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MEMBERSHIP CLASS

If you'd like to become a church member at PazNaz, the next Membership Class will be Saturday, March 28, from 9:00 am-12:00 pm in the Conference Room. This class will be a great opportunity for you to learn about the history and beliefs of the Church of the Nazarene and PazNaz. You are not required to join the church by taking the classes, but new members will be welcomed during the service on March 29. Please contact Melody Bundy for more information at mbundy@paznaz.org or 626.351.2425.

HOTDOG FUNDRAISER & BAKE SALE

On Sunday, March 29, join PazNaz Kids and Special Needs Ministries for their Hotdog Fundraiser and Bake Sale on the patio. Lunch will be served at 12:15 pm. Hotdogs, chips, and a drink will be provided for a donation. All proceeds will go towards camp and retreat scholarships for these ministries. Contact Emily Shnorhokian for more information at eshnorhokian@paznaz.org or 626.351.2485.

ALL CHURCH WORK DAY - APRIL 4

PazNaz is having an All Church Work Day on Saturday, April 4, to help beautify the campus in preparation for Holy Week and Easter. There will be projects and activities for people of all ages and skill levels. Please check-in on the patio when you arrive at 8:30 am and we will be finished by 12:00 pm. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Joe Watkins at jwatkins@paznaz.org. Please sign up to participate: paz.nz/WorkDay

PAZNAZ GIVING UPDATE

Tithes & Offerings		Faith Promise/Missions
Received March 1:	\$36,254	Received March 1:

\$2,749 \$129,700 Received Year-to-Date: \$1,686,265 Received Year-to-Date: Budget Year-to-Date: \$1,770,742 Budget Year-to-Date: \$115,854 \$13,846 Difference: (\$84,477)Difference:

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

INCOME & EXPENSES FOR APRIL 2019-FEBRUARY 2020

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Income:	\$2,560,015	\$2,660,221	(\$100,206)
Expenses:	\$2,626,579	\$2,708,119	\$81,540
Net:	(\$66,564)	(\$47,898)	(\$18,666)

- 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 fami 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 ular attendees who consider PazNaz their churc ne 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 lobb 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 ook 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 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, March 8

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 Hal
9:15 am	华语主日学 Mandarin Sunday School—149B, Reed Hal
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 Chape
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
10:30 am	华语崇拜 Mandarin Service—101, Lower Sanctuary
10:45 am	Korean Service—249, Reed Hall
12:15 pm	华语午餐团契 Mandarin Lunch —148, Reed Hall
12:15 pm	Parent Meeting—102, Lower Sanctuary
12:30 pm	粵語團契 Cantonese Fellowship—246, 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, March 9

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

Tuesday, March 10

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 nm	ACOP Men's Soccer—Gym

Wednesday, March 11 10:00 am Grief Support—247, Reed Hall

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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
7:30 pm	Armenian Christian Outreach Bible Study—
	246, Reed Hall
7:30 nm	化语杏经 Mandarin Rible Study—249 Reed Hall

Thursday, March 12

7:00 pm AA Meeting-Meguiar Youth Center

Friday, March 13 Early Christians-247, Reed Hall

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6:00 am	Korean Ministries' Prayer Meeting—249, Reed Hall
6:30 am	Men's Open Basketball—Gym
6:00 pm	Pasadena PrimeTime: Dinner & Concert—Gilmore Hall
7:00 pm	ACOP Youth Night—134, Meguiar Youth Center

OWNEARTH March 8, 2020

First Church of the Nazarene of Pasadena

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Today's Sermon: I AM the Light of the World

with Pastor Tara Beth Leach

Sermon Text:

John 8:12-20 NIV

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

The Pharisees challenged him, "Here you are, appearing as your own witness; your testimony is not valid."

Jesus answered, "Even if I testify on my own behalf, my testimony is valid, for I know where I came from and where I am going. But you have no idea where I come from or where I am going. You judge by human standards; I pass judgment on no one. But if I do judge, my decisions are true, because I am not alone. I stand with the Father, who sent me. In your own Law it is written that the testimony of two witnesses is true. I am one who testifies for myself; my other witness is the Father, who sent me."

Then they asked him, "Where is your father?"

"You do not know me or my Father," Jesus replied. "If you knew me, you would know my Father also." He spoke these words while teaching in the temple courts near the place where the offerings were put. Yet no one seized him, because his hour had not yet come.

