

# MISSION MOMENTS

Newsletter of the Rocky Mountain District NMI  
APRIL 2024

## Church Year End

Church Year End is  
April 30th  
Is your church's  
allocation for WEF  
paid in full?

## Church Elections

Elections include  
delegates to the NMI  
and NDI and District  
Assembly.

## 2023 Manual of the Church of the Nazarene

[https://nazarene.org  
/manual](https://nazarene.org/manual)

## Mission Education

Mission Education and mission  
awareness takes place in a variety of  
ways: personal experiences, listening  
to and reading stories, and getting to  
know missionaries on a personal  
level.

Knowledge is the key to involvement.

## Need Resources for NMI Curriculum? Go to the link below..

<https://nazarene.org/who-we-are/organization/ministries/nazarene-missions-international/curriculum>

When people have an understanding of global needs and what the Church of the Nazarene is doing to meet those needs, they are more likely to support missions through prayer and giving and going.

## MISSIONS EDUCATION

Global NMI encourages churches to utilize NMI-Central and the archives for adult mission material.

Deputation services, Faith Promise conventions, district-sponsored events with a missionary speaker, and the presence of missionaries at youth and children's camps allow for personal interaction with missionaries and the people who support them through their giving and prayers.

**NMI Central**

NAZARENE MISSIONS INTERNATIONAL

Please subscribe to NMI Central: [www.nazarene.org/nmi-central](http://www.nazarene.org/nmi-central)

NMI Central is a FREE publication released every Wednesday available in English, French, Portuguese, and Spanish. It is the central location for all NMI information for a local church. It includes a country emphasis, stories from the region, ways to be involved, and prayer requests and praises.



Kid's Kaleidoscope is an addition to the NMI Central publication on the first week of each month. It coordinates with the world area focus for that week. NMI is committed to engage children and youth, providing missions information and activities, designed to awaken and nurture a spirit of missions in the hearts of children.

## Mission Services & Activities

**People can learn better when knowledge is accompanied with hands-on experiences.**

Consider some of these opportunities:

- Offer seminars on current societal needs (Disaster awareness, Drug Awareness/Prevention, Child Abuse & Human Trafficking, etc.)
- Host a VBS at another church
- Assist at a soup kitchen, food pantry, or rescue mission
- Have a clothing drive for various community charities
  - Participate in Prison Ministry
  - Volunteer at a Hospice Care facility
  - Participate in a nursing home ministry
- Provide transportation to appointments, church, and other places for those who cannot drive.
- Deliver groceries to the homebound

## GLOBAL MISSIONS – Who Are We?

<p><b>NAZARENE COMPASSIONATE MINISTRIES</b> walks alongside local churches in their efforts to meet the needs of children, families, and communities. Through your partnership, local congregations are changing the world.</p>	<p><b>JESUS FILM</b> JESUS Film Harvest Partners is a Kingdom-building ministry devoted to world evangelism through the JESUS film and other tools.</p>
<p><b>INTERNATIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION</b> The International Board of Education (IBOE) serves the Church of the Nazarene system of higher education in advocacy, support, evaluation and networking. This system of schools includes 51 colleges, universities and seminaries and is resolute in shaping Christlike disciples and servant-leaders for lifelong service and global impact. <b>MORE</b></p>	<p><b>MISSIONARY MOBILIZATION</b> Guiding your journey to serving in missions.</p>
<p><b>WORLD MISSION BROADCAST</b> On the air since 1944, World Mission Broadcast (WMB) reaches even the most remote parts of the world, with words of hope and holiness ... and lives are changed.</p>	<p><b>GLOBAL NAZARENE PUBLICATIONS</b> publishes books in languages other than English globally and English books for distribution outside the USA/Canada Region in order to see that every Nazarene church, ministry and institution has access to the literature it needs to accomplish its mission.</p>

## The Five Impact Areas of NMI



The first is **PRAYER**. NMI gathers believers together for prayer in the local church, linking us to our brothers and sisters in Christ across the globe.



The second is the **WORLD EVANGELISM FUND**, which fuels the Church of the Nazarene's mission by combining gifts from each person and church to fund ministries everywhere.



Through the **ALABASTER OFFERING**, the third emphasis, ministries around the world receive funds to purchase property and buildings.



The fourth is to **ENGAGE CHILDREN AND YOUTH** through education and fostering calls to missions.



**CARE & CONNECTION** is the last area of emphasis, strategically connects Nazarene missionaries and Nazarene churches through prayer, personal contact, and generous giving.



