# Southwest Church of the Nazarene

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## Let the Whole Creation Cry

Let the whole creation cry, alleluia Glory to the Lord on high, alleluia Heav'n and earth awake and sing, alleluia God is God and therefore King, alleluia

Praise Him all ye hosts above, alleluia Ever bright and fair in love, alleluia Sun and moon lift up your voice, alleluia Night and stars in God rejoice, alleluia

Warriors fighting for the Lord, alleluia Prophets burning with His word, alleluia Those to whom the arts belong, alleluia Add their voices to the song, alleluia

Men and women young and old, alleluia Raise the anthem manifold, alleluia And let children's happy hearts, alleluia In this worship heart their parts, alleluia

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## **Church Events:**

- Saturday, October 26th 5:00pm 7:00pm – Trunk or Treat Community Night
- Monday, October 28th 6:30pm 8:00pm – Mom Squad
- Sunday, November 3rd 10:40am Missionaries Ronald & Shelly Miller will be our guests.
- Sunday, November 3rd 5:30pm Indy District NYI Fall Youth Night at Westside COTN – Join us for a night of worship, teaching, and fun.
- Saturday, November 9th 10:00am – 12:00pm – Grief Share session of "Surviving the Holidays" led by Becky Fletcher
- Saturday, November 9th 10:00am
   Children's Quiz Meet at Indy 1<sup>st</sup>
  COTN (9401 E 25<sup>th</sup> St, Indpl, IN 46229)
- Tuesday, November 12th 6:00pm Church Board Meeting
- Sunday, November 24th 10:40am Thanksgiving Service with singers Kyle & Brittany Shaeffer & Dinner

# **Praises:**

- Praise the Lord for Scott Rodenbeck receiving Christ Sunday morning! Let's lift him and Irene up in prayer, for Scott to grow in his faith and for his health condition. Luke 15:10 "In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."
- ✓ Praise the Lord for a great weekend of revival! Dr. Warrick's messages were very practical, yet they challenged us to get "more of God." We are the "mission" – the ones who drive the Church of Christ! He and his wife Patty were a blessing, with their humble and personable spirits. And Rev. Marissa and Lenea McCrary brought such a sweet spirit to each service with their gifted talents and sincere worship! It was uplifting for the soul.
- Praise the Lord for our committed church family! Thank you for praying, reading the 30 days of Scriptures, attending, and giving... it truly made a difference. You carved out this weekend in your busy lives to simply draw closer to the Lord and support your church. I know the Lord will honor and bless you for this. Greater days are ahead for Southwest Church!

# **Prayer Needs:**

- Pray for a continued spirit of revival in our church and for the Lord to continue making us the church He wants us to be.
- Pray for the Lord to guide our upcoming elections, nationally, as well as locally. We need His help to know how to bring peace, morality, and genuine love back into our country.
- Pray for our unsaved loved ones and those dealing with addictions.
- Pray for those affected by the hurricanes, and those working to help them.
- For Personal Prayer Needs, please see the emailed and mailed versions of the church newsletter.

# **Prayer Needs:**

#### It's Trunk or Treat time!

It's not too late to join us; call the office & let us know!

On Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, we'll be decorating vehicles, dressing up, and passing out candy, small toys, and treats to the children in our community. We could use donations of individually wrapped candy to refill the supplies provided by each "trunk" there that afternoon! Bring any donations to the church by Friday (call Katrina at 317-289-9321). Remember to decorate your "Trunk" and dress up in costumes (optional for both) and fill up that bucket with goodies to pass out! If you would like to participate but need some help with getting the candy, let Katrina or Cindy R. know and we can help with that. Don't forget, we'll have prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place! Trunk or Treat Hours will be from 5:00pm to 7:00pm. Each vehicle will need to provide its own candy/treats to pass out (with the candies donated being used to resupply as needed).

#### Announcements







We'll be having a baptism service during our morning worship service on Sunday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. If you have ever been interested in learning more about getting baptized, then now is the time to see Pastor Scott!



### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26<sup>TH</sup>

Southwest Church of the Nazarene 4797 Tincher Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46221 Go from Trunk to Trunk to get candy or other treats. We can't wait to see you!

5:00рм - 7:00рм



Dress up in costume or just come as you are! We'll have treats, fun, and lots of candy for children in the community. Invite a friend!

Our church family will have their trunks decorated, dress up in costume and pass out candy and treats. You won't want to miss the fun! Announcement



Sunday, November 3rd at 10:40am, our guests will be missionaries Ronald & Shelly Miller. The Millers have served as Global Missionaries with the COTN on the Africa Region since 2010 and have had the privilege of serving in the countries of Eswatini, Madagascar & now in Ronald's home country of South Africa – serving the 6 countries of the Africa South Field. You won't want to miss hearing about their experiences as missionaries!

