# Life at Valley Center

## **TEAM WORLD VISION RALLY**

Today, Sunday, October 22, Team World Vision representatives will be available to share about how you can help end the dirty water crisis in other parts of the world. For additional information, please contact Pastor Joe Halbert at *jhalbert@paznaz.org* or 626.351.2421.

#### **CHRISTMAS CHOIR**

On Friday, December 15, Valley Center will host its fourth annual community outreach Christmas production. This year's musical drama is *How Should a King Come*. For additional information, please contact Pastor Alan Devries at *adevries@paznaz.org* or 626.351.2419.

# **BAPTISM/CHURCH MEMBERSHIP**

Are you interested in baptism or church membership? Talk to Pastor Joe Halbert following today's service or contact him at <code>jhalbert@paznaz.org</code> or 626.351.2421.

# **COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULTS**

Monday Night Fellowship - Take a break from school and work schedules for a night of family-style dinner and fellowship at Pastor Joe and Cindy Halbert's home each Monday night from 6:00-8:00 pm. Contact Cindy Halbert at jhalbert@paznaz.org for more details.

#### **COMPASSIONATE MINISTRIES**

Prayer partners are needed on-site for Church in the Park, a ministry that serves those who are homeless in the Pasadena area. For more information please contact Pastor Joe Halbert at <code>jhalbert@paznaz.org</code> or 626.351.2421.

# Leadership Team

Joe Halbert, Campus Pastor
Hadley Halbert & Nathan Rodriguez, Worship Leaders
Terry Irish, Associate Pastor
Scott Farris, Youth Ministry Director
Liane D'Arezzo, Valley Center Preschool Director

# This Week at VC

10:15 am Morning Worship-Sanctuary

# Sunday, October 22

9:45 am Simply Prayer—Sanctuary
10:00 am Nursery Care (Birth - 3)
10:00 am Children's Church (Age 4 - 4<sup>th</sup> Grade)
Children's Room

# Monday, October 23

6:00 pm Young Adult Fellowship—Halbert Home

### Tuesday, October 24

No activities this day

#### Wednesday, October 25

6:30 pm Find the classes that are right for you and your whole family on the PazNaz campus.

# Thursday, October 26

7:30 pm Worship Team Rehearsal—Sanctuary

## Friday, October 27

No activities this day

#### Saturday, October 28

No activities this day

# **VALLEY CENTER GIVING UPDATE**

**Tithes and Offerings Year to Date** 

Received October 15—\$1,406 Needed per Sunday—\$1,924 Received Year-to-Date—\$56,676 Budget Year-to-Date—\$55,796

The church fiscal year is from April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018

# Valley Center: A Campus of PazNaz

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Saturday, October 28, at PazNaz

more details: missioalliance.org/sheleads

# IT'S TIME

for **women** and **men** together to reimagine God's vision for shared leadership in the Church.







**Helpful Information** 

# **Parking Lot Shuttle**

A shuttle is available at the back ramps and on the patio for those in need of assistance. Call 626.351.9631 for service.

# **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.

# **Welcome Center**

It's the central kiosk on the patio. Guests can stop by for a friendly hello 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 or look up PazNaz Weekly Sermons on iTunes.

# **PazNaz Pastoral Team**

Tara Beth Leach, Senior Pastor

**Brad Strawn**, Teaching Pastor **Min Xiao**, Mandarin Ministries

Mano Agulian, Armenian Ministries
Marcos Canales, La Fuente Ministries
Sam Chung, Cantonese Ministries
Ali Deckard, Creative Worship
Alan De Vries, Instrumental & Choral Music
Joe Halbert, Service & Outreach
Heather Handley, Youth Pastor
Julie Keith, Special Needs / In His Image
Timothy Lee, Korean Ministries
Darwin Ng, Congregational Care / Senior Adults
Ali Ravasdy, Early Childhood Ministries
Doug Ravasdy, Elementary Ministries
Faith Romasco, Formation
Janine Sagherian, Sunrise Preschool Director
Mackenzie Smith, Youth Pastor



