

**Prayer Corner:**

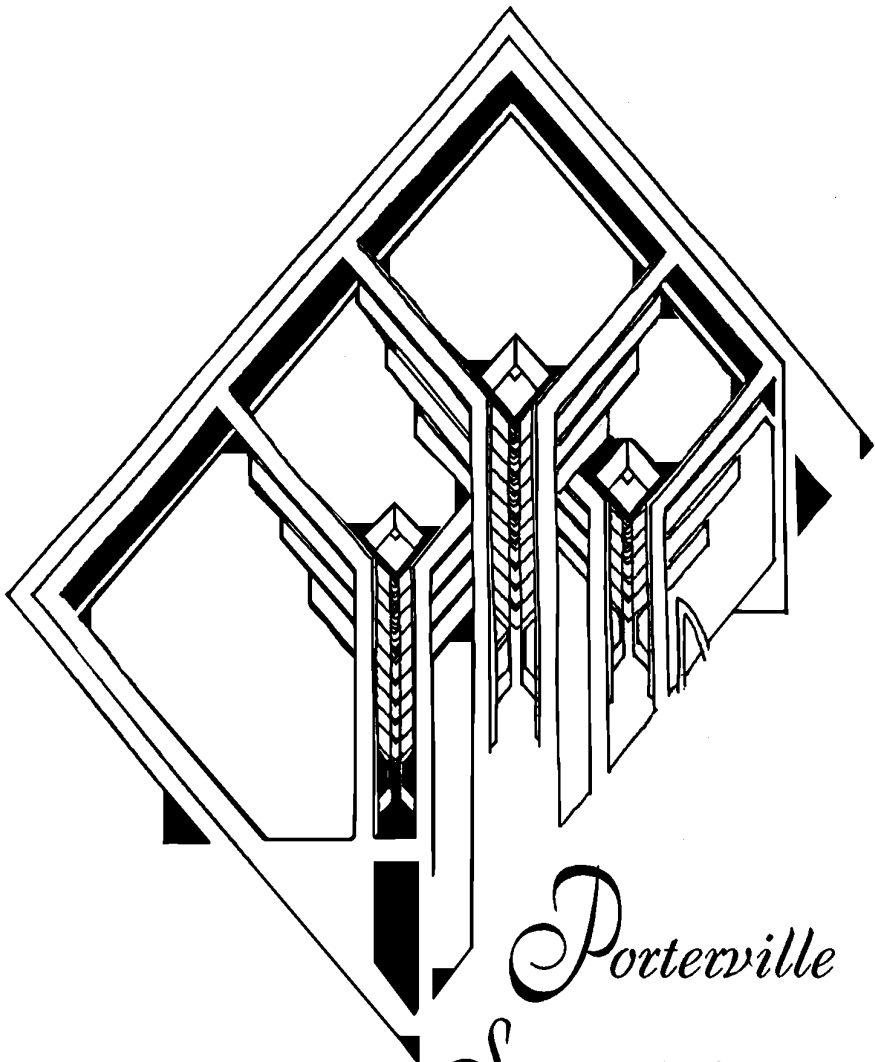
- Clyde Brenner      Complications from gall bladder surgery, healing
- Starfire Hoffman    Seizures, healing
- Patrick Wolfe        Doing Chemotherapy, healing
- Church Water Well
- Bob Walters family   Bob lost his mother, pray for the family
- Dr. Wallace Ruminson Healing
- Rain                    Pray for our valley drought relief

If you have Prayer Requests for the **Bulletin** call the church office, 784-6031, leave a message, or see Gail Henderson, church secretary.

If you would like to have your prayer added to the **Prayer Chain** contact Velma Motsenbocker, 783-2920.

All **Bulletin** Prayer Requests will be dropped after one month unless requested.

Thank You



*Porterville  
Seventh-day  
Adventist Church*

***Porterville Seventh-day Adventist Church***  
1088 Linda Vista (at Highway 65), Porterville, CA 93258

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| Pastor's Office Hours    | Wed. 10:00 a.m.-12:00 & Friday 10:00 a.m.-12:00                                |
| General Office Hours     | Wednesday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.                                       |
| Mail                     | P. O. Box 551, Porterville, CA 93258   |
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| Web Page                 | <a href="http://www.PortervilleAdventist.org">www.PortervilleAdventist.org</a> |
| Pastor                   | Brian Bilbrey, 559-805-2252  |
| Head Elder               | Jonathan Kurts   |
| Head Deacon              | Raul Buenrostro & Jose Serrano   |
| Head Deaconess           | Lydia Bilbrey  |
| Prayer Chain Coordinator | Velma Motsenbocker   |

Highway 65 and Linda Vista

Porterville, California

# We Gather to Worship

October 1, 2016

10:45 a.m.

