Nazarene on the subject of present day moral and social issues as stated in the Covenant of Christian Character (MANUAL, Church of the Nazarene, 2017-2021, Paragraphs 21-21.3) and the Covenant of Christian Conduct (MANUAL, Church of the Nazarene, 2017-2021, Paragraphs 28-35).
2. That we remind the pastor of her or his obligation to the congregation as stated in MANUAL, Church of the Nazarene, 2017-2021, Paragraphs 514-522.
3. That we reaffirm the Biblical view that the family is central to healthy children, relationships, churches, communities and societies. That every child needs and deserves their mother and father loving each other and loving them for their entire lives. That any sexual immorality, as stated in MANUAL Church of the Nazarene, Paragraph 31, attacks the family integrity and destroys people, families and societies.
4. That we stand against the legalization and practice of gambling, including such forms as the lottery, paremutuel betting, casino and riverboat gambling, knowing that it preys on the poor in society with false hope of riches.
5. That we stand against the production and consumption of alcoholic beverages, tobacco products and other drugs used for self-fulfillment, knowing that it increases neglect, abuse, injury and death of the innocent, and is a destructive substitute for fulfillment in Christ.
6. That we call our people to discipline themselves in the areas of what they read, view and hear. Let us use the instruction of Susannah Wesley to her son, John; namely, "Whatever weakens your reason, impairs the tenderness of your conscience, obscures your sense of God, or takes off the relish of spiritual things, whatever increases the authority of the body over the mind, that thing for you is sin."
7. That we uphold voluntary prayer and Bible reading in public schools. We affirm our support of students and faculty who endeavor to maintain a public witness for Jesus Christ in the educational institutions.
8. That we support the MANUAL, Church of the Nazarene, 2017-2021 statement (Paragraphs 30-30.1) on abortion and oppose the use of public funds to provide for abortion. Since life is God-given and sacred, we also take a stand against euthanasia.
9. We encourage our people to engage in civil affairs and to be in community service organizations in order that the principles of Christian ethics and morality be represented. We further urge our people to participate in the electoral processes and consider running for public office.

## **b. Christian Education**

We recommend:

1. That we promote a life of regular Bible reading, prayer and listening to God in our homes where Christian education begins. We encourage our churches to support programs such as Bible quizzing that promotes a regular study of the scripture in the home.
2. That each church receive an offering for the Nazarene Bible College and the Nazarene Theological Seminary. All churches on the Southwest Indiana District are expected to support Olivet Nazarene University. We encourage our church boards to work with Nazarene employees of companies with matching fund programs to maximize the financial support of Olivet Nazarene University.
3. That our churches emphasize the importance of Christian education on the local level by providing discipleship classes for all ages. That our churches offer other small group Bible learning and support groups that reach outside the walls of the church. We urge all churches to conduct a Vacation Bible School or Children's Crusade. We encourage the use of the online "Discipleship Place" <http://www.thediscipleshipplace.org> training by the General Church SDMI. We also urge the use of Nazarene literature in all Christian Education in order that the tenets of our faith and the doctrines of the Church of the Nazarene are accurately presented and taught to all ages in the church.
4. That each church promote attendance at district SDMI training opportunities to provide the best possible education in our churches.
5. That our churches support Olivet Nazarene University, which is our regional university, with our finances, prayers and participation. We especially urge churches to support those with a call to full time ministry as they attend Nazarene institutions.

## **c. Church Growth**

We recommend:

1. That every church support the district and general (WEF) budgets in full, because collectively we can accomplish more for Christ and His Kingdom.
2. That every year, the pastor and the church board shall conduct a planning session to renew the expectations and goals of the church and the pastor as per required by MANUAL, Church of the Nazarene, 2017-2021, paragraph.
3. That each local church reach outside the walls to begin new ministries and reach those that are not coming through the doors of the church.
4. That each church consider supporting broader outreach ministries such as a church plant, Parent Affiliated Congregation (PAC), or Compassionate Ministry Center.
5. That each local church conduct revivals, mission area gatherings, and participate in other church renewal and energization activities. We recommend the use of Nazarene evangelists in these meetings.
6. That each local church strive, each year, to achieve the new Nazarene goal based on the active membership at the last assembly year.

