

**JOPLIN DISTRICT CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
**50th NYI CONVENTION**  
*(Carthage, Mo)*  
*(7/20/07-7/21/07)*

*Friday*

- 2:00-5:00      Training Seminars (Training Director and Vice Pres.)  
Teen Seminars
- Room # \_2\_ - For Girl's only... Staying focused on God in a Sex-crazed culture (Sarah Hunt)
  - Room # \_3\_ - For Guy's only... Why focus on God when there are sports and girls? (Noel George)
  - Room # \_2\_ - Seven Habits of Highly Effective Teens (Jim Beach)
  - Room # \_3\_ - "Can you be a Christian and it not effect the way you live?" (Brian Letsinger)
- Adult Seminars
- 2:00 – 2:50 – Sanctuary – Dave Curtis on Culture
  - 3:00 – 3:50 – Sanctuary – Troy Sundermeyer on Battle Cry (A Youth leader's response to Culture)
  - 4:00 – 4:50 – Sanctuary – Q & A with Dave Curtis, Troy Sundermeyer... on Ministering to youth in today's culture
- 7:00            Registration of Delegates (PR Group Sings a few songs beginning at 7:15)
- 7:30            Welcome & Prayer – Vice President (give Lisa / MNU a few minutes)
- 7:35            NLA 3 Song Set
- 7:50            Timothy Award 1 (Vice Pres, Pres. Brian Letsinger)
- 8:00            Worship Group – Garnett
- 8:20            Dave Curtis – Vision Forecast for next four years (Vice Pres. To introduce)
- 9:20            Timothy Award 2 (Vice Pres, Pres. Gary Swearengin)
- 9:30            Worship Group – Garnett
- Offertory – One song
  - One Pump me up Song to send us home
- 9:45            Adjournment

**Empower Video**

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- 8:30 am Check in and Prelude music by New Covenant MNU PR Group
- 9:00 Welcome & Prayer – President Fred Toomey
- 9:02 Special Songs – Marshfield Praise & Worship (2 songs)
- 9:10 Devotional Challenge – Dave Curtis
- 9:27 Call convention to order – President  
Fred Prayed  
Troy asked for cell phones to be turned to silent or off. Old fashioned texting (*Notefest*) began.  
Kyle Rogers made a special presentation to Angie Toomey, Susan Dillow, Jim Dillow, Fred Toomey, Kevin Binam, Troy Sundermeyer  
Packet Information  
Correction of Tanya Hart to Brittany Hart on the Board of Tellers #2
- 9:32 Secretary organizes the convention  
Recording Secretary – (Sarah Hunt)  
Election Chairman, Parliamentarian – (Jim Dillow, D.S.)  
Pages – (Bailey, Landon, Ashley, Preston, Jon)  
Greetings sent – (*NMI Pres, SS Chairman, Gen Sups, past Presidents, Asia Pacific Sister Region, Hispanic congregations*)
- 9:35 President turns chair over to District Superintendent
- 9:40 President’s Report – (Fred Toomey)  
Accepting of the President’s Report (Jim Dillow)
- 10:00 Ballot #1 – President’s ballot - Total: 139 Yes: 127 No: 12 (91.3% Yes)  
Board of Tellers #1 (Phil Rhoades) – Chairman  
Secretary explains ballot  
Recommendation from NYI council that this be a two-year vote  
Approval of Nominating Committee report (makes ballot final)  
Praying over the Ballot (Troy)
- 10:05 Announcing the Winner of the “CD Mistakes” Game (Fred)  
Girard Youth Group Won
- 10:07 Love Offering for President (Kevin Binam)
- 10:08 Break
- 10:20 Special Songs – Indy Praise & Worship (3 songs)
- 10:35 Empower Plug (Brian Shelton)  
Recognition of Empower Volunteers
- 10:45 Ballot #2 – (New District Charter and Responsibilities) Total: 140 Yes: 131 No: 9  
Board of Tellers #2 (*Dale Samuels*) – Chairman  
Secretary reads ballot  
Approval of District Councils recommendation report (makes ballot final)  
Praying over the Ballot (Troy)
- 10:50 Reading and acceptance reports of Vice President and Secretary
- 11:00 Special Songs – (Barlow Rap Group)
- 11:13 Report of Treasurer – (Kevin Binam)  
Accept Treasurer’s report  
Year Adopted Budget, approved at District Assembly  
Recommendation of NYI Council concerning Treasurer
- 11:15 Accepting Treasurer’s Report
- 11:16 Camp Report – (*Angela Young*) Camp Video
- 11:25 Ballot #3 – NYI Council, Teen Reps and Members at Large  
Board of Tellers #1  
Secretary reads ballot  
Approval of nominating committee report (makes ballot final)  
Plurality vote motion – definition of plurality  
Recommendation for President and elected council to appoint any needed ministry directors

Praying over the ballot (Troy)  
Dustin Ledford voted No on the plurality motion

11:30 Special Song – (P.R. Group - New Covenant)

11:35 Missions Emphasis – (*Kevin Binam to share about NYC Missions, Noel George talked about the NYI/NMI mission day trip that happened during District Assembly, Brian Murrison to share about next years mission trip to Poverty Simulation Course, Waco, Texas*)

11:40 College and Career Report – (Kyle Rogers)

11:45 Quizzing Video Report – (*Ken Hopkins*)

11:55 Honor Society Awards – (Kyle Rogers)  
Nixa  
Garnett  
Marshfield  
Pittsburg

11:50 Ben Moore tells how to us NYI CD-Rom

11:57 1<sup>st</sup> Week of Camp Highlights Video

12:00 2<sup>nd</sup> Week of Camp Highlights Video

12:05 Announcement of the results for ballot #3 - A  
VP – Sally Beach Yes: 125 No: 7  
Secretary – Troy Sundermeyer Yes: 127 No: 5  
Treasurer – Kevin Binam Yes: 125 No: 7  
Parent Reps – Shari Kline and Jennifer Swearengin  
MNU Rep – Landon Letsinger  
Non-MNU Rep – Chris Rogers  
Total Ballots: 132  
Ballot #3 – B Voting  
Board of Tellers #2  
Secretary reads ballot  
Approval of nominating committee report (makes ballot final)  
Motion was split, plurality was motioned and passed

12:13 NYC Highlight Video

12:27 Announcement of the results for ballot #3 – B  
Senior High Representatives – Corey Beach and Preston Samuels  
Junior High Representatives – Ben Beach and Riley Ledford  
Total Ballots: 131

12:28 Senior of the Year Award – (Kyle Rogers)  
Bailey Brock

12:35 Recognize Past Presidents – (Fred Toomey)  
Plaques were given to Past Presidents  
Some memories were shared by a couple of the former Presidents  
The Anchor Holds – sang by Brendon Smith

12:57 Motion to authorize Secretary to edit, harmonize, and expunge extraneous matter in preparation of the minutes.

12:58 Introduction of new NYI Council

1:00 Prayer of Commission for new NYI Council – District Superintendent  
Final motion to adjourn (Overflow video & Sanctuary announcements)