

:: You are invited to get involved at FCC ::

To Our Guests ... We are honored that you are here today. You are surrounded by some great people just like you!



Coat Drive ... This winter, all new and gently used (clean) coats can be donated and we will send them to the Eastside Mission for distribution. Use the coat rack by the front door in the air lock.

Ladies Study ... A women's video study, “Discerning the Voice of God” by Priscilla Shirer, continues this Thursday evening at The Oak from 6:30-8:30PM. See Pat Nancarrow for more details.

Parent of Teen Gathering ... Instead of dropping off your teen tonight, join other parents for a time of safe sharing and praying. This is a casual gathering for any parent interested in learning from others. See Pastor Terry if you have questions or just join us tonight at 5:30PM!



Membership Class ... Learn more about the Church of the Nazarene and the story of Flushing Community Church by joining us for a 2-session Membership Class January 28 & February 11 from 4-5:30PM at the Oak Ministry Center. Sign up at the Welcome Center.

Getting to Know You ... If you have just started attending our church within the past couple of months, we would love to hang out with you for lunch right after worship on Sunday, January 28. It's free and a great way to meet some of our leaders and learn more about our church! See Mary Ann Korte at the Welcome Center for details.

FCC Padfolios ... We have some stylish padfolios available for sale for \$15 at the Welcome Center. 100% of the cost will benefit our Global Mission Team's project expenses!

Building A Legacy Update ... How are you doing on your pledge? Have you made a pledge? This project and it's financial goals are a big undertaking which need your prayer and your support. Learn more on our website and get involved today!

Building Tour ... This morning after worship, members of our staff and Building Team will be in the new building offering tours. With this being an ongoing worksite, children MUST BE accompanied by an adult! Come and see the excitement for yourself!!

Men's Open Gym Basketball ... Will meet tonight at a special time of 9PM. See Lauro Valles to learn more about it or simply join us!

Flushing Christian Outreach Center ... The FCOC is collecting paper grocery sacks throughout January. You can drop bags off in our church entry or taken them directly to the FCOC (on McKinley north of Main).



Volunteer Opportunities for adults & teens:
Referee • Snack Shack • Score Boards • Set up & Tear down • Greeters
See Mary Ann Korte or John Sayers to get involved!



In 2015, our Leadership began to have conversations about the future direction of our church both in terms of ministry focus and facility needs. In 2016, those conversations were revealed through our “Building A Legacy” missional campaign.

This campaign outlines three ministry objectives: reaching the entire family, effective communication of God’s Word, and furthering our burden and care for others. Out of these objectives, we feel it’s critical to develop a better leadership structure, practice systematic giving, and expand and renovate our current facility.

We are excited to see how God will continue to show his faithfulness to each of us as we participate in sacrificial giving over the three year campaign timeline. Our expansion estimate stands at \$1.3M and currently over \$1,172,000 has been pledged to help us achieve our ministry and facility goals.

To get an update on the progress of our campaign, visit our website and click “Legacy.” To begin your participation, you can find a Legacy booklet and pledge card at the Welcome Center! What kind of legacy will you leave for others?

Stewardship Report:	Giving for Month of December	Monthly Goal:	Given Fiscal YTD:	Annual Budget Goal:
Tithes and Offerings:	\$57,572	\$46,491	\$416,524	\$557,889
Worship Attendance:	Last Wkd:	373	Dec Ave:	359

Building A Legacy Campaign: Pledged: \$1,172,696 Given: \$905,482

*Monthly giving includes online giving as well as contributions given on Sundays.
Our Fiscal YTD is March to February (established by our Nazarene District)*

:: Our Leadership Team ::

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Our Church Board Members:

Tom Adams (2019) | Jodie Barclay (2019) | Bob Cole (2018)
Colleen Sayers (2018) | Eric Smith (2020) | Mark Taylor (2020)

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We are so honored & glad you are here!

January 14, 2018

Today is going to be a great day to experience the power of God. We are excited that you have chosen to join us! You find yourself in a safe place today to ask your questions and engage your faith.

Many of us begin each new year making goals and dreaming of getting healthier and holier. Our Spiritual Life Team has been designing a plan that will help each of us balance our spiritual growth and understand the various ways we need to connect with God better. Over the next several weeks, we will be looking at some important ways our personal lives must interact with God to produce a stronger and more balanced faith!

Grab some coffee, find a comfortable seat and open your heart to the work of God today. Sing with us. Pray with us. Stay with us!

We invite you to join the conversation!

There is more to our worship experience than Sunday mornings! We invite you to plug into the several ways we communicate throughout the week utilizing social media and email!

Event on the YouVersion Bible App

Download the free YouVersion Bible App for this helpful tool that makes the Bible accessible anywhere! Click the menu item "Events" and look for our church!



Join our group on Facebook

Flushing Community Church of the Nazarene
"Check In" today and let your friends know!



Sign up for Email Communications

Get regular reminders directly in your inbox!
mailto: mak@flushingcommunity.org



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every spiritual seed that is sown is made possible
through the sacrificial giving of the congregation!
Discover the blessing of giving today at our offering
boxes located in the gym or give online.



