

## Life at Valley Center

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH SUNDAY

Don't forget that next Sunday's worship service begins at 9:00 am in Frazier Hall and is immediately followed by brunch at 10:30 am. If you have any questions, contact Pastor Joe Halbert at [jhalbert@paznaz.org](mailto:jhalbert@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2421.

### CHURCH IN THE PARK HOMELESS OUTREACH

All volunteers should plan to meet in the north parking lot at 7:45 am next Sunday, February 19. The group will return to the Valley Center campus in time for worship and brunch. If you have any questions, contact Pastor Joe Halbert at [jhalbert@paznaz.org](mailto:jhalbert@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2421.

### WOMEN'S MINISTRIES BIBLE STUDY

Join this group of women on Thursdays this winter, at 7:00 pm. The group will meet at Ann Ketterling's home in Glendora and is continuing their study of the book of Exodus. For more information, contact Ann Ketterling at 626.335.0938.

### YOUNG ADULTS

**Monday Night Fellowship** - You are invited to a night of dinner and fellowship at Pastor Joe and Cindy Halbert's home each Monday night from 6:30-9:00 pm. Contact Pastor Joe Halbert at [jhalbert@paznaz.org](mailto:jhalbert@paznaz.org) for more details.

### CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Your pastoral staff wants to know when you or members of your family are in the hospital, facing surgery, or any other crisis. They want to join you in prayer and support during those difficult times. Please notify Pastor Joe Halbert at [jhalbert@paznaz.org](mailto:jhalbert@paznaz.org), or by calling him directly at 626.351.2421. Pastor Joe will alert the pastoral staff and the other prayer teams that meet throughout the week.

### Leadership Team

**Joe Halbert**, Campus Pastor  
**Terry Irish**, Associate Pastor  
**Scott Farris**, Youth Ministry Director  
**Liane D'Arezzo**, Valley Center Preschool Director

## This Week at VC

### Sunday, February 12

8:45 am Nursery Care (Birth - 3)  
8:45 am Children's Church (Age 4 - 4<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
*Children's Room*  
9:00 am Morning Worship—Sanctuary  
10:15 am Afterglow—Food and Fellowship on the patio

### Monday, February 13

6:30 pm Young Adult Fellowship—Halbert Home

### Tuesday, February 14

7:00 pm Youth Group (Grades 6-12)—Frazier Hall

### Wednesday, February 15

*No activities this day*

### Thursday, February 16

7:00 pm Women's Bible Study—Ann Ketterling's Home  
7:30 pm Worship Team Rehearsal—Sanctuary

### Friday, February 17

*No activities this day*

### Saturday, February 18

*No activities this day*

### VALLEY CENTER GIVING UPDATE

#### Tithes and Offerings Year to Date

Received February 5—\$1,280  
Needed per Sunday—\$1,940  
Received Year-to-Date—\$84,341  
Budget Year-to-Date—\$78,676

*The church fiscal year is from April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2017*

### Valley Center: A Campus of PazNaz

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## Helpful Information

### Parking Lot Shuttle

A shuttle is available at the back ramps and on the patio for those in need of assistance.

### Guest Registration

Complete the information requested on the Friendship Pad as it is passed during the service.

### Today's Offering

If you are a guest, please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering. This is an opportunity for regular attendees who consider PazNaz their church home to support the ministries of the church.

### Listening Assistance Devices

These devices are available at all worship services. Ask an usher for assistance.

### HeBrews

It's the welcome area on the patio. Guests can stop by for a free cup of coffee and information.

### Cry Room for Babies & Children

A special room is available just off the main lobby equipped so that you'll be able to see and hear the service while tending to the needs of your child. Nurseries are also available with nursery attendants trained and screened to provide a safe environment. Ask an usher for assistance.

### Lost and Found

Lost and Found is located at the reception desk in the church office from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm during the week.

### Sunday Morning Messages

You can watch or listen to the Sunday morning messages online. Just go to [www.paznaz.org](http://www.paznaz.org) or download the PazNaz App for iPhone or Android.