Respectfully submitted,

**TIM SCOTT,**  
Secretary

**TIMOTHY W. CRUMP,**  
Chairman



# SWID CALENDAR 2021-2023

## SWID CALENDAR

### AUGUST

- 7 NYI Convention – Valley Mission @ 9 a.m. ET
- 28 SDMI Convention -Columbus First @ 9 a.m. ET

### SEPTEMBER

- 11 Teen Bible Quiz - Rockville
- 13 Prime Time Banquet -Cory
- 14- Church Properties Board Meeting-6:30 p.m. ET
- 17-18 Men's Breakout @ Racoon Lake
- 20 Prime Time Banquet – Columbus First
- 21 SWID Advisory Board Meeting
- 25 SWID Missional Golf Scramble
- 25 NMI District Council Meeting
- 26 Alabaster Offering
- 27 Prime Time Banquet-Mackey
- 28 New Pastors Orientation

### OCTOBER

- 2 Children's Bible Quiz
- 5 Young Pastors Training
- 7 Olivet Prime Time Day
- 9 Teen Bible Quiz -Point Township
- 21-22 Olivet Nazarene University Trustees Meeting
- 22-24 Olivet Nazarene University Homecoming
- 24-26 Pastors/Staff & Mates Learning Retreat

### NOVEMBER

- 13 Teen Bible Quiz-Faith Community
- 16 SWID Advisory Board Meeting-6:30 p.m. ET
- 20 Women's Fall Fellowship
- 21 Thanksgiving Offering
- 25 Thanksgiving

### DECEMBER

- 4 SWID Christmas Family Christmas Banquet
- 11 Children's Bible Quiz
- 11 Teen Bible Quiz-Brazil

### 2022 - JANUARY

- 8 Teen Bible Quiz-Restoration
- 11 Young Pastors Training
- 18 Church Properties Board Meeting-6:30 p.m.
- 21 District Ministerial License Application Due  
Deadline for Ministerial Candidate Workshop

### FEBRUARY

- 5 Children's Bible Quiz
- 12 Teen Bible Quiz-Crossroads Community
- 18-19 Ministerial Candidate Workshop
- 22 SWID Advisory Board Meeting
- 26 District Celebrate Life
- 27 Alabaster Offering

### MARCH

- 5 Children's Bible Quiz
- 8 Young Pastors Training
- 11-12 Teen District Bible Quiz @ Mackey
- 12 Men's Breakout
- 25-26 Ladies Retreat/Ladies Day

### APRIL

- 2 Children District Quiz
- 2 District NMI Council Meeting
- 9 Board of Ministry-Ordination Interviews
- 10 Palm Sunday
- 15 Good Friday
- 17 Easter (Easter Offering)
- 21-27 SWID NMI Missionary Tour
- 23 Board Of Ministry-District License Interviews
- 28-5/1 SWID Pastors/Staff & Mate Retreat

### MAY

- 6-7 Olivet Trustees Meeting & Graduation
- 7 Children's State Bible Quiz
- 10 Church Properties Board Meeting-6:30 p.m.
- 16 District Nominating Committee Meeting
- 17 SWID Advisory Board Meeting
- 31 End of The Church Year

### JUNE

- 6 All Reports Due

### JULY

- 4-8 Youth Camp
- 24-27 NYI, SDMI, NMI Conventions & District Assembly

### SEPTEMBER

- 13 Church Properties Board Meeting-6:30 p.m.
- 16-17 Men's Breakout
- 20 SWID Advisory Board Meeting @ 6:30 p.m. ET
- 23-25 SWID's Layman's Retreat @ Country Lake  
Christian Retreat

### OCTOBER

- 22 Equip (Training Event)

### NOVEMBER

- 22 SWID Advisory Board Meeting

### 2023

- June 9-16 General Assembly & Conventions
- July 5-9 NYC

# SWID PASTORS





# TEEN QUIZZING



# COMPASSION & HOPE HOUSE





# SWID WORSHIP



# HAITIAN MINISTRY





# THE WAY LAUNCHES



# SWID DOING LIFE TOGETHER





# DOING MORE LIFE TOGETHER



# NEW SWID PASTORS

**REV. TIM HULLETT**  
Clarksville Parkwood  
07/2020



**REV. ANDY RUTHERFORD**  
Columbus First  
08/2020



**REV. TAYLOR MONHOLLEN**  
Heartland  
09/20



**REV. PHIL DIAZ**  
Greencastle  
12/2020



**REV. DAVID MITCHELL**  
Shoals  
12/202

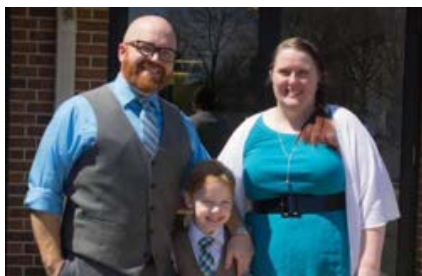




**REV. BRUCE YATES**  
Bloomington Eastview  
01/2021



**REV. ALEX CONNELL**  
Bloomington First  
01/2021



**REV. BRICE KUDEJ**  
Harmony Chapel  
05/2021



# PASTORAL MOMENTS





# NOTES



## THE NAZARENE GUARANTEE

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