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May

16-22 Mission Trip: ARO Ohio

June

5-6 Teen Camp Day 1

11-13 PALCON @ TNU

13-19 Mission Trip: ARO Ky

20- Teen Camp Day 2

28- July 1 Kids Camp

29- Teens leave for NYC

July

1-6 NYC @ Salt Lake City

TBD- Teen Camp Day 3

15-22 Mission trip: Guatemala

August

8 Back To School Bash

22 District Training

September

5-7 Nazarene National Softball Tourn.

11-13 Fuel Retreat for Youth Workers

19 District Missions Work Day

October

16-18 PK Retreat

16-18 Pastor & Mates Retreat

23-25 Prime Timers Retreat

November

13-15 District TNT

December

5 Pastor & Mates Christmas Party

January

TBD Mission trip: Costa Rica

TBD Winter Retreat for Teens

16 District Training Day

February

27 Ladies Day

March

13 District Missions Work Day

12-21 Mission Trip: Kenya

April

3 Convention Day

8-10 Regional TNT

May

2-3 District Assembly

II. OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

A. DISTRICT OFFICERS

General Superintendent – Dr. Carla Sunberg, 17001 Prairie Star Pkwy, Lenexa, KS 66220, 913-577-0500

District Superintendent – Rev. Arnie Wilson (June 14, 2022)

awilson.alnds@gmail.com, 502-648-4889

Hispanic Nazarene Director -Rev. Luis Arguedas, revluisarguedas@gmail.com

District Secretary – Rev. Lewis Martin, pastorlewismartin@hotmail.com; 256-527-1437

District Treasurer – Rev. Howard Wilson, hjwilson@dcr.net; 502-229-2621

District NMI Chair – Rev. Bruce Hudson, 205-566-3402 pastorbwhudson@gmail.com

District NMI President – Greg Tinker, 205-295-8466, tinkerg@bellsouth.com

District NYI President –Bethany Martin, Bethany.lahmon@gmail.com; 913-702-7184

B. Where to Send Monies

World Evangelism Fund (WEF) and Pensions & Benefits Fund (P&B):

- PAY ONLINE: go to ftm.nazarene.org for a safer, quicker, and less expensive method. Contact the district office for information on setting up a local church account.

Mailing address: Global Treasury Services,

Global Ministry Center

Attn: Donor Services

17001 Prairie Star Parkway

Lenexa, KS 66220-7900

- Phone: 1-800-544-8413

District Allocation:

- Alabama North District Office PO Box 5730, Huntsville, AL 35814

Trevecca Nazarene University:

- PAY ONLINE: go to <https://www.trevecca.edu/give>.

Click on the purple box “Make a Church Educational Budget Payment.”

- Mailing address: Trevecca Nazarene University

333 Murfreesboro Road Nashville, TN 37210

Phone: 615-248-1200

NMI (mission specials, other offerings) – see information for World Evangelism Fund (WEF).

Nazarene Bible College:

- Mailing address: Nazarene Bible College

17001 Prairie Star Pkwy, Suite 300, Lenexa, KS 66220

Nazarene Theological Seminary:

- Mailing address: NTS

1700 E. Meyer Blvd, Kansas City, MO 64131

Alabama Citizens Action Program (ALCAP): Suggested offering of \$1/person of average worship attendance

- Mailing address: ALCAP 2376 Lakeside Drive, Birmingham, AL 35244

C. OTHER DISTRICT PERSONNEL

District Office and Communications – **Faith Wilson** fwalnd83@gmail.com; 502-548-5064

D. DISTRICT BOARDS

Advisory Board

District Superintendent – Arnie Wilson, 7904 Gabriela Dr. NW, Huntsville, AL 35806

Elders

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(2028) Daryl Randolph 256-460-7202; Randolph_daryl@yahoo.com

(2029) Margaret Crawford; 256-415-3223; mannecrawford@aol.com

Laypersons

(2027) Lloyd Hayes 256-764-4458; Lloydhayes15@gmail.com

(2028) Carrie Patton, 205-300-8830; ckpatton65@gmail.com

(2029) Ashley Shaden; 256-303-2566; willowvalleyfence@gmail.com

Board of Church Properties (District Advisory Board)

Board of Ministry

Rev. Arnie Wilson (ex officio-District Superintendent)

Rev. Lewis Martin (ex officio – District Secretary), pastorlewismartin@hotmail.com; 256-527-1437

Rev. Bruce Hudson(chairperson)

Rev. John Parrish (Ministerial Studies chairperson)

Rev. Luis Arguedas (ex officio – Hispanic Nazarene Director)

Board Members:

Rev. Robert Dabydeen

Rev. Sharon Keffer

Rev. Joe McNulty

Rev. Juan Menchu

Mr. Gene Parker

Rev. John Parrish

Rev. Daryl Randolph

Rev. Rob Sant 'Ana

Rev. Scott Sessions

Trustees to Trevecca Nazarene University

District Superintendent – Rev. Arnie Wilson

Ministerial

(2028) Rev. Joe McNulty

Layperson

(2027) Dr. Sandra Knight, sandywknight@gmail.com; 205-270-0298

Court of Appeals

District Superintendent – Rev. Arnie Wilson

Elders: Scott Lowry, Randy Rathman; Laypersons: Shane Barnett, Donald Smith

Alabama Nazarene School of Ministry Board

John Parrish (ANSM Director)

District Superintendent – Arnie Wilson

Bruce Hudson (Board of Ministry Chairman),

E. ASSEMBLY COMMITTEES

Finance Committee

District Advisory Board serves as the Finance Committee

Sub-Finance Committee

District Superintendent, District Advisory Board serves as the Sub-Finance Committee

Auditing Committee

Margaret Crawford (chair), Vicky Carden, Lewis Martin, Joe McNulty, Terry Williford

Nominating Committee

The District Superintendent in consultation with the District Advisory Board shall appoint a nominating committee to serve the district assembly; this committee may prepare nominations for the usual committees and offices in advance of the convening of the District Assembly.

F. DISTRICT AUXILIARIES

NDI

NDI Chairperson's Report

Bruce W. Hudson

I consider it a great privilege to serve in God's Kingdom. I want to thank all those who volunteer in this mission of discipleship making across our district. I want to thank the district leadership and the many pastors I call friends. This discipleship we speak of today, tucked between all the fervor and excitement of youth, and the clear commitment to live out the mission all our days led by the Spirit, is the intentional building of relationships that demonstrate God's love in all of life's circumstances. Providing at times hope, encouragement, comfort, and perhaps, simply a tangible presence. We have a desire to measure the success of discipleship by the world's standards and while there is some finite merit to that mindset, the reviewing and understanding

of where we are from year to year, we are a people who have moved from the fleeting, temporary nature of this world and now participate in the eternal reality of thy kingdom come. Our lives hidden in His such that in all we do we are His ambassadors to this world. Beacons of hope to the hopeless. It is here that we can meet at these few events over the year and pick up right where we left off. The friendships we have are strengthened through these events. And we want more. We want to build upon this.

Ministry areas: children, prime-timers, ladies. We could add singles, young adults, mens. We could have more universal fellowships. We could have more trainings. Like everything, there is a large variety of approaches we could take. Find the leadership and the funding. Invest in the right things, for the right reasons. That is the challenge of discipleship. This coming year we must lay the groundwork for what's coming. This world is longing for authentic representation of Christ and His kingdom. Each congregation across this district is here for a purpose. We must strive to continue participating with one another. We are not independent churches. We are here together as a holiness denomination, living lives convinced that the Holy Spirit works within those who are saved renewing the image of God. When I first started ministry in 1996, I took the district calendar (primarily the NYI) and built everything from there. We need to do this.

I want to help each church fulfill their mission. We do this partly with the events we have. Children's camp, Prime Time Retreat, Ladies Conference, Quizzing, and the Back to School Bash will continue to be focal points for us as we move forward.

Keep reporting.

Blessings.

Respectfully submitted,

Bruce W. Hudson

2026 NDI Council Election Report

Chairperson

Bruce Hudson was affirmed as Chairperson with 66 yes votes and 0 no votes.

Councilmembers (Initial Ballot)

A total of 195 votes were cast. Results were:

- Tracey Martin – 41 votes
- Chris Lindsey – 40 votes
- Denise Myers – 30 votes
- Michael Sumitra – 30 votes

- Larry Scrivner – 29 votes
- Mary Phillips – 25 votes

The top two candidates, Tracey Martin and Chris Lindsey, were elected. A runoff was required to determine the final position.

Councilmembers (Runoff)

A total of 49 votes were cast:

- Michael Sumitra – 26 votes
- Denise Myers – 23 votes

Final Result:

Michael Sumitra was elected to the final council position.

2027 Global Convention Delegates

Elder Delegate

- Lloyd Hayes – 26 votes
- Chris Lindsey – 24 votes
- Denise Myers – 13 votes

Result: Lloyd Hayes elected as Elder Delegate.

Lay Delegate

- Tracey Martin – 27 votes
- Dana Lindsey – 19 votes
- Frances Hayes – 18 votes

Result: Tracey Martin elected as Lay Delegate.

NMI

NMI Report to the District Convention: 28 March 2026 at Gardendale Church of the Nazarene

#1: Mission Opportunities

1) LOCAL MISSIONS: ALN District

(Semi-annual – Spring and Fall)

Each spring (March) and fall (September) we will have an all-District mission project that will revolve

around one (or more) of our local churches. The plan is to work on the project on a Saturday

morning + afternoon (if necessary). This will hopefully provide a great opportunity for involvement.

These projects will be needs-based, so there would likely be construction, and it might also include

some kind of outreach to the local community. These will involve minimal costs and should be

accessible to all who would like to participate.

*IF we believe in Missions—and we do—then we should be able to give at least a day or two a

year to demonstrate that belief.”

2) SOUTHEAST REGION (USA)

(Annual – Once a Year)

We have an ongoing partnership with ARO (Appalachia Reach Out), and our plan is to maintain

this partnership while also responding to other needs in our Region as they arise. These are

weeklong trips to Ohio and Kentucky. These projects should be affordable for most everyone

(generally around \$500 per person).

3) REGIONAL (CENTRAL AMERICA)

(Annual, if possible)

Each year we hope to be doing a project (or 2) in the Central America / Caribbean Region. In

January a team went to Costa Rica (we anticipate an ongoing partnership with Costa Rican

churches and pastors), and July 15-22, 2026, a team will travel to Guatemala to work with a

Nazarene pastor in the Antigua region. These projects are intended to bring awareness to the needs

of our brothers and sisters in our hemisphere and to respond as we are able. These trips require a

passport, and they require a more significant monetary investment. The typical cost is in the range of \$1500.

4) GLOBAL (AFRICA – 2027)

(Quadrennial – Every 4 Years)

We have an ongoing partnership with Hellen and Wellington Obotte (retired Nazarene missionaries),

who have returned to their home country of Kenya where they have opened a work among the

Maasai in Tinga Town. We are planning a trip there in March 2027. These trips are longer and

typically more expensive (in the range of \$2500-\$3500 per person).

#2 - Mission Opportunity

~ District Mission Fund ~

We are asking our ALN Churches to commit to regular monthly giving to fund the full range of

our Mission Projects, from local to global. It would be amazing if every church could give a

minimum of \$25 - \$50 per month toward our District Mission Fund.

This will allow us to do greater ministry with more efficiency and flexibility, and it will make mission

trips more affordable for individuals.

100% of these funds will be used for missions—just like Alabaster Offerings.

These funds should be mailed to the District Office and earmarked: District Mission Fund

AL North District Church of the Nazarene

RE: NMI – District Mission Fund

**P.O. Box 5730
Huntsville, AL 35814**

We are asking Pastors and local NMI Presidents to take the lead in encouraging your church to

engage in ALN Mission Work (both near and far) and in regular giving.

Working together, we can make a huge impact on our cities and communities as we labor together to

advance the Kingdom of God.

#3 - Mission Maasai

~ Tinga Town, Kenya ~

Action Item: Complete the Myers-Poe Mission School in Tinga Town, Kenya (an hour+ from

Nairobi).

***This is our District Project for the year, and it's our Children's VBS Project.**

Mission Maasai Challenge....

Church Match: \$10,000

Individual Match: \$1000

Total needed to complete the school + administration building + well = \$75,000.

We have the wonderful opportunity to bless the Maasai people by helping to finish the construction

of the Myers-Poe Mission School so that the poorest children in the area will be afforded the

opportunity to receive an education.

We can accomplish this as the ALN District family by District Assembly, May 03 rd and 04 th .

Bring your checks to District Assembly OR mail them to Covenant:

Covenant Church of the Nazarene

RE: Mission Maasai

**400 14th Avenue West
Jasper, AL 35501**

“We choose to live simply, so that others may simply live.”

We are financially sound, with \$46,781 in the Bank.

Respectfully submitted,

Greg Tinker, NMI President

28 March 2026

NMI Ballot Report Summary

Date: March 28, 2026

The 2026 NMI Council ballot results show strong participation and broad support for the nominated leadership positions, with 69 total responses recorded.