## PazNaz Pastoral Team

**Tara Beth Leach**, Senior Pastor  
**B. Scott Anderson**, Executive Pastor

**Mano Agulian**, Armenian Ministries  
**Marcos Canales**, La Fuente Ministries  
**Sam Chung**, Cantonese Ministries  
**Alan De Vries**, Worship & Celebration Arts  
**Joe Halbert**, Service & Outreach  
**Heather Handley**, Youth Pastor  
**Julie Keith**, Special Needs / *In His Image*  
**Timothy Lee**, Korean Ministries  
**Megan Marsh**, Women's Ministries  
**Darwin Ng**, Congregational Care / Senior Adults  
**Doug Ravasdy**, Elementary Ministries  
**Faith Romasco**, Early Childhood Ministries  
**Janine Sagherian**, Sunrise Preschool Director  
**Mackenzie Smith**, Youth Pastor  
**Min Xiao**, Mandarin Ministries



## This Week at PazNaz

### Sunday, February 12

7:40 am Simply Prayer—Bride's Room, Lee Chapel  
8:00 am Morning Worship—Lee Chapel  
8:00 am Early Birds Childcare—228, Arms Hall  
8:30 am Church in the Park—Central Park  
9:15 am Young Adult Ministries—147, Reed Hall  
9:15 am Early Childhood Classes—Arms Hall  
9:15 am Special Needs Children's Class—123, Arms Hall  
9:15 am La Fuente Ministries, Estudio Biblico—146, Reed Hall  
9:15 am 华语主日学 Mandarin Sunday School—149B, Reed Hall  
9:15 am Sunday School for children of all ages  
9:15 am Adult Sunday School Classes—various locations  
9:30 am Cantonese Sunday School—305, Upper Sanctuary  
9:30 am Coffee Talk the a Pastor—Administration Offices  
10:15 am Simply Prayer—Sanctuary  
10:30 am Morning Worship—Sanctuary  
10:30 am Early Childhood Classes—Arms Hall  
10:30 am Children's Church—102, Lower Sanctuary  
10:30 am Special Needs Children's Classes—122 & 123, Arms Hall  
10:30 am Mosaic Special Needs Youth Moderate to Severe Class—115, Lower Sanctuary  
10:30 am Cantonese Service—Lee Chapel  
10:30 am La Fuente Ministries—Meguiar Youth Center  
10:45 am Korean Service—249, Reed Hall  
11:00 am 华语崇拜 Mandarin Service—248, Reed Hall  
11:45 am SonSeekers Rehearsal—108, Lower Sanctuary  
12:10 pm Student Worship Rehearsal—101, Lower Sanctuary  
12:30 pm 华语午餐会 Mandarin Lunch—148, Reed Hall  
1:00 pm 华语体育活动 Mandarin Sports Fellowship—Gym  
6:00 pm Armenian Christian Outreach—Lee Chapel

### Monday, February 13

6:30 pm Men's ACOP Basketball—Gym

### Tuesday, February 14

9:30 am Women in the Word—Gilmore Hall  
12:00 n Valentine's Day Luncheon—Gilmore Hall  
4:00 pm Men's Basketball—Gym, Open to everyone  
7:30 pm Soccer—Gym, Men ages 16 and up

### Wednesday, February 15

12:30 pm Centurion Class Prayer—246, Reed Hall  
2:00 pm Helping Hands—Lower Sanctuary, West Area  
6:30 pm Girlfriend to Girlfriend—Gilmore Hall  
6:30 pm Men's Ministries: *Exodus*—246, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm God's Healing for Life's Losses—247, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm Thrive: Forming—248, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm Nursery, Birth to 2—228, Arms Hall  
6:30 pm Early Childhood, Age 3-K—227, Arms Hall  
6:30 pm PazNaz Kids, grades 1-5—102, Lower Sanctuary  
6:30 pm OASIS—Special Needs Adults Bible Study Fellowship—115, Lower Sanctuary  
6:30 pm Middle & High School Activities—Meguiar Youth Center  
6:30 pm Armenian Christian Outreach Prayer Meeting—148, Reed Hall  
6:45 pm Celebration Choir—101, Lower Sanctuary  
7:00 pm Mandarin Bible Study—149A, Reed Hall  
7:30 pm Armenian Christian Outreach Bible Study—146, Reed Hall

