Life at PazNaz

WORK & WITNESS 2020

If you are interested in participating in PazNaz's Work & Witness trip to Cuba, your \$500 deposit is now due. Space is limited so please fill out the form at *paz.nz/Cuba* so we know that you are planning to come. The first team meeting will be Sunday, October 13, with Bob Prescott. We will gather following the 10:30 am service in Room 246, Reed Hall. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Joe Watkins at *jwatkins@paznaz.org*.

MEN'S MINISTRIES

Monday Men's Meet - Join this group of men for a time of fellowship and spiritual formation. They meet weekly on Mondays from 6:30-8:00 pm at Mike Eggehorn's house in Upper Hastings. Contact Mike for more details at *mike.eggehorn@gmail.com* or 626.356.0199.

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 David Mimms at *dmimms@paznaz.org* for more information.

MONTHLY Q&A WITH PAZNAZ LEADERSHIP

A PazNaz pastor and members of the Board of Directors will be available once a month to discuss the future and direction of the church. This month's meeting will take place today, October 6, at 9:30 am in the Arms Hall Conference Room. Feel free to bring questions.

FALL FESTIVAL 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.

BLOOD DRIVE - SAVE THE DATE

The Red Cross will be on campus for our annual blood drive on Sunday, October 13. Please mark this day on your calendars. More details will follow soon. You can contact Kerrianne Coe-Renner at *i.am.smileykc@gmail.com* with questions.

PAZNAZ GIVING UPDATE

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Received September 15: \$29,852
Received Year-to-Date: \$809,314
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Received Year-to-Date: \$809,314
Budget Year-to-Date: \$820,108
Difference: (\$10,794)

Faith Promise/Missions

Received September 15: \$935 Received Year-to-Date: \$53,527 Budget Year-to-Date: \$60,977 Difference: (\$7,450)

The church fiscal year is from April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020



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.

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 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
Ali Deckard, Creative Worship
Sarah Hong, Cantonese Ministries
Timothy Lee, Korean Ministries
Heidi Morgan, Sunrise Preschool Director
Dave Myers, Family Life/Student Ministries
Darwin Ng, Congregational Care/Senior Adults
Ali Ravasdy, Early Childhood/PazNaz Kids
Emily Shnorhokian, Special Needs
Min Xiao, Mandarin Ministries



This Week at PazNaz

Simply Prayer-Bride's Room, Lee Chapel

Sunday, September 22

7:40 am

8:00 am Morning Worship—Lee Chapel 8:00 am Early Birds Childcare-228, Arms Hall 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 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 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 华语年餐团型 Mandarin Lunch —148. Reed Hall 华语体育活动 Mandarin Sports Fellowship—Gym 1:00 pm New Ground Word & Table—Gilmore Hall, South 5:00 pm 6:00 pm Armenian Christian Outreach—Lee Chapel

Monday, September 23

6:30 pm Men's ACOP Basketball—Gym

Tuesday, September 24

9:00 am Women in the Word—Gilmore Hall
3:00 pm Men's Basketball—Gym, Open to everyone
6:30 pm Worship Team—Sanctuary
7:00 pm ACOP Men's Soccer—Gym

Wednesday, September 25

9:00 am Widow's Breakfast-Nano Café, Sierra Madre Helping Hands—Lower Sanctuary, West Area 10:30 am Men's Ministries Dinner-The Habit, Hastings Ranch 5:00 pm Girlfriend to Girlfriend-Gilmore Hall 6:30 nm 6:30 pm Men's Ministries-201, Sanctuary Level 6:30 pm Positive Parenting—249, Reed Hall The Gathering—248, Reed Hall 6:30 pm 6:30 pm Grief Support-247, Reed Hall 6:30 pm Worship Choir—101, Lower Sanctuary 6:30 pm School of Faith Development-Gilmore Hall, South Nursery, Birth to 2–228, Arms Hall 6:30 pm 6:30 pm Early Childhood, Age 3-K-227, Arms Hall 6:30 pm PazNaz Kids, grades 1-5-102, Lower Sanctuary Special Needs Adults—115, Lower Sanctuary 6:30 pm 6:30 pm Student Ministries—112, Lower Sanctuary 粵語禱告會 Cantonese Prayer-243, Lee Chapel 7:00 pm 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, September 26

