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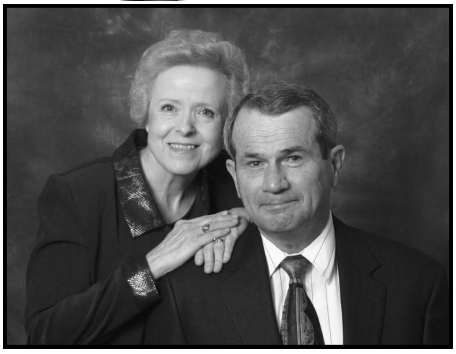

John & Verlayne Beadles
Began ministry in July 1985

Bethel Nazarene
Organized 1977

It is my pleasure to bring you my 24th report for the Bethel Church of the Nazarene.

This has been a great year in many respects. After months of planning and lots of hard work, Bethel congregation, along with Tacoma First, Lakewood New Hope and Bonney Lake, had an old fashioned holiness tent revival to celebrate our denomination's centennial. The altars were lined repeatedly with seekers. Some were saved for the first time, and others were sanctified holy. There were people baptized and people joined the church. What a great time we had in the presence of the Lord.

We, like many other churches, have had some financial difficulty. Two weeks before the end of the year we were well behind in our shares for others giving. After our trustees' chairman and treasurer presented the need, our people raised more than enough to meet those needs. Praise the Lord.

It has been a good year. We have seen the Lord save some and cleanse others. We have seen the Lord touch people physically and seen some join this part of the church Jesus is building.

—John Beadles

STATISTICS	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Membership	130	123	134	140	126	136	141	141	166	156
Primary Worship Att.	147	128	130	121	107	117	119	111	129	124
Sun. Schl & Discipleship	93	76	70	71	68	73	78	74	89	85
New Nazarenes	12	11	11	5	21	8	6	4	16	5
Amount Raised	$127,299	$119,756	$141,809	$146,020	$194,924	$142,720	$161,231	$163,416	$206,889	$195,581
All Shares Paid in Full	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y