



# Easter at PFN

## Sunday, April 5

**9:30am:** All-Church Worship Service  
(Sanctuary - Rm. 100)

**11am:** 0 yrs. - Kindergarten Egg Hunt  
(KidZone Worship Area - Rm. 200)

**11:15am:** 1<sup>st</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Egg Hunt  
(Refuge - Rm. 303)

Scan the  
QR Code  
to register  
for the  
egg hunts!



## He has RISEN indeed, Amen!

At 9:30am, all of our kids are joining us in the Sanctuary for an all-church worship service. Easter Participation Packs are available in the Foyer for all kids. We will also have the opportunity to take communion together.

Then at 11am the first Easter egg hunt will begin in KidZone. There are donuts, hot coffee, iced coffee & water for all in the Fellowship Center and several photo opportunities throughout the building!

PFN you are  
invited to the

# Wedding

of  
**Rachel Clark &  
Christopher Houston**

**Saturday, April 18 at 2:30pm**

A dessert reception to follow  
in the Fellowship Center

**RSVP to [rhouston83@yahoo.com](mailto:rhouston83@yahoo.com)**

They are registered  
on Amazon

## Communion at PFN

The Church of the Nazarene practices open communion (*grape juice & bread*) and it is available to those who have a relationship with Christ, regardless of membership. Pastor Lauren Smith will lead us and our PFN Ministry Leaders will serve us. We encourage your participation.

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

### TODAY - EASTER - APRIL 5, 2026

**Family Easter Worship Service.....9:30AM**

We will ALL worship together in the Sanctuary!  
(no Early Childhood Worship or KidZone Worship)

**Easter Celebration (Fellowship Center).....10:45AM**

(donuts, hot/iced coffee, and water)

**Easter Egg Hunts**

Kindergarten & Younger (KidZone).....11AM

1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade (Refuge).....11:15AM

### MONDAY

**Church Office.....Closed**

Widow's Journey (Room 203).....Not Meeting

Monday Brothers (Room 307).....Not Meeting

### TUESDAY

Men of PFN Bible Study (Room 305).....6:30-7:30AM

NDI Board Meeting (Room 305).....6-7PM

### WEDNESDAY

BLESSINGS Ladies Bible Study (Room 107).....10AM

Submerge Practice (Refuge).....5-6:15PM

Refuge Student Worship (7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade).....6:30-8PM

Nursery/Toddlers (2 years & under).....6:45-8PM

Pre-ACTIVATE (3-5 years).....6:45-8PM

ACTIVATE (1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade).....6:45-8PM

Adult Bible Study (Room 107).....6:45-8PM

Pew Sisters (Room 307).....6:45-8PM

### THURSDAY

PFN Coffee Crew (Coffee Connection).....6:30-7:30AM

NMI Council Meeting (Room 305).....6-7PM

Worship Ministries Rehearsal (Sanctuary).....6:30-8PM

### FRIDAY

Prayer Gathering (Sanctuary).....6:30-7:30AM

### SATURDAY

Church Painting Day at PFN.....9AM-12PM

### NEXT SUNDAY - APRIL 12, 2026

Morning Worship for all ages.....9:30AM

Discipleship Groups for all ages.....11AM

LEAD Team Meeting (Room 305).....12-1:15PM

WM Pies, PJs, & Puzzles Night (Fellowship Center).....4PM

Submerge Practice (Refuge).....4:30-6PM



If you would like to give online,  
scan the QR code. Your giving  
helps PFN live out our mission.

# PEKIN FIRST NAZARENE

SUNDAY 4.5.26



## Rooted in Christ to Transform Generations

Women's Ministry  
**Pies, PJs, &  
Puzzles Night**  
Sunday, April 12

4pm in the Fellowship Center  
Please come and join in the fun!  
We will have a puzzle contest with prizes! Wear your modest PJs!  
Mark the communication card today!

**KNOWN**  
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**VALUED**  
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**PURPOSED**

**LUNCH CLUB**

*with PFN Staff*

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22**  
12PM in the Fellowship Center  
Lunch \$5 suggested donation

This is time with staff to discuss PFN and pray together. Please mark the communication card so we have enough food for everyone.

**Church Painting Day  
at PFN**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 11**  
9am - 12pm

**Bring a roller if you have one! And help us paint & update our building.**  
**Mark the communication card if you would like to help.**



**Donations for  
The Dragons Closet**

On Sunday, April 19 our PrimeTime Ministry will be collecting items for the Dragons Closet at Pekin High School.

The Dragons Closet helps students who are experiencing financial hardship for any reason. We will be collecting toiletries and hygiene items (*shampoo, conditioner, body wash, deodorant, tooth brush, toothpaste, etc.*).

You can bring your donations to either the Welcome Center at Door K or the Sanctuary Foyer.



**PFN Network**

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**NWIL Camp  
2026**

**Save the Dates**

**Kids Camp**  
**June 22-25**  
Dickson Valley Camp  
Newark, IL

**Teen Camp**  
**July 22-25**  
Dickson Valley Camp  
Newark, IL

**REFUGE  
ANNUAL PIE AUCTION**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 19**  
6-8pm Fellowship Center

- WAYS TO GET INVOLVED:**
- Prepare a dessert to be auctioned
  - Bring a dessert to be served
  - Donate an item for the silent auction
  - Attend the event & bring friends

**Mark your communication card or email [refuge@pfn.church](mailto:refuge@pfn.church)**