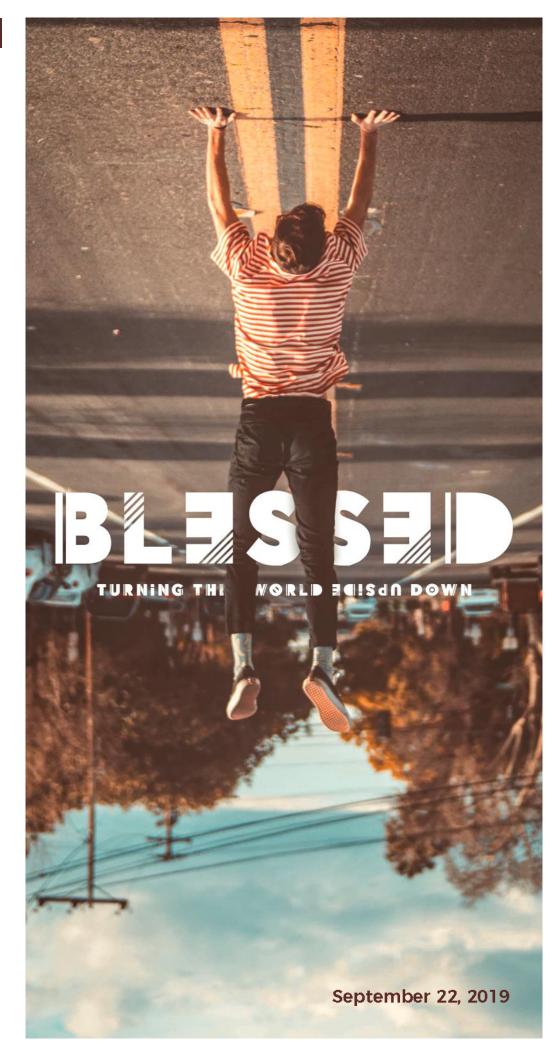
7:00 pm AA Meeting—Meguiar Youth Center

Friday, September 27

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
7:00 pm ACOP Youth Night—134, Meguiar Youth Center

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Today's Sermon: Blessed Are The Meek

with Pastor Tara Beth Leach

Sermon Text:

Matthew 5:1-12 NIV



Daily Reading: September 23-28

We will be using the *Read Scripture* app as a congregation this series. Please go to your phone's app store and search for "Read Scripture." After downloading and opening the app, please scroll down to "Jesus and the Kingdom: Matthew-Acts" and begin reading from there. Below are this week's passages.

- Monday Matthew 25-26 Psalm 93
- Tuesday Matthew 27-28; Psalm 94
- Wednesday Mark 1-2; Psalm 95
- Thursday Mark 3-4; Psalm 96
- Friday Mark 5-6; Psalm 97
- Saturday Mark 7-8; Psalm 98

Weekly Memory Verse:

Matthew 5:5 NIV

Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.



ABOUT THE SERMON SERIES

In this sermon series we will flip the worldly idea of "blessed" on it's head and reclaim the kingdom understanding as we walk through the nine different Beatitudes in Jesus' Sermon on the Mount.



If you are our guest today, you will find a **Connect Card** in the pew rack in front of you. Please take a moment to fill it out and place it in the offering plate or hand it to a pastor. After the service our pastors will be on the patio in front of the Welcome Center and would love to meet you.

Sign up for our weekly email updates at: paz.nz/EmailUpdate





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NEW MOBILE WORSHIP FOLDER: paz.nz/wf

PazNaz is excited to offer you the option to access the Worship Folder each week on your mobile phone or tablet. Just go to *paz.nz/wf* in your device's web browser to view that week's sermon, announcements, giving update, and more. Don't worry. We realize this isn't for everyone, so the printed Worship Folder will still be available. Pro Tip: Touch the "?" icon on the upper left navigation bar to find install instructions.

PAZNAZ'S NEW CONNECT MINISTRY

PazNaz is excited to launch several new initiatives to foster hospitality and togetherness in the PazNaz community.

We Miss You Cards - Notice someone has missed a Sunday or two? Pick up a card from the Welcome Center and let them know you're thinking of them. Fill the card out, leave it at the Welcome Center, and we'll get it in the mail for you.

Five Minutes of PazNaz - New to PazNaz? Meet Pastor Tara Beth and others at the picnic table on the patio after the 10:30 am service for a quick five-minute overview of our church and community.

GRIEF SUPPORT: WIDOWS' 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, September 25, 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 <code>ginnygrace4466@gmail.com</code> or 760.985.5171.

SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRIES

Hotdog Fundraiser & Bake Sale - On Sunday, September 29, join Special Needs Ministries for their Hotdog Fundraiser and Bake Sale on the patio. Lunch will be served at 12:30 pm. Hotdogs, chips, and a drink will be provided for a donation. All proceeds will go towards scholarships for events, camps, and retreats.

Bake Sale Donations - If you'd like to donate some baked goods for this fundraiser, please contact Emily Shnorhokian at eshnorhokian@paznaz.org or 626.351.2485.

Open House - We will be having an open house during the Sunday School hour on Sunday, September 29. Come to Rooms 115, Lower Sanctuary and 123, Arms Hall to learn more about our ministry. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Emily Shnorhokian at eshnorhokian@paznaz.org.

ALABASTER SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 29

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.

FAMILY WORSHIP SUNDAY

Join us on Sunday, September 29, for a special service at 10:30 am for the whole family. This morning will feature age-specific activity packets available to help children participate in the service. Childcare will be provided for birth through age two. The 8:00 am service in Lee Chapel will meet as regularly scheduled. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Emily Shnorhokian at shnorhokian@paznaz.org or 626.351.2424.

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Sunday Night Shift - This school year, Student Ministries will gather on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month for dinner, student-led worship, games, and teen-oriented teaching. Join us in Room 112, Lower Sanctuary from 5:00-7:00 pm. All 6-12th graders are welcome. For more information, contact Pastor Dave Myers at *dmyers@paznaz.org* or 626.351.2441.

Parent Meeting - On Sunday, September 29, Student Ministries will host a parent meeting after the 10:30 am worship service. We will meet in Room 112, Lower Sanctuary and will finish up before 1:00 pm. Light refreshments will be served and younger siblings are welcome. For more information, contact Pastor Dave Myers at *dmyers@paznaz.org* or 626.351.2441.





