

### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I, ARNOLD WILLIAMS, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, and legal custodian of the corporation records of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the original of the articles of incorporation of

#### NEW PLYMOUTH CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, INC.

was filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the

Tenth

day of

March,

A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred

and

is duly recorded on Film No. 111 of Record of Domestic Corporations of the State of Idaho, and that the said articles contain the statement of facts required by Sections 30-103, 30-1101 and 30-1102, Idaho Code.

AND I FURTHER CERTIFY, That the persons executing the articles and their associates and successors are hereby constituted a corporation, by the name stated in the articles, and for perpetual existence from the date hereof, with its registered office in this State located New Plymouth, at Payette, in the County of

and as such are subject to the rights, privileges and limitations granted to Religious, Ex-Service Men, Benevolent, Charitable and Fraternal Corporations, as provided in Chapter 11, Title 30, Idaho Code.

> IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State. Done at Boise City, the Capital of Idaho, 10th this

A.D., 19 60.

day of

Secretary of State.

#### ARTICLES

<u>of</u>

### INCORPORATION

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# NEW PLYMOUTH CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, INC.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, the undersigned, being the duly elected and installed officers of the New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., elected, qualified and installed, pursuant to the custom and discipline of such organization, do hereby certify that pursuant to a resolution duly adopted at a regular meeting of said church, held in New Plymouth, County of Payette, State of Idaho, on the 3rd day of January, 1960, after all of the members of said church had been given two weeks notice of said meeting, to the effect that the question of the incorporation of said church would be considered at said meeting, as appears in the affidavit of publication hereto attached, and by this reference made a part hereof; and that all of the members present at such meeting, being and constituting a quorum of the membership of said church, pursuant to the custom thereof, voted in favor of said incorporation of said New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., and under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Idaho, and in particular with the provisions of Chapter II, Title 29, Idaho Code Annotated 1932, and we, the undersigned officers, do hereby certify:

FIRST: That the name of this corporation shall be "New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc.,"

SECOND: That said Church has been duly and properly instituted, pursuant to the custom and discipline of the Church of the Nazarene, and is a subordinate organization of said Church of the Nazarene.

THIRD: That the purposes for which said corporation is formed are:

(a) To establish and maintain a church of the Nazarene in the City of New Plymouth, Payette County, Idaho, and to provide Page 1.

a place for public worship of the same in the said City of New Plymouth, Idaho, and to establish, maintain and conduct schools and religious instructions and to further in general religious and charitable work and to that end may adopt and establish by-laws and make all rules and regulations deemed necessary and expedient for the management of its affairs, in accordance with law and not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation, or with the Manual adopted by the General Assembly of the Church of the Nazarene in the United States, of which this corporation is a sub-ordinate part.

- and be sued, in its corporate name, and in such name to acquire or receive by purchase, gift, grant, devise or bequest, any property, real, personal or mixed, and the same to hold, sell, transfer, mortgage, convey, loan, let or otherwise use, in accordance with the law and the custom and practice of said Church, but said corporation has no power to divert any gift, grant or bequest from the special purposes designated by the donor, and in general to do such other acts and things as may be authorized by law, and as may be considered useful and necessary for the carrying on of the purposes and objectives of said Church.
- (c) To purchase, or otherwise acquire, or hold, lease, sell, exchange, assign, transfer, mortgage or otherwise dispose of and to invest, trade and deal in and with real property and any and all interest therein, and with personal property of every class and description.
- (d) To borrow money, to issue bonds, debentures, notes and other obligations of this corporation from time to time, for any of the objectives or purposes of this corporation, and to mortgage, pledge, hypothecate or convey in trust, any or all of its property, to secure the payment thereof.
- (e) That the Church of the Nazarene is composed of those persons who have voluntarily associated themselves together according Page 2.

to the doctrines and policy of said church, and who seek holy Christian fellowship, the conversion of sinners, the entire sancfication of believers, their upbuilding in holiness, and the simplicity and spiritual power manifest in the primitive New Testament Church, together with the preaching of the gospel to every creature.

- (f) That where not inconsistent with the statutes of the State of Idaho, it is the intent of the incorporation that the corporation shall be subject to the government of the Church of the Nazarene, as from time to time authorized and declared in its Manual by the General Assembly of said Church.
- (g) The several clauses contained in this statement of purposes shall be construed as both purposes and powers, and the statements contained in each clause shall be in no wise limited or restricted by reference to and inference from terms of any other clause, but shall be regarded as independent in purposes and powers and no recitation, expression, or declaration of specific or special powers or purposes herein enumerated, shall be deemed to be exclusive but it is hereby expressly declared that all other lawful powers not inconsistent herewith, are hereby included.

FOURTH: The duration of this corporation shall be perpetual.

FIFTH: The location and Post Office address of the registered office of this corporation in the State of Idaho, shall be New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., New Plymouth, County of Payette, Idaho, which said place shall be the principal office for the transaction of the business of this corporation.

