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# DESTINY! SUMMIT! CAMPS!

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# DESTINY

## Conference Summit

*June 4-6 at Harvest Church in Sand Springs  
1601 W 4th St, Sand Springs, OK 74063*

**June 4, 7pm • June 5, 10am & 7pm • June 6, 9am**



**Pastor Anthony Craver**  
*Author, "Keep the Change"*



**Bishop Randell O. Drake**  
*Conference Superintendent*



**Bishop Talmadge Gardner**  
*Presiding Officer*

NHM & HEARTLAND 2026

# SUMMER CAMPS

**High School Camp (9th – 12th Grade)**  
*June 8-12, 2026*

**Middle School Camp (5th – 8th Grade)**  
*June 15-19, 2026*

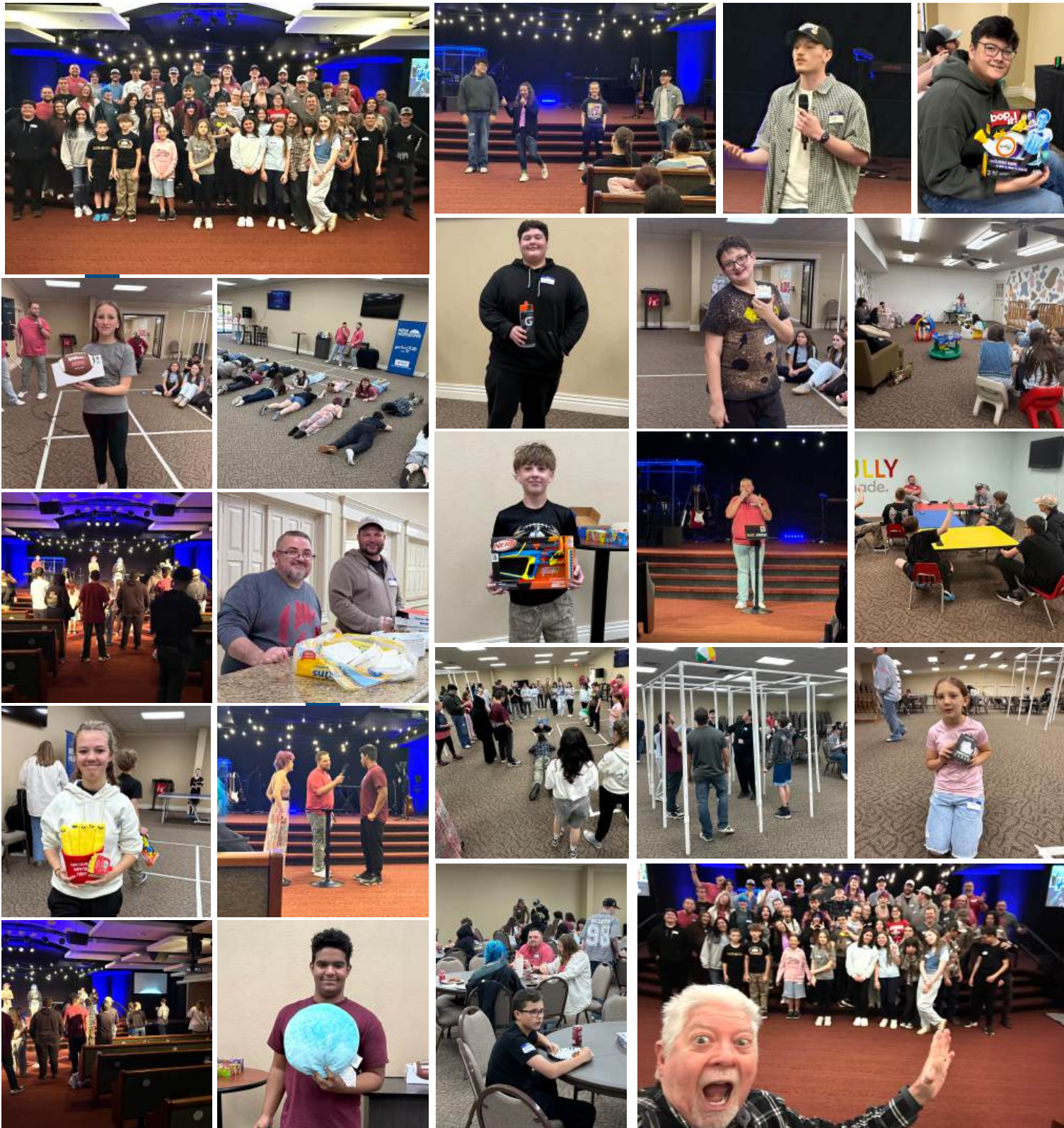
**Elementary Camp (K – 4th Grade)**  
*June 22-26, 2026*