- **President (Greg Tinker, 2-year term): 66 yes (96%), 3 no (4%)**
- **Vice President (Lewis Martin, 2-year term): 64 yes (93%), 5 no (7%)**
- **Secretary (Ken Walker, 2-year term): 68 yes (99%), 1 no (1%)**

For the 2027 General Convention delegate selections, a total of 132 responses were received, with one incomplete ballot:

- **Delegates #3 and #4:**
 - **Carrie Patton: 42 votes (32%)**
 - **Dana Lindsey: 34 votes (26%)**
 - **Richard Padgett: 33 votes (25%)**
 - **Ken Walker: 23 votes (17%)**

The position of Delegate #2 (Vice President) was also affirmed, receiving 58 yes votes (97%) and 2 no votes (3%) out of 60 responses, with 9 abstentions.

NYI

Alabama North District Church of the Nazarene Convention Day

NYI President's Report

Gardendale Church of the Nazarene

Saturday, March 28, 2026

Welcome

- Welcome to the Alabama North NYI Convention.

Introduction

- This past year, the Church of the Nazarene celebrated its 117th anniversary. NYI...Nazarene Youth International celebrated its 102nd year. From the start, youth have been an integral part of the church. NYI exists to lead young people into a lifelong relationship with Jesus Christ and to facilitate their growth as disciples of Christian service. NYI focuses on the three core strategies of evangelism, discipleship, and leadership development to accomplish this. It is our mission to BE, DO, and GO.

Year In Review

- This past year, we have experienced growth through our events.

TNT @ TNU 2025

- Top Nazarene Talent (TNT) at Trevecca Nazarene University happens annually, allowing students from our district to come together with other districts in the Southeast Field. TNT @ TNU's focus is to encourage students to use their talents and abilities for Christ and to give glory to God. Regional TNT promotes unity and teamwork within our district through competition, encourages fellowship and relationship-building with students from other districts, exposes them to Trevecca's campus and programs, and provides meaningful corporate worship and teaching. We had over 120 people from Alabama North represent our district at Trevecca, a growth of 3.45% from the previous year.

Alabama North Teen Camp 2025

- Last summer, we had over 80 people attend teen camp. Our camp emphasized the importance of missions during the morning sessions, having various speakers. During the evening sessions, Pastor Jacobi Campbell brought the message. Trevecca's Band Refuge led worship, and Trevecca's SMT group (including one of our own Alabama North NYI members, Jake Parrish) led games. It was a great time together.

The Becoming Conference 2025

- The Calling Cooperative sponsors the Becoming Conference, a two-track experience at Trevecca Nazarene University. It exists to assist students in discovering their call in life. Last summer, we had a group of students attend, led by Pastor James Dolinger.

Heart of Worship

- Last July, Alabama North NYI came together for a Heart of Worship. This was a student-led event at Gardendale Church of the Nazarene with worship, games, dinner, and more. It was a great time to fellowship together.

Southeast Field NYI Field Meeting

- Every year, the Southeast Field NYI has a Field Meeting, emphasizing leadership development. Last September, a group of leaders from our Alabama North NYI council was able to attend together.

Pastor Kid Retreat 2025

- The following month, Pastor Kid Retreat took place at Laguna Beach Christian Resort in Panama City Beach, Florida. For the past four years, Alabama North has seen an increase in PKs from our district attending this event sponsored by the Southeast Field NYI. This past year, we saw more growth with 10 pastors' kids (8 teens and two adult chaperones attending). We are thankful our district supports our PKs and their families by providing funds for students to attend, lifting the weight of the churches.

Chance Cooper Speaks

- Last November, Cullman Nazarene Church hosted an event where teens were invited to come hear Chance Cooper from Appalachia Reach Out tell his life story. We had numerous teens from different churches attend this event. It was a powerful night.

District TNT 2025

- Each year, during our District TNT (Top Nazarene Talent) event, students from local churches come together, giving glory to God by using their talents for Him. Students can compete in various categories, including art, academics, music, worship arts, drama, individual sports, and team sports. District TNT prepares our district for TNT at Trevecca Nazarene University by building teams and allowing at least one student or group to represent our district at the field level at each event. This past year, we had over 160 people registered, another increase from our previous year. Pastor Andrew Hudson brought the opening message. Covenant Church of the Nazarene has been a great host, and we are excited to have them continue to host us this upcoming year. Thank you to Jeffery Woods, Mitchell Pittman, Greg Tinker, Jeremy Hagood, Joe Hughes, Covenant, and everyone else who helped make this event a huge success!

Upcoming Events

- We are excited for what is to come for Alabama North NYI.

TNT @ TNU 2026

- In just a couple of weeks, a group from Alabama North will be traveling to Nashville, Tennessee, to participate in TNT @ TNU.

2026 Camp Days

- We are also doing something a little different this summer. Because we have a group going to the Nazarene Youth Conference in July, which you will hear more about in a little while, we will have three camp days this summer. Each camp day will be hosted by different churches in our district. The first camp day is actually not a day, but rather is an all-nighter hosted by Gardendale Church of the Nazarene from June 5th through June 6th, from 8 pm until 8 am. The cost is only \$10. This will be the cost of each camp day. The second camp day will be at Faith Church of the Nazarene on June 20th. Stay tuned for the location and date of the third camp day, which will be coming soon!

Fuel

- The Southeast Field NYI is hosting a youth workers' retreat in North Carolina from September 11th through September 13th. If you are a youth worker in any capacity, start making plans to attend. It is going to be a great time to relax and get a break, while also receiving youth ministry resources. Registration is currently live.

PK Retreat

- October 16-18, 2026
- Great Wolf Lodge in LaGrange, Georgia
- Our district will be taking a van of teens, so if you are interested, please talk to me, and we will help get you there!

ALN NYI District TNT

- November 13-15, 2026, at Covenant Church of the Nazarene

ALN NYI Winter Retreat

- Our annual winter retreat allows students to “break away” from everyday life through biblical teaching, worship, fellowship, and fun. It provides a spiritual boost to students in the middle of the school year. We are excited to continue this event in January. Stay tuned for more details.

TNT @ TNU

- April 8-10, 2027, at Trevecca Nazarene University

ALN NYI Teen Camp

- Early June 2027

The Becoming Conference

- July 5-9, 2027, at Trevecca Nazarene University

Nazarene Youth Conference (John Parrish)

- Pastor John Parrish spoke about the Nazarene Youth Conference. Alabama North has a group of over 60 members traveling to Salt Lake City, Utah, this summer for NYC.

Alabama North NYI 2026-2027 Calendar and Alabama North NYI Price Guide

- Our Alabama North NYI Calendar and Price Guide is to help all. Utilize the papers to get an idea of when events will be and how much they will cost.

Scholarship Fund

- Two years ago, we created an application for students in need of scholarship funds to help attend any Alabama North NYI event. We utilized funds this past year, and we continue to have the opportunity to continue our scholarship fund for this upcoming year.

Stay Up to Date on Important Information and Email List

- We want everyone to stay informed about what is happening throughout Alabama North NYI. Last year, quarterly newsletters were sent out with important NYI information. We plan to do the same this year, so don't miss out on important information. Scan the QR code to join our email list if you are not already on it.

Closing Remarks

- This past year would not have been possible without the Alabama North NYI Council and all of the work they do and continue to do. Our Executive Council, Joe Hughes, Jeremy Hagood, and Daryl Randolph, have been great in helping me lead. Our zone and student representatives have also been a great help, sending out information and providing feedback to improve our district events. Thank you to our DS, Arnie Wilson, who always supports our events and encourages us. It truly takes a team for Alabama North NYI to run, so a huge thank you to all who help plan events, volunteer their time, and participate in events. If you are a pastor or lay leader who did not attend a NYI event this past year, I encourage you to attend one this upcoming year. In fact, attend as many as you can. It is important for our students to see you all at events, and trust me, they want you there. As we continue this new NYI year, know that our mission remains. We aim to come alongside the youth and college ministries of the Alabama North District Church of the Nazarene.

Jeremy Hagood will discuss the financials and answer any questions.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bethany Martin, ALN NYI President

Saturday, March 28, 2026

2026 Council Election Results

- **President:** Bethany Martin approved with 89% (51 yes, 6 no)
- **Youth Staff Representative:** James Dolinger approved with 88% (50 yes, 7 no)

Regional Representatives

- **Birmingham:** Shaffer Penny approved with 95% (54 yes, 3 no)
- **Central (vote for one):** Grayson Hale elected with 63% (35 votes); Patrick Gambrell received 38% (21 votes)
- **Quad Cities:** Jonathan Melton approved with 98% (56 yes, 1 no)
- **Gadsden:** Stacy Beard approved with 96% (53 yes, 2 no; 2 abstentions)
- **Tennessee Valley:** Seth Martin approved with 96% (55 yes, 2 no)
- **Walker:** Mallory McLemore approved with 96% (55 yes, 2 no)

Age Group Representatives

- **College & Career (110 responses):**
 - Scout Parrish: 40% (44)
 - Aaron Martin: 35% (38)
 - Isaiah Davis: 25% (28)

- **Senior High (111 responses):**
 - Luke Sessions: 34% (38)
 - Angela Sumitra: 23% (26)
 - Grant Wilson: 23% (26)
 - William Randolph: 19% (21)
- **Junior High (108 responses):**
 - Drew Beard: 34% (37)
 - Ellis Cummings: 30% (32)
 - Ariana Veronese: 19% (21)
 - Emelyn Veronese: 17% (18)

Hispanic Representatives

- **Adult Representative:** Sebastian Monge approved with 95% (54 yes, 3 no)
- **Student Representative:** Leidy Vazquez approved with 95% (54 yes, 3 no)

2027 Global Convention Delegates

- **Ministerial Delegate:** Daryl Randolph elected with 63% (35 votes); James Dolinger received 38% (21 votes)
- **Lay Adult Delegate:** Joe Hughes elected with 61% (34 votes); Miranda Randolph received 39% (22 votes)
- **Student Delegate:** William Randolph elected with 59% (33 votes); Aaron Martin received 41% (23 votes)

H. CHURCH DIRECTORY

Albertville Hispanic

(Organized 1997) (079-0009) (No Update Submitted) Phone: (256-878-4070)

Location: 705 Section Line Rd., Albertville, AL 35950

Pastor Information

Co-Pastors - Juan A. Menchu & Rufina Tzoc Menchu

Pastor Address: 40 Shaw St., Albertville, AL 35950

Pastor Phone: (256-477-3923) Pastor email: pastorjuanmenchu@gmail.com

Start Date: 6/1/97 Review Date 6/2020

Assoc. Pastor: Justiniano Gonzales Ruiz, 363 Mertle Dr. N.E., Huntsville, AL 35810 (256-527-4222)

Assoc. Pastor: Florencia Lopez-Gaspar, 705 Section Rd., Albertville, AL, 35950 (256-878-4070)

Assoc. Pastor: Miriam Hernandez, 705 Section Rd., Albertville, AL 35950 (256-878-4070)

Assoc. Pastor: Roni Lopez-Vincent, 705 Section Rd., Albertville, AL 35950 (256-878-4070)

Assoc. Pastor: Braulio Armando Miranda, 3104 Normandale Dr. N.W., Huntsville, AL 35811 (256- 479-6081)

Assoc. Pastor: Hugo (Hector) Rodriguez, 705 Section Rd., Albertville, AL, 35950 (256-878-4070)

Assoc. Pastor: Saul Vasquez, 705 Section Rd., Albertville, AL 35950 (256-878-4070)

Lay Minister- Encarnacion Perez - 25 2nd St. Albertville, AL 35950 - (256-302-5215)

Ministry Assistants

Music Dir. - Fernando Choc - 100 Greenwood Lot 56, Albertville, AL 35950 (256-673-3470)

Chr. Ed. Dir.- Miguel Gutierrez/Marcelina Tzul - 1014 Brooklyn Ave. Albertville, AL 35950 (256-744-2907)

SDMI Dir.- Rutilio Perez 43 Irvin Rd. Boaz AL, 35957 ((256-677-5509)

Children's Min. Dir.- Miguel Gutierrez - 1014 Brooklyn Ave. Albertville, AL 35950 - (256)744-2907

NYI Pres. - Edvin Roblero - 100 Greenwood Lot 56, Albertville, AL 35950

Men's Min. Dir.- Rutilio Perez - 43 Irvin Rd. Boaz, AL 35957

Women's Min. Dir.- Graciella Juan - 5854 Co. Rd. 24 Crossville, AL 35962

NMI President – Nicolas Sapon, 175 Asbury, Albertville, AL 35950

Church Board Sec.- Fernando Choc - 100 Greenwood Lot 56, Albertville, AL 35950

Church Treasurer - Emilio Gutierrez - 200 Wavo Circle, Albertville, AL 35951

Anniston Hispanic

Location: 4940 Saks Rd Anniston, AL 36206

Pastor Information

Pastor Name: Miriam Hernandez

Pastor Phone: 256-343-1717 Pastor Email: carmau120@gmail.com

Ministry Positions

Co Pastor – Miguel Guzman, 205-615-5245; guzmanmiquel148@gmail.com

Athens Hispanic (Organized 2002) (079-0013) (No Update Submitted) Phone: (256-374-6739)

