

# *A Proclamation*

*from the*

*Board of General Superintendents*

*Church of the Nazarene*



**Whereas** we all are aware of the global financial crisis, and

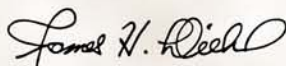
**Whereas** we stand before God as needy people, and


**Whereas** God is sufficient to meet every need,

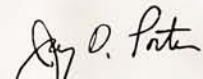
the Board of General Superintendents of the Church of the Nazarene is issuing a call to prayer and fasting\* beginning 22 February 2009 through Easter.


This call, which closely coincides with the Lenten season, is a time of prayer of compassion for every nation, for every local church, and for the resources necessary to carry out our global mission: to make Christlike disciples in the nations.


The Board issues this call with the confidence that God will hear His people and answer their prayers.

  
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***You will seek Me and find Me  
when you search for Me with all your heart.  
--Jeremiah 29:13 (NASB)***

\*Fasting not expected at all times but as the Lord leads.