Making Disciples in the Nations and Taking the Church to Where it is Not Yet

Global NMI Convention 2013
Discipling:
How do I need to be discipled...
How do children and youth need to be discipled ......
What do I need to do....

in order to make disciples in the nations and take the church to where it is not yet?
NMI Objective: Discipling

Discipling - involving and mentoring future missions leaders, especially youth and children, to make Christlike disciples in the nations.

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Discipling, especially children and youth, in mission
NMI Objective: Discipling

• We must be disciples to disciple others.
• Doing flows out of being.
• Especially children and youth.
• In God’s mission for the nations.
Discipling in mission:

• What is God’s mission?

• What does the Bible have to say to us about God’s mission?

• How does God’s mission relate to you?

• How does it influence what you do and why?

• If God asks you to do something, are you willing to say yes to His will?
Missions Splash

Mission in Genesis

Read: Genesis 12:1-3 and Genesis 18:18-19

• What was God’s mission that would benefit all people?
• What tasks and responsibilities did God give to Abraham?
• To what extent has God’s mission been accomplished?
• In what ways do our lives allow God to bless others all around the earth?
A Few Examples of Discipling

- Studying God’s Word: Missions Splash
- Service project: Razgrad ministry, Dutch youth camp.
- Including and involving children in missions activities: India women’s prayer group.
- Preparing people to say, Yes to God’s will: Belinda
- Participating in missions projects: 30 Hour Famine.
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Praying:
Who needs to be prayed for and how....

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NMI Objective: Praying

Praying - Interceding for leaders and churches and for the Holy Spirit to draw all people to Christ
NMI Objective: Praying

• Mission starts with prayer.
• The Holy Spirit will direct our prayers.
A Few Examples of Praying

- Praying for individuals in ministry: missionaries, pastors, leaders, Jesus Film Teams.
- Praying for people in Creative Access Areas: International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church, and all times during the year.
- Sharing requests and praises: Prayer Mobilization Line, Facebook, text messaging, email, small group meetings, involving all ages
- Global Prayer Event
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NMI Workshop: Giving & Educating

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Giving:
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NMI Objective: Giving

Giving—Devoting ourselves and our resources, especially the World Evangelism Fund, to extend Christ’s kingdom.
NMI Objective: Giving

God will use the resources that we give to him in accomplishing his mission.

- Time
- Energy
- Relationships
- Talents and skills
- Material possessions
- Money
- Homes
- Our Lives

Are we willing?
A Few Examples of Giving

• The boy with 5 fishes and 2 loaves.
• Financial:
  – World Evangelism Fund
The World Evangelism Fund fuels the Church of the Nazarene's global mission. Because we can do more working together than we can alone, every church shares a small portion of income for the purpose of making Christlike disciples in the nations.

### The Benefits of the World Evangelism Fund

**Missionaries:** Nazarene missionaries receive a regular paycheck, freeing them from the added worry of raising finances. Missionaries still with churches and conduct deputation services to inform people of happenings in their field of service; however, such activities do not consume a large portion of their time on the mission field.

**Connectional Ministries:** Nazarene churches around the world are well connected through an administrative network, a mission strategy and ministerial training.

**Churches:** Regardless of size, every Nazarene church owns a share of the global mission endeavor. Also, just as individuals are blessed by God when they commit a portion of their resources for His kingdom, so churches are blessed when they set aside funds to help reach the lost around the world.

For more information, visit one of these sites:
- [www.nazarene.org/stewardship](http://www.nazarene.org/stewardship)
- [www.fundingthemission.org](http://www.fundingthemission.org)
- [www.nazarenemissions.org](http://www.nazarenemissions.org)

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**Welt Missions Opfer**

**European Nazarene College**

Derzeit werden 388 Studenten aus 17 Ländern in 37 europäischen Studienzentren ausgebildet.

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**Zahlen und Fakten...**

- Mehr als 700 Angestellte und Volontäre aus 38 Ländern sind als Missionare im Namen der Kirche des Nazareners weltweit im Einsatz.
- Die 8.965 Teilnehmer der 587 Aufbauteams leisteten im vergangenen Jahr mehr als 600.000 Arbeitsstunden.
- Weltweit spendeten Nazarener über 2 Millionen Euro für Alabaister und unterstützten so 288 Bau-Projekte.
- Nazarene Compassionate Ministries erhielt Spenden von über 6,5 Millionen Euro und konnte so effektive Katastrophenhilfe leisten und Wiederaufbauprojekte ermöglichen. Zusätzlich wurden mehr als 10.000 Kinder in 78 Ländern durch Kinderpensionsvereine unterstützt.

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**WORLD EVANGELISM FUND SUPPORTS**

- Outreach ministry in 151 world areas
- Approximately 788 missionaries and 196 missionaries’ children
- Monthly pensions for 320* retired missionary units; (“units” consist of couples and single missionaries)
- 40 Bible and theological colleges, 11 liberal arts universities, and 5 vocational and training schools—with 40,801 students enrolled
- 2 hospitals, as well as community-based health care/medical clinics
- Literature in 67 languages
- Casa Robles (Nazarene Missionary Retirement Center)
- The facilitation of Nazarene Compassionate Ministries, Work & Witness, Alabaister, and World Mission Broadcast
- Administrative costs to facilitate ministries and services to 14,567 churches and 4,123 church-type missions around the world
- Total amount raised for World Evangelism Fund in 2006 was US$48 million.

