

Don't forget to set your clocks back an hour before bed on Saturday night.  
It's extra rest before church on Sunday!

# Southwest Church of the Nazarene

CHURCH NEWSLETTER – OCTOBER 30, 2024 – VOLUME 233

FALL BACK



## ***Make Me a Blessing***

Out in the highways and byways of life  
Many are weary and sad  
Carry the sunshine where darkness is rife  
Making the sorrowing glad

Tell the sweet story of Christ and His love  
Tell of His pow'r to forgive  
Others will trust Him if only you prove  
True ev'ry moment you live

Give as 'twas given to you in your need  
Love as the Master loved you  
Be to the helpless a helper indeed  
Unto your mission be true

***Make me a blessing make me a blessing  
Out of my life may Jesus shine  
Make me a blessing O Savior I pray  
Make me a blessing to someone today***

CCLI Song # 11603 / CCLI License # 1121346  
George S. Schuler | Ira Bishop Wilson  
© Words & Music: Public Domain

## **Church Events:**

- Sunday, Nov. 3rd – 10:40am – Our guests: Missionaries Ronald & Shelly Miller!
- Sunday, Nov. 3rd – 5:30pm – Indy District NYI Fall Youth Night at Westside COTN – Join us for a night of worship, teaching, & fun.
- Saturday, Nov. 9th – 10:00am – 12:00pm – Grief Share session of “Surviving the Holidays” led by Becky Fletcher
- Saturday, Nov. 9th – 10:00am – Children’s Quiz Meet at Indy 1st COTN (9401 E 25th St, Indpls, IN 46229)
- Monday, Nov. 11th – 6:30pm – 8:00pm – Mom Squad Meeting
- Tuesday, Nov. 12th – 6:00pm – Church Board Meeting
- Sunday, Nov. 17th – 10:40am – Baptism Sunday – See Pastor Scott if interested.
- Sunday, Nov. 24th – 10:40am – Thanksgiving Service with singers Kyle & Brittany Shaeffer & Dinner
- Tuesday, Nov. 26th – 10:30am – Decorate the church for Christmas!
- Saturday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> – 4:30pm – RIOT Youth Progressive Dinner & Christmas Party
- Tuesd, Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> – 7:00pm – Christmas Eve Service

# Praises:

- ❖ Praise the Lord for a great community event! Trunk or Treat was a success as we gave out treats to many kids, shared conversations and love in Christ's name. Thank you for everyone who helped and for Cindy Robinson organizing the night... great job!
- ❖ Praise the Lord for the church's kindness! Pastor Scott and Cindy are truly thankful for the gifts Sunday and your encouragement all throughout the year. We are blessed to be at Southwest Church and serve alongside you!
- ❖ Praise the Lord for a church that loves to give! You gave nearly \$1000 for our recent revival, and consistently give to our food pantry each month, as well as Faith Promise (World Missions) each month. May the Lord continue to bless our church family as we continue to support Kingdom work!

# Prayer Needs:

- ❖ 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.

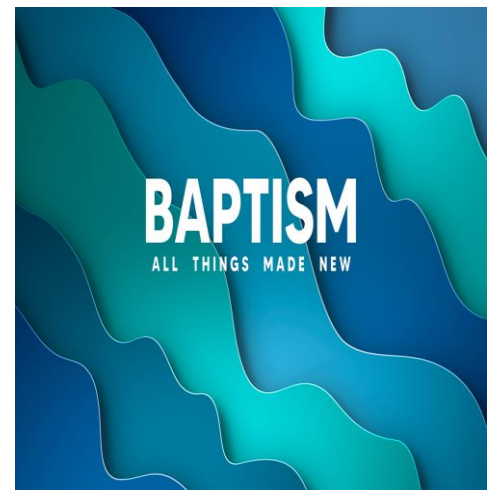
# Prayer Needs:

❖



## 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!*



**GriefShare**

**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 317-372-9153 or [becky\\_fletcher@sbcglobal.net](mailto:becky_fletcher@sbcglobal.net)).