CHECK  
IT OUT

## Don't miss the 2024 VBS: River Rafting Adventure!

As the summer Olympics include many water activities, our 2024 VBS includes a water theme: River Rafting Adventure. We will travel down the river and through the book of Acts, experiencing God's love alongside the earliest Christians.

Each stop on the adventure will draw us closer to God and his love. Children will learn that God fills us with his love, God transforms us with his love, God saves us with his love, and God wants us to share his love.



DOWNLOAD THE 4 DAILY LESSONS AT THE LINK BELOW:

<https://nazarene.org/who-we-are/organization/ministries/ndi/vbs-2024>



# COMING THIS MONTH

Are you ready to host?



Have you sent your Host Church Information in to  
Dee Dee Crider, District NMI President

## Marcus & Jasmin Eugenio

Date	APRIL	Church / City	Presentation	Accommodations
Saturday	13	New Hope, Billings MT	arrive	overnight Sat.
Sunday	14	New Hope, Billings MT	A.M.	overnight Sun.
Monday	15	River Rock, Belgrade MT	P.M.	overnight Monday
Tuesday	16	Bitterroot, Victor MT	P.M.	overnight Tuesday
Wed	17	Missoula MT	P.M.	overnight Wednesday
Thursday	18	Pablo MT	P.M.	overnight Thursday
Friday	19	Kalispell MT	P.M.	overnight Friday
Saturday	20	Libby MT	none	overnight Sat.
Sunday	21	Libby MT	A.M.	overnight Sunday
Monday	22	Great Falls MT	P.M.	overnight Monday
Tuesday	23	Helena MT	P.M.	overnight Tuesday
Wed	24	Laurel MT	P.M.	overnight Wednesday
Thursday	25	Cody WY	P.M.	overnight Thursday
Friday	26	Sunnyside, WY Riverton, Lander WY	P.M.	overnight Friday
Saturday	27	The Fort, Mills WY	Lunch	
Sunday	28	Casper WY	A.M.	overnight Saturday /Sunday
Monday	29	Sheridan WY	Lunch	
Monday	29	Billings		overnight needed
Tuesday	30	Billings	day off	overnight needed
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# Register Today

**SIGN UP HERE OR  
SCAN THE QR CODE**

[HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/JG8JCYGP8EGMCZBV6](https://forms.gle/JG8JCYGP8EGMCZBV6)

**CAMP + DIST ASSEMBLY**

Rocky Mountain District Family Reunion 2024

Bind Us  
Together



Colossians 3:14



**JUNE 11-16, 2024**  
ABBA'S HAVEN,  
LAVINA, MT  
NDI, NMI CONVENTIONS

**TENT, RV, LODGE OR HOTEL AVAILABLE!**

Accommodation & Meals Info on next page



## Pricing information

**ON-SITE HOUSING / MEAL COSTS: \*\*Room cost does NOT include food\*\***

### a) HOUSING

Tent: \$15/night

RV (no hookups): \$15/night

RV (Light elec/non potable water): \$35/night

Family room (6 beds)/Private bath : \$90/night

Family room (8 beds)/Public bath: \$90/night

Single bed (dorm style)/Public bath: \$12/night

Don't need  
6 or 8 beds ??  
CONSIDER  
SHARING A ROOM  
WITH ANOTHER  
FAMILY

### b) MEALS:

WEEK-LONG PACKAGE DEAL \$50/person for 14 meals (Ages 1- 4 years at no cost)

\$30/person for 5 dinners only or \$10/person per day (3 meals)

ONCE YOUR REGISTRATION FORM IS PROCESSED, YOU WILL  
RECEIVE AN INVOICE WHICH WILL INCLUDE PAYMENT OPTIONS.

## OFF-SITE ATTENDEES

(Blocks reserved under Rocky Mountain District Church of the Nazarene)

### HOUSING:

Big Sky Motel, 740 Main Street, Roundup MT

406-323-2303 \$80 - 85 plus hotel tax

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Autumn Inn, 630 Main Street, Roundup MT

406-323-1000 \$90 plus hotel tax includes Expanded Continental Breakfast

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Ideal Motel & RV Park, 926 Main Street, Roundup MT 406-323-3371

Call Ideal Motel for pricing

**MEALS - Day registration (camp day use fee) Includes meals**

\$20/person per day or \$80/person max for the week

No registration fee for Ordination service OR Sunday morning  
See [www.rmnaz.org/family-camp](http://www.rmnaz.org/family-camp) to register or for more information  
Questions? Call/text or email JoAnn 406-647-6605 or [jlhirning@msn.com](mailto:jlhirning@msn.com)