Location: 1102 N. Jefferson, Athens, AL 35611

Pastor Information

Pastor Name: Mateo Grave

Pastor Address: 1430 South Madison, Athens, AL 35611

Pastor Phone: 256-374-6739 Pastor Email: Mateograve969@gmail.com

Ministry Positions

Associate Pastor - Manuel Ralios - 607 Marion St. Athens, AL 35611 - (256-374-4263)

SDMI Supt. – Maria Ajujalip, 1102 North Jefferson St, Athens, AL 35611 (256-321-0574)

Children's Min Dir – Juana Juarez, 1102 North Jefferson Street, Athens, AL 35611, (256-566-5169)

NYI Pres. - Nelson Vicente, 607 North Madison, Athens, AL 35611, 256-374-4263

NMI Pres. – Tomasa Ajujalip, 1102 North Jefferson Street, Athens, AL 35611

Church Bd. Sec. – Lucia Tomas, 1803 US Hwy 72. Athens, AL 35611 (256-919-6825)

Church Treas. – Domingo Juarez, 1400 Houston, Athens, AL 35611 - (256-374-9515)

Berry

(Organized 1935) (079-0040)

Church Location: 216 School Ave Berry, AL 35546

Church Mailing Address: 216 School Ave Berry, AL 35546

Church Website: www.berrynaz.com

Church Email: berrynazchurch@gmail.com

Pastor Information

Pastor Name and (Spouse): Chris (Dana) Lindsey

Pastor Phone: 205-522-4808 Pastor Email: pastorchris17@yahoo.com

Start Date: 03/06/2022 Review Date: 03/06/2024

Ministry Positions

NDI Pres: Jeff Handley; jefferyhandley9@gmail.com

NYI Pres: Sandy Knight; sandywknight@gmail.com

NMI: Dana Lindsey danalindsey; 73@yahoo.com

Beulah

(Organized 1945) (079-0060) (No Update Submitted) Church Location: 13438 County Rd. 222, Crane Hill, AL 35053

Church Mailing Address: P.O. Box101, Crane Hill, AL 35053

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse):

Pastor Address:

Pastor Phone:

Start Date: Review Date:

Ministry Positions

Music Director – Ila Gibbs 939 Co Rd 1755 Holly Pond, AL 35083 (256-709-5345)

Church Board Sec.- Raymond Clarke, 525 Co Rd 949, Crane Hill, AL 35053 (256 - 595-1882)

Church Treas. – Mary West, 1411 Jones Ct. Jasper, AL 35504 (205-221-4471)

Birmingham First Church

(Organized 1924) (079-0080)

Church Location: 1998 Shades Crest Rd Vestavia, Al 35216

Church Mailing Address: 1998 Shades Crest Rd Vestavia, Al 35216

Church Website: fcotn.org

Church Phone: (205-822-4520) Church Email: office@fcotn.org

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse): Samuel Foster

Pastor Phone: 615-878-2930; Pastor's Email: 7fostersamuel@gmail.com

Start Date: 3/2026 Review Date:3/2028

Ministry Positions

Worship Leader: Roy Nix; rnix240@aol.com

NMI Leader: Patti Burleson; pattiburleson@gmail.com

Board Secretary: Roy Nix, rnix240@aol.com

Treasurer: Ron Boisclair: boiscro@gmail.com

Birmingham Pleasant Grove

(Organized 1942) (079-0120)

Church Location: 721 Pleasant Grove Rd., Pleasant Grove, AL 35127

Church Phone: 205-744-0821

Church Email: pgnaz@pgnaz.org

Church Website: www.pgnaz.org

Pastor Information

Pastor Bruce (Tanya) Hudson

Pastor Phone: 205-566-3402

Pastor Email: pastorbwhudson@gmail.com

Start Date: 5/2010 Review Date: 9/2029

Ministry Positions

NDI President: Madison Creel; mcreel121@gmail.com;

Associate Pastor of Children's Ministry—Denise Myers, denise2565@gmail.com

NYI Pres.-Marisa Martin; mdmw2254@gmail.com

NMI Pres.-Casey Faulkner, cfaulkne@ches.ua.edu

Birmingham Shannon

(Organized 1945) (079-0130)

Church Location: Bessemer Al

Church Mailing Address: P.O. Box 23, Shannon, AL 35142

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & spouse: Robert William (Diane) Hill

Pastor Phone: 205-533-1695

Pastor's Email: robertwilliamhill@att.net

Start Date: August 2004 Review Date: 8/2024

Blountsville Hispanic

(Organized 2000) (079-0157) (No Update Submitted) Location: 69080 Main St., Blountsville, AL 35031

Mail: 40 Shaw St., Albertville, AL 35950

Pastor Information

Co-Pastor Juan & Rufina Menchu (Start Date: 7/2013) See Albertville Hispanic

Ministry Positions

Ministry Assistant -- Daniel Reyes 232B 9th South St., Gadsden, AL 35901 (256-504-0442)

Music Dir. -- Cristobal Lucas 116 Hovater Cir., Russellville, AL 35654 (256-412-0681)

SDMI Supt. -- Eliseo Garcia 1320 Pleasant Hill Rd., Boaz, AL 35956 (256-677-3602)

NYI Pres. -- Sarai Garcia 1320 Pleasant Hill Rd., Boaz, AL 35956 (256-677-3602)

NMI Pres. -- Sylvia Reyes 1320 Pleasant Hill Rd., Boaz, AL 35956 (256-677-3602)

Church Board Sec. -- Nayely Herrera 232B 9th South St., Gadsden, AL 35901 (256-504-0442)

Church Treas. -- Eliseo Garcia 1320 Pleasant Hill Rd., Boaz, AL 35956 (256-677-3602)

Boaz First

(Organized 1990) (079-0014)

Church Location: 51 Peppers Rd. Boaz, AL 35957

Church Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1143, Boaz, AL 35957 Phone: (256-659-1347)

Pastor Information

Pastor Name:

Pastor Phone: Pastor Email:

Ministry Positions

NDI – Agnes Baird, 280 Welcome Home Church Road, Horton, AL 35980, (256-593-4972)
jebaird497@gmail.com

NMI Pres. – Glenda Martin, 256-659-1347; bamagrans4@aol.com

Boley

(Organized 1929) (079-0160)

Church Location: 4020 Co. Rd. 83, Berry, AL 35546

Church Mailing Address: 4020 Co. Rd. 83, Berry, AL 35546

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse):

Pastor Phone: Pastor's Email:

Start Date: Review Date:

Ministry Positions

NDI Supt. - Arthur Williams,

NYI Pres.- Dewayne Medders dmedders571@yahoo.com

NMI Pres - Samatha Medders madisonsamantha@ymail.com

Women's Min. Dir. - Sharon Willcutt, slkwill@aol.com

Men's Min. Dir. – Wesley Jacobs, wjacobs@tuscaloosa.com

Church Board Sec. - Sharon Willcutt, slkwill@aol.com

Church Treas. - Sharon Willcutt, slkwill2@aol.com

Brindlee Mountain

(Organized 1990) (079-0029)

Church Location: 370 Belair Dr., Arab, AL 35016

Church Mailing Address : P.O. Box 419, Arab, AL 35016

Website: www.brindleenazarene.church

Church Email: pastorrob@brindleenazarene.church

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & Spouse: Roberto Sant'Anna (Ana)

Pastor Phone: 256-200-6933

Pastor Email: revrobsantanna@gmail.com

Start Date: 2/4/2018 Review Date: 3/2025

Ministry Positions

Steward: Ana Sant'Anna; Anaxsantanna@gmail.com

Trustee: Paul Zimmerman; pkznmz@wigginstel.com

Secretary::Diane Miller; dianemillermusic@comcast.net

Treasurer: Vickie Gray; 1vickiegray@gmail.com

Covenant

(Organized 1908*Organized as a holiness band in 1898.) (079-0340) Church Location: 400 14th Ave. Jasper, AL 35501

Church Mailing Address: PO Box 478 Jasper, AL 35502

Church Website: covenantnaz.com

Church Phone: 205-384-4492

Church Email: info@covenant.com

Pastor Information

Pastor Name: Greg Tinker

Pastor Phone:205-295-8466 Pastor's Email: tinkerg@bellsouth.net Start Date: 8/23 Review Date: 8/25

Ministry Positions

Associate Pastor: Jeffery Woods; jwoods7883@gmail.com

Worship Pastor: Jim Odom, jimodom78@gmail.com

NYI President: Mitchell Pittman; pgpitdog@bellsouth.net

NMI President: Gail Marks, gaildowns@bellsouth.net

NDI President: Freeman Bivins; fwbivins@gmail.com

Children's Director: Brittany Patton; brittanyfpatton@gmail.com

Early Learning Center Director: Tricia Whitfield; triciamarie25@gmail.com

Women's Ministry: Kimberly Williams; kwilliams51989@gmail.com

Men's Ministry Brent McCarver bgmcllc@outlook.com

Sport's Ministry Brandon Whitfield bwhit0225@gmail.com

Jail Ministry Steve Hendon stevehendon@att.net

Recovery Director Deidre Wilson deidredwilson@gmail.com

Prayer Ministry Linda Dodd lindadodd62@gmail.com

Prayer Ministry Steve Odom steveodom56@icloud.com

Church Treasurer Terry Willeford willefordt@covenantnaz.com

Church Board Secretary Carrie Patton ckpatton65@gmail.com

Sr Adult Ministries Director Jeffery Woods jwoods7883@gmail.com

Cullman Cornerstone

(Organized 2014) (079-0004)

Church Location: 321 3rd St SE, Cullman, AL 35055

Church Mailing Address: 321 3rd St SE, Cullman, AL 35055

Church Phone: 256-775-2756

Church Website: www.cullmancornerstone.org

Church Email: cullmancornerstone@gmail.com

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & Spouse: Joe McNulty (Jane)

Pastor Phone: (256-338-8017) Pastor Email: joemcnulty53@gmail.com Start Date: 11/2016
Review Date:

Ministry Positions

NDI Taylor Hale Jeffreythale@yahoo.com

Children's Min. Dir.- Renee Collins (Matt) rcollins@ccboe.org

NYI-Grayson Hale; graysonhale97@gmail.com

Men's Min. Dir.- Jim Thomas; Jamessthasii7@gmail.com

NMI- MaryNeil Saunders, (256-522-4828) lotodogs@bellsouth.net

Work and Witness: Jim Saunders; lotodogs@bellsouth.net

Church Board Sec. –Renee Collins rcollins@ccboe.org

Church Treas. – Lindsay Rhodes lindsay@lmrhodescpa.com

Office Admin-Jane McNulty; Secretary@cullmancornerstone.com

Worship Leader—Mary Hale; halemary1993@att.net

Woman's Ministry- Ruth Niclaus; ruthnicklaus@gmail.com

Sr. Adult Ministries Jim/MaryNell Saunders; lotodogs@bellsouth.net

Cullman First

(Organized 1928) (079-0180)

Church Location: 5415 AL Hwy. 157 Cullman, AL 35058

Church Mailing Address: 5415 AL Hwy. 157 Cullman, AL 35058

Church Website: www.cullmanfirst.com

Church Phone: 256-734-8937

Church Email: cullmanfirst@gmail.com

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse): Scott (Amy) Sessions

Pastor Phone: (256-339-5179) Pastor's Email: sasessions@aol.com

Start Date: 1/2014 Review Date: 1/2025

Ministry Positions

Music Dir.: Isaac Shaddix, ipshaddix@gmail.com

Office Admin: Genny Williams; cullmanfirst@gmail.com

Facilities: Gregg Smith; cullmanfirst@gmail.com

NYI: Patrick Gambrell; patrick.gambrell@hotmail.com

NDI: Tracey Shaddix; tshaddix@shaddix.us

Nursery/Pre-School: Erica Ball; cullmanfirst@gmail.com

Children: Ashley Shadden; cnckids2025@gmail.com

Board Secretary: Costa Marinakis; dcalaland@aol.com

NMI: Dale McWhorter; Mcwhorter.dale@gmail.com

Men's Ministry: Cory Shadden; cullmanfirst@gmail.com

Decatur Hispanic

(Organized 1996) (079-0195)

Location: 2201 Sandlin Rd. SW, Decatur, AL 35601

Pastor Information

Pastor: Andres Mendez (Start Date: 3/1/04 Review Date: 3/13)

2201 Sandlin Rd. SW, Decatur, AL 35601

Phone Number: 256-318-3629

Pastor email: pastormendez900@gmail.com

Ministry Positions

Assoc. Pastor -- Luis Francisco, 2201 Sandlin Rd., SW, Decatur, AL 35601

Assoc. Pastor – Abelino Perez, 2201 Sandlin Rd., SW, Decatur, AL 35601

Assoc. Pastor – Marcos Juan, 2201 Sandlin Rd., SW, Decatur, AL 35601

NYI—Benjamin Juan, 256-551-8791; pastormendez12345@gmail.com

Decatur Spring Ave.