**Prelude**

**Worshiping God in Song**

**Welcome:** Ken Speer

**Inviting God's Presence:**  
*"Hide Me In Your Holiness"*

**Invocation:** Ken Speer

**Hymn of Praise:** #469  
*"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"*

**Sharing Our Blessings:**  
Church Budget

**Children's Story and Offering:**  
Carole Harris

**Talking With God in Prayer:**  
Jonathan Guess

**Music For Worship:**  
Heidi Huckleberry

**Reading God's Word:** Nichole Guess  
James 2:15-16

**Hearing God's Message:** Ken & Becky Speer  
*"Are You Hungry?"*

**Benediction:** Ken Speer

*Musician:* Patti Ruminson  
*Choristers:* Becky Speer

# Welcome to the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Porterville

## Calendar This Week:

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| <b>Today</b>        | 8:00 a.m.  | Women's Bible Study   |
|                     | 8:00 a.m.  | Men's Bible Study   |
|                     | 9:30 a.m.  | Bible Study Classes, "The End"                                    |
|                     | 10:45 a.m. | Speakers: Ken and Becky Speer, "Streetfeeders"                    |
|                     | 12:15 p.m. | Fellowship Potluck Luncheon                                       |
|                     |            | Pathfinders Balch Park Campout                                    |
| <b>Sunday</b>       |            | Pathfinders Balch Park Campout                                    |
| <b>Monday</b>       | 7:00 p.m.  | Special Church Board Meeting                                      |
| <b>Tuesday</b>      | 6:30 p.m.  | Pathfinders / Adventurers meet                                    |
|                     | 6:30 p.m.  | ASL(American Sign Language) Class                                 |
| <b>Wednesday</b>    | 1:00 p.m.  | Ladies Upper Room Bible Study                                     |
|                     | 6:30 p.m.  | Prayer Meeting, Junior room                                       |
|                     | 7:00 p.m.  | Bible Study, "Excavating the Treasures of Heaven",<br>Junior room |
| <b>Thursday</b>     | 10:00 a.m. | Adventist Beginners Bible Study in the Library                    |
| <b>Next Sabbath</b> | 8:00 a.m.  | Early Women's Bible Study   |
|                     | 8:00 a.m.  | Early Men's Bible Study   |
|                     | 9:30 a.m.  | Bible Study Classes, "The Great Controversy"                      |
|                     | 10:45 a.m. | Speaker: Pastor Brian Bilbrey                                     |
|                     | 2:00 p.m.  | The Sunshine Band sings for the residents of Sun Villa            |
| <b>Next Sunday</b>  | 2:00 p.m.  | Women's Ministries, Speaker: Kay Rizzo, speaker, author           |

## Sabbath Morning Bible Study

9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

**Adults:** ..... Classes in the Sanctuary, Pathfinder Room, Library.  
Spanish Classes in the Mothers Room

**Youth & Jr. High:** ..... Class in the Youth Chapel

**Children's Ministries:** ..... Classes around the courtyard

Cradle Roll (ages 0-3) Primary (grades 1-3)

Kindergarten (ages 3-6) Juniors (grades 4-6)

Please ask for locations if you are visiting.

**Early Women's Bible Study begins at 8:00. In the Dorcas Room**

**Early Men's Bible Study begins at 8:00 in the Youth Chapel.**

Sanctuary Flowers are provided by Stephanie Walters in celebration of Autumn©

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| Hosts today:                          | Gail Henderson, Tina Nichols, Bill Harris, Carole Harris |
| Elder in Charge for October           | Ken Speer  |
| Deacon in Charge for October          | Steve Lewis  |
| Special Music Coordinator for October | Heidi Huckleberry  |
| PA/AV System:                         | Andrei Paypa, Junior Buenrostro, Wendell Paypa           |
| Bulletin Board:                       | Andrea Culver, DeLauna Lockwood                          |
| Sabbath Ends Today at: 6:37           | Next Week Sabbath Begins at 6:29                         |

# So You'll Know

Porterville Seventh-day Adventist Church News

OCTOBER 1, 2016

**WELCOME** church family and friends. We thank God that we can celebrate this Sabbath together. May our meeting God here bring peace for today, hope for tomorrow, and eternal life forever.

