

Our 2009 missionary speaker Nikolaj Sawatzky

Nikolaj and Lydia Sawatzky are global missionaries for the Church of the Nazarene in Switzerland.

Nikolaj was born in Karaganda, in the former Soviet Union. Nikolaj's parents became Christians and immigrated to Germany in 1978. While in Germany, Nikolaj completed professional surveyor training. Lydia was also born in Russia.

The Sawatzkys serve at the Eurasia Region Office in Schaffhausen, Switzerland. They developed the communications center for the region in 1993. The Sawatzkys then coordinated the ministry of the communication center and developed the Russian radio and literature ministry. Nikolaj also teaches journalism at European Nazarene College.

The Sawatzkys have four children.



The Sawatzky family: Lydia, Denis (22), Lukas (11), Denis' girlfriend – Mary, Tabea (18), Sophie (22) and Nikolaj.

What's that *in your* **hand?**



**Southern Florida District
Nazarene Missions International
36th Annual Convention
May 8 – 9, 2009
Palm City New Hope Fellowship
Church of the Nazarene**

Then the LORD said to him, "What's that in your hand?"
"A staff," he replied. Exodus 4:2

7:30 p.m. Friday, May 8

Cell phones interfere with the navigation of our services, please silence them.

Welcome/Introductions..... Dr. Dennis Moore
Dr. Gary Durham, Host Pastor
Prayer.....Ms. Amanda Pound
Nazarene Publishing House.....Rev. Don Gadbow
Meet Rev. Nikolaj Sawatzky
Palm City Band & Praise Team..... *Give It Away*

The story of Moses and God's Exchange

Dr. Katie Pascall

Worship & Song Pastor Durham
Friend of God
You Are Good
How Great Is Our God

What's that in your hand? #1.....North Miami Haitian
A Celebration..... Ms. Myrdith Clothaire
What's that in your hand? #2.... West Palm Beach Belen

Missions Offering..... Dr. David Nixon
Little Is Much When God Is in It
Palm City New Hope Fellowship Men's Trio

What's that in your hand? #3.....Punta Gorda
Palm City Ministry in Motion..... *Little Is Much*
Sermon/Challenge..... Rev. Sawatzky

What's that in our hands..... Our Response
Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated
Prayer Pastors Jean Cidel, Galo Poveda & John Denby

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2009.

Visit & Use the Prayer Room

Room 10



2009-2010

Children's Project

Purchase Guitars & Keyboards
for over 100 children (many of
which are Haitian) at the Villa
Verde Church of the Nazarene
in La Romana, Dominican
Republic. Send offerings to May
Bell Lin or bring to the Children's
Mission Adventure, October 24.

*MEMORIAL ROLL 2009

Avon Park First - Lorraine Grote, Elsie Scott
Bradenton Bayshore – Francis Holden, Juanita Van Horn, Charlene Mary Kinnaird, Rev. Maurice & Jeanette Rhoden, Cheryl Rowe
Bradenton First – Donald Lee Bogart, Donald Paul Shoup
Englewood - George Cromley, Ella Raines
Fort Lauderdale First - Mary Saltz
Fort Myers First - Jean Ehrlin, Doris Jones, Mona McMichael, Richard Rhoades
Hollywood - Jessie Elkes, Haroldine Reynolds, Mary Smith
Homestead - Calvin W. Fuchs, Allen E. Miller
Lake Worth El Mesias – Antonio Perez
Lake Placid - Mary Allen, Delmar Delmartet, Mary Anderson Pipes, Doris Sydenstricker, Jack Tabor, Shirley Willingham
Margate Shema Christ Fellowship - Pauline Bell, Glen Griffith, Juliette Mitchell
Miami Beth-El - Rev. Ardee Coolidge, Sr.
Miami Central - Mary C. Benson, Joyce Reynolds Sanchez
Miami South Miami Heights - Edith Wardlaw
Naples Faith Community - Percy “Roy” Beaver, Richard Sanford
Naples First - Cleo Carlson, Duane Coplin
Naples First Hispanic - Lidya Figueroa
North Ft. Myers - Madelyn White
Northlake Blvd - Martha L. Garber, Carmelita Laird, James S. McLellan
Pompano Beach - Brack Hogan, Richard Holden, Robert Arthur “Bob” Lassen
Redland - Calvin Fuchs, Edward Hilson, Helen Phillips
Sarasota First - Alan Shaw, Leonard Zeiler
Sebring - Ruth Benson
Venice - Ebb Castle, Rayman Cramer, Jim France, Joseph Guffy, George Parkins, Doryce Swanson

* The Memorial Roll honors the memory of loved ones and friends. The \$50 to place a person’s name on the NMI Memorial Roll is used to assist in paying the medical care of our missionaries. All names are kept on a special roll at the Nazarene Global Ministry Center, Lenexa, Kansas. You can view all names placed on the Memorial Roll by going to www.nazarenemissions.org, then click on “Giving”, and either DSA or Memorial Roll under “Missionary Health Care” and then “MR/DSA History.”

8:30 a.m.

