

## Life at Valley Center

### WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Ladies, you are invited to join the weekly Wednesday evening Bible study at the home of Ann Ketterling at 7:00 pm. This is a meaningful time of studying God's Word, praying, and sharing life together. The group is currently working through Philip Yancey's *What's So Amazing About Grace*. There is a \$10.50 fee for materials. Scholarships are available. For more information, contact Cindy Halbert at [theinsidestory2@aol.com](mailto:theinsidestory2@aol.com) or 661.333.1231.

### 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. So please notify Pastor Joe Halbert at [jhalbert@paznaz.org](mailto:jhalbert@paznaz.org), or by calling him directly at 626.351.2427. Pastor Joe will alert the pastoral staff and the other prayer teams that meet throughout the week.

### GET WEEKLY CHURCH UPDATES

If you would like to get weekly email updates about the church, sign up at: [www.valleycenterchurch.org/welcome/email-updates](http://www.valleycenterchurch.org/welcome/email-updates)

## This Week at VC

### Sunday, May 22

10:30 am Morning Worship  
PazNaz Sanctuary

### Monday, May 23

*No activities this day*

### Tuesday, May 24

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

### Wednesday, May 25

6:30 pm Find the classes that are right for you and your whole family on the PazNaz campus.  
7:00 pm Women's Book Study—Ann Ketterling's Home

### Thursday, May 26

7:30 pm Worship Team Rehearsal—Sanctuary

### Friday, May 27

*No activities this day*

### Saturday, May 28

*No activities this day*

### VALLEY CENTER GIVING UPDATE

#### Tithes and Offerings Year to Date

Received May 15—\$1,109  
Needed per Sunday—\$2,086  
Received Year-to-Date—\$11,146  
Budget Year-to-Date—\$13,725

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

### Valley Center: A Campus of PazNaz

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### Leadership Team

**Joe Halbert**, Campus Pastor  
**Leslie Cheng & Warren Tang**, Worship Leaders  
**Terry Irish**, Associate Pastor  
**Scott Farris**, Youth Ministry Director  
**Liane D'Arezzo**, Valley Center Preschool Director

## 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.

### Mandarin Interpretation Devices

These devices are available in the Usher's Closet for the 10:30 am service in the Sanctuary.

### 中文同传翻译服务

中文翻译收听机用于周日上午10:30/12:00主堂敬拜; 请向引导员提取。

### 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 and 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  
**Alan De Vries**, Worship & Arts  
**Joe Halbert**, Service & Outreach  
**Darwin Ng**, Congregational Care / Senior Adults

**Faith Romasco**, Early Childhood Ministries  
**Doug Ravasdy**, Children's Ministries  
**Mackenzie Smith**, Middle School Ministries  
**Heather Rickert**, Associate Youth Pastor  
**Julie Keith**, Special Needs / *In His Image*  
**Megan Marsh**, Women's Ministries  
**Janine Sagherian**, Sunrise Preschool Director

**Mano Agulian**, Armenian Christian Outreach  
**Marcos Canales**, Hispanic Ministries  
**Timothy Lee**, Korean Ministries  
**Min Xiao**, Mandarin Ministries



## This Week at PazNaz

### Sunday, May 22

8:30 am Church in the Park—Central Park  
9:15 am Young Adult Ministries—149A, 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 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  
10:30 am Morning Worship—Sanctuary  
10:30 am Early Childhood Classes—Arms Hall  
12:30 pm Complimentary Welcome Lunch—Gilmore Hall  
6:00 pm Armenian Christian Outreach—Lee Chapel

### Monday, May 23

6:00 am Men's Bible Study—Denny's at  
2627 East Colorado Boulevard, Pasadena, 91107

### Tuesday, May 24

9:30 am Women in the Word—Gilmore Hall  
4:00 pm Men's Basketball—Gym, Open to everyone  
7:30 pm Mandarin Bible Study—249, Reed Hall  
7:30 pm Soccer—Gym, Open to everyone

### Wednesday, May 25

2:00 pm Helping Hands—Lower Sanctuary, West Area  
6:30 pm Girlfriend to Girlfriend—Gilmore Hall  
6:30 pm Men's Ministries: *Perfectly Imperfect*—246, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm God's Healing for Life's Losses—247, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm Restarting—248, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm The Gathering—Lee Chapel  
6:30 pm Positive Parenting—249, 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—149B, Reed Hall  
6:45 pm Celebration Choir—101, Lower Sanctuary  
7:30 pm Armenian Christian Outreach Bible Study—146, Reed Hall

### Thursday, May 26

7:00 pm Cantonese *Word of Life* Bible Study—Lee Chapel  
7:30 pm Sunrise Orchestra—101, Lower Sanctuary