Kid City & Club 56 Ministries:

January's Life App: Commitment
"Making a plan and putting it into practice."

Kid City this Week ... In Luke 11:1-4, we find Jesus' disciples asking Him how to pray. Jesus responds with a prayer that serves as the perfect model for how we can talk to God. We can pray with gratitude and honesty, pray for our needs, and for forgiveness. It's a comfort to know that we can pray knowing that God knows us and wants to hear from us.
Bottom Line: Practice praying to God.

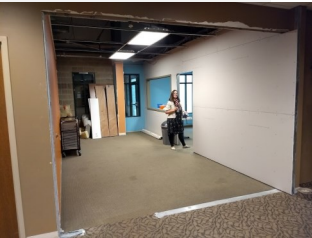
January Memory Verse ... "Training the body has some value. But being godly has value in every way. It promises help for the life you are now living and life to come." *1 Timothy 4:8*

Crowded House... Next Crowded House (Club 56 kids and their parents) gathering will be held on Saturday, February 10, at 6:30PM.



• Pardon Our Dust •

Our building expansion project is coming along very nicely but it has obviously now impacted our current children's ministry space. Our future is bright - but our current circumstances will cause some inconveniences (like parking, Kid City, kitchen use, and Club 56). Thanks for your patience during the next few months!



IGNITE Student Ministries:

Youth Group Tonight ... We will meet at the church, 5:30-7:00PM. Join us as we continue our UPSIDE DOWN series. Last will be first. Give to receive. Lose to gain. People who mourn are blessed. These are all statements Jesus made, yet they seem so opposite from how our world functions and even how we are wired. But the kingdom of God is upside down compared to the kingdoms we seek to establish. When we surrender to God's kingdom, we begin to discover fulfillment, peace and satisfaction.

Youth Group Extended ... There's no school tomorrow, so it is a great night to stick around after Youth Group for a Dodgeball and Game Night.

Spring Hill ... Your \$100 balance and online form is due today! Watch for a post card about Small Group Night. We are looking forward to this life-changing experience with 91 students the weekend of February 2-4. Questions? See Pastor Troy.

Momentum... On February 24, 7th-12 grade students from across the Eastern Michigan Nazarene District will compete in sports, music, and/or the arts at Momentum. Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center or see Pastor Troy.

January IGNITE Student Ministry Schedule

Jan 21 at Church, 5:30-7PM ~ Small Group Night Out
Jan 28 at Church, 5:30-7PM for UPSIDE DOWN: Upside Down World

:: Prayer & Praises ::

We believe in prayer and that it impacts lives! Take time to pray over these needs and take some tangible steps to encourage those laid on your heart!


Bill Freeman: heart valve issues
Alberta Gulczewski: suffered several mini-strokes
Congratulations Selvig Family: Baby Selvig arrived Jan. 12! *(no name at press)*
Family of Richard Quintal: who passed away Jan. 8
Weddell Family: going through the adoption process
Those Recovering: Louise Cross, Louie Economopoulos, Loren Huffman, Jim Jerichow, Debbie Simmons, Landon Young
Expectant Mothers: Erica Everett, Ashley Wilson

General Prayers to remember ...

Our Staff & Leadership: wisdom, protection, unity, and vision.
Families & Marriages: many facing rough times, separation, divorce
Upward Basketball: draw families closer to the Lord thru sport
Construction Project: safety of all workers & financial blessing
Our Missionaries: Megan Dietrich (Mozambique for training); Ian & Erin MacLay (heading to Hong Kong in 2018); Scott & Emily Armstrong (Dominican Republic).
Our Mission Trip to the Dominican Republic: March 9-17, 2018
Our Soldiers ... Josh Barber (USMC); Alyssa Freeman (USAF-South Carolina); Allan Hadland (USARMY - Kansas); Remington Jackson (Marines - North Carolina); Josh Keeler (USAF-South Carolina); Marcos Lambaria (US Marines); Andrew Marks (USAF); Conner Robertson (Navy - Florida); Tyler Salem (USARMY - Afghanistan); Ben Shelton (Coast Guard - Alaska).

If you have a prayer concern, please let us know!

Prayer Team ... You can join our prayer team that meets Sundays at 9:20AM. You could also join our District Prayer Team by praying for 1 hour a month. See Molly Cox for details.



Other prayer requests are available on our iPray Guide which is emailed out each week to those who have signed up for it. You can request a copy by emailing mak@flushingcommunity.org

:: Upcoming Events & Dates ::

January

- 14 Parents of Teens Gathering (5:30 PM)
- 14 Men's Open Gym Basketball at Church (9:00 PM)
- 18 Women's Video Series at the Oak (6:30 PM)
- 20 Upward Game Day #3
- 23 Kid City Ice Cream Ticket Tuesday
- 28 Getting to Know You Luncheon at Church (following worship)
- 28 Children & Youth Volunteer Meeting at Church (Noon)
- 28 Membership Class part 1 at the Oak (4:00 PM)

Join us Next Week for Worship at 10:30 AM

Get involved . . . Get connected!
See our complete calendar at flushingcommunity.org and follow us on Facebook!!