# **This Week at PazNaz**

Morning Worship—Lee Chapel

Simply Prayer—Bride's Room, Lee Chapel

Early Birds Childcare-228, Arms Hall

# Sunday, October 22

7:40 am

8:00 am

8:00 am

Church in the Park—Central Park 8:30 am 9:15 am Early Childhood Classes—Arms Hall Special Needs Children's Class—123, Arms Hall 9:15 am 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—245, Lee Chapel 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—122 & 123, Arms Hall Special Needs Youth Moderate to Severe — 10:30 am 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 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 5:00 pm New Ground-Gilmore Hall, South Armenian Christian Outreach—Lee Chapel 6:00 pm

# Monday, October 23

6:30 pm Men's ACOP Basketball—Gym

# Tuesday, October 24

9:30 am Women in the Word—Gilmore Hall
4:00 pm Men's Basketball—Gym, Open to everyone
7:00 pm ACOP Men's Soccer—Gym
7:00 pm ACOP Women's Fitness & Bible Study—132,
Meguiar Youth Center

# Wednesday, October 25 12:30 pm Centurion Class Pr

Centurion Class Prayer—246, Reed Hall 2:00 pm Helping Hands—Lower Sanctuary, West Area Girlfriend to Girlfriend—Gilmore Hall 6:30 pm 6:30 pm Men's Ministries: Goliath-246, Reed Hall God's Healing for Life's Losses-247, Reed Hall 6:30 pm 6:30 pm Thriving: Restarting—248, Reed Hall 6:30 nm The Gathering-Lee Chapel 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 Special Needs Adults-115, Lower Sanctuary 6:30 pm Middle & High School-Meguiar Youth Center 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-

## Thursday, October 26

10:00 am Simply Prayer-Lee Chapel

146, Reed Hall

## Friday, October 27

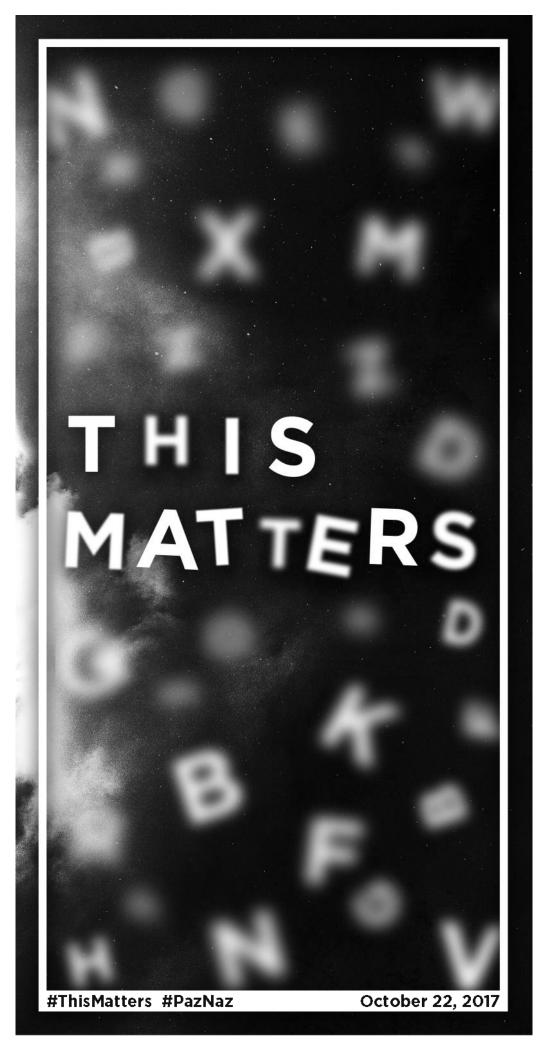
6:00 am Korean Ministries' Prayer Meeting—249, Reed Hall 6:00 am Early Christians—247, Reed Hall

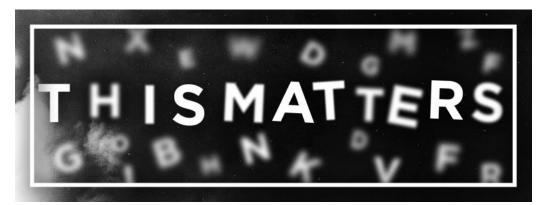
# Saturday, October 28

8:30 am SheLeads Summit—Sanctuary

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#### with Brian Utter-The Global Neighborhood Matters



#### Today's Speaker: Brian Utter, Missionary

Brian Utter is on specialized volunteer global assignment for the Church of the Nazarene. Brian serves in dual responsibilities as the Global Coordinator for World Mission Broadcast and as General Manager for the Shine.FM radio network at Olivet Nazarene University. Brian served as Regional Communications Coordinator for the South America Region from 2001 through 2008.