### Friday, May 27

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

### Saturday, May 28

*No activities this day*

### First Church of the Nazarene of Pasadena

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# Installation Sunday



Rev. Tara Beth Leach  
Senior Pastor  
May 22, 2016

PazNaz

**Help PazNaz Kids & Student Ministries  
Go to Camp this Summer**

Sunday, May 29

**HOTDOG  
FUNDRAISER**

12:30 pm on the patio

**Hot Dogs, Chips, and Drink for \$2.50**

# Installation Sunday



with Tara Beth Leach - A Million Moments

## Biography: Rev. Tara Beth Leach

After graduating from Olivet Nazarene University in 2005 with a BA in Youth Ministry, Tara Beth has had the opportunity to serve in full-time ministry in various churches from Upstate New York to Naperville, Illinois, as a Teaching Pastor, Women's Pastor, and Youth Pastor. She is a student at Northern Theological Seminary where she also works as a Teaching Assistant for Scot McKnight and will graduate with her Masters of Divinity on June 11, 2016.

She is a regular writer for *Missio Alliance* and has contributed to other publications such as *Christian Week*, *The Jesus Creed*, *The Table Magazine*, *Reflecting the Image Devotional*, *Renovating Holiness*, and most recently a chapter in *The Apostle Paul and the Christian Life: Ethical and Missional Implications of the New Perspective* with other contributors including N.T. Wright, James D.G. Dunn, Scot McKnight, and Bruce Longenecker. Her chapter is entitled "The Symphonic Melody: Wesleyan Holiness Theology Meets New Perspective Paul." Tara Beth is also the author of the forthcoming InterVarsity Press book, *Emboldened* (2017), and a Beacon Hill Press book, *Kingdom Culture* (late 2016).

She has two beautiful and rambunctious children, Caleb and Noah, and has been married to the love of her life, Jeff, for almost 10 years.

## Sermon Text

*Esther 4:9-17*

Hathak went back and reported to Esther what Mordecai had said. Then she instructed him to say to Mordecai, "All the king's officials and the people of the royal provinces know that for any man or woman who approaches the king in the inner court without being summoned the king has but one law: that they be put to death unless the king extends the gold scepter to them and spares their lives. But thirty days have passed since I was called to go to the king."

When Esther's words were reported to Mordecai, he sent back this answer: "Do not think that because you are in the king's house you alone of all the Jews will escape. For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your father's family will perish. And who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?"

Then Esther sent this reply to Mordecai: "Go, gather together all the Jews who are in Susa, and fast for me. Do not eat or drink for three days, night or day. I and my attendants will fast as you do. When this is done, I will go to the king, even though it is against the law. And if I perish, I perish."

So Mordecai went away and carried out all of Esther's instructions.

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Songs of Worship

Let Us Draw Near to God Medley  
All the People Said Amen  
All Hail / You Are Good

### Installation Service

Rev. Greg Garman, LA District Superintendent

### Anthem

*Children of the World*

### Offertory

*Testify / Lay Me Down*

### Today's Message

Rev. Tara Beth Leach, Senior Pastor  
*A Million Moments - Esther 4:9-17*



Today's special Installation Service will feature one combined service at 10:30 am in the Sanctuary. After the service, please help welcome Pastor Tara Beth Leach and her family at a complimentary lunch in Gilmore Hall.

## Life at PazNaz

### PAZNAZ ELECTION RESULTS

The results for the Sunday School Discipleship Ministries Board vote were: Melissa Burns (Yes-180, No-4), Nora Doctorian (Yes-180, No-3), and Dan Royer (Yes-178, No-7). The results for the District Assembly Approval vote were: Yes-167, No-0. Thank you to all who voted last Sunday!

### HOT DOG FUNDRAISER

On Sunday, May 29, join PazNaz Kids and Student Ministries for their Hot Dog Fundraiser on the patio. Lunch will be served at 12:30 pm. Hot dogs, chips, and a drink cost \$2.50. All proceeds will go towards helping kids go to camp this summer. Contact Doug Ravasdy for more information at [dravasdy@paznaz.org](mailto:dravasdy@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2456.

### TRANSFORMED UNDER THE PEPPER TREE

The newest edition has hit the round-abouts. Pick up your copy today and read articles from Pastor Tara Beth Leach and PazNaz members, Leslie Prescott and Norma Ramirez.

### HEALING ROOMS

The Healing Rooms will next meet on Saturday, May 21, 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.

### WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION ARTS

Vocal ministry is available for all ages: *SonSeekers*, a children's choir for grades 1-5, meets Sundays from 11:50 am-12:35 pm in Room 112, Lower Sanctuary; *Student Worship Group*, a student choir for grades 6-12, meets Sundays from 12:10-12:40 pm in Room 101, Lower Sanctuary; *Celebration Choir* meets Wednesdays, 6:45- 8:30 pm in Room 101, Lower Sanctuary; Instrumental ministries include *Sunrise Orchestra* and *Praise Band*. If you play guitar, bass, drums, piano, or play a brass, string, or woodwind instrument, consider using your gift in these ensembles. For more information, please contact Pastor Alan De Vries at 626.351.2419.