# RMD FAMILY CAMP AGENDA

Time	Day/Date	Day/Date	Day/Date	Day/Date	Day/Date
	Tuesday, June 11	Wed/Thurs June 12-13	Friday, June 14	Saturday, June 15	Sunday, June 16
06:00	Setup	6:30 - Early morning prayer	6:30 - Early morning prayer	6:30 - Early morning prayer	6:30 - Early morning prayer
07:00	Setup				
08:00	Setup	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
09:00	Setup	9:15 - Family worship + devo +	9:30 - Worship*	9:30 - Worship*	9:30 - Family worship
10:00	Setup	10:45 Breakouts - adults/kids*	NDI/NYI/NMI*	DA Business*	Kenny Miller/Guest
11:00	Setup		NDI/NYI/NMI*	DA Business*	Clean up/Move out!
12:00	Setup	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Clean up/Move out!
13:00	Arrivals	Free - family games	NDI/NYI/NMI*	Learning session*	Clean up/Move out!
14:00	Arrivals	Free - family games	NDI/NYI/NMI*	Free - family games	Clean up/Move out!
15:00	Arrivals	Free - family games	NDI/NYI/NMI*	Free - family games	Clean up/Move out!
16:00	Arrivals	Free - family games	NDI/NYI/NMI*	Free - family games	Clean up/Move out!
17:00	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Clean up/Move out!
18:00	Cleanup/service prep	Cleanup/service prep	Cleanup/service prep	Cleanup/service prep	Clean up/Move out!
19:00	Family worship	Family worship	Family worship	Family worship - Ordinations	Clean up/Move out!
20:00	Kenny Miller/Busic	Kenny Miller/Busic	Kenny Miller/Skinner	Kenny Miller/Busic	Clean up/Move out!
21:00	Fellowship/Snacks/Teens	Fellowship/Snacks/Teens	Fellowship/Snacks/Teens	Fellowship/Snacks/Teens	Clean up/Move out!
22:00					Clean up/Move out!
23:00	Generators off	Generators off	Generators off	Generators off	Clean up/Move out!
* = KIDS ACTIVITIES PROVIDED					
Nursery available during ALL worship services and Convention/DA meetings					

Subject to change

See [www.rmnaz.org/family-camp](http://www.rmnaz.org/family-camp) for more information



**BE SURE TO REGISTER .**

WHO NEEDS TO REGISTER - EVERYONE FROM 0 TO 100 YEARS OLD

CAMPERS - GUESTS - DELEGATES

ADULTS, TEENS, YOUTH, CHILDREN

WORKERS

#### Crisis Care Kit Items

Into a 2 or 2.5 GALLON ZIPLOC BAG put the following items:

- 1 medium size bottle of shampoo (12 to 18oz.), please tape flip-tops closed
- 2 bars of soap (bath-size or larger)
- 1 medium toothpaste (4.0- 6.4 oz.)
- 3 toothbrushes
- 1 box of Band-Aids (30 or more)
- 1 fingernail clipper
- 1 sturdy hair comb
- 2 hand towels
- 4 pocket-size packs of facial tissue
- 1 Beanie Baby-size or very small stuffed toy

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## CRISIS CARE KITS INSTRUCTIONS

Crisis Care Kits are made by Nazarene volunteers and are a tangible way that people can get involved in the disaster response process. Thousands of Crisis Care Kits are made, stored, and distributed globally each year as needs inevitably arise around the world.

Here are the instructions for gathering and sending CCK's.

1. Gather new items in quantities listed. Assemble Crisis Care Kits (CCKs) and seal in 2 or 2.5 gallon Zip-loc bags. Include only those items listed on the inventory.

Deviating from this list can cause an entire shipment to be rejected in customs. Six CCKs per box.

2. Obtain the banana boxes from your local grocery store. Banana boxes provide uniformity, eliminating wasted space in shipping.

3. Cut the heavy brown paper (usually found in the banana box) in half and tape half on the bottom of the box and the other half inside the lid. (Cardboard could be used in the same way.)

4. Fill each box with 6 CCKs—no more, no less. Inventory must match what is in the box.

5. After packing the banana box, place Crisis Care Kits Box Inventory\* inside the box. Using strong packing tape, cover the holes in the top and the bottom of the box. Then tape the box securely shut. Please leave box handles open, which makes it easier to load and unload. (\*see previous page for an inventory list)

6. Do not insert money or extra literature (including anything with the church's name on it, notes, etc.) in the CCKs or banana boxes.

7. Please put both "To" and "From" addresses on the box.

8. Do not wrap banana boxes in brown paper or contact paper. The wrapping tears or hangs on the rollers of conveyors. Do not put filled banana boxes inside another box.