Brian graduated with a BA in Communications from Olivet Nazarene University in 1991, an MA in Missiology from Nazarene Theological Seminary in Kansas City in 1994 and an MA is Communications from the University of Barcelona in Barcelona, Spain in 2008. Brian is married to Lynne who serves as the administrative assistant to the School of Music at Olivet Nazarene University.

They have two sons, Jacob and Michael.

#### **Sermon Text:**

2 Corinthians 10:3-6 MSG

The world is unprincipled. It's dog-eat-dog out there! The world doesn't fight fair. But we don't live or fight our battles that way-never have and never will. The tools of our trade aren't for marketing or manipulation, but they are for demolishing that entire massively corrupt culture. We use our powerful God-tools for smashing warped philosophies, tearing down barriers erected against the truth of God, fitting every loose thought and emotion and impulse into the structure of life shaped by Christ. Our tools are ready at hand for clearing the ground of every obstruction and building lives of obedience into maturity.

# **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

Pasadena Campus 8:00 am Worship Lee Chapel

#### Songs of Worship

- Let's Just Praise the Lord
- I Love to Tell the Story
- Song for the Nations
- Freely

Ed Pierson

Today's Message

# Valley Center Campus 10:15 am Worship Valley Center Sanctuary

- **Songs of Worship** Happy Day
- Blessed Be Your Name
- Mighty to Save
- King of My Heart
- I Come to the Altar
- Your Great Name

Today's Message

Pastor Joe Halbert

# Pasadena Campus 10:30 am Worship

# PazNaz Sanctuary

- **Songs of Worship** He Reigns
- You Are Good
- Build Your Kingdom Here
- I Need Thee Every Hour
- In Us

Anthem of Praise

Today's Message

Brian Utter





# Life at PazNaz

# **TEAM WORLD VISION:** LA MARATHON INFORMATION MEETINGS

If you would like to be a part of this year's team, plan to be attend one of the informational meetings on Sunday, October 22. The first is in Lee Chapel immediately following the 8:00 am service. The second is in the Sanctuary following the 10:30 am service. For additional information please contact Pastor Joe Halbert at jhalbert@paznaz.org or 626.351.2421.

#### **CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED**

PazNaz's Fall Festival needs tons of candy to make this year a success! Drop off bags of individually wrapped candies at the Welcome Center on Sundays or in the church office during the week.

## **FALL FESTIVAL 2017**

PazNaz's annual Fall Festival is back again on Tuesday. October 31, from 6:00-8:30 pm in the lower parking lot of the PazNaz campus. This family-friendly event will feature games, trunk-or-treat, food, a cake walk, free popcorn, and a petting zoo. If you would like more information, contact Pastor Julie Keith at jkeith@paznaz.org or 626.351.2485. Sign up to volunteer at: link.paznaz.org/FallFest.

#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Be a part of changing children's lives all over the world in Jesus' name just by packing a shoebox. You can pick up information and a shoebox on the patio on Sundays starting today, Sunday, October 22. Contact Emily Shnorhokian at eshnorkhokian@paznaz.org for details.

# **ENGAGING MORALISM AS** CITIZENS OF THE KINGDOM

Be a part of this engaging and entertaining evening on Sunday, October 29, at 6:00 pm in Gilmore Hall. Pastor Tara Beth Leach will be joined by other panelists including Ron Benefiel, Ph.D., Dean Nelson, Ph.D, and Scott Skiles in responding to questions and discussing the challenges of what it means to be a moral people. Is morality sometimes confused with cultural norms? Who decides where to draw the lines regarding acceptable moral behavior in the church? Does an emphasis on morality sabotage our attempts at mission, or has the church become 'soft on sin'? For more information, contact Dan Rover at danrover@earthlink.net.

# **PAZNAZ GIVING STATEMENTS**

PazNaz will no longer send out quarterly giving statements unless they are specifically requested. Year-end giving statements for all of 2017 will automatically be sent in January as usual. If you would like to receive a statement of your giving for the third quarter of 2017, please contact Pat Todd at ptodd@paznaz.org or 626.351.2416.