### Thursday, February 16

9:30 am Simply Prayer—Lee Chapel  
7:30 pm Sunrise Orchestra—101, Lower Sanctuary

### Friday, February 17

6:00 am Korean Ministries' Prayer Meeting—249, Reed Hall  
6:00 am Early Christians—247, Reed Hall  
9:15 am MOPS—Gilmore Hall

### Saturday, February 18

10:30 am Healing Rooms—112, Lower Sanctuary

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February 12, 2017

#LivingTheMission



Women's Retreat | February 24-26 | Murrieta Hot Springs





with Pastor Tara Beth Leach—Living the Mission by Formational Practices

**Sermon Text**

Mark 9:14-29

When they came to the other disciples, they saw a large crowd around them and the teachers of the law arguing with them. As soon as all the people saw Jesus, they were overwhelmed with wonder and ran to greet him.

“What are you arguing with them about?” he asked.

A man in the crowd answered, “Teacher, I brought you my son, who is possessed by a spirit that has robbed him of speech. Whenever it seizes him, it throws him to the ground. He foams at the mouth, gnashes his teeth and becomes rigid. I asked your disciples to drive out the spirit, but they could not.”

“You unbelieving generation,” Jesus replied, “how long shall I stay with you? How long shall I put up with you? Bring the boy to me.”

So they brought him. When the spirit saw Jesus, it immediately threw the boy into a convulsion. He fell to the ground and rolled around, foaming at the mouth.

Jesus asked the boy’s father, “How long has he been like this?”

“From childhood,” he answered. “It has often thrown him into fire or water to kill him. But if you can do anything, take pity on us and help us.”

“If you can?” said Jesus. “Everything is possible for one who believes.”

Immediately the boy’s father exclaimed, “I do believe; help me overcome my unbelief!”

When Jesus saw that a crowd was running to the scene, he rebuked the impure spirit. “You deaf and mute spirit,” he said, “I command you, come out of him and never enter him again.”

The spirit shrieked, convulsed him violently and came out. The boy looked so much like a corpse that many said, “He’s dead.” But Jesus took him by the hand and lifted him to his feet, and he stood up.

After Jesus had gone indoors, his disciples asked him privately, “Why couldn’t we drive it out?”

He replied, “This kind can come out only by prayer.”

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Pasadena Campus**  
8:00 am Worship  
Lee Chapel

- Songs of Worship**
- Bless His Holy Name
  - The Steadfast Love of the Lord
  - Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty
  - I Worship You, Almighty God

**Offertory**  
*Our Great Savior*  
Ed Pierson

**Today’s Message**  
Pastor Tara Beth Leach

**Valley Center Campus**  
9:00 am Worship  
Valley Center Sanctuary

- Songs of Worship**
- King of My Heart
  - Once and For All
  - Be Thou My Vision
  - Jesus Messiah
  - Build Your Kingdom Here