Visit [nhmiphc.com/forms](http://nhmiphc.com/forms) for all camp forms

# NHM SPOTLIGHT

## YOUTH COLLECTIVE



NHM Youth Collective 2026 was a big success with over 50 students and volunteers in attendance. Thank you to Sand Springs Harvest Church for hosting and Pastor Chuck Barrineau, Caleb Judy, Shawn Judy, and their entire Student Ministry team for their willingness to serve during this event! Five churches sent volunteers and youth: Claremore Our City Church, Pauls Valley Christian Life Church, Sand Springs Harvest, Stratford True Life, and Tulsa SpiritLife. All enjoyed a day full of powerful worship, a challenging message, games, and fellowship. Memories full of laughter and friendships were made. In small groups Youth prayed together in small groups while volunteers discussed strategies, received encouragement, and prayed for their communities.

A GREAT EVENT!

## FROM THE BISHOP'S DESK: *DESTINY ... Conference Session ... Camps*



May and June bring many activities and events for our churches, conference, and families: Mother's Day, Graduation ceremonies, end of school, summer vacation, DESTINY, Conference Session, Camps, and Father's Day. Each of these is an opportunity to celebrate, gather together, and enjoy time with family and friends.

**MOTHER'S DAY & FATHER'S DAY:** Be sure to take time to honor your mom and dad. Call them. Send a card. Give a gift. Take them to dinner. Enjoy family time!

**GRADUATIONS, END OF SCHOOL & SUMMER VACATION:** As we honor our high school and college graduates, enjoy your students' end-of-school activities and events as you prepare for summer vacation with family and friends.

**DESTINY:** NHM will come together for 2 nights and 1 day of services and meetings on June 4 & 5 at Sand Springs Harvest Church. Thursday, *June 4 @ 7 pm* will be a Prayer & Praise Service led by our NHM Conference Executive Council and involving everyone in attendance. Friday, *June 5 @ 10 am to 12 noon* will be a time of information and discussion on the IPHC General Conference and By-Laws proposals. Friday, *June 5 @ 7 pm* will be a special service with guest speaker Pastor Andy Craver, author of "Keep the Change." A signed copy of "Keep the Change" will be given to every Licensed and Ordained minister.

**CONFERENCE SESSION:** Saturday, June 6, 9 am to 1 pm @ Sand Springs Harvest Church. Agenda includes: Conference Report, Church Awards, Missions Awards, Ministerial Service Awards, School of Ministry graduation, Clergy Credentials, and Memoirs. Presiding Officer is Bishop Talmadge Gardner.

**CAMPS:** NHM will partner again with Heartland Conference for our kids and youth camps this year. Camps are High School: June 8-12; Middle School: June 15-19; Elementary: June 22-26. Registration forms have been sent out and are on our website: [nhmiphc.com](http://nhmiphc.com). The deadline for the early bird price is May 15 for campers. Volunteer applications are due May 10. Hope to see you, your kids, and your youth there!

## gather2GO! Blessings!

## FROM FIRST LADY, MICHELLE DRAKE: *"Verbing" in Ministry... Standing*



I have **stood** in some amazing places. I have **stood** at the altar with my husband partaking in communion during our wedding ceremony. I have **stood** with each of my sons at a voting booth during their first presidential election. I have **stood** on the tomb of Charles Darwin inside Westminster Abbey in London, England. Most recently, I have **stood** at the Apostle Paul's Burial Site on the Via Ostia in Rome. All of these **standings** were occurrences that I never dreamed would happen. I know your life story has some wonderful "**standings**" that have touched your heart and spirit as well.

**Standing** is defined as "Have or maintain an upright position supported by feet; **stand** to and remain in a specified position; adopt a particular attitude toward a matter or issue." **Standing** can be exhausting and tough. It requires patience. It can also be a time of reflecting, making a plan, and/or anticipating the future.

I'm reminded of Moses **standing** on several occasions. Most vividly when Moses was **standing** on Holy Ground in front of the burning bush. Another time, during a battle with the Amalekites, Moses had **stood** so long that Aaron & Hur had to bring him a stone to sit on. Then they held up his arms and **stood**. Because of this, Joshua was able to defeat the entire Amalekites. (Exodus 17:12-14)

Our IPHC denomination takes a "**stand**" on numerous issues. It is detailed in our 7 Core Values. These values determine our position on Cultural/Christian/Social issues: Scripture, Pentecost, Holiness, Christ's Kingdom, All Generations, Justice, and Generosity. When in doubt, **stand**.....Stay **standing** and let these 7 Core Values determine your **stance**.

*God, as we reflect upon your Word and the above insights, give us wisdom, knowledge, and understanding. Let any knowledge we have gained help us love You and others more. Help us to see something new about YOU that we've never seen before. Correct any lies we believe about You and anything we may misunderstand. And, always direct our steps according to Your Word.*

Still **Standing**, Michelle