SIXTH: That it is the custom of the Church of the Nazarene, that the management of the real estate of such corporation
shall be under the control of one Board, and that the promotion,
operation and maintenance of such corporation shall be under the
control of another Board, and that by reason thereof, the Board
to control the real estate shall be known as the "Board of Trustees",
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and shall consist of four members of said corporation, and that the Board to manage the promotion, operation and maintenance of the corporation shall be known as the "Board of Stewards", consisting of three members and other officers of the corporation, provided in the Manual of the Church of the Nazarene, as follows, to-wit: Pastor, Sunday School Superintendent, Young People's Society President, and Women's Foreign Missionary Society President; and that said two boards, as enumerated hereinafter, together with the other officers specifically mentioned, shall be and constitute the officers and boards of this corporation.

SEVENTH: This corporation shall not be a stock company and shall issue no bonds or stock or stock certificates, and that this corporation is not organized for the purpose of pecuniary profit.

EIGHTH: Membership in this corporation shall be limited and confined to persons who have now or may hereafter affiliate with the Church of the Nazarene, and subscribe to its beliefs and doctrines, as contained in its Manual, in so far as the same do not conflict with any of the laws of the State of Idaho.

NINTH: Neither membership, nor the corporate or property rights, incidental to membership in the corporation, shall be transferable, but all property rights of said corporation shall be vested in and held by said New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., in accordance with the Church Manual as the same now exists, or may be hereafter amended or changed by the General Assembly of the Church of the Nazarene.

TENTH: The meetings of this corporation shall be held in accordance with the Manual of the Church of the Nazarene, and a quorum as provided by such Manual, shall constitute a quorum of this corporation.

The corporation shall prepare and hereafter ELEVENTH: adopt an official corporate seal which shall, for all purposes, be the corporate seal of this corporation.

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TWELFTH: That the officers of this corporation heretofore elected, in accordance with the custom of said organization, and who shall hold office for the first year thereof, to May 8 1960, and until the selection and qualification of their successors, are as follows:

Board of Trustees;

Vernal Fogg

David Pittman

Elmer Betz

Jacob Langley

Board of Stewards:

Mable Anderson

Mable Lockner

Vera Yoachum

and that the other officers mentioned hereinabove, in Paragraph Sixth supra, are:

Pastor: Lowell G. Henske

Sunday School Superintendent: Mrs. Norton Randolph

Young Peoples' Society President: Wesley Powell

Women's Foreign Missionary Society President: Mable Lockner.

THIRTEENETH: This corporation shall take effect and be in full force and effect when these Articles of Incorporation, duly signed by the respective Boards and officers of said New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., and attested by its Secretary, are duly filed and recorded in the office of the Secretary of State, State of Idaho, and in the office of the Ex-Officio Auditor and Recorder of Payette County, State of Idaho.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., has this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of March, 1960, caused these Articles of Incorporation to be executed for and on behalf of the members of said Church, and signed by the officers and Boards of Page 5.

said Church, and attested by its Secretary.

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Young People's Society President Women's Foreign Missionary Society
President.

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STATE OF IDAHO ) ss County of Payette )

On this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of March, in the year 1960, before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said State, personally appeared VERNAL FOGG, DAVID PITTMAN, ELMER BETZ, JACOB LANGLEY, MABLE ANDERSON, MABLE LOCKNER, VERA YOACHUM, LOWELL G. HENSKE, MRS. NORTON RANDOLPH, WESLEY POWELL, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within and foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

> Notary Public for Idaho Residence: New Plymouth, Idaho

(SEAL).

STATE OF IDAHO ) ss County of Payette )

On this day of March, 1960, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared LOWELL G. HENSKE, Paster of the New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., who after being first duly affirmed, deposes and says: That he is the officer which he purports to be in the Articles of Incorporation of said New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., and that as such officer he was the presiding officerat a meeting of the membership of said Church held on the 3rd day of January, 1960, at New Plymouth, Idaho, pursuant to Notice published, as the same appears in the Affidavit of Publication attached hereto and made a part hereof, and that said New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, Inc., at such meeting voted to incorporate said church under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Idaho, and instructed the Boards and officers thereof to prepare and file Articles of Incorporation therefore, and on behalf of the membership thereof.

Lowell & Henske Pastor

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of March, A.D., 1960.

Notary Public for Idaho Residence: New Plymouth Idaho

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# AFFIDAV., OF PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That a special meeting of the members of the NEW PLYM-OUTH CHURCH OF THE NAZA-RENE, will be held on Sunday, January 3rd, 1960, at noon of said day, and that the business to be transacted at such meeting will be to consider the incorporation of said Church under and pursuant to the applicable statutes of the State of Idaho, and such other business as may be transacted at such meeting.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1959.

/s/ Lowell G. Henske Pastor and Chairman of the Board

ATTEST:

/s/ Vera Yoachum Secretary

First Publication Dec. 17, 1959 Last Publication Dec. 31, 1959 Esther rearson , being duly sworn, deposes and says that she is rincipal clerk of the Payette Valley Sentinel, a weekly newspaper published at New Plymouth, in the County of Payette, State of Idaho; that the said paper is in general circulation in the county aforesaid and in the vicinity of New Plymouth and has been for more than 78 consecutive weeks last preceding the first publication of the advertisement, a copy of which is attached hereto; that said adver-

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tive weeks in the regular and entire issue of every number of said paper during the period and time of publication, and was published in the newspaper proper and not a supplement. Such advertisement was published in

the issue beginning with Dec. 17, 1959 and ending with the is-

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of 1960

Notary Public for Idaho
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