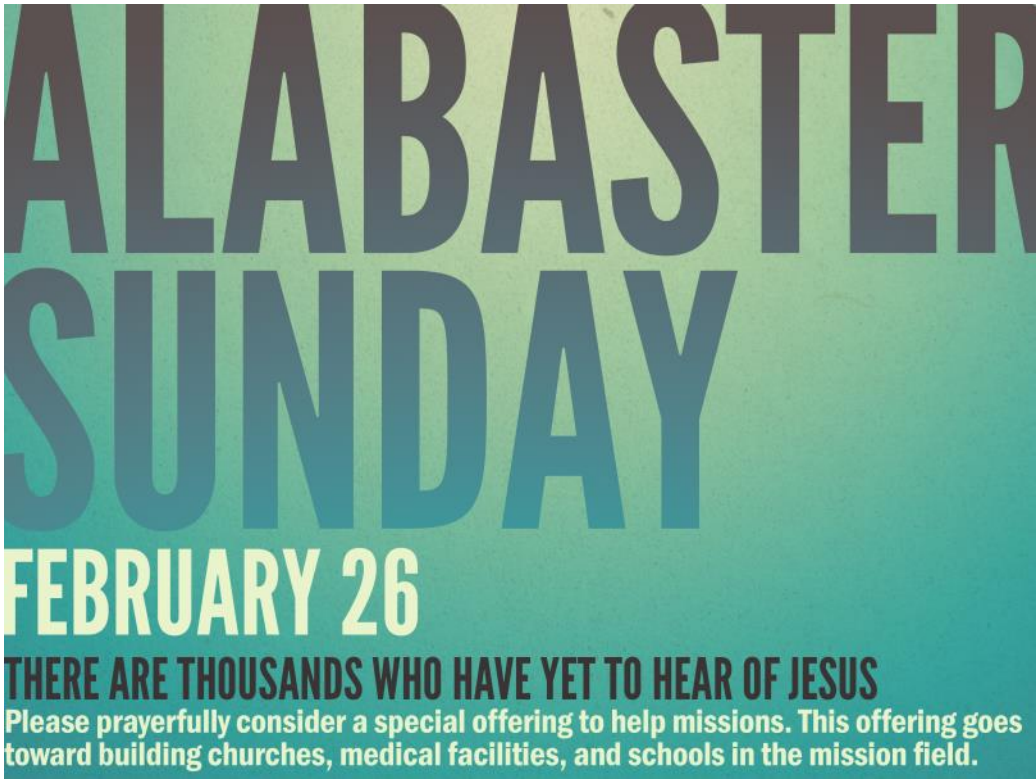
**Today’s Message**  
Pastor Joe Halbert

**Pasadena Campus**  
10:30 am Worship  
PazNaz Sanctuary

- Songs of Worship**
- Mighty Redeemer
  - Do It, Lord
  - Blessed Assurance
  - Hope of the World
  - The King Is Among Us

**Offertory**  
*Cry Out to Jesus*

**Today’s Message**  
Pastor Tara Beth Leach



**Life at PazNaz**

**WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL & ACTIVITIES**

Each Tuesday during the Living the Mission sermon series, you will be able to find a new devotional with activities for you and your family to engage with during the week. Just go to: [www.paznaz.org/LivingTheMission](http://www.paznaz.org/LivingTheMission)

**ALABASTER OFFERING**

Please prayerfully consider a special offering to help missions on February 26. This offering goes toward building churches, medical facilities, and schools in the mission field. Alabaster Offering boxes are a good way to collect change for this special offering and are available at the missions’ kiosk in the Sanctuary foyer.

**SUNRISE BOOK + COFFEE**

After several months of dreaming, planning, and implementation, a newly re-imagined bookstore has reopened as Sunrise Book + Coffee. This will be a place where you can get a great cup of coffee, select the perfect gift for yourself or a friend, and purchase books that will help you in your spiritual development. Visit Sunrise Book + Coffee on Sundays from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm.

**HEALING ROOMS**

The Healing Rooms will next meet on Saturday, February 18, from 10:30 am-12:30 pm. Teams of 2 or 3 volunteers will pray with people for healing or any other personal needs. The Healing Rooms will be located in Room 112, Lower Sanctuary and will be available every first and third Saturday of the month. For more information, please contact Glendae Hauser at 626.388.0376 or Melody Bundy at [mbundy@paznaz.org](mailto:mbundy@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2425.

**POINT LOMA CONCERT CHOIR**

You won’t want to miss Sunday, February 19, when Point Loma Nazarene University’s Concert Choir will be the special musical guest in both of PazNaz’s morning services. In preparation for this event, housing for the students is needed Saturday evening, February 18. If you would like to volunteer your hospitality, please contact Melody Bundy at [mbundy@paznaz.org](mailto:mbundy@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2425.

**ANNUAL ELECTIONS**

On Sundays, March 5 & 12, PazNaz members, age 15 and older, will have the opportunity to elect the church leadership for the coming fiscal year. You may cast your ballot before or after each scheduled service. Sample ballots will be available Sunday, February 26.

**ELECTION VOLUNTEERS**

Volunteers are needed to staff the voting tables and count ballots for the annual church elections on Sundays, March 5 & 12. If you would be willing to help, please contact Melody Bundy at [mbundy@paznaz.org](mailto:mbundy@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2425.