(Organized 1983) (079-0189)

Church Location: 3930 Spring Ave., SW, Decatur, AL 35603

Church Mailing Address: P.O. Box 576; Decatur, AL 35602

Church Website: www.springavenaz.org

Church Phone: (256) 350-8317

Pastor Information

Pastor Name and (Spouse): John Branch, interim

Pastor Phone: 260-791-1663

Start Date: Review Date:

Ministry Positions

NMI-Lyn Carver; terrylynnala@yahoo.com

NDI– Terry Carver, terrylynnala@yahoo.com

East Gadsden

(Organized 1937) (079-0210)

Church Location: 1214 Sizemore Street, Gadsden, AL 35903

Church Mailing Address: 1214 Sizemore Street, Gadsden, AL 35903

Church Phone: 256-492-2561

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & Spouse: Daryl (Miranda) Randolph

Pastor Phone: (256-460-7202) Pastor Email: Randolph_Daryl@yahoo.com Start Date: 9/4/2016

Review Date: 11/4/2028

Ministry Positions

NDI – Tracy Hall; tracyhall218@gmail.com

NYI Pres. – Donna Thomas; dthomas0601@gmail.com

NMI Pres. – Miranda Randolph miranda.randolph@yahoo.com

Church Board Sec.-Felecia Taylor; hizismine2@aol.com

Church Treas.-Donna Thomas; dthomas0601@gmail.com

Emmanuel Church of the Nazarene—Trussville

(Organized 2015) (079-0165)

Church Information:

Church Location: 6263 Service Rd. Birmingham, AL 35235

Church Mailing Address: 317 13th Terrace N.W. Birmingham, AL 35215

Pastor Information:

Pastor Name and (Spouse): Luis (Laura) Arguedas

Pastor Address: 1024 Saintclair Rd Mood Al 53004

Pastor Phone: 205 422-4059 Pastor's Email: revluisarguedas@gmail.com

Start Date: 06-10-2006 Review Date: 01/20/2019

Ministry Positions:

NMI Pres. – Laura Chacon 1024 Saint Clair Rd; 205-5331107; laursebas2010@gmail.com

Faith

(Organized 1991) (079-0275)

Location: 4820 Skyline Dr., Warrior, AL 35180

Church Phone: 205-647-8029

Pastor Information

Larry Boling (appointed) 248-875-7868

Ministry Positions

NMI Pres: Janet Benton - jbbenton@bellsouth.net

First Church of the Nazarene, Rainbow City

(Organized 1995) (079-0448) Church Location: 3867 Rainbow Drive, Rainbow City, AL 35906

Church Website: www.churchfromhome.tv

Church Phone: 256-490-1075 Church E-mail: firstchurchrbc@gmail.com

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse): Jeff (Elly) Underwood

Pastor Phone: 256-393-6055; Pastor's Email: pastorjeffu@gmail.com

Start Date: 8/2015 Review Date: 8/2025

Ministry Positions

Office Secretary – Sandra Neal 106 Windsor Lane, Rainbow City, AL 256-490-1075
firstchurchrbc@gmail.com

Children's Ministry leader - Elly Underwood

NMI President - Sandra Neal - sandraneal1950@gmail.com

Women's Min - Nancy Tague

Church Board Secretary - Bill Stewart; beastie7693@gmail.com

Church Treasurer - Nancy Tague

First Hispanic (Baileyton)

(Organized 1996) (079-0037) (No Update Submitted) Location: 2598 County Rd. 1570, Baileyton, AL 35019

Mail: 35 Wolf Creek Rd., Baileyton, AL 35019

Florence First

(Organized 1914 Dates back to 1904) (079-0220) (No Update Submitted)

Church Location: 102 Fairground Rd., Florence, AL 35630

Church Website: www.FlorenceFirstNaz.com

Church Phone: 256-764-9322

Church Email: Florencefirstchurch@gmail.com

Pastor Information

Pastor's Names:

Pastor's Phone:

Pastors' emails:

Start Date: Review Date:

Ministry Positions

NDI Supt. – Janet Williams (478-230-3278) - janet48w@gmail.com

NMI Pres. -- Margaret Phillips (256-740-2755) - margaretphillips256@gmail.com

Celebrate Recovery Leader - Lloyd Hayes; lloydhayes53@gmail.com

Church Board Sec. – Lloyd Hayes, (256-764-4458) - Lloydhayes15@gmail.com

Church Treas. – Thomas Osborn, (256-627-7551) - Riggerman71@gmail.com

Fort Payne Iglesia Del Nazareno

(Organized 2015) (079-0001) (No Update Submitted) Location & Mailing Address: 2111 Briarwood Ave. SW., Ft. Payne, AL 35967

Pastor Information

Pastor: Edgar Joj Tun

Pastor Address: 815 Godfrey Ave. NE Fort Payne, AL 35967

Pastor Phone: (256-465-5014) Pastor Email: jojedgar@yahoo.com

Ministry Positions

Music Dir. Rone Lopez - 350 Industrial LN Lot 110 Silvana AL 35988 (256) 717-7144

Assoc. Pastor -Saul Vasquez - 642 Co. Rd. 505 Rainsville, AL 35986-(256)638-8835

Children's Min. Dir: Florencia Gaspar 815 Godfrey Ave. NE Fort Payne AL 35967 (256)516-3680

NYI Pres. - Lusvin Valey - 90 Creen Ballet Circle Fort Payne AL 35867 - (256)516-330

Women's Min. Dir - Gladys Barrionuevo - 503 Godfrey Ave. NE Fort Payne, AL 35967 (256) 997-6309

NMI Pres.- Ricardo Vasquez - 5003 Martin Ave. NE Apt. 1-2 Fort Payen AL 35967 - (256) 601-9207

Church Board Sec - Hugo Rodriguez - 10315th St. SW Fort Payne, AL 35967 - (256) 630-7805

Church Board Treas. - Hugo Rodriguez - 10315th St. SW Fort Payne, AL 35967 - (256) 630-7805

Gardendale

(Organized 1965) (079-0240)

Church Location: 1800 Decatur Highway, Gardendale, AL 35071

Church Mailing Address: 1800 Decatur Highway, Gardendale, AL 35071

Church Website: gdalenaz.org

Church Phone: 205-631-5452 Fax: 205-631-5476

Church E-mail: jparrish@gdalenaz.org

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse): John (Heather) Parrish

Pastor Address: 181 Shugart Ridge Road, Gardendale, AL 35071

Pastor Phone: 205-908-1177

Pastor's Email: jparrish@gdalenaz.org

Start Date: 5/04/08 Review Date: 2/2030

Ministry Positions

Office Secretary – Erica Calvert, ecalvert@gdalenaz.org

Worship Leader – John Murphree, jmurphree@gdalenaz.org

NDI. – Steven Manning, swmanning85@gmail.com

Children's Ministry– Mary Phillips , maryolivia5151@gmail.com

Youth Pastor – James Dolinger, jdolinger@gdalenaz.org

Senior Adult Pastor – Ken Smith, kbtssmith@outlook.com

NMI Pres. – Richard Padgett, rpadgett@maxcoating.com

Church Board Sec-Rachel Boone, boone.rachel@att.net

Grace Chapel

(Organized 1914) (079-0250)

Church Location & Mailing Address: 1500 Highway 124 Jasper, Al. 35501

Church Website: facebook.com/GraceChapelNazarene

Pastor Information

Pastor Name and (Spouse): Lloyd (Frances) Hayes

Pastor Phone: 205-541-7150 Pastor Email: rev.lthayes@gmail.com

Start Date: 3/6/22 Review Date: 3/6/26

Ministry Positions

NDI President.: Mac Lollar, mac.lollar@gmail.com

Senior Adult Dir.: Solon Jones

NYI Pres.: Jake Pasco; j.pasco7777@gmail.com

NMI Pres.: Frances Hayes; frances.h.hayes@gmail.com

Church Board Sec.: Dawn Pasco; mrsdawns@gmail.com

Church Treas.: Ritchie Elliott; bamarich66@yahoo.com

Grace Family Church

(CTM in Huntsville) (070-0008)

851 Cherry Tree Rd., Gurley, AL 3574

Web address: gracefamchurch.com Email: info@gracefamchurch.com

Pastor Information:

Pastor Name: Darren (Tracy) Boyd

Phone: 256-541-0945 Pastor email: darren.r.boyd@gmail.com

Ministry Positions

Tracy Boyd; tracy.l.boyd@gmail.com

Hartselle

(Organized 1924) (079-0270) (No Update Submitted)

Location: 739 W. Main St., Hartselle, AL 35640

Mail: 210 Nelson St. N.W., Hartselle, AL 35640

Pastor Information

Pastor Name Doug Solomon

Pastor Phone:

Pastor Email:

Appt Date: Appt Review:

Ministry Positions

Music Dir. -- Bobby Hollis, (256-466-5494)

NMI Pres. – Annice Crisp, 1 (256-773-8582) (256-606-8828)

Church Board Sec. -- Joyce Hollis, (256-784-6226)

Church Treas. -- Lynn Fream (256-502-1042) lfream38@aol.com

Hickory Grove

(Organized 1919) (079-0280)

Church Location: 2945 County Rd. 8, Double Springs, AL 35553

Church Mailing Address: P.O. Box 101, Double Springs, AL 35553

Church email: BJKIMBROUGH161@GMAIL.COM

Pastor Information

Lay Pastor Name & (Spouse): Steve (Barbara) Kimbrough

Pastor Phone: 205-717-5635

Pastor Email: kimbroughsteve5@gmail.com Start Date: 8/2024 (by appointment)

Ministry Positions

NDI --Charlotte Shadix

Huntsville Alpha Y Omega

(Organized 2017) (079-0311) (No Update Submitted) Location: 9640 Meridian St. N., Huntsville, AL, 35810, United States

Church Mailing Address: 3104 Normandale Dr. NW, Huntsville, AL 35811

Pastor Information

Pastor: Abel Miranda-Gomez (Start Date: 4/2014)

3104 Normandale, Huntsville, AL 35811

Pastor Phone: 256-261-5954 Pastor email: abelmiranda70@hotmail.com

Ministry Positions

Assoct Pastor_-Evelio Jiguan, 3104 Normandale Dr, Huntsville, 35811

NYI Pres. – Justin Iano, 3940 Telstar Circle, Huntsville, AL 35805

Church Bd. Sec. -- Pedro Juan - 3317 Bartee Ln., Huntsville, AL 45810 - (256)665-4672

Church Treas. -- Braulio Armando Miranda - 3104 Normandale Dr. NW, Huntsville, AL 35811 (256)479- 8120

Work & Witness Coordinators - Magdalena Bravo - 3104 Normandale Dr. NW, Huntsville, AL 35811 – (256)479-8120

Work & Witness Coordinators - Maria Garcia - 3317 Bartee Ln., Huntsville, AL 35810 - (256)665-4672

Huntsville Journey

(Organized 1920) (079-0310)

Location: 9640 Meridian St N., Huntsville, AL 35810

Website: www.JourneyChurchFamily.org

Phone: (256-859-5111) Fax: (256-859-5112)

Email: JourneyChurchFamily@gmail.com

Pastor Information

Pastor Name:TBA

Pastor Phone:

Pastor Email:

Start Date: Review Date:

Ministry Positions

Associate Pastor: Dan Lehman; laymanfpv@gmail.com

Worship Leader: Zach King King; zacharyd@gmail.com

Sunday School Director: Larry Stover; lpstover@gmail.com

Youth Director: Ty McCoy; tymccoy10165@gmail.com

Senior Adults Director: Larry Scrivner; larry.scrivner69@gmail.com

Huntsville Southeast

(Organized 1999) (079-0325)

Church Location: 2275 Cecil Ashburn Dr. SE, Huntsville, AL 35802

Church Mailing Address: 2275 Cecil Ashburn Dr. SE, Huntsville, AL 35802

Church Website: www.hsvsenaz.org

Church Phone: 256-881-3399 Church Email: senazoffice@gmail.com

Pastor Information

Pastor Name and (Spouse): Byron W. Brown (Rev. Dana S.)