## What's Happening with NYI?



Sunday, Nov. 24th at 10:40am is our Thanksgiving Service with singers Kyle & Brittany Shaeffer and Dinner – Join us this wonderful day as we celebrate Thanksgiving! We



will be blessed to enjoy the musical talents of singers Kyle & Brittany Shaeffer during morning worship. Then, we'll have our Thanksgiving Feast Dinner following service. We'll have a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center starting this week. With so many great cooks in our church family, the food is always wonderful, and the fellowship is even better!





## **Upcoming Quiz Meets**

Indy First COTN 9401 E. 25th St, Indpls, IN 46229 Saturday, Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am



Fortville COTN 701 S. Maple St, Fortville, IN 46040 Saturday, Jan. 11<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am

Southwest COTN 4797 Tincher Rd, Indpls, IN 46221 Saturday, Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am

Come out and support our children's quiz team as they compete in these upcoming quiz meets. They are all working so diligently to memorize God's Word and to answer the quiz questions to help keep His Word in their hearts forever!



"After a loss, the holiday season is going to be a blending of hurt and joy."

H. Norman Wright

GRIEF SHARE

# Grief**{**Share<sup>\*</sup>

#### Saturday, Nov. 9th - 10:00am to 12:00pm – Grief Share's "Surviving the Holidays" -

Surviving the Holidays is a 2-hour event for people grieving a loved one's death. At this seminar, you'll learn how to deal with the many emotions grieving people often face during the holidays. Will you join us? There is a cost is \$10 for a workbook and refreshments. Sign up at the Welcome Center by Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> (or contact Becky Fletcher at becky\_fletcher@sbcglobal.net or 317-372-9153).



# Announcements

#### NYI Fall Rally at Westside COTN

Mark your calendar for Sunday night, November 3rd at 5:30pm, The Indy District NYI will be gathering for a night of worship, teaching, and fun. ONU's City on a Hill will be leading worship for us, and The Late Night Morning Show is back for one night only. Our speaker will be Mad Ant's Chaplain Andy Riemersma! Let

Pastor Aaron know if you'd like to go! We'll be leaving the church at

**4:45pm.** Dinner isn't provided, so be sure to eat before you arrive.

Fall Youth Night

ONU's City on a Hill Mad Ant's Chaplain Andy Riemersma Bounce House, 9-Square, Gaga Ball

INDY NYI



Nov 3rd 5:30pm

email for more information Pastor Patrick Hardy (phardy@wsnaz.org)

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# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### Special Thanks ...

Thank you to those who ran the computer, sound, and livestream each service for revival. Your ministry to the church, though often unnoticed, makes a big difference!

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DUE TO POPULAR DEMAND WE NOW HAVE A COFFEE SHOP ... IF YOU WANT TO KEEP UP WITH THE PRAISE GROUP I RECOMMEND VISITING IT OFTEN

The next Church Board Meeting will be Tuesday, November 12th at 6:00pm. Please send your reports to Katrina by Friday, Nov. 8th at southwest@swnazarene.org.

Mom Squad next meets on Oct. 28th at 6:30pm! We'll meet on the 2nd &  $4^{\text{th}}$ Mondays of each month from 6:30pm-8:00pm. Women of all ages are welcome - no matter how old your children are! Come for fellowship, discussion,

Mom

Squad

and snacks. See Renee Plank with any auestions.



Day is coming up in just

a few weeks! Did you know that if you are a registered voter and live in Marion County, you can vote at the church? We just wanted to let you know it is a voting location and is a very convenient and quick process. **Remember to vote** on Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> from 6:00am to 6:00pm.

Rise & Shine Breakfast Club Schedule (9:00am Tuesdays) Men's & Women's Breakfast - Come join us!

10/29 - First Watch (8814 E US Hwy 36, Avon, IN 46123) (Men) / Paragon Restaurant (118 S Girls School Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46231) (Women) 11/5 - Cracker Barrel (6256 Cambridge Way, Plainfield, IN 46168) 11/12 - Blueberry Hill Pancake House (460 Town Ctr St, Mooresville, IN 46158)

11/19 - Stacks Pancake House & Grill (6011 Gateway Dr, Plainfield, IN 46168)

#### 1 TIMOTHY 2:1-4

1 THEREFORE I EXHORT FIRST OF ALL THAT SUPPLICATIONS, PRAYERS, INTERCESSIONS, AND BIVING OF THANKS BE MADE FOR ALL MEN, 2 FOR KINGS AND ALL WHO ARE IN AUTHORITY, THAT WE MAY LEAD a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence. 3 For this is good and acceptable in the sight of god our savior. 4 who desires all men to be saved and to come TO THE KNOWLEDSE OF THE TRUTH.



LIFE Groups @ SW - Let's Do Life Together!

Find a listing of addresses, meeting days, and meeting times for LIFE Groups at the Welcome Center at church.