Saturday, May 9

Children’s Mission Mini-Convention

Worship & Song Carol City Ebenezer
International Prayer Time Rev. Pascal Permis
Memorial Roll Mrs. Kaye Nixon
Welcome/Announcements Dr. Durham
Dr. Nixon

Call to Order 36th Annual NMI Convention... Dr. Moore
Greetings
Nazarene Publishing House..... Rev. Gadbow
Convention Business
24th Annual District NMI Report Dr. Moore
Prayer Rev. Erns Dorsainvil
Music Special Vasthie Dessources
District Distinguished Service Award
Convention Business
Exodus music Mr. Wes Chambers

Break

All Presidents/Church Reps. meet with NPH during break

Worship & Song Pastor Durham
Presentation **Rev. Sawatzky**
Music Special Diaz Family Singers
Brazil Work & Witness Team Review & “Thank You”
Nicaragua Chapel Factory Project Rev. Roy Shuck
Treasurer’s Report Mrs. May Bell Lin
Convention Business
2009 President’s Church Merit Award
Youth in Mission Mr. Brian Wong
Nazarene Publishing House..... Rev. Gadbow
Music Special Punta Gorda Quartet
Real Missions **Rev. Sawatzky**
Prayer for the Sawatzky family Dr. Nixon
Operation Mary Update Mrs. Becky Gritton

Convention compassion projects ... Rev. Ardee Coolidge
2009 Youth Mission Encounter

It's all about the children Ms. Candy Waller
Announcements

PriorityONE and **Award of Excellence** Churches to front
Prayer Philemon Permis
Please leave evaluations & lanyards on pews

Our Sincere Appreciation to...

Palm City New Hope Fellowship – Senior Pastor Dr. Gary Durham;
Administrative Pastor Gary Merritt, Head Usher – Tim Walker, Lighting –
Rick Hall, Custodial – Kendall & Monica Todd, Office – Diane Rudd,
Welcome Center – Mary Finchum, Snack concession – Geoff Davis and
students, Parking – Steve Rudd

Convention Planning Committee – Rev. Jorge Diaz, Rev. Erns
Dorsainvil, Becky Gritton, Wendy Lopez, Rev. Gary Merritt, Irene Merritt,
Josh Moore, Kaye Nixon, Rev. Foster Schmitt, Charlie Smith, Donna Smith,
Trish Spear

Music – Pastor Ryan Durham, Worship Pastor – Palm City New Hope
Fellowship; Palm City Praise Team; Rev. Jorge Diaz/Jackie Diaz Sanchez –
Carol City Ebenezer; Rev. Erns Dorsainvil/Jackie Sanchez – Music lyric
translations

Convention staff – Linda Ketchum - Recording Secretary, Charlie & Donna
Smith – Stage Managers, Trish Spear – Pages, Wes Chambers – Delegate
Registration/Badges

Children's Convention – Candy Denby Waller and Friends

Computer graphics/video – Marla Buettner – Computer Video Graphics;
Jonathan Moore – Video productions/Theme Graphic/Program Cover

Photography – Roy Shuck & Charlie Smith

Distinguished Service Awards by churches in 2009

Avon Park - Jean Prescott

Bradenton Bayshore - Don Akins, Ray & Alta Ewers,
Rev. & Mrs. Thurl Mann

Hollywood - Marion Prather

Lake Placid - Bob & Shirley Rogers, Diane Osborne

Naples Faith Community - Chris Zawistowski

Naples First - Della Mitchell

Punta Gorda - Jo Anne Parker

Redland - Suzanne Mowry

Sebring - Rev. Emmett Garrison

Venice - Eugene & Mildred Fazelos, Charles & Donna Smith

2009 Southern Florida District Nazarene Missions International Council

District Superintendent Dr. David Nixon
President Dr. Dennis Moore
Vice President/MissionaryLINKS Mary Shuck
Secretary Fran Benson
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Alabaster Lee Ann Helzer
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Broadcast Rev. Ardee Coolidge
Haitian Language Liaison Rev. Erns Dorsainvil
Mission Education/Mission Call Trisha Spear
Missionary Health Care Kaye Nixon
Missionary Tours/Deputation Linda Ketchum
Prayer & Fasting Rev. Pascal Permis
PriorityONE Awards Wendy Lopez
Spanish Language Liaison Rev. Jorge Diaz
Teen Representatives Philemon Permis
Amanda Pound
Webmaster Wes Chambers
Work & Witness Rev. Foster Schmitt
Youth Rev. Josh Moore
Zone Coordinators Cheryl Chastain – Ft. Myers
Kaye Nixon – North Central
Dianne Hermann – Palm Beach
Amanda Pound - Miami
Donna Smith – Sun Coast
Becky Gritton - Treasure Coast
Katherine Whiting – Ft. Lauderdale

Global NMI Convention

June 24 – 26 • Orlando, Florida

Great Mission Inspiration/Superb Workshops

General Assembly Sunday – June 28

Worship Service/Communion 10 a.m.

March of the Nations/Mission Challenge 4 p.m.

Speaker - Dr. Nina Gunter