Pastor Phone: 256-801-5474 Pastor's Email: senaooffice@gmail.com

Start Date: 11/03/13 Review Date:

Ministry Positions

Office Sec. Tammy Hoskins; senazoffice@gmail.com

Exec Pastor– Dana S. Brown, 35803 abbd93@yahoo.com

Evangelists in Residence-Wally & Ginger Laxson, wallyandginger@yahoo.com

NMI Pres. – Bob Goens, bobertnkerry@gmail.com

Church Board Secretary – Ray Zapata, raymonzjr@gmail.com

Church Treas. – Bobby Earles; robert.earles63@gmail.com

Huntsville University

(Organized 1958) (079-0330)

Location: 625 Austin Dr., NW, Huntsville, AL 35805

Phone: 256-536-0313

Mail: 7109 Ridge Crest Rd., Owens Cross Roads, AL 35763

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & Spouse: Richard (Lela) Prince

Pastor Phone: 256-536-0313

Pastor Email: Rprinjr10@gmail.com

Start Date: 09/11/2016 Pastoral Review Date: 6/26

Ministry Positions

NMI President: Vicki Drude; TBD_2K@yahoo.com

Music Director: Sandi Webster; skmetcalf@comcast.com

Men's Ministry: Jimmy Jackson; jdbegg1@yahoo.com

Women's Ministry: Vicky Jackson; jimvic03@gmail.com

Church Board Secretary: Dianne Terrell; Mdt0911@yahoo.com

Jesus, el Pan de Vida

(Organized 2013) (079-0005)

Church Location: 43268 Hwy. 75, Geraldine, AL 35974

Church Mailing Address: PO Box 343, Crossville, AL 35962

Church Phone: 256-465-1161

Pastor Information:

Pastor Name: Francisco and Maria Acosta (co-pastors)

Pastor phone: 256-465-1161

Pastor email: franciscoacosta59@yahoo.com

Life Hope (Boaz Haitian)

(CTM) (079-0007) (No Update Submitted) Church Location: 1617 Brown Street, Boaz, AL 35957

Church Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1143, Boaz, AL 35957

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse): Odel & (Marie Flore) Alusma

Pastor Address: 1240 villa Rica Road, Marietta, GA 30064

Pastor Phone: 404-957-8319 Pastor's Email: deloalus@yahoo.com

Ministry Position

Church Secretary – Jean Baptiste Petit Frere

Church Treasurer – Yvelt Jerome

Madison First

(Organized 1967) (079-0360)

Church Location: 8234 Old Madison Pike, Madison, AL 35758

Church Website: www.madnaz.com

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse): Lewis (Tracey) Martin

Pastor Phone: 256-527-1437 Pastor Email: pastorlewismartin@gmail.com Start Date: 9/1/2004
Review Date: 9/2027

Ministry Positions

Pastor of Discipleship: Charles Lahmon; chclahmon@gmail.com

Childrens – Tracey Martin; tdmartin1972@gmail.com

NYI Pres. – Kevin Bradshaw; kjbradshaw14@yahoo.com

Youth Director – Bethany Martin; bethany.lahmon@gmail.com

NMI Pres. – Anna Lahmon; anna.lahmon@gmail.com

Women's Ministry – Tracey Martin, tdmartin1972@gmail.com

Church Board Sec. – Towa Teel; teeltowa@gmail.com

Church Treas. – Anna Lahmon; anna.lahmon@gmail.com

Mary's Chapel

(Organized 1935) (079-0380) (No Update Submitted)

Church Location & Mailing Address: 2595 CR39 Lexington AL 35648

Pastor Information

Pastor Name:

Pastor Phone: Pastor's Email:

Start Date: Review Date:

Ministry Positions

Associate Pastor-Rick Graves; 256-616-8188; revrick@bellsouth.net

Minister of Christian Ed- Bobi Graves; 256-616-8734; bobigraves@bellsouth.net

Worship Leader. –Penny Cockrell, nanalyfe7@gmail.com

Worship Leader-Tony Dean; 256-577-9416

NMI Pres. – Amy Davis; 602-550-4290; adavis2224@protomail.com

Church Treas.- Bridget Holden, (256) 366-2287 bridget.holden@lorettotel.com

Church Board Secretary. - Bridget Holden, (256) 366-2287 bridget.holden@lorettotel.com

Mount Zion

(Organized 1918) (079-0400)

Location: 638 County Hwy. 10, Blountsville, AL 35031

Mail: P.O. Box 56, Blountsville, AL 35031

Pastor Information

Pastor Name and (Spouse): Andrew (Sarah) Hudson, appointed

Pastor Phone: (205-566-8464)

Pastor's Email: pastorathudson@gmail.com

Start Date: 01/23/2022 Review Date: 06/2029

Ministry Positions

Church Board Sec. -- Sheila Shelton, (205-429-4470) sheilacshelton@yahoo.com

Nitrate City

(Organized 1955) (079-0420)

Church Location & Mailing Address: 1295 Georgia Ave. Muscle Shoals, AL 35661

Pastor Information Pastor Name & (Spouse): Thomas (Lisa) Martin(256-665-1602) 1556 Robison Rd Russellville Al 35654; pastortommartin@gmail.com

Start Date: 12/31/2021 Review: 12/25

Ministry Positions

Music: Zachary Aday; sabrina.aday@Yahoo.com

NDI: Cammie Smith; kaleebeth19@aol.com

Children: Sabrina Aday; sabrina.aday@Yahoo.com

NYI: Zachary Aday; sabrina.aday@Yahoo.com

Women: Lisa Martin; lisamartin@comcast.net

Northside

(Organized 1916) (079-0520) (No update submitted)

Location: 1909 Snoddy Chapel Rd., Jasper, AL 35503

Mail: 1909 Snoddy Chapel Rd., Jasper, AL 35503

Pastor Information

Pastor: Chris (Alyssa) Colvin

Pastor phone: 256-324-0577

Pastor Email: c-colvin@hotmail.com

Ministry Positions

Worship minister - Lisa Deemer - 256-324-0577;

NYI - Melinda Colvin; 205-9131191; [mjcolvin@yahoo.com](mailto:mjacolvin@yahoo.com)

NDI. - Terry Hamilton (205-265-9275)

NMI President – Glenda Udem (205-541-0682)

Parrish

(Organized 1922) (079-0430)

Church Mailing Address: P.O. Box 101, Parrish, AL 35580

Church Location: 1432 New Parrish Hwy, Parrish, AL 35580

Church Website: parrishnazarene.com

Church Phone: 205-686-9556

Pastor Information

Pastor Name & (Spouse): Randy (Anita) Clark

Pastor Phone: 205-300-2408 Pastor's Email: clark4ever@charter.net

Start Date: 06/2018 Review Date: 06/2026

Ministry Positions

Youth Pastor: Anna Clark annapclark77@gmail.com

Pastoral Service: Robert Dadydeen

Piedmont

(Organized 1976) (079-0440)

Location & Mailing Address: 403 Cedartown Hwy, Piedmont, AL 36272 Website:
www.piedmontchurchofthenazarene.org

Phone: 256-447-8088

Pastor Information

Lay Pastor Name: Brian McWilliams

Pastor phone: 256-239-7066 Email: blctmmc@icloud.com

Ministry Postions

NMI—Shella Cambell; shellacambell@gmail.com

Rogersville First

(Organized 2003) (079-0449)

Church Location: 17035 Hwy 72, Rogersville, AL 35652

Church Mailing Address: 17035 Hwy 72, Rogersville, AL 35652

Pastor Information

Pastor Name and (Spouse): Steve (Lois) Wood, Interim

Pastor Address: 255 Shooting Star Trail Gurley, AL 35748

Pastor Phone: 256-337-5479

Ministry Positions

Church Board Sec. - Betty Looney, (256-762-6622)

Church Treas. -- Betty Looney, (256-762-6622)

Russellville First

(Organized 1934) (079-0450) (No Update Submitted)

Church Location: Shook and Fletcher Road, Russellville, AL 35653

Church Mailing Address: 19717 Hwy 43 Russellville, AL 35654

Pastor Information

Appointed Lay Pastor: Vic (Renee) Mayfield

Pastor Address: 19717 Hwy 43, Russellville, AL 35654

Pastor Phone: 256-415-1505

Pastor's Email: vmayf415@gmail.com

Ministry Positions

Office Secretary – Renee Mayfield, 19717 Hwy 43, Russellville, AL 35654,
reneemayfield817@gmail.com

Children's Min. Dir. – Sarah Barbosa

Church Treas. –Renee Mayfield; reneemayfield817@gmail.com; 256-436-8212

Church Sec. – TBD

Russellville Hispanic

(Organized 1999) (079-0453)

Location: 1471 Lawrence St, Russellville, AL 35653

Mail: P.O. Box 813, Russellville, AL 35653

Pastor Information:

Pastor: Gaspar (Anna) Nieto

Pastor Phone: 256-436-8779; nietosaspar74@hotmail.com

Ministry Positions

NYI-Veronica Nieto; 256-436-8779; vnieto2017@gmail.com

Salem

(Organized 1916) (079-0460)

Church Location: 6138 Co Rd 83 Berry, AL 35546

Church Mailing Address: 399 19th St NW Fayette, AL 35555

Pastor Information

Pastor Name and (Spouse): Joshua Northington (Meredith)

Pastor Phone: 205-932-4222 Cell Phone: 205-799-3934

Start Date: 2/4/2022 Review Date: 2/25

Ministry Positions

NDI President: Donald Smith; louray@icloud.com

NMI President: Roxanne Smith; smith.roxanne65@yahoo.com

NYI President: Katelyn Moore; jnorthington24@gmail.com

Scottsboro Hispanic

(Organized 2015) (079-0002) (No Update Submitted) Location—604 East Laurel Street, Scottsboro, AL 35768

Church Mailing Address: 236 Fields Street, Scottsboro, AL 36769

Pastor Information

Pastor: Anibal Gonzales

Pastor Address: 236 Fields St. Scottsboro, AL 35769

Pastor phone: 256-996-9437

Ministry Positions

MNI Pres.: Ezequiel Gonzales (256)244-2177

Women Min.: Rosalba Zavala (256)599-5389

NYI Pres.: Moises Simon (256)244-5037

Treas.: David Zavala – (256)599-9796

Secretary: Moises Simon (256)244-5037

Sheffield New Life

(Organized 1933) (079-0500)

Church Location: 1515 E 27 th Ave., Sheffield, AL 35660

Church Mailing Address: 1515 E 27 th Ave., Sheffield, AL 35660

Church Phone: 256-381-1620 Church Email: sheffieldfirstnazarene@gmail.com

Pastor Information: TBD**Ministry Positions**

Church Treasurer/ Board Secretary: Ginger Vandam; brightcreek@gmail.com

Youth: Jonathan Melton

Shiloh

(Organized 1921) (079-0510)

Church Physical Address/Mailing Address: 6688 County Road 155, Higdon, AL 35979 Church email: waylandstewart7984@gmail.com

Church Phone: 256-632-2382

Church Website: N/A Church Phone: 256-632-2382

Pastor Information

Lay Pastor: Wayland (Terri) Stewart

Pastor Phone: 423-314-7984 Pastor's Email: waylandstewart7984@gmail.com

Start Date: 2/2008 Review Date: 5/2025

Ministry Positions

Steele

(Organized 1949) (079-0530)

Church Location: 57 Railroad Ave., Steele, AL 35987

Pastor Information

Lay Pastor Name & (Spouse): James (Delores) Kilgore Jr.

Pastor Phone: 256-553-9538

Start Date: 5/02/2010

Review: 2/02/2020

Ministry Positions

NMI: Laura Collins; 205-353-8785; lauracollins404@gmail.com

Union Hill

(Organized 1928) (079-0540)

Location: 46894 U.S. Hwy. 231 S., Oneonta, AL 35121

Mailing Address: 46922 US Highway 231

Oneonta, AL 35121

(205-625-4095) unionhillnazarene@gmail.com

Pastor Information

Pastor – Jamie (Stacy) Beard

Email:unionhillnazarene@gmail.com; 205-353-1073

Appointed:6/18/2023

Ministry Positions

NMI President -- Linda Gilliland, (205-237-7434); gillilandlinda51@gmail.com

Church Treasurer – Tracey Jones (205-914-0386); jnsfrm@msn.com

NYI Pres Keith Moore; averysop10@gmail.com

Children's Min Director — Stacy Beard snbeard1997@gmail.com

Asst. Church Board Sec — Keith Moore; averysop10@gmail.com

Vida Nueva

(Organized 2015) (079-0003) (No Update Submitted) Location: 14158 Cr. 51, Collinsville, AL 35961

Mailing Address: *P.O. Box 353, Collinsville, AL, 35961, United States*

Pastor Information

Pastor: Juan DeLeon

Pastor Address: P.O. Box 353, Collinsville, AL 35961 (256-557-1354) juandeleonn@gmail.com

Start Date: 5/2010 Review Date: 5/2024

Ministry Positions

NYI Pres. – Pablo Deleon Mendoza, Main St C339 Collinsville, AL 35961 (256-516-2148)

Women's Min. Dir. – Marla Mendoza 19155 Co Rd 51, Collinsville AL 35961; 256-484-7114

Music- Remigio De leon 374 South Valley Av Collinsville, AL 35961 256-298-6378

Children's Min. Dir – Sergio Lopez 14117 C.R. 51 Collinsville, AL 35961 (256-960-6027)

Church Bd. Sec. – Arnoldo Alvarado 1053 Co Rd 20, Dawson, AL 35963; 256-254-3381

Church Treas. – Felipe Hernandez 176 College Ave, Collinsville, AL 35961 256-641-4822

NDI—Jenny Cano 14060 Co Rd 51, Collinsville AL 35961 256-706-9859

Pastor Assistant: Jorge Alcon 198 Davis St. Collinsville AL 35961; 256-803-5122

Pastor Assistant: Aroldo Mendoza 150 Greenwood Ave, Boaz, AL 35957; 256-641-0690

Pastor Assistant: Greggorio Allon 14117 Co Rd 51 Collinsville AL 35961; 256-295-3485

I. ORDAINED ELDERS 2026

Ministerial Role Codes

CED Christian Education Minister

CHP Chaplain

DA District Assignment; FT (Full Time), PT (Part Time)