**TODAY'S OFFERING FEATURES THE CHURCH BUDGET.** This offering covers the ministry needs of our church including property upkeep, our church school and nurture and outreach. Thank you for remembering God's work in Porterville.

**A FELLOWSHIP LUNCH** is shared by our congregation today in the social hall. If you are visiting, please be our guest at the meal. We would love to have you join us.

**A FELLOWSHIP LUNCH** is also scheduled for October 22, the 4<sup>th</sup> Sabbath. Please bring enough food to feed your family and our guests. TWO items, a casserole and a salad or dessert is recommended

**A SPECIAL CHURCH BOARD** meeting will be Monday at 7:00 p.m.

**UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE** – Oct. 8 – Pastor Brian; Oct. 15 – Arlene Taylor; Oct. 22 – Chef Anthony; Oct. 29 – Pastor Brian; Nov. 5 – SVJA Michael Tomas; Nov. 12 – Pastor Brian.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9, WOMENS MINISTRIES:** Speaker and Author, Kay Rizzo's topic is "Guilda's to Guilt". Ladies, don't miss this special talk by an outstanding speaker. Kay is also author of 50 books. In the Social Hall, 2:00.

**DR. ARLENE TAYLOR** will be the speaker for a three-session seminar Sabbath, October 15 with the topic: Loss, Grief and Recovery. The first session is our worship service at 10:45, followed by a 2:00 and 3:00 session. One unit of California CE credit per session is available for RN's, LCSW's and MFCC's at \$5.00 per unit. Teachers can receive a Certificate of Completion. If you know of anyone who could benefit from this important subject, please invite them.

## THE NEHEMIAH PROJECT BOARD

Sierra View Junior Academy's Donation Board in the foyer still has many opportunities for you to help our school ☺

We have just "scratched the surface" on a new and exciting study titled "**Excavating the Treasures of Heaven**". Prayer and singing at 6:30 and Bible Study begins at 7:00. We will be learning how to "**UNFOLD**" the Word and become more prepared for sharing in bible study with our friends and neighbors.

**SENIOR CITIZEN SEMINAR TODAY** - October 1 at the Fresno Westside Church from 3-5:00 p.m. 2750 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Fresno. See the bulletin board for more information.

**YOU ARE INVITED TO ENJOY LAS VEGAS CHEF MARK ANTHONY'S** program October 21, 22 and 23 to give his message on vegan cooking and healthy eating and to share his cooking techniques. His seminar begins Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. with the topic "The Last Call Church". The series continues through the weekend as follows: Sabbath, Oct. 22 at 11:00; another message at 2:00 p.m. Sabbath; then concludes Sunday at 2:00 p.m. with Dinner and a Message, "Cooking at its Funnest" and will provide attendees the secrets of losing weight, lowering cholesterol and increasing energy. Please invite friends, neighbors, relatives; all are welcome to any of the programs.

**UNION PRAYER CONFERENCE LINE:** First Thursday of each month starting at 10 p.m. to 5 a.m. eastern time.

Phone 404-891-6338 Access Code 772937# (Prayer#)

**YOU ARE INVITED TO HEAR** the exciting Bible lectures and seminars related to **prayer and its power**. Pastor Pavel Goia will explain God's love in action, connecting with God, understanding God's will, and walking with Him. The cost is \$75 per person or \$200 per family. Contact Pat Curtis to register, 559-642-2396. Camp Wawona, Oct. 21-23.

**SVJA IS IN NEED OF MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS:** flute, clarinet, trumpet, saxophone or any other. If you have an instrument that you would like to donate or loan, you can drop it off at the school or call 592-3689.

**SVJA GYM NIGHT:** Sat. Oct. 15 6:30-8:30 p.m. Everyone Welcome

**SVJA FALL FESTIVAL:** Thurs. Oct. 27, 5:30-7:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome.

**A ROOM TO RENT IS NEEDED:** Paula Campbell from Florida, needs a place to stay for 3 months starting October 17. She will be working at Sierra View Hospital. You can reach her at 786-477-3217.

**Bulletin and Weekly News announcements deadline: Wed. by 10 am**

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