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NMI SNAPSHOT



Second Sunday of Advent: PEACE



This is the second of the Advent and Christmas features which reflect on the NMI Identity Statement and NMI's Five Areas of Impact.

NMI is the global missions **advocate** in every local church, **nurturing** a spirit of missions, and **mobilizing** into action, **impacting** people around the world.

What does it mean to 'nurture a spirit of missions', and to keep nurturing the call to missions globally? To nurture is to pour our lives into the growth and health of the next generation; to hand over, not hand down, the Mission of God...that they may do the same. Peace is the bridge Christ came to be, and came to build, that all of humankind, regardless of age, culture, or circumstance may find their way home to God.

When the Prince of Peace came, and Immanuel was ‘with us’, it was with the purpose of building bridges for all people to find their way home to God. Christ broke down all the dividing walls and brought PEACE to the earth. He charged His disciples to be ‘peace-makers’ wherever they went, and they (and we) always see the greatest impact of our lives through the channels of peace that we are in the face of hatred, division, and fear.



NMI Priority: Engaging Children and Youth...we not only love our children and youth, we seek to teach them, as Christ taught, to be at peace with God and with all of humankind.

KIDS KALEIDOSCOPE



Animals in the stable—probably not a very peaceful scene—are part of God’s creation and some of the first witnesses to Christ’s birth. Did you know animals make different sounds in different places around the world? To learn more, click [here](#) to download the rest of Kids Kaleidoscope for Week #2 of Advent.

PRAY

- Pray for God to bring peace to the many war-torn areas of the world, and peace to our Nazarene brothers and sisters who suffer in those areas.
- Pray for all Nazarenes who encounter the displaced and despairing around the world today, that they may be ambassadors of peace.



PRAISE

- Praise God for our missionaries who serve around the world as messengers of peace and good will towards all of humankind.
- Praise the Lord for whatever part He calls you to, or enables you to play, in His mission of building bridges of peace in the world today.



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