

TEAM DAY 2024 WORKSHOPS

NAZARENE DISCIPLESHIP INTERNATIONAL – NDI
CHILDREN’S MINISTRY – CM
NAZARENE MISSIONS INTERNATIONAL – NMI
NAZARENE YOUTH INTERNATIONAL – NYI
NORTHWESTERN ILLINOIS DISTRICT – NWIL
WORSHIP/TECH – W/T

NWIL – Dr. Olivia Metcalf

NWIL – Treasurer’s Round Table

Room: 305 Presenter: Ray Barker & Daniel Wierenga

We will review the Finance Committee Report from District Assembly and have a Church Treasurer’s Q&A.

NDI – Blessing Our Communities

In this panel led discussion, come discover the why and the how local NWIL churches of various sizes are forming Community Partnerships, establishing Relational Currency and finding New Opportunities for Discipleship outside of the traditional context of “church”. It can be messy, unscripted and at times chaotic – yet God is moving in ways we could not have predicted or planned on our own!

NDI/CM – Family Discipleship: Equipping Parents to be Spiritual Heroes for their Families

Discipleship starts in the home. As parents, grandparents & involved extended family members, our first ministry should be to our family. We will take a closer look at how raising Godly children is the process of making disciples who live out the story of God.

NDI – Mental Health and the Local Church: Practical Wisdom and Tools

Learn about the clues and warning signs that may be present when you or someone you love (of any age) is struggling with mental health

NDI - Developing Discipleship through Prayer

“...The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results.” (James 5:16 NLT). Prayer is powerful and effective and can be used to disciple others. We will examine how to incorporate prayer in our discipleship process to change lives.

NDI – Discipled by the Word

Take a closer look at how we can grow from being "hearers of the Word" and knowers of the Word, to be living out the Word and becoming the embodiment of the Way. We will learn more about how to study, understand and apply biblical truth as a lifelong process of discipleship through scripture.

NDI/CM – Volunteers: Find Them, Equip Them, and Care for Them well

How to locate, screen, train and keep all-star volunteers. From the nursery to the nursing home fantastic volunteers are crucial in making amazing ministry happen.

NMI – Beyond WEF: Exploring “Other” Ways to Give to Missions

WEF (World Evangelism Fund) is the backbone of the financial support for Nazarene missions. Every church gives to WEF as a part of its district financial obligations—and on NWIL, we do WEF exceptionally well. However, there are additional ways to financially support missions. This workshop will present options to stretch your congregation’s mission giving beyond WEF through opportunities such as Alabaster, NCM, Child Sponsorship, and more. Come learn how to expand your church’s missions giving to the next LEVEL.

NMI – Answer the Call – Send Me! Is God calling me?

Am I called to missions?

Positions are available on every region with a variety of service lengths.

So, God has called you, you want to serve, come to this workshop and understand what your next steps are to fulfill that call to serve as a missionary.

NMI – Make a Big Splash with Work & Witness

Learn how you can get involved with Work & Witness:

-What’s involved in setting up a trip and leading a team?

-Examples of past trips.

-Types of ministries available.

Get involved and make a difference.

NYI - Exploring Identity

How do we handle the topic of identity in today's world? In this session we will explore what it means to live into the God-Authentic-Self and explore the intersection of the good news, the church, and the world.

NYI - Faith Beyond Youth Group- Fuller Youth Institute

Young people leaving the church is not a new heartbreak, so what are we doing wrong and how can we better serve them to grow closer to Jesus.

NYI - Young Adult Ministry

Are you looking at starting a young adult ministry or you’re a young adult and wished your church was! Come and hear about recent startups and ask the panel how a young adult ministry could work in your local setting.

W/T – The Purest Praise

Ever wanted to truly have a life of praise? This will be a learning and hands-on session.

W/T – God uses everything, even tech: The visual aspect of service

Description: Calling all technical artists (yes, that's you)! Join us for an interactive discussion as we talk slides, lighting, and sound and how they can help enhance the in-service experience.

W/T – Creative Expression

Creative Expression workshop - a workshop that takes a look at the different elements of worship of our Lord and Savior through - the arts - dance- painting- spoken word- and song!