

Life at PazNaz

GRIEF SUPPORT: WIDOWERS' BREAKFAST

If you have lost your wife and feel like you are alone, you are invited to join a unique group of men who share the loss of a precious spouse to find comfort and healing in our Lord. The next breakfast meeting is Saturday, March 7, at 9:30 am at Coco's Café (1150 Colorado Blvd., Arcadia). Contact Dick Matlock for more information at 818.482.5825.

HEALING ROOMS

The Healing Rooms will next meet on Saturday, March 7, 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 Saturday of the month. For more information, please contact Stephen Casey at 626.482.9966.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

Join your PazNaz family on Wednesday nights this winter at 6:30 pm and find a class that's just right for you and everyone in your family. There will be offerings from Women's Ministries, Men's Ministries, the Worship Choir, Family Life Ministries, Armenian Christian Outreach, and Mandarin Ministries. Learn more online at: paz.nz/Wednesdays

PAZNAZ GIVING UPDATE

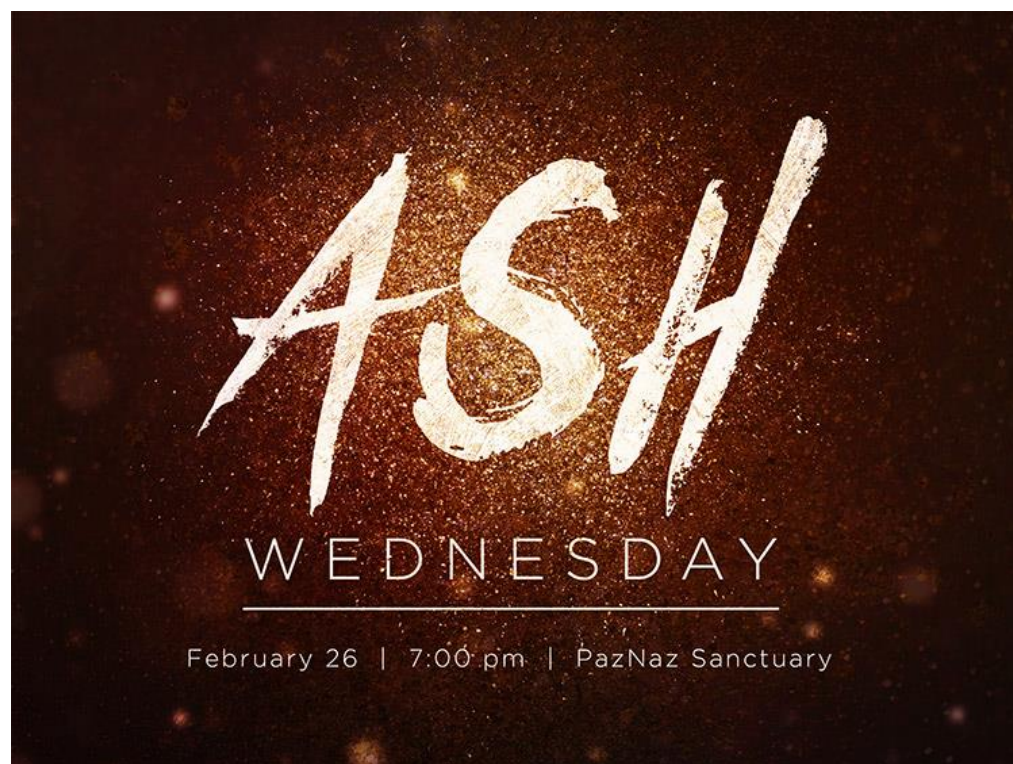
| Tithes & Offerings | | Faith Promise/Missions | |
|------------------------|-------------|------------------------|-----------|
| Received February 2: | \$49,213 | Received February 2: | \$2,902 |
| Received Year-to-Date: | \$1,577,367 | Received Year-to-Date: | \$123,446 |
| Budget Year-to-Date: | \$1,643,313 | Budget Year-to-Date: | \$106,708 |
| Difference: | (\$65,946) | Difference: | \$16,738 |

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

INCOME & EXPENSES FOR APRIL 2019-JANUARY 2020

| | Actual | Budget | Variance |
|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| Income: | \$2,344,125 | \$2,406,479 | (\$62,354) |
| Expenses: | \$2,393,405 | \$2,476,973 | \$83,568 |
| Net: | (\$49,280) | (\$70,494) | \$21,214 |

- Income includes all forms of revenue in addition to tithes and offerings, but does not include designated and restricted gifts.
- The above summary represents the activity for the current budget year and does not address the operating deficit from our previous fiscal year.



