



December 5, 2010

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THIS WEEK

Today –SUNDAY

8:30 AM Retirement Center Worship West Hills

9:30 AM Adult Sunday School

10:30 AM Armenian Worship Service

10:45 AM Morning Worship Service

Nursery provided

Children's Church/Sunday School

4:00 PM Retirement Center Worship – Aegis

Monday

6:30 pm Pastors & Spouses Banquet at Newhall Church

Wednesday

1:30 PM Retirement Center Worship Evergreen

5:00 PM Teens And Young Adult Softball

6:00 PM Church Dinner

6:30 PM Teens and young adult softball.

6:45 PM Children's Ministry:

Adult Groups:

✂ Armenian Bible Study with Rev. Nerses Boyadjian in the Choir Room.

✂ Adult SS Curriculum Bible Study Room 106 "Humility of Jesus" Philippians 2:1-18; led by Rev. Jim Real.

✂ Spanish Adult SS Curriculum Bible Study with Rev. Maria Eriksson in Room 107.

Thursday

11:00 AM Prime Time Potluck Christmas Luncheon at Pastor & Dixie's home

Friday – College Ministry

11:30 AM Chapel @ New Life Pre-School

Sunday

10:30 AM Armenian Worship Service

10:45 AM Morning Worship Service

6:00 PM Combined New Life Church & New Life Pre-School Christmas program

Needing Prayer? prayer@northridgenaz.com

Contact the New Life Prayer Chain. Our prayer circle is a way to become a prayer partner and pray for the needs of our church family. Pray for our military personnel and an end to terrorism world-wide.

✂ Prayer for Healing: Martha Evensen, Linda Schleich (Debbie Rubin mom), Esther Tripp.

Friendship In Worship



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Date December 5, 2010

Mr. /Mrs. /Ms.

(Please circle)

Address _____

Street _____

City _____

Zip _____

Email _____

Check if new address.

Telephone _____

I am a member of the _____

Church.

Please check:

I am new in the community

I am visiting from out of town

I am interested in finding a new church home

I am visiting with friends: _____

Approximate ages in our family:

0-2 _____

3-5 _____

6-8 _____

9-11 _____

Jr. Hi. _____

60's _____

Sr. Hi. _____

Retired _____

Welcome to New Life Church

We are glad that you came to worship with us today!

We hope you will feel right at home. Please take a minute and fill out the Friendship In Worship section for us, thank you!



Welcome to the
Church of the Nazarene
Our Church Can Be Your Home

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT



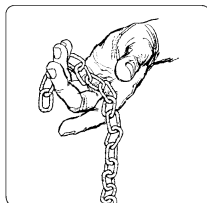
Morning Worship – December 5, 2010

Lectionary Readings: Isaiah 11:1-10; Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19;
Romans 15:4-13; Matthew 3:1-12



Message: **"Got Peace?"** – Luke 2:8-15

IMPORTANT PROJECT: We are raising funds to purchase new fabric covered folding chairs for our fellowship hall & weekly church dinners. We will purchase 150 padded chairs & 3 chair trucks. Donate a chair, cost is approx. \$23 per chair. Mark your offerings "New Chairs."



A New Church Directory – Links of Love – will be printed soon. Please use the "Friendship In Worship" tab to update your address, home phone & cell phone numbers, email or other information. Also, please include the birthdates of your family members and your anniversary. If you do not want certain information to be included, please contact Rev. Jim Real.

LINKS OF LOVE
Communication • Care • Prayer

We want this to be a pictorial directory, so we are taking updated photos of individuals and family groups.



We continue to receive the annual Thanksgiving Offering for World Evangelism, which covers the operating expenses of the General Church, the largest share going to World Missions Outreach. If Nazarenes of all ages give \$10 more than they give on average for the Thanksgiving Offering, we can surpass this monumental goal of 6 million dollars for the **"Challenge 2010—WEF PLUS Offering."**

Coming Events

CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, Pastors & Spouses Banquet at Newhall Church - 6:30-9:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, Prime Time Potluck Christmas Luncheon (11:00 a.m.) at the home of Pastor Chuck & Dixie Smith, 19542 Singing Hills Dr. Gift exchange (bring a homemade or 99¢ gift). RSVP with Dixie to sign up for a dish to bring.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, Combined New Life Church & New Life Pre-School Christmas program at 6:00 p.m. All our children from both church and school will participate. Bring favorite desserts to share following the program (to help provide Christmas gifts for the children, please contact our NL Pre-School director, Jennifer Najera at 818-368-1023).



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, Children's Ministry Cookie Night – We will be baking Christmas cookies for our families.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18 – Middle Adult Progressive Dinner at 5:30 PM (contact Mary Lou Merrick for information 818-342-3067).

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19, NYI, College/Career Party

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, All Church Chili Dinner and Christmas Caroling to retirement centers and to our shut-ins.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, Game Nite for all ages in the Fellowship Hall – 6 p.m. - 10 p.m. See Ben & Grace Wilkinson for more details.



SUNDAY, JANUARY 2, Our missionary from Creative Access Area #4 will be speaking.



We encourage everyone to share with people in need through our **"Local Compassionate Ministries Love Offering."** We receive this offering the first Sunday of each month. Christmas is a wonderful time to share with others. Next Sunday, give a friend a helping hand!

Bring a **POINSETTIA** to help decorate the church for Christmas.



Help our school!

Volunteers are needed for afternoon service. All volunteers will need to complete a LiveScan fingerprint clearance from the DOJ. Contact our director, Ms. Jennifer Najera for more information (818) 368-1023.



Thank you for turning off cell phones & pagers.

Communication with the Staff:

I am interested in the following:

- Sunday Morning Bible Study Group
- Wednesday Bible Study Group
- Thursday Bible Study Small Group
- Armenian Ministry Bible Study/Service
- Women's Group (WINGS)
- Prayer Fellowship Group
- College / Young Adult Group
- Teen Group
- Children's Ministries



My Decision Today:

- I am committing my life to Christ
- I am renewing my commitment to Christ
- I would like to talk to the Pastor
- I am willing to help where needed

I'd like information on:

- How to begin a relationship with Christ
- How to become part of this church family
- Being baptized

Prayer Requests/ Comments:

Please note: Your requests are prayed for by our staff and prayer partners. If your request is confidential and only to be seen by the Pastor, please check this box. Thank you!

Our Seven-Fold Vision:

We strive to be a prayer-seeking, worship-giving, ministry-reaching, Bible-teaching, fellowship-sharing, soul-winning, & disciple-making church.