

Sunnyside News is a weekly publication designed to inform members and subscribers of our current news and events.

CHURCH LIFE

A NOTE FROM PASTOR TOM

Hey Everyone,

Have you ever wondered what new things are happening in the Youth department? Well, now is your chance to get that desire met.

This past week the Youth group started a read-a-thon. For our read-a-thon we started reading one chapter a day from the Bible and will continue until our Christmas party. We began last Sabbath (September 19), that gives us 87 chapters to read. During this time, we will be reading Luke, Acts, Judges, and the last 15 chapters of Genesis. There will also be prizes. If they read at least 30 chapters, they will receive the bronze certificate and a Steps to Christ. Everyone who reads 50 chapters, will still get the Steps to Christ, and will get to go out for frozen yogurt. Finally, for the gold prize, they will get all of the previous prizes plus, they will get a trip to Skywalk!

So far, it is going well. Lex and Adriana Cruz said that they are excited about the new things that they have learned to date and that they look forward to learning more. In commenting on the genealogies, Adriana said that it was interesting to see all of the people that Jesus was related to.

I, too, am excited. I think that it will be fun and helpful for us to read the same thing together. We will be able to share with each other the things that we like or dislike, and when we have questions, we can work them out together.

If you, too, would like to begin reading your Bible every day, now is the time to start!! I can't promise you the prizes, but you will be joining our community of readers. It is always easier when you are doing something with others. Besides, it only takes about five minutes to read each day, so what do you have to lose? And think of all that you have to gain as you are blessed through God's written Word.

Blessings,
Tom

p.s. If you want to read along, ask me and I will give you a schedule.

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SABBATH CELEBRATION

September 26, 2015

Sunnyside *Light*

9:00 – 9:50 A.M.

“Sweet By and By”
“Seek Ye First”

Prayer

Michael Bullion

Scripture

Mark 2:23 – 3:6

“Lord of the Sabbath”

Pastor Dennis Ray

Sunnyside Prime

11:15 A.M.

“Power in the Blood”
“Sweet By and By”

Welcome

Pastor Dennis Ray

Giving Thanks

Michael Bullion

Offertory

Janelle Kidwell

“We are One in the Spirit”
“Seek Ye First”

Prayer

Michael Bullion

“Depths of the Ocean”

Karina Lopez

Scripture

Mark 2:23 – 3:6

Jordan Anderson

“Lord of the Sabbath”

Pastor Dennis Ray

Benediction

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, September 28

Soul Sisters Women's Bible Study 6:00 p.m. (Sanctuary)

Wednesday, September 30

Community Services at McLane High School Noon

Midweek Reflections 5:45 p.m. (Sanctuary)

Bulletin Info Deadline: bulletinstaff@sunnysidesda.org 6:00 p.m.

Men's Ministry Group 6:30 p.m. (Youth Room)

Friday, October 2

Worship Band/Chorister Rehearsal 5:30 p.m. (Sanctuary)

Sabbath, October 3

Sunnyside Light: *Worship Service* 9:00 a.m.

SunnysideUp Café 10:00 a.m.

Sabbath School 10:00 a.m.

Sunnyside Prime: *Worship Service* 11:15 a.m.

Potluck – immediately following 2nd service (Maroo Rooms)

Music & Praise Ministry 2:30 p.m. (Golden Living Center/Hy-Land)

This Friday **SUNSET** Next Friday
6:53 p.m. 6:43 p.m.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

October 3 - FAA Choir & Eric Johnson

October 10 - Pastor Gearing

October 17 - Pastor Ray

MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMARY

September Needs	\$30,125.00
Church Needs Donations	17,067.22
Over (Short)	(13,057.78)
Year to Date	\$271,125.00
Donations Received	189,178.20
Over (Short)	(81,946.80)
Youth Pastor Fund	\$16,935.67

TITHE TO CENTRAL CALIF. CONFERENCE

September Tithe	\$16,769.68
Year to Date	\$222,476.60

THIS WEEK'S OFFERING

Conference Faith Advance

HEALTHY BYTES

Sourdough Starter

Since finding whole grain sourdough is not easy, why not make some yourself? Making sourdough starter is very easy. The only downside of homemade sourdough bread is that it does take time. The work itself isn't hard, but you must plan ahead if you're wanting to make sourdough 100% from scratch. It takes a full seven days if you're using only flour and water. One minute a day for seven days is all you need.

1. On the first day place ¼ cup of whole grain flour (whole wheat, brown rice, sorghum, chickpea - any whole grain flour) and a scant ¼ cup of water into a jar or glass bowl and stir with a wooden or plastic spoon. This is called "Feeding your Starter." Cover your jar or bowl with a cloth. Place it in a warm spot.

2. Feed it twice a day (like 7am and 7pm) by adding ¼ cup flour and ¼ cup water for the first four days.

3. By day five your starter should be bubbling along and able to sustain just one feeding per day, so each day you add ½ cup of flour and ½ cup of water. The consistency we're looking for is going to be like cake batter, so add more or less water based on how yours looks.

4. At day seven you should have enough starter to make your first sourdough recipe! If you're not looking to use it immediately, place it in a mason jar with a solid cover and refrigerate, feeding once a week or so to keep it active. (If you have any problems, write me and we'll troubleshoot. gale4health@yahoo.com)

I know this sounds like a lot, but really it can be a fun activity for the whole family. Look on Pinterest for a good sourdough bread recipe. Remember you can make biscuits, cookies, pancakes, etc. with sourdough starter. All these things will help with your digestion!

For more information on healthy solutions and recipes, contact Gale Bolinger at gale4health@yahoo.com or visit my blog at <http://gale4health.blogspot.com.au>
I would like to remind you that these "Healthy Bytes" are my own suggestions and not medical advice.