**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE**

Join your PazNaz family for a special Wednesday night service celebrating Ash Wednesday and the start of the Lenten season on March 1 at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary. Regularly scheduled Wednesday activities will not be held so that you may attend the special service, but they will start again on Wednesday, March 8.

**GOD’S HEALING FOR LIFE’S LOSSES**

If you experience loss in your life, including losing a loved one, health, relationship, finance, and others, this class will provide a safe place for you to share and receive support. Using the book *God’s Healing for Life’s Losses*, the group will walk with you to find comfort and hope in Christ. This group meets on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in Room 247, Reed Hall. For more information contact Ginny Pedrotti at 626.446.5009.

**Life at PazNaz**

**WOMEN’S MINISTRIES**

**Women’s Retreat** - Women of all ages are invited to Murrieta Hot Springs from February 24-26 for a Women’s Retreat entitled, *Be Still: Listening for His Voice*, with speaker Jayme Lenker and worship led by Rosa Ramirez. Registration costs \$170 and opens today. Registration fees include five meals and lodging. Partial scholarships are available. Contact Barbara Fields at [bfields@paznaz.org](mailto:bfields@paznaz.org) for more information.

**Women in the Word** - On Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am in Gilmore Hall, *Women in the Word* is a group of over 100 ladies who study the Bible together working through different themes. This winter the group is studying *Jesus the One and Only* by Beth Moore. There is a \$20 fee for materials. For more information, contact Bonnie Jakeway at [bonniejakeway6@gmail.com](mailto:bonniejakeway6@gmail.com).

**Girlfriend to Girlfriend** - Join this group of women on Wednesday nights at 6:30 pm in Gilmore Hall. The group is studying *Messy Spirituality: God’s Annoying Love for Imperfect People* by Mike Yaconelli. Books are available in class. There is a \$20 fee for materials. Scholarships are available. Contact Megan Marsh for more information at [mmarsh@paznaz.org](mailto:mmarsh@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2429.

**PASADENA PRIMETIME**

**South Dakota Trip** - If you are age 55 or better, plan to join Pasadena PrimeTime for a fun and exciting trip to South Dakota from August 16-22. The trip includes visits to Mount Rushmore, Crazy Horse Memorial, and much more. Early reservations cost \$2,449 for double occupancy and \$2,999 for single occupancy. Secure your spot by making a \$500 payment by Thursday, February 16. Sign up at HeBrews on Sundays or contact Sylva Hekimian at 626.351.2426.

**Three District Retreat** - If you are age 55 or better, don’t miss this retreat sponsored by the Church of the Nazarene as an event for spiritual renewal, Christian fellowship, and pure fun. Pick up a registration brochure at the Welcome Center on Sundays, or contact Sylva Hekimian at 626.351.2426.

**SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY**

**Joni and Friends Family Retreat** - Sign up today for this five-day family retreat at Murrieta Hot Springs from July 10-15. Registration is now open at: [www.joniandfriends.org](http://www.joniandfriends.org). For scholarships, contact Sylva Hekimian at [shekimian@paznaz.org](mailto:shekimian@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2426.

**MEN’S MINISTRIES**

**Exodus: The Story of Redemption** - Sometimes, in order for God to get your attention, he must first do something so unusual and unexpected in your life that you have no other choice than to stop, look, and listen. Everything that happens in your life narrative, whether good or bad, reminds you that when you submit to God’s way, he’ll do amazing things in and through you. Despite past failures, deep disappointments, hardships, grief, and pain, your life can still be used to accomplish his divine plan. Join this group of men on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in Room 246, Reed Hall. Contact Pastor Joe Halbert for more information at [jhalbert@paznaz.org](mailto:jhalbert@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2421.

**PAZNANZ GIVING UPDATE**

**Tithes and Offerings Year to Date**

Received February 5—\$45,209  
Needed per Sunday—\$39,185  
Received Year-to-Date—\$2,131,622  
Budget Year-to-Date—\$2,171,285

**Faith Promise/World Evangelism—Missions**

Received February 5—\$3,344  
Needed per Sunday—\$5,150  
Received Year-to-Date—\$228,684  
Budget Year-to-Date—\$297,928

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