



*Team Central Churches Embracing God's Unique Purpose...  
For His Unique Church ... In Their Unique Neighborhood*

Summer 2013

# Team Talk

News to keep Central Florida Nazarenes informed



Dr. Larry D. Dennis  
District Pastor

## Kids Camp 2013

Why do districts sponsor camps?

Why do local churches have camp fund raisers?

Why are volunteers willing to take vacation days and shepherd a group of children they don't know for 5 days? Why? Because . . .

- camps have never been more important.
- Satan has never fought harder to destroy our children.
- 5 days away from cell phones, TVs, video games, and computers opens the heart to the voice of God.

Participating in children's and youth camps is one of my most rewarding responsibilities. These two weeks are filled with hope, promise and the transforming grace of our Lord.

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*Pastor Dennis & Campers at  
District Children's Camp Last Week*

## Director Update

**Pastor Bart Wakeman** (*Camp Director*) says 112 decision for Christ were made at camp; either first time or renewed commitments. PTL! *Please pray TODAY for these precious children.*

## Merger Update



North & Central Florida District Assemblies each voted by overwhelming majorities to merge as one district in 2014. A **Merger Task Force** was



*Merger Task Force  
Gainesville, FL*

commissioned with the implementation. Key lay and pastoral leaders from each district met in Gainesville June 2 & 3. Prayer was a focus. There is collective awareness this vast Kingdom work requires all of us working together and there is excitement at the prospects.

Individual assignments are already underway. The next group strategy session is planned for July. *Please commit to pray regularly for the merger*

*implementation throughout this year.*

## North & Central Florida Leadership Cruise - Sept 23-27

***Registration Deadline Extended to July 1!***

In a joint effort with the North Florida District, our 2013 District Leadership Retreat will be held September 23-27 aboard a Royal Caribbean cruise to the Bahamas. [Click here for registration form & more info.](#)

This is guaranteed to be a special time of refueling and refreshing, as it has been in years past.



*Dr. H. B. London*

Retreat speaker will be **Dr. H.B. London**, 20 year Vice President of Focus on the Family and well-known as their "Pastor to Pastors". Dr. London has a heart for ministers and their families, and I know your pastor will be encouraged and blessed to be with him.



## Next Up...

### District Dates to Remember

- June 19 - 27 **General Assembly 2013 (Indianapolis, IN)** [Watch Live](#)
- July 22-26 **District Teen Camp (Fruitland Park, FL)** *Pray for Camp!*
- August 13 **District Advisory Board (Lakeland, FL)**
- Sept 20 **WOW (Orlando Center Pointe, Orlando, FL)**
- Sept. 23-27 **North & Central District Leadership Cruise (Pt Canaveral, FL)**
- October 5 **Children's Missions Jamboree (Winter Haven, FL)**
- Oct. 18-20 **Missions Youth Retreat (Lake Placid, FL)**



### YTD Fair Share Report

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