



**UPCOMING EVENTS**

ATTENDANCE 11/26: 903

- **Christmas Night Of Worship:** Mark your calendars for our Night Of Worship, Friday, December 15th at 7pm.
- **December 24** will be Family Communion Sunday. There will be no childcare provided.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- **Counseling services** are available at Wooster Nazarene through Encompass Christian Counseling with Michelle Valois, MA, PC-CR, Therapist. Call 330.345.7949 for more information.
- **There will be no First Wednesday Worship** for the month of December.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- **Wednesday, Dec. 6 at 7pm:** A crew will be making food boxes and loading the Mountain Vision Semi in the church basement. Please plan to come and help. We will finish before 9 pm. Questions: see Deb Heller

**HOPE CENTER HYGIENE NEEDS**



**DEODORANT**  
(MEN'S & WOMEN'S)



**POWDERED LAUNDRY DETERGENT**

If you can help with these items please drop off at the Hope Center (807 Spruce St). Hours are Tuesdays 8–11:30 & 1:30–3, Wednesdays 10–3, Thursdays 4–8, and Fridays 9–2.

**\$ FINANCIALS (Fiscal June 2017–May 2018)**

Week 25 giving	\$32,159.36
Week 25 budget need	\$34,632.00
Current year-to-date giving	\$797,411.63
Year-to-date budget need	\$865,800.00

Hearing protection is available at the sound booth

**A GROWING PLACE MINISTRIES**

**Naz KIDZ (Grades 1–6)**

- **KIDZ Church:** Sundays at 10am
- **Christmas Candy Sales:** If you are interested in helping us make the candy and fill orders, see Pastor Cindi for more info.
- **Winter Camp:** This year we are inviting KIDZ from our district to join us for Winter Camp. Please read over the info provided. Get your registration in early! BOYZ Winter Camp: January 14-15. GIRLZ Winter Camp: February 18-19. Cost is \$25.
- **Check out the KIDZ Biz for more info!**

**Lil' Sprouts (Birth–Kindergarten)**

- **December Epic Stories:** This month we will finish our journey through the Bible with stories of Paul and Revelation.
- **Lil' Sprouts classes will not be available on Dec. 24.** All children will be sitting with their families.
- **Bible Verse:** "Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done." Philippians 4:6
- **MOM's Christmas Party:** Thursday, December 7 from 9–10:30am. Visit the Lil' Sprouts bulletin board for more info!

**THRIVE YOUTH MINISTRIES (GRADES 6–12)**

- **Thrive Youth Service, tonight from 6-8:** All 6-12th grade students are invited to come join us in worship and growing together.
- **Bible Quiz Practice:** Tonight from 4:30-5:45 in FHC.
- **Thrive Christmas Party – Dec. 16th, 3-7pm:** An amazing Saturday celebrating Christmas with friends, food, games, caroling and NERF WARS!
- **Thrive Ski Retreat – January 12-14:** This is our annual winter retreat at Miracle Mountain Ranch, PA which includes a full Saturday of Skiing, snowboarding and/or snow tubing at Peek'n Peak Resort in NY. Register now – registration forms are on our foyer board and on the website.

**SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY**

- **Next Lunch:** Tuesday, Dec. 5 at Tumbleweed, 11:30am

**WOMEN OF WORTH**

- **MOMs Christmas Party:** Join us in the church gym on Thursday, December 7, from 9–10:30am for a time of singing carols, eating breakfast and making gingerbread houses! RSVP is required, please visit the Lil' Sprouts bulletin board to sign up.

**Parents!** In order to keep all children safe and accounted for, we ask that they go to the class provided for their ages or stay with parents during services. Please make sure that your teens are in the worship center during all services. **We ask that no children or teens be unsupervised in the foyer at any time during service.**

**A Communication Card** can be found in a seat pocket. We love hearing from you. Place it in the offering, take it to the Welcome Center, or hand it to any usher. The Welcome Center, Ministry Board/Tables are resources for ministry information.

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**CONNECT WITH US!**



**A Communion Corner** is available during Sunday service. You are welcome to come to the communion table at any time.

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**OUR MINISTRY TEAM**

**Nathan Ward** Senior Pastor x203

**Joel Yates** Executive Pastor x221

**Ron Frizzell** Associate Pastor x210

**Andrew Heller**

Associate Pastor/Youth x222

**Jeremy Stasiowski**

Jr. High Youth Pastor x223

**Cindi Nigh** KIDZ Pastor x208

**Gail Wright** Young KIDZ Pastor x218

**Deb Heller** Connections x215

**Nate Ward** Worship Pastor x217

**Kathy Frizzell** Worship Director x212

**Ty Offineer**

Business Administrator x204

**Dan Bishop** Lay Care Pastor x214

**Judy Daye**

Senior Connections Director x219

**Tyler Gentry** Athletic Director

**OUR SUPPORT TEAM**

**Pam Followay** Treasurer

**Ruth Ison** Administrative Assistant

**Kim Ellis** Admin. Assistant/Receptionist

**Karma Hartzler** Graphic Designer

**Randy Nigh** Maintenance Director

**Will Musser** Custodial Director

**Ken Cromer** Custodian

**Donna Garrison** Custodian

**Matt Hammond** Technical Director



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Office Hours: Monday 12:00pm–4:30pm, Tuesday–Thursday 8:30am–4:30pm

**To receive updates, text ALERT to 22300**

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