9. Send the boxes to Nazarene Relief Shipments - Hands of Hope  
1201 South Powerline Road, Nampa, ID 83686



Pastor Mike Konings, RMD NYI President  
and the new NYI Council



## REJOICE 2024



BORN AND RAISED IN AKRON, OHIO, REV. DR. DOUG HOPKINS IS A GIFTED PREACHER/TEACHER WITH A PASSION TO BRING GOD'S WORD TO LIFE FOR THOSE WANTING TO KNOW HIM MORE. PASTOR DOUG HAS SERVED IN FULL-TIME MINISTRY FOR THE PAST TWENTY YEARS. HE HAS EARNED DEGREES IN BIBLE/THEOLOGY (B.A.) FROM JOHN WESLEY COLLEGE, A MASTER OF DIVINITY (M.DIV) FROM GORDON CONWELL THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND A DOCTORATE OF MINISTRY (D.MIN) FROM NAZARENE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY. APART FROM HIS CLASSROOM TRAINING, PASTOR DOUG SERVED EIGHT YEARS IN THE U.S. ARMY & AMP, ARMY RESERVES (AIRBORNE), ONE OF WHICH HE SPENT OVERSEAS IN IRAQ. FOR THE LAST EIGHT YEARS, PASTOR DOUG HAS SERVED AS LEAD PASTOR AT GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE IN NICHOLASVILLE, KY. HE IS EXCITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN DISTRICT "MAN CAMP" AND ANTICIPATES GOD'S INVITATION TO EVERY MAN PRESENT. THAT WE MIGHT GO DEEPER IN OUR WALK WITH HIM.

# MAN CAMP 2024



APRIL 26TH (4PM)  
28TH (12PM)

ABBAS HAVEN  
LAVINA MT  
196 BUNDY RD

\$145 FOR THE RETREAT

\$5 TO PARTICIPATE IN SHOOTING

\$25 FOR GOLFING

BRING A CHURCH CHECK TO THE RETREAT OR CASH

PLEASE ADD FEES TO YOUR CHURCH CHECKS

To Register go to: <http://www.rmnaz.org/ndi.html>

Or scan the Qr Code



REV. DR. DOUG HOPKINS



# WOMEN'S WORK DAY

When: May 17th and 18th

Time: Friday @ 12pm to Saturday @ 4pm

Where: Place of Hope Ministries, 3 Hungry Wolf Ln, Lander WY 82520

Cost: \$40, this cost will help pay for the material that is needed to do the projects while we are there, meals are not included in this price.

Once we have a group of ladies, we will figure out what we'd like to do for meals and have individuals sign up for what they would like to bring for these particular meals.

Projects: painting, installing flooring and insulation.

There might be some outside work that can be done but that all depends on how the weather is and if there's still snow.



Things needed: any tools that you feel that would be helpful to get projects done or you prefer to use when doing projects yourself.

Age: 16 & up, all minors must be accompanied by their legal guardian at all times.

There is a parsonage on the property, and all are welcome to stay there. You will just need sleeping bags, blankets, air mattresses, whatever you need to bring to make yourself comfortable.

Google Form to Register

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd2lvL2q6DQ\\_Z6xYvvpj51kqVXdWRk9S\\_bX3pRUby-xC0S7-g/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd2lvL2q6DQ_Z6xYvvpj51kqVXdWRk9S_bX3pRUby-xC0S7-g/viewform)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

2024

**APRIL MONTHLY EMPHASIS - MISSION EDUCATION**

- APRIL 1 (8,15, 22, 29) Partners in Prayer for Pastors at noon  
APRIL 26 (to 28th) Man Camp at Abba's Haven, Lavina MT  
APRIL 30 Church Year End... Send in your annual NMI report

**MAY MONTHLY EMPHASIS - MISSIONARY CARE**

- MAY 6 (13, 20, 27) Partners in Prayer for Pastors at noon  
MAY 12 Mother's Day  
MAY 27 Memorial Day

**JUNE MONTHLY EMPHASIS - WORLD MISSION BROADCAST**

- JUNE 3 (10, 17, 24) Partners in Prayer for Pastors at noon  
JUNE 11 (TO 16) RMD Family Reunion at Abba's Haven, Lavina MT  
JUNE 17 (to 26th) Dr. Bill Kwon will be touring the RMD  
JUNE 30 (to July 13) Dr. David & Rhonda Ackerman will tour RMD

**JULY MONTHLY EMPHASIS -INTERNATIONAL MINISTRY, BIBLE SCHOOLS & SEMINARIES**

- JULY 1 Canada Day  
JULY 1 (8,15,22,29) Partners in Prayer for Pastors at noon  
JULY 4 Independence Day



# NMI