DIADistrict Interim Assigned
 DS District Superintendent
 EDU Education
 ESREvangelist Service Retired
 EVC Evangelist, Commissioned
 EVR Evangelist, Registered
 EVT Evangelist, Tenured
 GA General Church Assignment
 GS General Superintendent
 PASPastor
 PSVPastoral Service FT(Full Time), PT (Part Time)
 RA Retired Assigned
 RU Retired Unassigned
 SECSong Evangelist, Commissioned
 SERSong Evangelist, Registered
 SPCInterdenominational/ Special Service
 STU Student
 TRFIn Process of Transfer
 U Unassigned

Pastoral Assignments

2018 PSV-PT Achille, Gustov, 420 Emerald Glenn Dr., Apt. 31, Madison, AL 35756, 678-543-3195; (Boaz Haitian)

2021 PAS Acosta, Francisco, PO Box 343 Crossville 35962 (Jesus, el Pan de Vida--Geraldine Hispanic)

2021 PAS Acosta, Maria PO Box 343 Crossville, AL 35962 (Jesus, el Pan de Vida--Geraldine Hispanic)

2000 RA Alvarado, Leonel, 7634 Summerdawn Drive SE, Owens Cross Roads, AL 35763, (256-507-3331) (EXEMPT)

1962 RA Andrus, Paul, 121 Winding Tr., Huntsville, AL 35811 (Huntsville Journey) (256-929-1662)

2010 PAS Arguedas, Luis (Laura) 1024 Saintclair R, Moody, AL 35004 (Emmanuel) (205-422-4059)

2019 PSV-PT Barrios, Maritza, 1505 Gault Ave., Fort Payne, AL 35967 (Ft. Payne Hispanic)

1955 RU/PSV-PT Beals, Paul; 107 Jenni Leigh Dr NW, Huntsville, AL 35806 (Huntsville Journey) (256-527-5783)

2003PAS Bolling, Larry (Dee), 5546 Bridle Way, Bessemer, AL 35022, (Hayden Faith) (248-875-7868)

2009 PAS Boyd, Darren (Tracy), 851 Cherry Tree Rd., Gurley, AL 35748, (Grace Family) 255-541-0945

2004 RA Bradshaw, John (Carolyn) 15861 Mooresville Road Athens, AL 35613 (Madison First) (256-702-0292)

1989 RA/PAS Brown, Byron (Dana) , 2275 9996 Shades Road SE, Huntsville, AL 35803 (Huntsville SE)

1994 U Brunk, Timothy M., 215 Danley Rd, Iron City, TN 38463 (931-845-4519)

2021 PAS Clark, Randy (Anita), 20 Planter Mill Road, Parrish, AL 35580 (Parrish) (205-300-2408)

2004 PAS Colvin, Christopher (Alyssa) 2891 Old Parrish Road, Parrish, AL 35580 (Northside) (205-631-6588/324-0577)

1985 RA/SPC Craft, Earnie Robert (Ramona), 233 Martin Drive, Muscle Shoals, AL (Florence First) (256-800-0815)

2004 RA Crawford, Margaret (Randy), 561 Ghost Hill Rd; Trinity, AL 35673 (Florence First) (256-415-3223)

2001 RA Crawford, Randy W. (Margaret), 561 Ghost Hill Rd; Trinity, AL 35673 (Florence First) (256-476-1405)

1973 RA Crisp, Virgel (Annice), 1822 Nethery Rd., Hartselle, AL 35640 (Hartselle) (256-773-8582)

2018 PAS Cunningham, Ciara, 119 Emory Drive Decatur AL 35603 (Fragrant Offering, Decatur)(615-260-0817)

1978 RA Dabydeen, Robert D. 115 Austin Dr., Hayden, AL 35079 (Parrish) (205-590-3235)

1987 RA Davis, Huey (Nancy) 252 Grey Oaks Ct, Pelham, AL 35124 (B'ham First) (205-864-1665)

1963 RU Davis, P. Lee, Jr. (Doris), 1801 Lakehill St. NW, Cullman, AL 35055(Cullman 1st)
(256-737-9674)

2016 PAS Deleon Ailon, Juan, P. O. Box 353, Collinsville, AL 35961 (Vida Nueva) (256-
557-1354)

1974 RA DeNegly, G. Dwight, (Sandie) 401 Foust Ct., Birmingham, AL 35214 (205-317-
8880) Exempt

2016 PSV-FT Dolinger, James (Tara), 4328 Sierra Way, Gardendale, AL 35071 (Gardendale)
(803-983-5142)

2011 U Earnest, James Ronald (Melissa), 4026 Co Rd 83, Berry, AL 35546 (Boley) (205-
998-3941)

2023 PAS Foster, Samuel, 7fostersamuel@gmail.com; 615-878-2930 (B'ham First)

2018 SPC Francisco, Luis, 2201 Sandlin Rd., Decatur, AL 35601 (Hartselle Hispanic CTM)

2019 SPC Godinez, Victor Manuel 1505 Gault Ave., Fort Payne, AL 35967 (Kilpatrick)

2016 PAS Gomez, Abel Miranda 3104 Normandale, Huntsville, AL 35811 (Alpha y Omega)
(256-261-5954)

2016 SPC Gonzales Ruiz, Justiniano, 363 Mertle Dr. N.E., Huntsville, AL 35810 (Boaz
Hispanic)

2021 PAS Grave, Mateo 1102 N Jefferson St., Athens, AL 35611 (256-374-6739) (Athens
Hispanic)

2012 PSV-PT Graves, Bobi 164 County Road 494, Lexington, AL 35648 (Mary's Chapel) (256-
616-8734)

2001 RU-PSV-PT Graves, Ricky 164 County Road 494, Lexington AL 35648 (Mary's
Chapel) (256-616-8188)

1969 RA Harbison, Willis J., (Carolyn)1298 Burrows Crossing Rd., Jasper, 35504 (Grace
Chap.) (205-384-9500)

2006 RU Hargrove, Roland 18225 Thompson Rd, Athens, AL 35611 (Nitrate City) (256-
431-1784)

2014 PAS Hayes, Lloyd T. (Frances), 4061 Willow Bend Dr, Gardendale, AL 35071 (Grace
Chap.)(205-541-7150)

2011 PSV-PT Henley, Joel, 116 Briarwood Trail, Fulton, MO 65251 (Madison First) 903-277-
5516

2010 PAS Hill, Robert (Diane) Hill, 1825 Oak Meadow Dr SE, Cullman, Al. 35055 (B'ham
Shannon) (205-533-1695)

2019 RU Horn, Terry J. 29299 McKee Rd, Toney AL 35773 (Huntsville Southeast)
(386-249-0295)

2025 PAS Hudson, Andrew, 3755 Magnolia Court Gardendale AL 35071,(Mt. Zion) (205-
566-8464)

2017 PAS Hudson, Bruce (Tanya), 937 1st Ave., Pleasant Grove, AL 35127 (Pleasant
Grove) (205-566-8464)

1980 RA/CHP Hyde, Daniel, 6541 Pulaski Pike NW, Huntsville, AL 35810 (Journey) (256-859-
4336)

2003 RA Keffer, Sharon J. (Charles) 11240 Springwood Dr., Huntsville, AL 35803 (Grace
Family)(256-656-4552)

2001 RA King, David, (Beth) 108 Rockingham Circle, Madison, AL 35756 (Journey) (256-
508-2991)

2013 RA Kinsman, Walter, (Sherry) 4057 Rollingwood Dr., Southside, AL 35907 (First
Rainbow City) (256-504-4838)

1997 PSV-PT Lahmon, Charles H (Lisa) 20 Burke Ave, Madison AL 35756 (Madison First)
(256-702-7052)

2012 PAS Lindsey, James Christopher (Dana), 178 School Ave, Berry AL 35546 (Berry)
(205-522-4808)

2019 PSV-PT Lopez-Gaspar, Florencia, 705 Section Rd., Albertville, AL, 35950 (Ft Payne
Hispanic) (256-878-4070)

2019 PVS-PT Lopez-Vasquez, Perfecta Odilia, 1505 Gault Ave., Fort Payne, AL 35967 (Ft.
Payne Hispanic)

1981 RA Lowry, Scott (Terry) 235 Chipmunk Circle, New Market, AL35761 (Journey)
(256-783-7429)

2003 PAS Martin, Lewis (Tracey) 113 Progress Ln, Madison, AL 35758 (Madison First)
(256-772-2958)

1998 PAS Martin, Thomas (Lisa) , PO Box 1415 Russellville, AL 35653 (Nitrate City) (256-
665-1602)

1988 RA McGraw, James H., (Barbara) 8780 Co. Rd 1435, Vinemont, AL 35179 (Cullman
First) (256-739-1632)

1989 RA McNulty, Joseph T. 229 Ashland DR SW, Hanceville, AL 35077 (Cullman
Cornerstone) (256-338-8017)

2004 RA Medders, Thomas (Lois), 1709 7th Ave. W., Birmingham, AL 35208 (Madison)
(205-919-1762)

2006 PAS Menchu, Juan A., (Rufina Tzoc) 40 Shaw St., Albertville, AL 35950 (Albertville Hispanic) (256-477-3923)

2006 PAS Menchu, Rufina Tzoc (Juan), 40 Shaw St., Albertville, AL 35950 (Albertville Hispanic) (256-891-0988)

2018 PAS Mendez, Andres, 2201 Sandlin Rd. S.W., Decatur, AL 35601 (Decatur Hispanic)

1994 RA/PSV-PT Mensinger, Ronald L., (Darlene) 415 Sandra Ln., Birmingham, AL 35217 (Union Hill) (205-427-1578)

1991 RA Milton St., Robert C (Debbie)., 2326 Summit Place (Union Hill) Birmingham, AL 35243 (205-914-4812)

2001 PSV-PT Moore, James, 1345 Waid Rd., Oneonta, AL. 35121; 251-575-5196 (Union Hill)

2023 PSV-PT Myers, Lynda Denise, 933 1st Ave Pleasant Grove, AL 35127 (Pleasant Grove) (205-937-0352)

2021 PAS Nieto, Gaspar, 1471 Lawrence St. E., Russellville, AL 35653 (Russellville Hispanic)

2003 PAS Parrish, John David (Heather)181 W. Shugart Ridge Rd., Gardendale, AL 35071 (Gardendale) (205-874-6596)

2022 PSV-PT Perez-Gomez, Hugo, 216 Valleyside Dr, Huntsville, AL 35810 (Alpha y Omega) (256-746-6845)

1962 RA Perry, Robert c/o Linda Heaps 3901 Snow Creek Dr Aledo TX (Faith) 76008 (817-730-9548)E

2017 PSV-PT Perry, Shane 2404 Woodland Street SE Decatur, AL 35601; Shanetperry@gmail.com (Madison First)

2002 PAS Prince, Richard E. Jr. (Lela), 7109 Ridge Crest Rd., Owens Cross Roads, AL 35763 (Hsv University) (256-217-1573)

2017 PAS Randolph, William Daryl (Miranda), 940 Hutchins Ave, Gadsden, AL 35901 (East Gadsden) (256-460-7202)

2001 RA Rathmann, Randy A. (Francine) 185 Light Gap Rd., Arab, AL 35016 (Cullman First) (256-651-6791)

2019 PSV-PT Rodriguez, Hugo (Hector), 705 Section Rd., Albertville, AL, 35950 (Ft Payne Hispanic) (256-878-4070)

2012 PAS Sant'Anna, Roberto (Ana), 90 Temple Crossing, Arab, AL 35016 (Brindlee Mountain) (256-200-6933)

2009 PAS Sessions, S. Scott (Amy) 1745 Ragsdale, Rd, NW, Cullman, AL 35055 (Cullman First) (256-339-5179)

1965 RA Shirley, Windell L. (Judy) 412 E Highland St, Altamonte Springs, FL 32701
(Hsvlle Southeast) (407-267-4555) (Exempt)

