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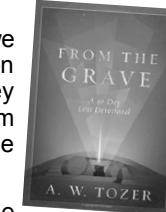
To Our Guests ... We are honored that you are here today. You are surrounded by some great people just like you!



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 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... Lent is 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.



Annual Church Elections ... Official members are eligible to vote in our annual elections either today and next Sunday. We appreciate deeply all those who are willing to be considered! Ballots are available from Mary Ann Korte in the back of the gym.



Global Mission Love Offering ... We will be receiving a special "love offering" for our Dominican Mission Team today. 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 for you.

Building Update ... Things are really taking shape in our building! Flooring is going in, painting continues, cabinets are going in, the café is being constructed and our connection between the buildings is now open. This week, work in the kitchen and nursery will be taking place!

Loose Change ... Stop by the Welcome Table today and drop your loose change in the big "baby bottle." These funds provide diapers for the East Side Mission.

Stay Informed ... If your email address has changed, please share it with us by putting it in the Friendship book today or see Mary Ann Korte. You can also visit us on Facebook and Twitter (@FlushingCCNaz).

Online Giving ... You can now visit our website and make a contribution online and enhance your worship through giving. Set up your account by clicking the red "Give Online" button on the home page. There is also a mobile option through "E-giving Mobile" in your App Store.



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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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 18, 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. Today we complete our discussion 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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Worship through Giving!

Scan this code to go to our online giving site!

Every life that is touched, every child that is fed, 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 Matthew 25:35-40, we'll revisit one of Jesus' teachings on kindness. For one reason or another, people are overlooked every day—no one even notices them, much less show kindness to them. But Jesus says that when we show kindness to one of the least of these, it's as if we're showing kindness to Him. We hope to discover how we can show kindness to people who are overlooked in the world. *Bottom Line: Be kind to people who are overlooked.*

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



• 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! You can view updated pictures on our website each week.



IGNITE Student Ministries:

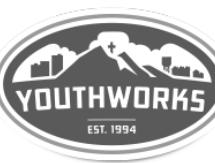
Youth Group Today... We are heading to Skate-land Arena in Mt. Morris for Laser Tag, 3:30-5:30PM. Cost is \$15. We'll gather at church and travel together. If you have not already signed up, text Pastor Troy to see if there is still room.



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 now \$30 and due by February 21!** Forms can be found at the Welcome Center. See Pastor Troy or Darcy Smith for more information.

Next Sunday ... Join us on February 25 for the start of our Emotions series.

High School Mission Trip ... We will be heading to Logan, WV July 29-Aug 3. Cost is \$375, with \$75 due along with your registration form by February 25. Space is limited. We will partner with YouthWorks and will be working with children in Kids Club and doing service projects; including minor home repairs, painting and yard work. Pick up a registration form at the Welcome Center. See Pastor Troy for details.



:: 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

Nancy Romanack & Family: in the loss of her father last week

Kerry Selvig: has shingles

Weddell Family: going through the adoption process

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

Expectant Mothers: Audie Estes, 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

22 Ladies Video Bible Study at the Oak (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

05 Mercy Team at Church (7:00 PM)

05 Board Meeting (7:00 PM)

09 Global Mission Team leaves for the Dominican Republic

10 Quizzing Zone Meet at ??? (9:00 AM)

11 Dinner and Movie for 6th Graders at the Oak (5:30 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!!