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

*H. Norman Wright*

GRIEF SHARE

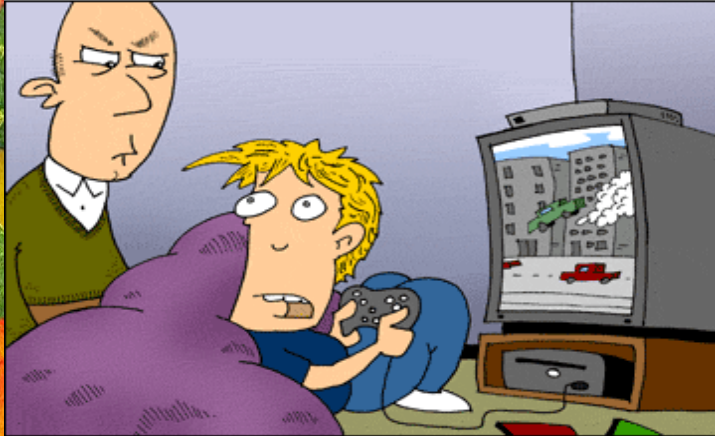
While the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, winter and summer, and day and night shall not cease.  
Genesis 8:22





Election Day is next week! 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!

REVERENDFUN.COM COPYRIGHT BIBLE GATEWAY



10-13-2005  
YOU ALWAYS SAID I SHOULD LOOK FOR THE TALENTS THAT GOD HAS GIVEN ME

## Indy District NYI Events:

**UPCOMING EVENTS** | **24-25**

**NOV 3**

**FALL RALLY**

**ELEVATE**

**JAN 17-19**

**FEB 22**

**DISTRICT CELEBRATE LIFE**

**REGIONAL CELEBRATE LIFE**

**MAY 8-10**

**JUN 23-27**

**TEEN CAMP**

**EXPLORE YOUR CALL RETREAT**

**SEPT 19-21**

# 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! **Sign up at the RIOT Bulletin board 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.*

INDY NYI

2024

# Fall Youth Night

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



**Nov 3rd**  
5:30pm

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

Westside Church  
8610 W 10th Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46234



Mom Squad next meets on Mon., Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm! We'll meet on the 2nd & 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays of each month from 6:30pm-8:00pm. Women of all ages are welcome - no matter how old your children are! Won't you join us for fellowship, discussion, & snacks? See Renee Plank with any questions.



# Announcements

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!



We'll gather a love offering to bless them!

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

## Rise & Shine Breakfast Club Schedule (9:00am Tuesdays)

### *Men's & Women's Breakfast - Come join us!*

- 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)
- 11/26 - Goody's Restaurant (1601 E Main St #2, Plainfield, IN 46168)



LIFE GROUPS @ SW  
LET'S DO LIFE TOGETHER!

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

- Group 1 meets Mondays at 6:30pm at 5218 Gambel Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46221.
- Group 2 meets Sundays at 6:00pm at 5736 Bar Del East Dr, Indianapolis, IN 46221.
- Group 3 meets Tuesdays at 6:00pm at 8636 Blooming Grove Dr, Camby, IN 46113.
- Group 4 meets Wednesdays at 6:00pm at 5596 E County Rd 350 S, Plainfield, IN 46168.
- Group 5 meets Thursdays at 6:30pm at 9364 Bethel Woods Dr, Indianapolis, IN 46239.
- Group 6 meets Wednesdays at 6:30pm at 1703 Gerrard Ave, Speedway, IN 46224.

## Children's Quizzing

### Upcoming Quiz Meets:

- Indy First COTN  
9401 E. 25th St, Indpls, IN 46229  
Saturday, Nov. 9th at 10:00am
- Fortville COTN  
701 S. Maple St, Fortville, IN 46040  
Saturday, Jan. 11th at 10:00am
- Southwest COTN  
4797 Tincher Rd, Indpls, IN 46221  
Saturday, Feb. 8th 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!



Sun., 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. There's a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center. With so many great cooks in our church family, the food is always wonderful, & the fellowship is even better!