2014 U Smith, Jack T. "Jake" (Amy), 1732 Lakeshore Dr, Oneonta, AL 35121
(Gardendale) (205-213-1277)

2016 PAS Solomon, Douglas 210 Nelson St. NW, Hartselle, AL 35640; (Hartselle)
doug49065@gmail.com

1981 RA Stover, Larry, 104 Berrycreek Dr. Harvest, AL 35749 (Journey Church)
lpstover@aol.com

1983 RA Tinker, Haskell L. (Sharon) 1900 7th St. SW Jasper, AL 35501 (Covenant) (205-
384-9863) (exempt)

2014 PAS Tun, Edgar Joj, 815 Godfrey Ave. NE Fort Payne, AL 35967 256-465-5014 (Ft.
Payne Iglesia)

2017 PAS Underwood, Jeffery (Elly), 4899 Main St., Hokes Bluff, AL 35903 (First Church
Rainbow City) (256-442-4215)

2019 PSV-PT Vasquez-Tercero, Saul, 705 Section Rd., Albertville, AL 35950 (Fort Payne)
(256-878-4070)

2011 PSV-PT. Veal, Jeremy 117 Tobin Lane Hazel Green, AL 35750;
veal.jeremey@gmail.com; (Journey) 864-293-3435

1995 RA Whitten, Judith A. (Thomas) 255 Mastin Rd., Hazel Green, AL 35750 (Journey)
(256-684-9143)

1997 RA Wilcox, J. Mark (Rachel), 185 Aradon Trace, Odenville, AL 35120 (Faith) (205-
353-9138)

2007 DS Wilson, Arnold R., 7904 Gabriela Dr NW, Huntsville, AL 35806 (502-648-
4889)

2006 RA Wilson, Howard (Freda), 333 Muddy Creek Rd N. Berea, KY, (Cornerstone)
(502-229-2621)

2017 RA Wilson, Marcus, 467 Rascaltown Rd., Loretto, TN 38469 (Mary's Chapel) (931-
242-8519)

1997 RA/PAS Wood, Stephen A., (Lois) 255 Shooting Star Trail, Gurley, AL 35748 (256-337-
5479) (Rogersville)

1997 RA Woods, Jeffery, 2786 Myers Rd, Nauvoo, AL 35578 (Covenant) (205-275-5126)

J. ORDAINED DEACONS

1993 RA Andrus, Berniece (Paul), (Huntsville Journey) (256-808-5661)

1997 RA Brown, Dana (Byron), (Hsv SE) (256-801-5953)
 2011 RA Brunk, Janice (Tim) (931-845-4519)
 1986 RA Pitts, David N., (Gardendale) (205-631-8683)
 1986 RA Smith, Kenneth M.,(Gardendale) (205-902-9052)

K LICENSED MINISTERS

2025 PAS Branch, John, J4Branch@yahoo.com (Decatur Spring Ave)
 2023 PSV-PT Clark, Anna annapclark77@gmail.com (Parrish)
 2015 PAS Gonzalez, Anibal 236 Fields St. Scottsboro, AL 35769 (Scottsboro Hispanic)
 (256-996-9437)
 2026 STU Hall, Andrew Andrew.wayne.hall@gmail.com (East Gasdden)
 2026 PSV-PT King, Kamberlyn kamberlyncking@gmail.com (Fragrant Offering)
 2026 PSV-PT Lehman, Dan laymanfpv@gmail.com (Journey Church)
 2026 STU Potter, Abigail maryoles1@gmail.com (Gardendale)
 2024 PAS Vasquez, Felix felixvelasquez215@gmail.com (Alberville Hispanic)

L. REGISTERED EVANGELIST

M. SONG EVANGELISTS

Laxson, Wally and Ginger

N. ACTIVE CHAPLAINS

Mensingher, Ron

Wood, Stephen

O. SERVING WITH LOCAL LICENSE OR AS LAY MINISTER

Beard, Jamie (Union Hill) local

Hernandez, Carlos (Anniston Hispanic) lay

Hernandez, Miriam (Anniston Hispanic) lay

Kimbrough, Steve (Hickory Grove) lay

James Kilgore (Steele) lay

Mayfield, Vic (Russellville) lay

Brian McWilliams (Piedmont) lay

Northington, Josh (Salem) lay

Stewart, Wayland (Shiloh) lay

Tinker, Greg (Covenant) local

P. Pastors serving from Sister denominations

Mike Pepple (Beulah)

III. GENERAL INFORMATION

A. ELDERS RECEIVED ON TRANSFER BY THE DISTRICT ASSEMBLY: Gustov Achille (Georgia), Samuel Foster (South Arkansas), Doug Solomon (Oregon), Jeremy Veal (Georgia)

B. ELDERS GRANTED TRANSFER BY THE DISTRICT ASSEMBLY: Rodney Kincaid (Virginia), Hayley Shaddix (MidSouth), Zachary Shaddix (MidSouth), Larry P. Stover (Central Gulf Coast)

C. DISTRICT LICENSED MINISTER GRANTED TRANSFER BY THE DISTRICT ASSEMBLY:

D. ELECTED TO ELDER'S ORDERS:

E. THAT THE FOLLOWING BE REMOVED FROM THE LIST OF ELDERS HAVING JOINED THE CHURCH TRIUMPHANT: Kenneth Holmes, Charles Martin, Carroll Smith

F. ELDERS TO BE LISTED AS RETIRED ASSIGNED: Bryon Brown, Huey Davis, Dan Hyde, David King, Joe McNulty, Ron Mensinger, Haskell Tinker, Marcus Wilson, Steve Wood

G. THAT THE FOLLOWING BE LISTED AS RETIRED UNASSIGNED:

H. DEACONS TO BE LISTED AS RETIRED ASSIGNED: Dana Brown

I. GRANTED FIRST DISTRICT MINISTER'S LICENSE: Andrew Hall, Kamberlyn King, Dan Lehman, Abigail Potter

J. THAT THE FOLLOWING BE GRANTED RENEWAL OF MINISTER'S LICENSE: Anibal Gonzalez, Felix Vasques, Anna Clark, John Branch

K. MINISTER'S LICENSE NOT RENEWED:

L. MINISTERS GIVEN SPECIAL SERVICE / INTERDENOMINATIONAL STATUS: E. Robert Craft, Luis Francisco, Victor Manuel Godinez, Justiniano Gonzales Ruiz, Sandor Vasquez

M. MINISTERS' CREDENTIALS FILED WITH GENERAL SECRETARY:

N. Church-Type Missions: Anniston Hispanic, Attala Hispanic, Boaz Hispanic, Jesus, Grace Family, Hartselle Hispanic, Hanceville Hispanic, Kilpatrick Hispanic, Life Hope Haitian, Fragrant Offering

O. CHURCHES ORGANIZED:

P. CHURCHES DISORGANIZED: Scottsboro

PLAN OF EXAMINATION

A. BOARD OF MINISTRY

Rev. Arnie Wilson (ex officio—District Superintendent)

Rev. Lewis Martin(ex officio – District Secretary)

Rev. Luis Arguedas (ex officio – Hispanic Director),

Rev. Bruce Hudson (chair)

Rev. John Parrish (Ministerial Studies Sec'y),

The Church of the Nazarene is committed to preparing its ministers for a lifetime of effective service. In addition to experience gained through serving in the local church and other settings, there are educational requirements that must also be met.

The goal is for every Nazarene minister to develop certain abilities and capacities by completing an array of studies and practicums called the Course of Study (COS). Those seeking ordination in the Church of the Nazarene must complete a Course of Study program that has been approved (validated) by the General Board and Board of General Superintendents. Both degree and non degree validated COS programs are available.

Ordination

Guide to Ministerial Preparation and Ordination (Español or Français)

Course of Study Programs

Degree Programs

A list of Course of Study validated undergraduate and graduate degree programs.

Non-Degree Programs

A list of Course of Study validated non-degree programs.

• Modular Course of Study Program (MCOS)

Instructors and continuing students may use this link to access course materials and resources for this program in English, Spanish,

French, Korean, and Portuguese. There is limited availability of these materials in some languages other than English.

The Modular Course of Study (MCOS) Program is to be **discontinued** soon after the release of the new non-degree Course of Study program currently in development. The anticipated release date of the new program is mid-year 2026.

Individuals presently completing MCOS courses in preparation for ordination may find it helpful to transition now to other validated Course of Study programs in anticipation of the discontinuation of the MCOS. Students who delay transitioning until termination of the MCOS will be assisted by their district Board of Ministry based on directives supplied by the Global Clergy Development

office. Every effort will be made to award credit for all MCOS courses completed by those students who transition into the new non-degree program or into another non-degree program. The transition timeline for students who do not speak English will reflect the timeline for completion of the new COS program in other languages.

B. District Boards and Standing Committees

Alabama North Church of the Nazarene

District Advisory Board (DAB) Actions Summary

March 2025 – March 2026

The District Advisory Board (DAB) met or convened 11 times, either in person or electronically, during the year. The Board approved the following:

- Lewis Martin was re-appointed as District Secretary. Rev. Howard Wilson was re-appointed as District Treasurer. Carrie Patton was selected as DAB Secretary.

June 12, 2025

- Sweeney Hollow Road Property Proceeds:

Voted to allocate proceeds from the sale of the Sweeney Hollow Road property to

Emmanuel Trussville Church of the Nazarene for property development.

• NYI Camp Financial Assistance:

Voted to approve \$482.61 from Developmental Funds (Millport property sale) to assist with NYI Camp expenses.

August 6, 2025

• Hartselle Church HVAC Assistance:

Voted to approve a grant of \$350 per month for 3 months to Hartselle Church of the Nazarene to assist with HVAC replacement in the parsonage.

August 21, 2025

• Hueytown Church Closing Authorization:

Voted to authorize Rev. Huey Davis and District Superintendent Arnie Wilson to sign closing documents for the sale of the Hueytown Church property.

• PK Retreat Registration Support:

Voted to cover registration costs for pastor's children attending the PK Retreat.

September 11, 2025

• Hayden Compassionate Ministry Center Approval:

Voted to approve the Hayden Compassionate Ministry Center.

• NMI Funding Request:

Voted to approve \$10,000 in funding for NMI.

• 5&2 Summit Hosting Expense:

Voted to approve \$2,500 for the Alabama North District to host the 5&2 Summit at Cullman First.

• HOPE Grant – Boaz Church Plant:

Voted to apply for a \$10,000 HOPE Grant and for the district to provide a \$10,000 district match for a total of \$20,000 to support a church plant in Boaz.

• NYC Expense Assistance:

Voted to cover expenses for Grant Wilson to attend NYC.

November 10, 2025

• Special Meeting – Discussion Only (No Action Taken):

Potential non-renewal of the lease agreement between Fragrant Offerings Church and Grace Fellowship to allow full use of the facility.

Consideration of memorial gifts in honor of Faye Allison and Dr. Jim Diehl.

November 19, 2025

• Christmas Gift – District Superintendent and Family:

Voted to give \$1,500 to District Superintendent Arnie Wilson and wife Faith Wilson, and \$100 to each of their sons as Christmas gifts.

December 11, 2025

• Hueytown Funds Allocation:

Voted to allocate \$100,000 from the Hueytown property funds to the Reserve for Future Capital, and \$50,000 to establish a new reserve fund to assist churches with maintenance and property repairs.

• Preaching Cohort Training Support:

Voted to cover the \$125 registration fee for each participant in the initial Preaching Cohort class.

December 18, 2025

• Faith Church HVAC Loan Approval:

Voted to approve Faith Church of the Nazarene (Hayden) to borrow \$40,000 for the replacement of two HVAC units.

January 8, 2026

• Retirement Gift – Stan Reeder:

Voted to approve a \$100 gift for Dr. Stan Reeder upon his retirement.

• Decatur Hispanic Building Funds:

Voted to approve Decatur Hispanic Church to utilize funds they have raised for their building project.

• District License Recommendations:

Voted to submit letters of recommendation for Kimberlyn King and John Branch in obtaining their district licenses

February 7, 2026

• NYI Annual Disbursement:

Voted to approve the \$10,000 annual disbursement to NYI.

March 7, 2026

• Fragrant Offerings Insurance Assistance:

Voted for the district to cover half of the annual insurance cost for Fragrant Offerings Church for 2026.

• Church Name Change – Union Hill:

Voted to approve the name change of Union Hill Church of the Nazarene to New Horizon.

• NDI Annual Allotment:

Voted to approve the \$10,000 annual allotment to NDI.

• NMI Annual Allotment:

Voted to approve the \$10,000 annual allotment to NMI.

• Lay/Local License Approval:

Voted to approve Jamie Beard for a lay/local minister's license.

• 2026–2027 District Budget:

Voted to approve the district budget with the treasurer's salary set at \$9,600.

Respectfully submitted,

Carrie Patton

District Advisory Board Secretary

May 4, 2026

Committee on Nominations

We, your Committee on Nominations, submit the following report:

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I. We, your committee for Nominations, recommend the following guidelines for Nominations and Elections

A. That we have a 4-year rotating plan for District Advisory Board service. When an elder or a layperson has served four consecutive years on the Advisory Board, they shall not be eligible for nomination, election, or appointment until they sit off the board for one assembly year. Neither will an elder or layperson who has served a term shorter than four years be nominated, elected, or appointed for a term, if served in its entirety, would exceed four years consecutive service, except for those who have been elected or appointed for a term of less than one full year.

B. That a pastor or layperson shall not be nominated, elected, or appointed to the Advisory Board from a church receiving regular financial support voted or controlled by this board.

C. That the Board of Ministry, Court of Appeals, the Alabama Nazarene School of Ministry Representative, shall be nominated by the District Nominating Committee and elected by adoption at the District Assembly. D. That the District Advisory Board shall serve as the District Board of Church Properties. E. That a qualified nominee be in harmony with Manual and be a member of a local church that has paid their budgets for the preceding year and that any layperson has endorsement of the local church pastor. F. That the Trevecca Nazarene University Trustees be elected as per the

Trevecca Nazarene University By-laws.

