

## Life at PazNaz

### SUNDAY SCHOOL NAME CHANGE

The Band Adult Sunday School class, taught by Dr. Brad Strawn, has a new name: S.A.L.T. Come join us at 9:15 am in Gilmore Hall, South to find out what S.A.L.T. stands for and how the new name better reflects the heart of the class.

### GRIEF SUPPORT

If you are struggling with grief, along with the disappointments and chaos of life, you are invited to this Grief Support class. The study will be from the book *Emotionally Healthy Spirituality* by Pete Scazzero. The group meets on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in Room 247, Reed Hall. Contact Ginny Pedrotti for more information at 760.985.5171.

### MEN'S MINISTRIES

**The Habit on Wednesdays**—You are invited to join this group of guys for fellowship and/or dinner at *The Habit* (3733 East Foothill Boulevard, Pasadena 91107) at 5:00 pm on Wednesdays ... and don't forget, you get free ice cream at the end. Contact Tom Calnon at 626.622.3872 for more information.

**All In** - You are one decision away from a totally different life. Join this group of men on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in Room 246, Reed Hall as they study Mark Batterson's book, *All In*. Contact David Mimms for more information at [dmimms@paznaz.org](mailto:dmimms@paznaz.org).

### WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

**Girlfriend to Girlfriend** - Women of all ages are invited to gather on Wednesdays in Gilmore Hall from 6:30-8:00 pm and explore Mark Batterson's book, *Whisper*, where you will learn how to hear the voice of God. There is a \$20 fee for materials, and books will be available in class. Contact Debra Wilkens at [dwilkens@ix.netcom.com](mailto:dwilkens@ix.netcom.com) for more information.

**MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) and Mom's Next** - This group of mothers meets on alternating Fridays from 9:15 -11:45 am in Gilmore Hall and provides moms with a hot meal, relevant teaching, support from Mentor Moms, companionship, and childcare. Pregnant women and mothers with children of all ages are invited to attend. This year's theme is "Find Your Fire." The cost for the semester is \$110 for moms with children in MOPS Kids, or \$60 for moms only. Contact Jana Best at [paznazmops@gmail.com](mailto:paznazmops@gmail.com) for more information.

### PAZNAZ GIVING UPDATE

#### Tithes & Offerings

Received February 3—\$36,860  
Received Year-to-Date—\$1,918,576  
Budget Year-to-Date—\$1,990,624  
Difference—(\$72,048)

#### Faith Promise/Missions

Received February 3—\$1,241  
Received Year-to-Date—\$100,444  
Budget Year-to-Date—\$109,121  
Difference—(\$8,677)

The church fiscal year is from April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019



## 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.

### Congregational Care Hotline

Your pastoral staff wants to join you in prayer and support when you or members of your family are in the hospital or in any other crisis. Please notify us directly at 626.351.2444.

### Guest Registration

Complete the information requested on the Connect Card in the pew rack in front of you.

### 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.

### Mother's Room for Babies

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 look up *PazNaz Weekly Sermons* on iTunes.

## PazNaz Leadership

### Preaching Team

**Tara Beth Leach**, Senior Pastor  
**Dr. Joe Watkins**, Executive Pastor  
**Dr. Brad Strawn**, Teaching Pastor  
**Faith Romasco**, Pastor of Formation

### Pastoral Team

**Mano Agulian**, Armenian Ministries  
**Marcos Canales**, La Fuente Ministries  
**Alan De Vries**, Pastoral Care  
**Ali Deckard**, Creative Worship  
**Sarah Hong**, Cantonese Ministries  
**Julie Keith**, Family Life Ministries/Special Needs  
**Timothy Lee**, Korean Ministries  
**Dave Myers**, Student Ministries  
**Darwin Ng**, Congregational Care/Senior Adults  
**Rosa Ramirez**, Compassionate Ministries  
**Ali Ravasdy**, Early Childhood Ministries  
**Margo Pehlivanos**, Sunrise Preschool Director  
**Emily Shnorhokian**, Family Life Associate  
**Min Xiao**, Mandarin Ministries