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.

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 out the card, leave it at the Welcome Center, and we'll get it in the mail for you.

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

Tara Beth Leach, Senior Pastor

Dr. Joe Watkins, Executive Pastor

Mano Agulian, Armenian Ministries

Marcos Canales, La Fuente Ministries

Ali Deckard, Creative Worship

Sarah Hong, Cantonese Ministries

Timothy Lee, Korean Ministries

Dave Myers, Family Life/Student Ministries

Darwin Ng, Congregational Care/Senior Adults

Ali Ravasdy, Early Childhood/PazNaz Kids

Faith Romasco, New Ground Ministries & Creative Director

Emily Shnorhokian, Special Needs

Dr. Brad Strawn, Faith Development

Min Xiao, Mandarin Ministries

This Week at PazNaz

Sunday, February 9

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 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
 10:30 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 10

11:15 am 粵語禱告會 Cantonese Prayer—201, Sanctuary
 6:30 pm Men's ACOP Basketball—Gym

Tuesday, February 11

9:00 am Women in the Word—Gilmore Hall
 3:00 pm Men's Basketball—Gym, Open to everyone
 6:30 pm Watercolor Class—247, Reed Hall
 6:30 pm Worship Team—Sanctuary
 7:00 pm ACOP Men's Soccer—Gym

Wednesday, February 12

10:00 am Grief Support—247, Reed Hall
 10:30 am Helping Hands—Lower Sanctuary, West Area
 6:30 pm Girlfriend to Girlfriend—Gilmore Hall
 6:30 pm Men's Ministries—201, Sanctuary Level
 6:30 pm Worship Choir—101, Lower Sanctuary
 6:30 pm School of Faith Development—Gilmore Hall, South
 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—132, Meguiar Youth Center
 6:30 pm Armenian Christian Outreach Bible Study—246, Reed Hall
 7:30 pm 华语查经 Mandarin Bible Study—249, Reed Hall

Thursday, February 13

7:00 pm AA Meeting—Meguiar Youth Center

Friday, February 14

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
 12:00 pm Widows & Widowers' Valentine's Day Luncheon—Gilmore Hall
 7:00 pm ACOP Youth Night—134, Meguiar Youth Center

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February 9, 2020



Today's Sermon: Radiant Sorrow

with Pastor Tara Beth Leach

Sermon Text:

John 16:1-33 NIV

"All this I have told you so that you will not fall away. They will put you out of the synagogue; in fact, the time is coming when anyone who kills you will think they are offering a service to God. They will do such things because they have not known the Father or me. I have told you this, so that when their time comes you will remember that I warned you about them. I did not tell you this from the beginning because I was with you, but now I am going to him who sent me. None of you asks me, 'Where are you going?' Rather, you are filled with grief because I have said these things. But very truly I tell you, it is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. When he comes, he will prove the world to be in the wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: about sin, because people do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see me no longer; and about judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.

"I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come. He will glorify me because it is from me that he will receive what he will make known to you. All that belongs to the Father is mine. That is why I said the Spirit will receive from me what he will make known to you."

Jesus went on to say, "In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me."

At this, some of his disciples said to one another, "What does he mean by saying, 'In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me,' and 'Because I am going to the Father'?" They kept asking, "What does he mean by 'a little while'? We don't understand what he is saying."