I get my references from many practical sources. Please read them with this in mind.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

First Reading
Bruce and Karen Eckhart
to Hood View SDA in Boring, OR
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Jacki Landis
to Grants Pass SDA in Grants Pass, OR
☪☪☪☪☪

Carole LeGallo
to Sequim SDA in Sequim, WA

SAVE THE DATE
Make plans to attend our
Annual Harvest Carnival
October 17.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember the following in our church family in your prayers:

- Merrick, Michael, and Brandi Akins
- Susan Barrick
- Patrick Coffee
- Mike Mosley
- Joyce Reimer

PRAYER PLACE

A ministries training weekend for anyone interested in prayer will be held at Camp Wawona, October 23–25. Learn how to take your prayer time to the next level. Main speaker, Peter Neri. Breakout sessions/speakers include: Marriage/Pierre Steenberg, Discipleship/Don MacLafferty & Leah Jordache. For more information and to register, contact Marlyn Novielli 347-3124 or mnovielli@cccsda.org. Registration deadline: October 15.

POTLUCK - OCTOBER 3

Join us next Sabbath for our church family potluck. The menu will feature 'sandwiches and salads'. The Potluck committee will provide dessert. Families with last names beginning **A–L bring sandwiches; M–Z bring salad. Please DO NOT bring casseroles this month.**

Please prepare extra; we will have 50 or more guests from Fresno Adventist Academy.



JUNIOR EVENTS

Volunteering at Poverello House: We're still working on the date for this service project – more details coming soon.

Bowling Night - November 7: Watch for more details!

Teacher/Parents Meeting - November 14: Make plans to attend our meeting and lunch.

EARLY YOUTH EVENTS

McDermont Field House - November 8: An all-day event filled with exciting activities and entertainment.



FAA AT SUNNYSIDE

Parents interested in sending their child(ren) to Fresno Adventist Academy next school year are invited to meet and chat with principal Eric Johnson at our church potluck, **next Sabbath – October 3.**

MUSIC & PRAISE MINISTRY

Come join Sunnyside's Afternoon Music & Praise Ministry **each Sabbath at 2:30 p.m.** as we share songs and verse with the folks in care homes. All are welcome! For more info contact Joseph Zenith: 289-5611 or mjzenith@gmail.com.

This Sabbath

Cottonwood Court
7442 N. Millbrook Ave. — Fresno

YOUTH EVENTS

Pool Party & Vespers - Friday: Come hangout with us tomorrow at 4:00 p.m. at the Soloniuk's house for swimming, dinner, and a sundown vespers.

Vespers - October 16: There will be food and a Bible study at Pastor Tom's house at 6:30 p.m.

HARVEST FIELDS FARM

Now is a great time to join FAA's farm produce box program. When you refer a friend, you'll receive 50% of your last order. Logon to harvestfields.farm for more info.

CCC MEN'S RETREAT



Central California Conference Annual Men's Retreat will be **October 16-18** at Soquel Conference

Center, the theme is "God's Fantastic Four." The speaker will be Alex Horton with a special testimony from Eugene Kitney. The weekend will also feature musical guest, Wilson Mackey, the Band of Brethren praise team, and a health talk by a guest physician. \$75/person covers five meals, two nights lodging, and the retreat program.



MILESTONES

Your birthdays and anniversaries are important to us. If we missed publishing your special day, please let us know by completing a 'Sunnyside Connects' card and putting it in the offering plate. We want to celebrate with you.



Join us for a one-hour prayer service **every Wednesday 5:45-6:45 p.m.** for testimonies, a worship thought, and community prayer.

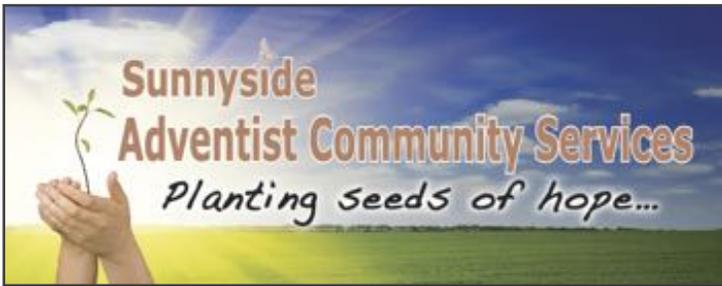
CCC JOB POSTINGS

The Human Resources Department is seeking a full-time Administrative Assistant. Must have strong computer skills, organizational skills, customer service skills, be detail-oriented, be able to handle a large workload and have an understanding of employment issues. In this position there are many interruptions and the candidate must be able to multitask. College degree preferred or equivalent in work experience. Must be a Seventh-day Adventist with regular church attendance. Please send cover letter, application, & resume to Human Resources: PO Box 770, Clovis, CA 93613; <http://ccchr.adventistfaith.org/hr-resources-forms>; lbarron@cccsda.org; or fax 347-3062. **Please respond by 5:00 p.m., October 6.**

GETTING TO KNOW OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Community Services Monthly Food Distribution

Our volunteers lovingly prepare boxes of groceries to give away the 4th Wednesday of each month.



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Office Hours

Tuesday – Friday
10:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

THE LAST WORD

And my God will liberally supply (fill until full) your every need
according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.

~ *Philippians 4:19 (AMP)*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

- Garrett Edwardsen (9/26)
- Trevor Koch (9/27)
- LaDawna Lelaind (9/28)
- Jack Tolmosoff (9/29)
- Blaine Gilbert (10/1)
- Patrick Kuykendall (10/1)
- Michael Wong (10/2)
- Bronti Turley (10/2)

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
TO...**

- Patrick & Sherrie Coffee (9/30)