## This Week at PazNaz

### Sunday, February 10

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 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 粵語主日學 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  
10:30 am Special Needs Youth Moderate to Severe — 115, Lower Sanctuary  
10:30 am 粵語崇拜 Cantonese Service—Lee Chapel  
10:30 am La Fuente Ministries—Meguiar Youth Center  
10:45 am Korean Service—249, Reed Hall  
10:50 am 华语崇拜 Mandarin Service—101, Lower Sanctuary  
12:15 pm 华语午餐团契 Mandarin Lunch—148, Reed Hall  
1:00 pm 华语体育活动 Mandarin Sports Fellowship—Gym  
5:00 pm New Ground Word & Table—Gilmore Hall, South  
6:00 pm Armenian Christian Outreach—Lee Chapel

### Monday, February 11

6:30 pm Men's ACOP Basketball—Gym

### Tuesday, February 12

9:00 am Women in the Word—Gilmore Hall  
3:00 pm Men's Basketball—Gym, Open to everyone  
6:00 pm Pasadena PrimeTime: Trip Meeting—246, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm Worship Team—Sanctuary  
7:00 pm ACOP Men's Soccer—Gym  
7:00 pm ACOP Women's Bible Study

### Wednesday, February 13

10:00 am Helping Hands—Lower Sanctuary, West Area  
12:30 pm Centurion Class Prayer—246, Reed Hall  
2:00 pm Simply Prayer—Lee Chapel  
5:00 pm Men's Ministries Dinner—The Habit, Hastings Ranch  
6:30 pm Girlfriend to Girlfriend—Gilmore Hall  
6:30 pm Men's Ministries—246, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm Financial Peace University—249, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm Grief Support—247, Reed Hall  
6:30 pm Worship Choir—101, Lower Sanctuary  
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 Student Ministries—112, Lower Sanctuary  
7:00 pm 粵語禱告會 Cantonese Prayer—243, Lee Chapel  
7:30 pm Armenian Christian Outreach Bible Study—146, Reed Hall  
7:30 pm 华语查经 Mandarin Bible Study—149A, Reed Hall

### Thursday, February 14

12:00 pm Valentine's Day Luncheon—Gilmore Hall  
7:00 pm AA Meeting—Meguiar Youth Center

### Friday, February 15

6:00 am Early Christians—247, Reed Hall  
6:00 am Korean Ministries' Prayer Meeting—249, Reed Hall  
6:30 am Men's Open Basketball—Gym  
9:15 am MOPS & MomsNext—Gilmore Hall  
7:00 pm ACOP Youth Night—134, Meguiar Youth Center

### Saturday, February 16

9:00 am PazNaz Sports: Basketball Games—Gym

### First Church of the Nazarene of Pasadena

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February 10, 2019



### with Pastor Dave Myers—An Uncomfortable Call

#### Sermon Text:

Acts 9:10-19 NIV

In Damascus there was a disciple named Ananias. The Lord called to him in a vision, "Ananias!"

"Yes, Lord," he answered.

The Lord told him, "Go to the house of Judas on Straight Street and ask for a man from Tarsus named Saul, for he is praying. In a vision he has seen a man named Ananias come and place his hands on him to restore his sight."

"Lord," Ananias answered, "I have heard many reports about this man and all the harm he has done to your holy people in Jerusalem. And he has come here with authority from the chief priests to arrest all who call on your name."

But the Lord said to Ananias, "Go! This man is my chosen instrument to proclaim my name to the Gentiles and their kings and to the people of Israel. I will show him how much he must suffer for my name."

Then Ananias went to the house and entered it. Placing his hands on Saul, he said, "Brother Saul, the Lord—Jesus, who appeared to you on the road as you were coming here—has sent me so that you may see again and be filled with the Holy Spirit." Immediately, something like scales fell from Saul's eyes, and he could see again. He got up and was baptized, and after taking some food, he regained his strength.

Saul spent several days with the disciples in Damascus.



#### ABOUT THE SERMON SERIES

In a comfort seeking culture, most go out of their way to avoid being uncomfortable. In scripture, however, we see the people of God being pushed and pulled out of their comfort zones to follow God.

# You Are Loved!

A Valentine's Day Celebration for Widows and Widowers at PazNaz



Thursday, February 14  
12:00 noon in Gilmore Hall



The Alabaster Offering goes towards the purchase of land and construction of churches, schools, medical facilities, and homes for missionaries and national workers throughout the world. In the 70 years of the Alabaster Offering, over \$117 million dollars have been raised and 9,000 projects have been completed.

