

**:: 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! Connect with any member of our staff set up a time to talk more or just to ask questions!

**Getting to Know You ...** We would like to hang out with our new friends for lunch right after worship on Sunday, October 29. This is an opportunity to meet other “newbies,” meet some staff and board members, and learn some basics about our church. See Mary Ann Korte at the Welcome Center for details.

**Chili Cook Off Fundraiser ...** Join us after church today for a chance to eat some yummy chili AND raise money for sending our Club 56 students to Springhill for their upcoming fall retreat. We will have some fun judging our selections and it only costs \$5/person or \$20/family. Don't miss out on some great fun for a great cause!

**Boost on Wednesday Nights ...** Continues this week! Come at 6PM for dinner or 6:30 for the conversation. More details available online!

**Mobile Food Pantry ...** Plan on joining us at Mayfair Bible Church for the next Mobile Food Pantry this Wednesday, October 18 at 8AM.

**New Care Ministry is Beginning ...** Are you interested in visiting with the sick, recovering or shut-in? We are beginning a new ministry that will offer love and compassion to others in need. Sign up at the Welcome Center and join us for a brief informational meeting after church on Sunday, October 29.

**Attentional All Veterans ...** Bob Coe is assembling a list of all veterans in our church. Please let Bob know your branch and years of service and submit an enlistment photograph, too!

**FCOC ...** For the month of October, please plan on buying extra canned fruit to share with the Flushing Christian Outreach Center. Your donations assist them throughout the year and can be placed in the bins just inside the main doors.

**Kid City Needs YOU ...** Love playing on the floor, rocking babies, or eating a snack during church? Contact Pastor Kelli and let her know how you want to get involved.

**Crisis Care Kits ...** The Nazarene Church uses these kits to offer immediate relief to victims of natural disasters all around the world. We deeply appreciate your gifts brought in over the past two weeks that will help us fill 500 kits! Packing will take place this week. If you would like to help, see Bob Coe.

**New FCC Clothing Sale Online ...** Stop by one of the laptops at the back of the church and check out all of the styles that are available. We have t-shirts, sweatshirts, polos, pullovers, long-sleeves, and even hats. This is a fundraiser for our Dominican Republic mission trip. Look on our website for a direct link to shop from the convenience of your own home! All orders must be completed by Sunday, November 12 at midnight. See Karen Stavelinck or Nikki Economopoulos for more details!



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 August	Monthly Goal:	Given Fiscal YTD:	Annual Budget Goal:
Tithes and Offerings:	\$34,742	\$46,491	\$279,879	\$557,889
Worship Attendance:	Last Wkd: 317	Sept Ave: 273		

Building A Legacy Campaign: Pledged: \$1,172,696 Given: \$801,023

*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 ::**

**Terry Bate** (Lead Pastor) ..... terry@flushingcommunity.org  
**Steve Close** (Creative Arts) ..... pastorsteveclose@yahoo.com  
**Troy Supple** (Youth Ministries) ..... troy@flushingcommunity.org  
**Kelli Fulks** (Children’s Ministries) ..... kelli@flushingcommunity.org  
**Mike DeVuyst** (Spiritual Formation) ..... mike@flushingcommunity.org  
**Bob Coe** (Mercy) ..... bobcoe@comcast.net  
**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!*

**October 15, 2017**

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.

As the fall quickly approaches and school is back in full swing, we all feel the need to get organized and disciplined. The reality is that life comes at us so fast that if we don't have a plan, we often get ran over! In the Christian journey, God desires that we consider each day an opportunity to see Him more clearly and become like him more completely. Do you have a "game plan" to accomplish this?

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



#### **Follow us Twitter!**

@FlushingCCNaz | Today: #FCCgameplan



#### **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:**

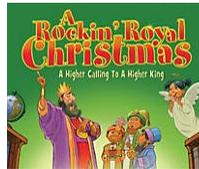
### **October's Life App: Stewardship**

"Taking care of what you have because it all belongs to God."

**Kid City ...** How can you best use your things? Most kids (adults too!) would tell you that what they own is super important to them. But they also leave their toys on floor and their bike out in the rain. We want kids to remember that what they have actually belongs to God and that God allows them to have those things. Along with that comes a responsibility to use things (or time, talents, and money) wisely. *Bottom Line: Use your things wisely.*

**Memory Verse ...** "Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much." Luke 16:10a

**Kid City Quizzing ...** Quizzing meets Sundays at 9:30AM in the Kid City room. Questions? See Cassandra Johnson or Kari Burba



**Kid City Christmas Musical Practices ...** It's hard to believe that it is time to start preparations for Christmas, but practices for the Kid City Musical starts on October 22 at 5:30 PM. Pastor Kelli is putting together a team of set builders, prop makers, and kid wranglers. Talk with her today and let her know how you want to help.



Online registration is now open. See John Sayers for questions about the league or to learn how your business could become a sponsor! See Mary Ann Korte to become a valued part of the volunteer force that makes it all happen! Help is needed for all kinds of time commitments - find your perfect place to serve!

## *Student Ministries:*

**Youth Group Tonight ...** Is your spiritual walk in a rut or do you ever find yourself wanting more or needing a change? Sacred Pathways will help you discover the route you were made to travel and connect with God. Join us today at the Oak from 5:30-7PM for a journey of self-discovery in how you best connect with our Creator! This will be a highly interactive experience!

**Wednesday Night Boost for Teens ...** We will be meeting on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00PM for Boost. Pastor Troy will be leading this great night of discussion for the teens as we explore God's design for family!



**DNOW...** This year's DNOW Retreat is Nov. 3-5 and will include several area youth groups. Grow closer to God and together as a youth group with us!! Cost is \$45 (by Oct. 18) or \$55 (Oct. 19 and later). No registrations can be accepted after Oct. 29. Registration forms are at the Welcome Center, online or see Pastor Troy today! Don't miss the dynamic worship, meaningful small groups and outstanding service project!

## **:: 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!

**Carol Coe:** recovering from eye surgery

**Dustin Culhane:** in the loss of his father this week

**Louie Economopoulos:** recovering from hip surgery

**Pat Stewart:** knee replacement surgery at Mayo on Oct 23

**Those Recovering:** Sylvia Anthony, Ronald Bell, Louise Cross, Loren Huffman, Debbie Simmons, Stanley Wilson, Landon Young

**Expectant Mothers:** Chelsea Culhane, Erica Everett, Courtney Selvig, Tori VanAlst, Ashley Wilson

### **General Prayers to remember ...**

**Our Staff & Leadership:** wisdom, protection, unity, and vision.

**Families & Marriages:** many facing rough times, separation, divorce

**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, Beverly Brown (Dominican Republic).

**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); Zack VanWormer (USARMY-Ft. Benning, GA)

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

**Prayer Team ...** You can join our prayer team that meets Sundays at 9:20AM in the Club 56 room. 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 ::**

### **October**

- 18 ..... Mobile Food Pantry at Mayfair (8:00 AM)
- 18 ..... Boost at Church (6 PM for Dinner, 6:30 PM for Session)
- 22 ..... Children's Christmas Musical Practices Start (5:30 PM)
- 29 ..... Getting to Know You Luncheon (after worship)

### **November**

- 03 ..... DNOW Youth Retreat through Sunday
- 06 ..... Mercy Team (7:00 PM)
- 06 ..... Board Meeting (7:00 PM)
- 10-12 .... Club 56 Pre-Teen Retreat at Spring Hill
- 12-13 .... Upward Evaluations

**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!!*