II. We, your Committee on Nominations, recommend the following for ADOPTION: A. Court of Appeals (term to expire 2027): Elders: Scott Lowry, Randy Rathman; Laypersons: Shane Barnett, Donald Smith

B. Alabama School of Ministry Board Representative (term to expire 2027): John Parrish

C. Board of Evangelism: District Advisory Board

III. We, your Committee on Nominations, recommend the following nominees be placed on the ballot for ELECTION BY PLURALITY:

A. District Advisory Board:

a. Elder (term to expire 2030 – vote for ONE): Andrew Hudson, Scott Sessions

b. Layperson (term to expire 2030– vote for ONE): Jeff Burleson, Bo Martin

B. GENERAL ASSEMBLY DELEGATE:

a. Elder (vote for ONE): Lewis Martin, Scott Sessions

B. Layperson (vote for TWO): Tracey Martin, Carrie Patton, Miranda Randolph, Ashley Shadden, Amy Sessions

Respectfully Submitted,

LEWIS MARTIN, Secretary ARNIE WILSON, Chairman

SAMPLE

BALLOT for ALABAMA NORTH DISTRICT ASSEMBLY 2026

District Advisory Board

Ordained Minister (vote for ONE—term to expire 2030)

_____ Andrew Hudson

_____ Scott Sessions

Layperson (vote for ONE-- to expire 2030)

_____ Jeff Burleson

_____ Bo Martin

Delegates to General Assembly

Ordained Minister (vote for ONE)

___ Lewis Martin

--- Scott Sessions

Layperpersons (vote for TWO)

____ Tracey Martin

____ Carrie Patton

____ Miranda Randolph

____ Ashley Shadden

____ Amy Sessions

Board of Ministerial Credentials

May 3, 2026

Partial Report No. 1

We, the Board of Ministerial Credentials, recommend:

1. That the following elders be received by transfer: Gustov Achille (Georgia), Samuel Foster (South Arkansas) Doug Solomon (Oregon), Lary P. Stover (Central Gulf Coast), Jeremy Veal (Georgia)
2. That the following elder be transferred: Rodney Kincaid (Virginia), Hayley Shaddix (MidSouth), Zachary Shaddix (MidSouth)
3. That the following be granted renewal of their district license: Anibal Gonzalez, Felix Vasques, Anna Clark , John Branch
4. That the following be granted minister's license: Andrew Hall, Kamberlyn King, Dan Lehman, Abigail Potter

Partial Report No. 2

We, the Board of Ministerial Credentials, recommend:

1. That the following be continued as commissioned song evangelists: H. Wally Laxson, Ginger S. Laxson
2. That the following be listed on the roll of active chaplains: Ronald L. Mensinger, Steve Wood
3. That the following be approved to serve as pastor with local license or as a lay pastor: Carlos Hernandez (Anniston Hispanic), Miriam Hernandez (Anniston Hispanic), Steve Kimbrough (Hickory Grove), Vic Mayfield (Russellville), Josh Northington (Salem), Wayland Stewart

(Shiloh), Greg Tinker (Covenant), John Branch (Decatur Spring Ave), Jamie Beard (Union Hill), Mike Pepple (Beulah), Brian McWilliams (Piedmont)

4. That the following be listed as Retired Assigned (Elder): Bryon Brown, Huey Davis, Dan Hyde, David King, Joe McNulty, Ron Mensinger, Haskell Tinker, Marcus Wilson, Steve Wood

5. That the following be listed as Retried Assigned (Deacon): Dana Brown

6. That the following be listed as Retired Unassigned (Elder):

7. That the following be granted special service/interdenominational status: E. Robert Craft, Luis Francisco, Victor Manuel Godinez, Justiniano Gonzales Ruiz

8. That the following be removed from the roll of elders having joined the Church Triumphant: Kenneth Holmes, Charles Martin, Carroll Smith

LEWIS MARTIN, Secretary BRUCE HUDSON, Chairman

Ministerial Studies Placement

Graduation

Anna Clark

Student Placement

Continue 3: Carlos Hernandez, Miriam Hernandez, Juan Marcos, Abelino Perez

Place 2: Kamberlyn King, Dan Lehman, Abigail Potter

Place 1: Andrew Hall

We Remember

Boaz

Billy Mathis

Kim Jolley

James Dyer

Rev. Charles C. Martin

Cornerstone

Timothy Burgener

William "Bill" Richard

Joe Brown

Covenant

Barbara Johnston

James Ann Martin

Randy Gilliland

Jean Myers

Cullman First

Don Allen

Mary Allman

Decatur Spring Ave

Randy Howard

Vickey Howard

Hickory Gove

Deborah K. Walker

Huntsville Southeast

Rick Riquelmy

Lila Michael

Frances Kellam

Huntsville University

Robert Childress

Joseph Max Campbell

Madison

Freda Russell

Mary's Chapel

Joyce Oliver

Nitrate City

Bobbie Jean Smith

Parrish

Jerry Woods

Piedmont

Metrice Rainey

Ray Rainey

Salem

Rev. Carroll Smith

Shiloh

Linda Whitmore

Butch Michaels

Steele

Tim Romer

Union Hill

Opal Clements

Finance Committee Report

I. INTRODUCTION (MISSION AND STEWARDSHIP STATEMENT)

The Alabama North District Church of the Nazarene exists to “Proclaim Him, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, so that we may present everyone perfect in Christ” (Col. 1:28, NIV). Our faithful financial stewardship is necessary to accomplish this mission in North Alabama and around the world. Proverbs 11:24 (TLB) teaches “it is possible to give away and become richer!” The collection of the District Budget and other assigned funds is essential to the success of our mission.

Therefore, we, your Assembly Finance Committee, recommend:

1. That each pastor and church board give careful attention to the Manual statement regarding Christian stewardship (par.38ff.), particularly stressing the Bible plan of storehouse tithing as the basis of supporting the church; that September be designated as Stewardship Month; that stewardship literature be distributed, appropriate sermons be preached, and the congregation of each church be challenged to make commitments regarding tithes and offerings (Malachi 3:8-12).
2. That each pastor and church board study the total financial responsibility of the church at the beginning of each assembly year and set up a proposed local budget to include a plan for raising and distributing funds for all general, education, and district obligations as well as for the operations of the local church.
3. That treasurers keep careful record of all separate funds and balances, correctly posting all expenses using Nazarene accounting format as outlined on the pastor’s annual report and the Unified Church Treasurer’s System; that detailed monthly reports be given using this format, and that annual reports be prepared in the same way for report to the congregation and for pastor’s report to the district assembly. All church treasurers should follow the duties outlined in the Manual and have accounts audited. Two money counters are required.

II. CALCULATION OF A LOCAL CHURCH’S WORLD EVANGELISM FUND, PENSIONS & BENEFITS AND EDUCATION ALLOCATIONS

1. That the World Evangelism Fund (WEF), Pensions and Benefits and Education (TNU) allocation be based on the plan adopted by the Board of General Superintendents and the General Board asks each local church to give at least the following percentages of their income:

World Evangelism (WEF) 5.0%

Pensions & Benefits Share 2.0%

Education Share (TNU) 2.5%

2. All World Evangelism and Pensions & Benefits monies are to be paid at www.ftm.nazarene.org or mailed to: Global Ministry Center; Attn: Donor Services 17001 Prairie Star Parkway, Lenexa, KS 66220-7900
3. All Education (TNU) monies are to be paid at

www.trevecca.edu/give (click on "Make a Church Educational Budget Payment" or sent to: Trevecca Nazarene University, 333 Murfreesboro Pike Nashville, TN 37210

III. CALCULATION OF A LOCAL CHURCH'S DISTRICT ALLOCATION

1. That each church supports the District program by giving to the District program 5.0% (**five** %) of the local church income.
2. The District Allocation should be mailed each month to: AL North District Church of the Nazarene, PO Box 5730, Huntsville, AL 35814.
3. The District Superintendent will carefully monitor the district budget payments to make sure each responsibility is being met, and the District Advisory Board will make a quarterly review of allocation payments, encouraging local churches to participate at the level provided by this report.
4. Each church treasurer and pastor is encouraged to use ftm.nazarene.org to find out the exact amount that should be paid. If your church treasurer or pastor does not have an account with fundingthemission.org please contact the district secretary and she will enroll the church.

IV. MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

1. That a pastor's salary be at least equitable with the mean income of church families; that the church board consider the pastorate a 24-hour-a-day responsibility, and compensate their minister accordingly; that the pastor's salary be reviewed by the local church board at least annually, with consideration given to the increase in the cost-of-living index; and that the district superintendent, on his annual visit, meet with the church board to review the pastor's salary.
2. That churches pay all hospitalization insurance for their pastor and his family, and all self-employment taxes.
3. That churches participate in the Nazarene Benefits USA 403(b); that each church board make deposits into the Fidelity 403(b) program for each pastor and full-time staff member the greater of \$3,000 per year or 3% of cash salary and that where possible the pastor and full-time staff member match this portion.
4. That the local church provide adequate housing for the minister; that when a parsonage is provided, major appliances be furnished in accordance with the pastor's needs, that the church pay all utilities, including fuel, electricity, water, contents insurance (renters insurance), whether or not the parsonage is church owned; that a church owned-parsonage be inspected annually to provide for adequate maintenance.
5. That business and professional expense not be included as part of the minister's salary. They are business costs of the church and should be reported as "Local Church Expense", not as "Salary" or "Employee Benefits:"
6. That automobile expenses relating to church work be fully reimbursed to the minister at the current recommended IRS rate; that other travel expense, meals and lodging be fully reimbursed when out of town on church business; that the church board make arrangements for care of the minister's children, if needed, at those times.

7. That the pastor be granted and strongly urged to take off two days each week, in addition to holidays. 8. That the pastor be granted vacation time with pay based on the length of his/her service with the Church of the Nazarene, and not just a local congregation, according to the following schedules of accumulative service: 1-5 years, two weeks; 6-10 years, three weeks; 11-19 years, four weeks; 20-29 years, five weeks; 30 years and over, six weeks. We further recommend that a pastor's compensated time off for church related activities (i.e. camps, Ministers' & Mates' retreat, General and District Assemblies, etc.) not be counted as part of his/her annual vacation.

9. That the pastor be given an annual option of one of the following: (1) One week off for professional leave. This would not be a vacation, but a serious means of strengthening ministry and service. No minister can keep high standards without planned and consistent learning. This could include attendance at a minister's workshop; (2) a one-week revival during the year. We are concerned that pastors limit their activity in this area so that the church can adequately support our dedicated

full-time evangelists.

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10. In order to encourage a healthy pastoral ministry and strong spiritual life of the pastor, the church board, in consultation with the district superintendent, should provide a sabbatical leave for the pastor during each seventh consecutive year of service in one congregation. The timing and duration of the sabbatical shall be determined in consultation with the pastor, church board and district superintendent. It is strongly urged that the pastor's salary continue in full and the church board provide for pulpit supply during the sabbatical period. This topic is to be addressed by the district superintendent as part of the church/pastoral review process that would come after year two and again in year six, once the viability of continuing the relationship has been established. Materials shall be developed and distributed by the Global Clergy Development office to guide local congregations in establishing and implementing a sabbatical leave policy and procedure. At the church board's discretion, such a program may also be implemented for a member of the pastoral staff. 11. That should an active pastor become seriously ill, it would be a Christian gesture on the part of the church to give him or her a sick leave with full pay for a minimum of 90 days. If the illness should be longer, the termination of the leave would be up to the discretion of the local church board.

12. That each church provides a library allowance for the pastor.

13. That the local church, when calling a new pastor, assumes the full cost of moving expenses.

14. That pastoral staff appreciation be provided as an essential part of morale building and maintenance. We urge our churches to plan a "Pastor Appreciation Day" each year and that, when possible, the pastor and pastoral staff and spouses be remembered on birthdays and anniversaries.

15. That a Christmas gift equal to a week's salary be given the pastor, and all other full-time church employees, the first week in December.

V. EVANGELIST'S COMPENSATION

1. That each local church board reviews the compensation paid to evangelists who are devoting their **FULL TIME** to this work. We must give support that is comparable with current salaries and costs of living to these dedicated servants of God. A recommended formula would be at least double the amount of the pastor's salary for that period of time. In addition, the church should pay the travel expenses of the evangelist to and from the local church.
2. That if a church cancels a revival without sufficient notice to the evangelist, that church should consider its financial responsibility to the evangelist. If cancellation is less than sixty days prior to the opening date, the local church give consideration to paying the evangelist one half of the salary he would have received.
3. That since the month of December is normally a very slack time for an evangelist, we urge each church to send a "love offering" at Christmas to each evangelist they have had during the year.
4. That the district subsidize through district budget funds the health insurance for **full time** (full time being 30 meetings per year, outside their home church) registered or commissioned evangelists or song evangelists who are members of the District by matching up to \$100 per month given by a local church for evangelist insurance as district funds are available.

VI. DISTRICT MINISTRIES RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the district superintendent be granted vacation and other times off in accordance with the stated schedule recommendations for pastors.
2. That the district reimburse board and committee members for travel expense at the current IRS standard rate and that district N.M.I., N.Y.I. and Sunday School Ministries follow this same schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS R. MARTIN, District Secretary HOWARD J. WILSON, Chairperson