DOWN I EARTH

ABOUT THE SERMON SERIES

Jesus is the full revelation of the character of God. This good God draws near and invites us into living the way of Jesus. Through a series of 'I Am' statements, Jesus unpacks the truth that nothing can separate us from the love of God. Jesus teaches boldly and humbly into the Kingdom that has come and is coming, and casts a new imagination for what it means to pray 'on earth, as it is in heaven.'

Welcome to PazNaz

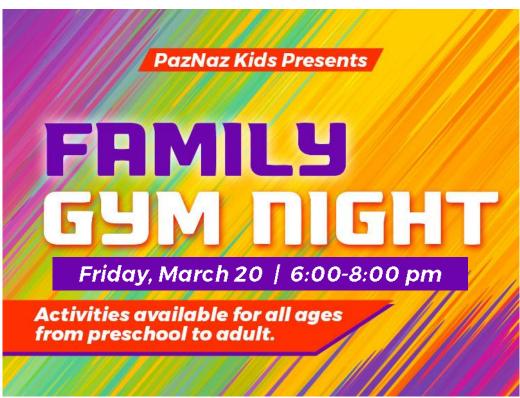
New to PazNaz? We Want to Connect With You!

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





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CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES PARENT MEETING - TODAY

All parents of children from birth through fifth grade are encouraged to attend the parent meeting today, March 8, at 12:15 pm. We will meet in the Cave (Room 102, Lower Sanctuary) to discuss the pastoral transition and plans for the interim. Please contact Pastor Dave Myers with any questions at *dmyers@paznaz.org* or 626.351.2441.

PASADENA PRIMETIME

Dinner & Concert - If you are age 55 or better, join Pasadena PrimeTime for dinner and a concert on Friday, March 13, from 6:00-10:00 pm. The night begins with a time of fellowship and a delicious dinner in Gilmore Hall. A concert from the Pasadena Community Orchestra will follow in the Sanctuary with music from Vivaldi, Mozart, and Weber. The dinner will cost \$15 per person and the concert admission is free. Sign up today at the Welcome Center or contact Pastor Darwin Ng at dng@paznaz.org or 626.351.2441 for more information.

ANNUAL ELECTIONS

On Sundays, March 15 & 22, PazNaz members, age 15 and older, will have the opportunity to elect the church leadership for the coming fiscal year. You may cast your ballot at voting tables in the Sanctuary foyer from 9:00-10:30 am and following the 10:30 am service.

ELECTION VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are needed to staff the voting tables and count ballots for the annual church elections on Sundays, March 15 & 22. If you would be willing to help, please contact Melody Bundy at *mbundy@paznaz.org* or 626.351.2425.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

International Women's Day - Today is International Women's Day (IWD), a holiday observed in some form worldwide for over 100 years. Today we specifically celebrate women's contributions to society, raise awareness about the fight for gender parity, and inspire support for organizations that help women globally. You can learn more at *internationalwomensday.com* and can help through Nazarene Compassion International at *ncm.org/womenandgirls*.

Spring Tea - Women's Ministries will be hosting a Spring Tea on Saturday, April 25, and we are currently looking for women who are interested in hostessing a table. Please contact Sarah Edgbert at sedgbert@paznaz.org to sign up and for more details.

Gift Cards - Did you know that you can now pre-order gift cards at the Women's Ministries cart? There is a large selection to choose from and they usually arrive within the next week. Start planning now for Easter & Graduations. For more information, contact Maria Galindo at *tipp54@yahoo.com*.

PRESCOTT/RAGAINS MISSIONARY CHAPTER

You are invited to the next Prescott/Ragains Missionary Chapter meeting on Tuesday, March 17, 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 *Planting New Churches*. Please contact Margaret Street at 626.833.2235 to make potluck reservations.

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, March 20, 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.

FAMILY GYM NIGHT

PazNaz Kids is excited to offer a time for families to play and have fun together on Friday, March 20, from 6:00-8:00 pm in the PazNaz gym. There will be activities for all ages from preschool to adult. Pizza and snacks will be provided by The Journey Sunday School class. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Dave Myers at *dmyers@paznaz.org* or 626.351.2441.

AGING CONFERENCE

If you are age 55 or better, you are invited to attend *Aging Together in Victorious Living*, a conference that will help you with your financial, emotional, and spiritual health as you age, on Saturday, March 21, from 9:00 am–12:30 pm at PazNaz. Admission is free and there will be a number of workshops and information booths around campus. Space is limited, so register today at: *paz.nz/AgingConference*. If you'd like more information, please contact Pastor Darwin Ng at *dng@paznaz.org* or 626.351.2461.