## **COFFEE TALK WITH A PASTOR**

Are you new to PazNaz and want to find out more about this church community? Are you looking to connect and become involved in the life at PazNaz? You are invited to meet with one of the pastoral staff on the second Sunday of the month and have your questions answered in a small intimate setting. The next meeting is Sunday, November 12, at 9:30 am in Pastor Tara Beth Leach's Office. For more information, contact Pastor Julie Keith at jkeith@paznaz.org or 626.351.2485.

### **FPRC ANNUAL GALA TICKETS**

Help support Foothills Pregnancy Resource Center, a PazNaz community partner, by attending their annual gala on Friday, November 3, in Gilmore Hall. The night will feature dinner, music, special speakers including Pastor Tara Beth Leach, and a silent auction. Tickets are \$80 each or \$600 for a table of eight. Purchase your tickets on Sundays, October 15, 22, & 29 at the Welcome Center. For more information, contact Lori Berg at 626.358.2122.

# Life at PazNaz

#### PASADENA PRIMETIME

Thanksgiving Dinner - If you are age 55 and better, come enjoy an evening with Pastor Joe Halbert and special music by Hadley Halbert on Thursday, November 9, at 6:00 pm in Gilmore Hall. The cost is \$17 per person. Sign up at the Welcome Center on Sundays or contact Sylva Hekimian at shekimian@paznaz.org or 626.351.2426.

#### **CHRISTMAS CHOIR**

You are invited to participate in the Celebration choir for the new musical drama, How Should A King Come. This beautiful presentation includes adult and kids choirs, full orchestra, and drama. Keys dates are: Dress rehearsal on Wednesday, December 6, at 7:00 pm; and presentations on Saturday, December 9, at 4:00 pm and Sunday, December 10, at 6:00 pm. For information, please contact Pastor Alan De Vries at adevries@paznaz.org or 626.351.2419.

#### **CALLING ALL ACTORS**

We still need of one male actor between 40-60 years old as well as a few more narrators for the Christmas musical, How Should a King Come. Dress rehearsal and presentation dates include: December 6 at 7:00 pm; December 9 at 4:00pm; and December 10 at 6:00pm. Please contact Pastor Alan De Vries for more details and audition information at adevries@paznaz.org or 626.351.2419.

## **WOMEN'S MINISTRIES**

**Opportunity Drawing Donations** - Women's Ministries is seeking donations for their annual fundraiser, Ladies Night Out. If you have items such as sports tickets, theatre tickets, gift cards, services, or a themed basket of items that you'd like to donate, please stop by the Women's Ministries' cart on Sundays to get a donation form and submit it to the church office no later than Friday, November 17. For more information, contact Jazmin Lopez at jlopez@paznaz.org or 626.351.2429.

Ladies Night Out Tickets - Women's Ministries' largest fundraiser is back on November 30 & December 1 from 7:00-8:30 pm in Gilmore Hall. Tickets for Ladies Night Out: Love Came Down are \$20 and are available starting Sunday, November 5, on the patio. Enjoy dinner, entertainment, and participate in fabulous opportunity drawings. For more information, contact Jazmin Lopez at ilopez@paznaz.org or 626.351.2429.

#### SHELEADS SUMMIT

It's time for women and men to rediscover together God's vision for shared leadership in the Church and Christian ministry. You are invited to attend SheLeads: A Missio Alliance Summit at PazNaz on Saturday, October 28, at 8:30 am. The Summit exists to encourage and equip our sisters and to welcome our brothers as we imagine together where God is leading his Church for the blessing of the nations. This Summit also serves as the launch for Pastor Tara Beth Leach's book Emboldened: A Vision for Empowering Women in Ministry. For more information and to register, go to www.missioalliance.org/sheleads. PazNaz members receive a 30% discount with the code: PAZNAZGUEST.

## PAZNAZ GIVING UPDATE **Tithes and Offerings Year to Date**

Received October 15-\$26,473 Needed per Sunday-\$55,068 Received Year-to-Date-\$1.126.341 Budget Year-to-Date-\$1,357,664

#### Faith Promise/World Evangelism-Missions

Received October 15—\$2,185 Needed per Sunday-\$3,318 Received Year-to-Date-\$66,085 Budget Year-to-Date-\$96.222

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