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### ALABASTER SUNDAY: FEBRUARY 24

Just as Mary gave her treasured alabaster jar of oil in love to Christ, the purpose of the Alabaster Offering is to sacrifice something we value to actively support missions. Join PazNaz this Alabaster season in giving up something each week and then donating that money to the Alabaster Offering. Alabaster Offering boxes are available at the Missions Kiosk in the Sanctuary foyer. The entire Alabaster Offering goes towards the purchase of land and construction of churches, schools, medical facilities, and homes for missionaries and national workers throughout the world. In the 70 years of the Alabaster Offering, over \$117 million dollars have been raised and 9,000 projects have been completed.

### PASADENA PRIMETIME

**Albuquerque Trip Information Meeting** – Come learn more about this upcoming trip on Tuesday, February 12, at 6:00 pm in Room 246, Reed Hall. At this meeting you will be able to take advantage of the early rates offered. This trip is organized by Pasadena PrimeTime, but it is open to the whole church. The trip is scheduled for October 4-9 and will include the annual Balloon Fiesta, Old Town Albuquerque, National Museum, Indian Pueblo Cultural Center, Turquoise Trail, and Santa Fe. Sign up at the Welcome Center for the information meeting or contact Pastor Darwin Ng at [dng@paznaz.org](mailto:dng@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2461.

### WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS' VALENTINE'S DAY LUNCHEON

It's time to RSVP for PazNaz's Valentine's Day Celebration for widows and widowers on Thursday, February 14, at 12:00 noon in Gilmore Hall. This year's theme is *You Are Loved!* and will feature entertainment and a free lunch. Please contact Melody Bundy at [mbundy@paznaz.org](mailto:mbundy@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2425 to make your reservation.

### LUNCHEON VOLUNTEERS

Your help is needed! If you would like to be a blessing this Valentine's Day and are able to serve at this year's luncheon on Thursday, February 14, from 11:00 am-2:00 pm, please contact Melody Bundy at [mbundy@paznaz.org](mailto:mbundy@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2425.

### SIBLING SUPPORT

Special Needs siblings are invited to a free time of pizza and hanging out on Sunday, February 17, at 12:15 pm in Room 115, Lower Sanctuary. For more information and to RSVP, please contact Pastor Julie Keith at [jkieth@paznaz.org](mailto:jkieth@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2485.

### CANTONESE MINISTRIES

**Hotpot Outreach** - You are invited to this special dinner on Sunday, February 17, at 5:30 pm in Gilmore Hall, South. The dinner is free, but donations are welcome. Please note that only Cantonese will be spoken at this event, but everyone is invited. Bring a friend and RSVP to Pastor Sarah Hong at 626.344.8430 by Sunday, February 10.

### COMPASSIONATE MINISTRIES VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Compassionate Ministries has many opportunities for you to serve with several urgent needs. Please contact Pastor Rosa Ramirez at [rramirez@paznaz.org](mailto:rramirez@paznaz.org) or 626.351.2421 for more information and to volunteer.

**Helping Hands (urgent)** - We need volunteers to pick up items at the Von's in Monrovia on Foothill Blvd. on the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday & Sunday and 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday mornings every month (must be able to lift 25-30 lbs). This commitment is only 1 to 1.5 hours per month.

**Church in the Park** - We are in need of more volunteers to help cook and serve breakfast to our friends at the park on Sunday mornings.

**Helping Hands** - There are many opportunities to serve families from the community through Helping Hands including picking up produce from the San Gabriel Valley on Sundays.

### GRIEF SUPPORT: LADIES' BREAKFAST

You are invited to a breakfast for widows, giving women who have lost their spouses a chance to connect with other women for social and spiritual enrichment. Join us on Wednesday, February 27, at 9:00 am at Nano Cafe (322 W. Sierra Madre Blvd, Sierra Madre). If you can't come this month, this group meets every fourth Wednesday. For more information and to RSVP, contact Ginny Pedrotti at [gabbygrace4466@gmail.com](mailto:gabbygrace4466@gmail.com) or 760.985.5171.