First of All

Thank you for choosing to worship with us at First Church.

Let's worship the Lord together with...

Worship "Alive Forever Amen"

First Family Fellowship

Worship "God with Us"

"Great Are You, Lord"

"Revelation Song"

Prayer "I Lift My Hands"

Offering

Message "Requirements for Rest"

Closing "Great Are You, Lord"

First Step

The most important thing that can happen to you is asking Jesus into your heart. It's as simple as ABC...

Admit that you have sinned

"For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God."

Romans 3:23

Believe that Jesus died for you

"God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8

<u>C</u>onfess that Jesus is Lord of your life

"If you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord', and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. It is with your heart that you believe and are justified and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved."

Romans 10:9-10

If you followed these steps and asked Jesus into your heart, please let Pastor Bobby know.

First Five

1 Ladies' Fall Bible Study

A new study, "Steadfast Love" by Lauren Chandler, will start at 6:30 this Wed., Sept. 5, in Classroom 2. Sign up in the foyer. Books are \$14.

2 Senior Adult News

PT Cruisers' luncheon will be held this Friday, Sept. 7, at 11:30 AM at the Kirk's home. Sign up by the Welcome Center or contact Connie Graham or Arlene Kirk if you plan to attend. The menu will be hamburgers and fixings. Monetary contributions can be made there.

PT Cruisers' breakfast: The children's department is hosting a breakfast in Hermon Hall at 9:00 AM next Sunday, Sept. 9, for Grandparents' Day. All Senior Adults are invited.

3 Six Flags Over Texas

The 40th year of Naz Nite at Six Flags sponsored by Southern Nazarene University will be held this Friday, September 7, at Six Flags Over Texas. Teens need to be at the church ready to leave at 6:00 AM.

4 Membership Sunday

New members will be received next Sunday, Sept. 9, during the morning service. If you would like to become a member of First Church or have questions about church membership, please contact Pastor Bobby.

5 Sunday School/Bible Study Leaders' Meeting

All teachers & leaders of a Sunday School or Bible Study class are asked to attend a meeting at First Church on Monday, Sept. 10, at 6:30 P.M. Let Pastor Rita know if you plan to attend.

First Fruits			
August Giving	<u>Needed</u>	Received	<u>Balance</u>
Tithes/Offerings	\$38,183	\$30,866	\$ 7,317
Faith Promise - Missions	\$ 5,173	\$ <i>3,795</i>	\$ 1,378

First Impression

We welcome you to First Church! Here are a few things that we would like you to know about our Church...

Denomination

The Church of the Nazarene is a holiness church that shares roots with the Methodist Church. With over 2.2 million members worshiping in over 29,000 congregations in 159 world areas, we are a part of something much bigger than ourselves.

Worship

It has been said that, "Worship changes the worshiper into the image of the One worshiped." To achieve that transformation, First Church is willing to use everything from drums to organs and everything in between.

Youth and Children

"It's a race to the heart of a child and the first one there wins." First Church is trying to outrun world influences with various programs to "train a child up in the way they should go."

Adults

We are big enough to serve you and small enough to know you! Whether you are single or married, working or retired there is something for you at First Church.

Missions

We believe that the mission of the church is Missions. First Church is a going, sending, praying and paying church so that the whole world may hear the Good News of Jesus Christ!

Community

First Church cares for our neighbors. We want "our light to shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven."

First Word

September 2, 2018



Requirements for Rest
Psalm 23:2

Four things are needed to rest ...

Freedom from <u>fear</u>.

Freedom from <u>conflict</u>.

Freedom from aggravation .

Freedom from <u>hunger</u>.

First Glance

Sunday, Sept. 2: 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service / Children's Church

Monday, Sept. 3: Labor Day (Church Office Closed)

Wed., Sept. 5: 6:30 p.m. - Adult Bible Study (Chapel)

6:30 p.m. - Ladies' Bible Study (Casey Center, Room 2) 6:30 p.m. - Nursery Care, Children's & Teen Activities

7:35 p.m. - Praise Team Rehearsal

Friday, Sept. 7: 6:00 a.m. - Teens leave for Six Flags

11:30 a.m. - PT Cruisers' Luncheon at Kirk home

Sunday, Sept. 9: 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School

9:00 a.m. - Grandparents' Day Breakfast (Hermon Hall)

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service / Family Worship

First Serve

Nursery Help Today: Next Sunday, September 9

Babies: Sharon Vann Oza Mae Jones

Toddlers: Maci Howard, Jennifer Raath Tiffany Vano, Kelly Williams

First Staff

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