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*This represents all missionary units who receive some portion of their retirement from World Evangelism Fund. Statistics reflect 2006 numbers.
Nazarene Missions International

Fast Facts

- The Church of the Nazarene ministers in 159 world areas.* The 2012 General Board approved the following world areas entered: Africa Region—South Sudan; Mesoamerica Region—Turks and Caicos; and a Creative Access Area.
- 737 missionaries and 177 missionary kids were deployed from 40 world areas in 2011 (including 342 Mission Corps volunteers).*
- 11,098 volunteers participated in mission in 2011. In addition to Mission Corps, there were 252 individual volunteers, 10,376 Work & Witness team members, and 128 Youth in Mission and university-age participants.
- Churches in global mission areas numbered 27,524 churches (an increase of 4.4%) with 2.14 million members (an increase of 3.7%) in those areas.*
- 444 districts have been established around the world with 25,629 clergy.*
- 5 graduate seminaries, 33 undergraduate Bible/theological colleges, 13 liberal arts institutions, 2 nurses training colleges, and 1 education college had a 2011 combined enrollment of 49,547 students globally.*
- People were treated at more than 60 medical clinics and hospitals and thousands of compassionate ministry centers.*
- 337 retired missionaries received pensions.*
- Global Mission DVD was distributed and JESUS Film infrastructure continues to be established globally.*
- Churches globally gave US $24,825,716 for Approved Mission Specials.
- WEF giving beyond (formerly “overpayment”) was US $4.4 million. During the 18 years of this NMI emphasis, the Church of the Nazarene has entered 57 world areas.
- Missionary Health Care provided US $427,826 in medical assistance for Nazarene missionaries.
- NMI partnered with World Mission Broadcast, giving US $428,946 to reach the unreached in 72 countries, 36 languages, and 140 programs.
- Nazarenes gave US $2,116,184 in deputation offerings for missionaries, an increase of US $301,530 from FY 2010.
- NMI generated US $245,094 through LINKS, a vital personalized connection between churches and missionaries around the world.
- Nazarenes gave US $2,732,620 for Alabaster to fund 200 construction projects on mission fields, averaging approximately 4 projects per week.
- International Student Scholarship Fund (NMI 80th Anniversary project) provided 56 scholarships for students to attend campus-based Nazarene theological institutions globally.
- NMI partnered with Nazarene Compassionate Ministries to give more than US $1.5 million for disaster response, to support 10,370 children through Child Development. Churches sent 47,598 Crisis Care Kits to Haiti, Moldova, Pakistan, and United States and 6,600 School Pal-Paks to Haiti, Moldova, Ukraine, and United States.
- NMI assisted Work & Witness in raising US $1,635,822 to deploy 758 teams, an average of 15 teams per week. 10,376 participants donated more than 286 years of labor.

* Supported either directly or indirectly by World Evangelism Fund (WEF).
Church of the Nazarene

• Ministers in 159 world areas.
• Sends 700+ missionaries from 40 countries.
• Provides holiness literature in 93 different languages.
• Trains and ordains 17,000 ministers.
• Worships in 27,000 congregations.

The World Evangelism Fund supports this!
Kudjip Nazarene Hospital
Papua New Guinea

www.nazpng.org/hospital

• Started in 1967.
• Houses 130 beds.
• Only major hospital in Jawaka Province.
• 150 staff members.
• Served 62,000 patients last year.
• Every patient is prayed for.
Kudjip Nazarene Hospital
Papua New Guinea
A Few Examples of Giving

• The boy with 5 fishes and 2 loaves.

• Financial:
  – World Evangelism Fund
    • Thanksgiving Offering (Harvest/Fall/Christmas)
    • Easter Offering
  – Specific needs or causes
    • NCM Disaster relief (typhoons, etc.)
    • NCM Projects (HIV/AIDS ministry)
  – Alabaster (buildings)

• Work and Witness Teams
Giving:
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Educating: What needs to be taught and how....

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NMI Objective: Educating

Educating - Informing people of the world’s needs and enabling our church to meet those needs in Christ.

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Sharing missions stories and information.
NMI Objective: Educating

Nazarenes only can pray, disciple, and give when they “know.”
NMI Objective: Educating

• Learning about Nazarene ministries:
  – Spanish TV ministry (*Mujer Valiosa, Valued Woman*), est. 150 million viewers
  – Arabic TV ministry (*Aktar Min Kalam, More Than Words*)
  – Jesus Film Ministry (with Campus Crusade for Christ), 64 million viewed, 12 million decisions for Christ, 37,000 preaching points started.
NMI Objective: Educating

• Hearing testimonies of changed lives, committed ministers and missionaries.
  – Ghana Jesus Film Coordinator
  – Pastor in the Amazon, Brazil
Educating Resources

• Video
  – www.nazarenemedialibrary.org
  – www.nazarene.org/stories
Educating Resources

• Print stories
  – Engage Magazine
  – NCN News
  – NCM Magazine
  – Jesus Film Harvest Partners
  – Where Worlds Meet
  – Missions Splash
  – Other lists (Eurasia NMI webpages “Missions News”)

• Google Translator: translate.google.com
Educating Resources

• Facts and Information
  – Eurasia NMI webpage “Promotion and Information”
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2013 List of World Areas Entered by the Church of the Nazarene
Nazarene Church Statistics

Nazarene Growth, 2001-2011
NMI Objective: Educating

Knowing about missions

• Ministries

• Testimonies of changed lives, committed Christians and ministers.

Missions Resources
Educating:
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