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**DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS**

This morning, I am on my way to be with George and Debbie Chouinard during the surgery of their daughter, Bethany. Please pray for the Chouinards.

Tomorrow morning, I will be attending the Eastern Michigan District Assembly. I should be back in the office Wednesday morning.

**DISTRICT NMI CONVENTION**

The date of the convention is May 22, 2010. The convention will be held at the Cadillac Cherry Grove Church of the Nazarene, 8450 S. 29 Road, phone number 231-775-8401. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.

**MISSIONARY DEPUTATION**

David and Kim Hane, missionaries to Asia Pacific Nazarene University, will be available for deputation services on the Northern Michigan District on June 22-29, 2010. The Hanes will be our LINKS missionaries for the years 2010-2012. Please contact Sharon Moore if you would like to have the Hanes in your church during the month of June at 989-435-9838 or 815-685-1024 or sharonmoore@yahoo.com (don't forget the r between n and m). Thank you!

Sharon Moore, District NMI Deputation Secretary

**PALCON**

May 17-21, 2010

A Resource for Those in Ministry Preparation

A reminder that PALCON 2010 on the campus of Olivet Nazarene University is rapidly approaching. PALCON is a 3-day conference, including housing and meals. The theme of PALCON 2010 is "Rooted in Missional Passion". For those pastors who are bi-vocational, the second day (May 18) is geared for them, with the cost of only \$49 which includes all conference materials and meals for the one day (no housing or extra meals included).

\*HOW TO REGISTER: Register online at [www.PALCON2010.org](http://www.PALCON2010.org).

\*FEES AND LODGING: Standard Registration - \$179. Includes meals and breaks, Campus housing (Double occupancy) 3 nights lodging; Complimentary resource materials

\*Bi-vocational Registration - \$49. Due to space restrictions on many campuses, PALCON 2010 registration is limited exclusively to all clergy and those preparing for ministry.

## DISTRICT ASSEMBLY AGENDA

June 1-2, 2010

Held at Alanson Church of the Nazarene, 7489 Mission Road, Alanson, Michigan 49706. Phone 231-548-5462.

Motel: Crooked River Lodge - \$60 for each room (1-4 people). Check-in Tuesday 6/1/10: 12 noon - 1 p.m., or after 8:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 1: 1:30 - 5:30 p.m. - Afternoon session  
5:30 - 6:30 p.m. (dinner time at church) - \$7.00 per adult (age 5-12 \$4.00, age 4 and under free. Everyone eats (it's free if needed).  
7:00 - 8:30 p.m. - Ordination Service

Wednesday, June 2 7:30 - 8:20 a.m. - Continental breakfast  
8:30 - 11:30 a.m. - Morning Session

**Motel reservations must be made by David Brantley;** call 231-548-5462 or e-mail nazarene@racc2000.com. Checks only, payable to NMD, marked "room reservation" and mailed to: David Brantley, 7489 Mission Road, Alanson, MI 49706. Must receive payment of \$60 for each room before your reservation is secured. Need name and address of every person in room.

### ANNUAL MEETINGS & ELECTIONS

Only two more Sundays before the end of the Church Year 2009-2010. Make sure you have your annual meetings and elections as soon as possible.

### DISTRICT MEN'S RETREAT

September 17-18, 2010

Leon Lake Retreat Center

Hale, Michigan

Phone: 877-264-1004

Guest Speaker: Dr. Harold DeMott, Retired Pastor

#### Weekend Schedule

Friday Night: Check-in Anytime after 3:00 p.m.  
Evening Meal 6:30 p.m.  
General Session 7:30 p.m.

Saturday: Breakfast 8:30 a.m.  
General Session 9:30 a.m.  
Lunch 12:00 Noon  
Free Time 12:30 - 3:30 p.m.  
General Session 3:30 p.m.  
Heading Home Around 4:30 p.m.

We are here to let the Lord work on us, be refreshed in spirit, and go back home a better father, husband, man.

Where is Loon Lake Retreat Center?

Two miles north of Hale, on M-65. Enter the property on the west side of M-65 and proceed until the road ends (about 3/4 of a mile). You should be in a parking area and recognize a few people by then.

What should I bring to retreat?

Sleeping bag, pillow, personal hygiene items, any medications, Bible, snacks for Friday night, any equipment for the activities; i.e., shotgun for clay target shooting, fishing gear, etc.

What is the cost of the retreat?

\$55.00 - Please make your checks out to the East Tawas Church of the Nazarene.

**DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S SCHEDULE**

April 12-13	Eastern Michigan District Assembly
April 14	Fremont Board - 5:30 p.m.
April 17	Beaverton - NYI Meeting - 10:00 a.m.
April 18	Cheboygan
April 22	Year-end Meetings, Traverse City First: Nominating Committee - 11:00 a.m. Finance Committee - 1:00 p.m. District Advisory Board - 2:00 p.m.
April 24	NMD Ministry Board, Traverse City First - 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
April 25	Oscoda Huron Shores
May 6-8	ONU Trustees Meeting
May 13-15	Celebrate Life - ONU
May 17-19	PALCON - ONU
May 22	NMI Convention

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