### ROOTED ON WEDNESDAYS

On Wednesdays at 6:30 pm, join your PazNaz family each week for a variety of classes and groups for all ages. For more information about classes, pick up the *Rooted* flyer from the round-abouts on campus or contact Stacey Maljian at 626.351.2421.

### RESTARTING

Restarting is a revolutionary solution-based approach for building joy, receiving inner healing, and developing life-giving relationships. Advancing beyond traditional treatment, current support group methods, and secular or spiritual approaches to recovery, *Restarting* offers hope for those that have tried other approaches and still feel hurt, empty, and alone. Restart your recovery for the first time! This group will meet on Wednesdays starting April 13 at 6:30 pm in Room 249, Reed Hall. For more information contact Maria Berbee at 626.319.9288.

### GOD'S HEALING FOR LIFE'S LOSSES

When life's losses invade your world, learn how to face suffering with God. This will be a raw and honest study concerning suffering, loss, and grief from a Christian perspective. Ginny Pedrotti, a retired pastor/missionary will be teaching the grief recovery class. She longs for others to find hope and strength to go on with life, and to have a safe place in which to mourn. This group will meet on Wednesdays starting April 13 at 6:30 pm in Room 247, Reed Hall. For more information contact Ginny Pedrotti at 626.446.5009.

## Life at PazNaz

### NEW FRIENDS LUNCH

Are you relatively new to PazNaz? On Sunday, June 12, at 12:15 pm in Gilmore Hall enjoy a delicious lunch, meet the pastoral staff and new friends, and receive your gift bag as a way of saying "thanks for being here!" RSVP to Stacey Maljian at [smaljian@paznaz.org](mailto:smaljian@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2421.

### PASADENA PRIMETIME

**Summer Bar-B-Que** - If you are age 55 or better, you won't want to miss the fun and fellowship at the Annual Summer Bar-B-Que on Thursday, June 9, at 6:00 pm in Gilmore Hall. The cost is \$17. To reserve your spot, stop by HeBrews on Sundays or the church office during the week. Tickets must be purchased by June 5. If you have questions, contact Sylva Hekimian at 626.351.2426.

### WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

**Testimony & Praise** - All women are invited to share in a time of worship led by Leslie Cheng and hear the testimony of new senior pastor, Tara Beth Leach, on Friday, June 3, at 7:00 pm in Lee Chapel. A reception will follow in Gilmore Hall, North. Come connect with other women. Childcare is available when you RSVP to Pastor Faith Romasco at [fromasco@paznaz.org](mailto:fromasco@paznaz.org). Contact Megan Marsh at [mmmarsh@paznaz.org](mailto:mmmarsh@paznaz.org) for more information.

**Women in the Word** - This is a morning Bible study with over 100 women who study the Bible together working through different themes. Come to Gilmore Hall from 9:30-11:30 am to study *Father Abraham: His Life, His Covenants, & His Descendants* led by Robin Johnson Smith. There is a \$20 fee for materials. Scholarships are available. Contact Bonnie Jakeway at 626.963.3107 or [bonniejakeway@yahoo.com](mailto:bonniejakeway@yahoo.com) for more information. Free children's programming is available by contacting Pastor Faith Romasco at [fromasco@paznaz.org](mailto:fromasco@paznaz.org).

**Girlfriend to Girlfriend** - This is an evening book study with 70 ladies who study, pray, and share life together. Come to Gilmore Hall from 6:30-8:00 pm to study Lysa TerKeurst's book, *The Best Yes*, led by Kelli Slattery. Books will be available the first day of class. There is a \$20 fee for materials and scholarships are available. For more information, contact Sherry Kefalas at [kefalasdesigns@gmail.com](mailto:kefalasdesigns@gmail.com) or 626.831.7590.

### MEN'S MINISTRIES

**Perfectly Imperfect** - This new series is all about people whose true-to-life stories are found in the Old Testament. Join this group of men on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in Room 246, Reed Hall. This spring, you will get a glimpse of how God wants to transform you from what you are into what you can be. Contact Pastor Joe Halbert for more information at [jhalbert@paznaz.org](mailto:jhalbert@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2421.

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### PAZN AZ GIVING UPDATE Tithes and Offerings Year to Date

Received May 15—\$87,194  
Needed per Sunday—\$49,767  
Received Year-to-Date—\$301,827  
Budget Year-to-Date—\$325,037

### Faith Promise/World Evangelism—Missions

Received May 15—\$2,646  
Needed per Sunday—\$5,919  
Received Year-to-Date—\$25,964  
Budget Year-to-Date—\$39,717

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