Jesus saw that they wanted to ask him about this, so he said to them, "Are you asking one another what I meant when I said, 'In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me'? Very truly I tell you, you will weep and mourn while the world rejoices. You will grieve, but your grief will turn to joy. A woman giving birth to a child has pain because her time has come; but when her baby is born she forgets the anguish because of her joy that a child is born into the world. So with you: Now is your time of grief, but I will see you again and you will rejoice, and no one will take away your joy. In that day you will no longer ask me anything. Very truly I tell you, my Father will give you whatever you ask in my name. Until now you have not asked for anything in my name. Ask and you will receive, and your joy will be complete.

"Though I have been speaking figuratively, a time is coming when I will no longer use this kind of language but will tell you plainly about my Father. In that day you will ask in my name. I am not saying that I will ask the Father on your behalf. No, the Father himself loves you because you have loved me and have believed that I came from God. I came from the Father and entered the world; now I am leaving the world and going back to the Father."

Then Jesus' disciples said, "Now you are speaking clearly and without figures of speech. Now we can see that you know all things and that you do not even need to have anyone ask you questions. This makes us believe that you came from God."

"Do you now believe?" Jesus replied. "A time is coming and in fact has come when you will be scattered, each to your own home. You will leave me all alone. Yet I am not alone, for my Father is with me.

"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."

Welcome to PazNaz

New to PazNaz? We Want to Connect With You!

Connect Card - Please fill out the card in the pew rack in front of you 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.

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

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

WHAT WILL YOU SACRIFICE?

Alabaster Sunday

FEBRUARY 23, 2020

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.

You Are Loved!

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

Friday, February 14
12:00 noon in Gilmore Hall

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WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS' VALENTINE'S DAY LUNCHEON

It's time to RSVP for PazNaz's Valentine's Day Celebration for widows and widowers on Friday, 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 or 626.351.2425 to make your reservation by Monday, February 10.

ALABASTER SUNDAY WEEKLY CHALLENGE

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.

PRESCOTT/RAGAINS MISSIONARY CHAPTER

You are invited to the next Prescott/Ragains Missionary Chapter meeting on Tuesday, February 18, at 6:00 pm in Gilmore Hall, South, to learn about Nazarene missions supported by PazNaz Faith Promise Offerings. This month Betty Slattery will be discussing *Soul Searching*. Please contact Margie Ingersoll at 626.286.7982 to make potluck reservations.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Safely Ever After - PazNaz MOPS is excited to host this free seminar with Pattie Fitzgerald on Wednesday, February 19, at 10:00 am in Meguiar Youth Center. Parents, grandparents, and caregivers are invited to come and learn the right kind of tools and information that can prevent our children from being victimized and to protect them from child predators. For more information, contact Sarah Edgbert at sedgbert@paznaz.org. **Childcare:** If your child is already enrolled in MOPS Kids, their program will be running simultaneously. There will be no other childcare for this event, however, babies under one year are welcome to join their parents.

GRIEF SUPPORT

If you are struggling with grief, along with the disappointments and chaos of life, you are invited to the Grief Support class. They meet on Wednesday mornings at 10:00 am in Room 247, Reed Hall. Their study will be from the book *Good Grief* by Granger Westberg. No matter the cause of your grief, you are encouraged to come. Contact Ginny Pedrotti for more information at 760.985.5171.

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 Friday, February 21, 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 third Friday. For more information and to RSVP, contact Ginny Pedrotti at ginnygrace4466@gmail.com or 760.985.5171.

SERVE THE COMMUNITY MEETING

You are invited to PazNaz's *Serve the Community* meeting on Sunday, February 23, after the 10:30 am service. We are excited to share with you everything that God is doing through PazNaz Missions and our community partners. If you are looking for a place to serve, there will be opportunities for you sign up for specific needs. Make sure to bring a friend and your calendar. Lunch will be provided with a suggested donation, and childcare is available with advance notice. Please RSVP to Jackie Kenoyer at jnanderson5@gmail.com and let her know if you need childcare.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Join your PazNaz family for a special Wednesday night service celebrating Ash Wednesday and the start of the Lenten season on February 26 at 7:00 pm in Lee Chapel. Children from birth to Kindergarten will have their own special Ash Wednesday service in Arms Hall.

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.