

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

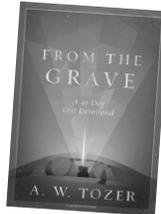
To Our Guests ... We are honored that you are here today. You are surrounded by some great people just like you!



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.

Getting to Know You ... Our next gathering will be February 25 right after worship. If you have just started attending our church within the past couple of months, we would love to hang out with you for lunch and provide an opportunity to meet some of our leaders and learn more about our church! Come join us in the kitchen right after worship.

Lenten Devotionals Available... Wed., Feb. 14, is the start of Lent, a season where we prepare our hearts and minds for Easter by reflecting on Jesus' suffering and sacrifice. We invite you to journey through this season with us by picking up a copy of *From the Grave*, a 40-day devotional book, available by the Welcome Center for \$7 each.



Membership Class ... Our final Membership Class will take place TODAY from 4-5:30PM at the Oak Ministry Center. If you missed part one, talk with Pastor Terry if you are still interested attending.

Young Adult Small Group ... If you are 18-25 years old, you are invited to join a small group just for you! We will meet at the Smith's home on Saturday, February 17, 6:30-9PM. We will be looking at how Jesus wants us to put Him first in times of fear and uncertainty. Bring a friend and come hungry!

Valentine Packages ... Valentine packages were sent to our college students and young adults. If you would like to help cover some of the costs of the contents and mailing, drop your donation in the bucket at the Welcome Center. Thanks for helping out!

Annual Church Elections ... All members who are at least 15 years old are eligible to vote in our annual elections which will take place February 18 and 25. See our ballot insert this morning to prayerfully consider God's direction over the next couple of weeks. We appreciate all those who are willing to be considered! See Pastor Terry or Mary Ann Korte with membership questions.



Global Mission Love Offering ... We will be receiving a special "love offering" for our Dominican Mission Team next Sunday, February 18. This team has worked hard to raise their project funds and have sacrificed greatly! Your generous gifts will be a wonderful blessing!

Flushing Christian Outreach Center ... The FCOC is collecting peanut butter/jelly throughout February. You can drop off donations in our church entry or directly at the FCOC (on McKinley north of Main).

Upward Celebration ... It is hard to believe—but it is time to start putting together the team of volunteers for the Upward Celebration on March 4. See Mary Ann Korte to sign up for the job/time slot that works best for



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 January	Monthly Goal:	Given Fiscal YTD:	Annual Budget Goal:
Tithes and Offerings:	\$46,848	\$46,491	\$463,372	\$557,889
Worship Attendance:	Last Wkd: 375	Jan Ave: 368		

Building A Legacy Campaign: Pledged: \$1,172,696 Given: \$917,107

*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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- Mary Ann Korte** (Administrator) mak@flushingcommunity.org

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!

February 11, 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!
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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:

February's Life App: Kindness

"Showing others they are valuable by how you treat them."

Kid City this Week ... In Ruth 1 & 2, we find Naomi and her daughter-in-law, Ruth. Their husbands have died and Ruth has the opportunity to return home to her family. Instead, she chooses to show kindness to Naomi and stay with her. Ruth's kindness doesn't go unnoticed. Boaz notices how Ruth cares for her mother-in-law. He goes above and beyond to care for Ruth and completely changes her life. *Bottom Line: Be kind to your family and friends.*

February Memory Verse ... "Do to others as you want them to do to you."
Luke 6:31

Dinner & A Movie... Calling all 5th graders! Come join us TONIGHT at the Oak at 6PM for to watch The Jungle Book. We will also have a delicious dinner and snacks. Sign up at the Kid City Registration desk. See Pastor Kelli with any questions.



• 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 ... Tonight will feature some great laughs, fun and games as we highlight some of our greatest moments from Spring Hill Winter Retreat. We'll show our video plus hear some powerful testimonies of what God did for us last weekend! Wear your Spring Hill shirt. Don't miss it tonight from 5:30-7PM!!



Momentum on February 24 ... Students in grades 7-12 are invited to compete in sports, music, and/or the arts at MOMENTUM. This is a great time with other students from the Eastern Michigan District. **Registration is ONLY \$20 and due by TONIGHT!** Forms can be found online, at the Welcome Center or see Pastor Troy!!!

Join us for LASER TAG! ... On Sunday, February 18 we are heading to Skateland in Mt. Morris, from 3:30-5:30. Cost is \$15. RSVP to Pastor Troy by Feb 15 to reserve your spot.

High School Mission Trip ... We will be heading to Logan, West Virginia July 29-August 3. Cost is \$375, with \$75 due along with your registration form by February 25. Space is limited. We will partner with Youth Works. For more info talk to Pastor Troy.

:: 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

Conner Harris: mass on the heart, son of Alex & Malysa Hadland

Ron Lord & Family: in the loss of his mother

Weddell Family: going through the adoption process

Debi Wright & Family ... in the loss of her father

Landon Young: experiencing severe stomach pain

Those Recovering: Louise Cross, Alberta Gulczewski, Loren Huffman, Jim Jerichow, Debbie Simmons, Dennis Sopka

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 (Hong Kong in March); Scott & Emily Armstrong (Dominican Republic).

Our Mission Trip to the Dominican Republic: March 9-17, 2018

Our Soldiers: Alyssa Freeman (USAF-South Carolina); Allan Hadland (USARMY - Kansas); Mason Herr (USCG); Remington Jackson (USMC- North Carolina); Josh Keeler (USAF-South Carolina); Marcos Lambaria (USMC); Andrew Marks (USAF); Conner Robertson (Navy - Florida); Tyler Salem (USARMY - Afghanistan); Ben Shelton (USCG - 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 ::

February

- 11 Membership Class Part 2 at the Oak (4:00 PM)
- 11 Club 56 Dinner & Movie Night at the Oak (6:00 PM)
- 15 Women's Video Bible Study at the Oak (6:00 PM)
- 17 Quiz Meet at Central Nazarene (9:00 AM)
- 17 Young Adult Small Group at the Smith's (6:30 PM)
- 24 Upward Game Day #7
- 25 Getting to Know You Luncheon at Church (after worship)

March

- 03 Upward Game Day #8
- 04 Upward Celebration at Flushing High School
- 09 Global Mission Team leaves for the Dominican Republic
- 11 Dinner and Movie for 6th Graders

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!!