

Prayer Corner:

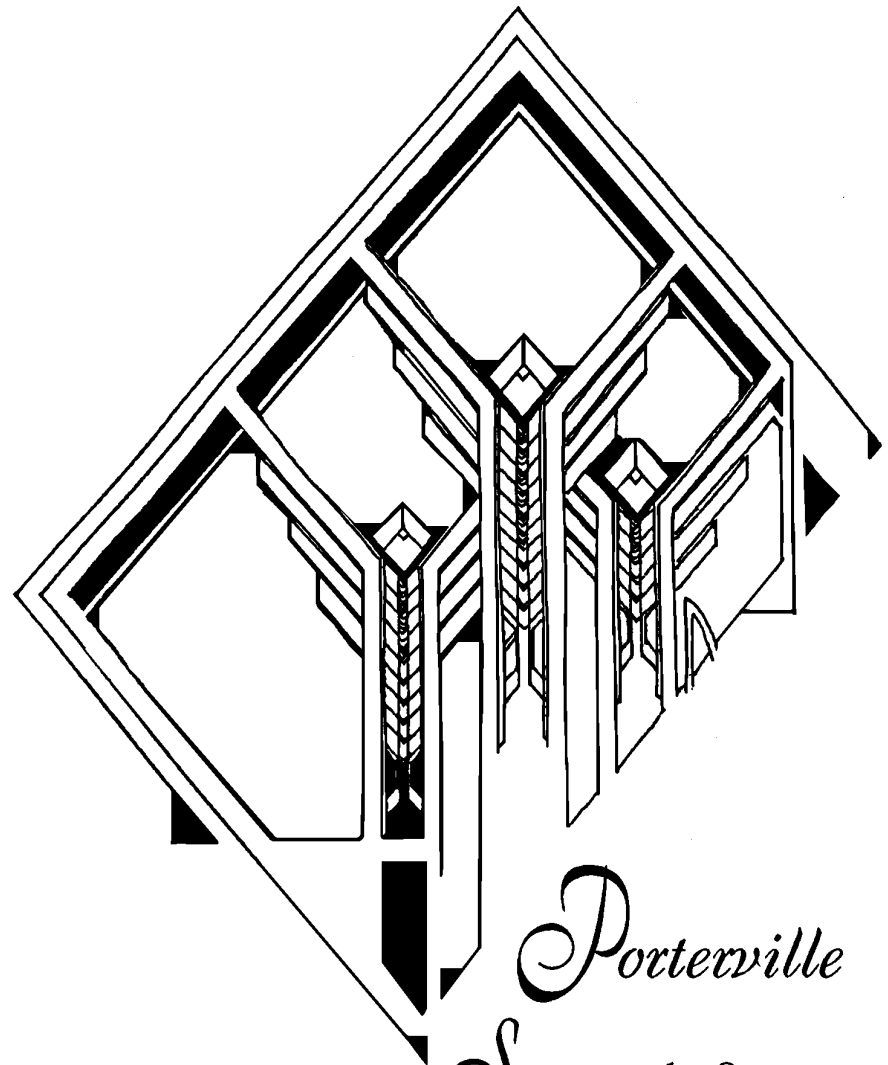
- Adam Bilbrey Healing
- Ursula Beier Husband Bruno passed away
- Clyde Brenner Healing
- Starfire Hoffman Healing
- Patrick Wolfe Doing Chemotherapy, needs healing
- Dr. Wallace Ruminson Healing
- Rain Pray for our valley drought relief

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, 361-1745.

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

Thank You



*Porterville
Seventh-day
Adventist Church*

Highway 65 and Linda Vista

Porterville, California

Porterville Seventh-day Adventist Church

1088 Linda Vista (at Highway 65), Porterville, CA 93258

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.
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Pastor	Brian Bilbrey, 559-805-2252
Head Elder	Jonathan Kurts
Head Deacons	Raul Buenrostro & Jose Serrano
Head Deaconess	Lydia Bilbrey
Prayer Chain Coordinator	Velma Motsenbocker

We Gather to Worship
November 26, 2016
10:45 a.m.

Prelude

Worshiping God in Song

Welcome: Bob Walters

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

Invocation: Pastor Brian Bilbrey

Hymn of Praise: #195
"Showers of Blessings"

Sharing Our Blessings: Bob Walters
Conference Faith Advance

Children's Story and Offering:
Holly Hutchins

Talking With God in Prayer

Music For Worship:
Becky Speer

Reading God's Word:
Mark 15:33

Hearing God's Message: Pastor Brian Bilbrey
"Thanksgiving and Black Friday"

Benediction: Pastor Brian Bilbrey

Postlude

Musicians: Merary Lopez

Welcome to the
Seventh-day Adventist Church
in Porterville

Calendar This Week:

Today 8:00 a.m. Early Women's & Early Men's Bible Study
9:30 a.m. Bible Study Classes, "Intimations of Hope"
10:45 a.m. Speaker: Pastor Brian Bilbrey
12:15 p.m. Elders Meeting
Monday 7:00 p.m. SVJA Board meeting
Tuesday 6:30 p.m. ASL(American Sign Language) Class
Wednesday Deadline to pick up storage shed items
1:00 p.m. Ladies Upper Room Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Pathfinders and Adventurers meet
6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Junior room
7:00 p.m. Bible Study, "Excavating the Treasures of Heaven"
Thursday 10:00 a.m. Adventist Beginners Bible Study
Next Sabbath 8:00 a.m. Early Women's & Early Men's Bible Study
9:30 a.m. Bible Study Classes, "The Wrath of Elihu"
10:45 a.m. Speaker: Steve Horton, CCC Vice President
12:50 p.m. Fellowship Potluck Luncheon
Next Sunday 10-4 p.m. ABC Open House

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 Donna Ball

Hosts today: Steve Rose, Carol Rose, Ken Kurts, Tami Gahart
Elder in Charge for November Bob Walters
Deacon in Charge for November Richard Villareal
Special Music Coordinator for November Todd and Karen Yost
PA/AV System: Roger Blue, Richard Villareal, Raul Buenrostro
Bulletin Board: Andrea Culver, DeLauna Lockwood
Sabbath Ends Today at: 4:43 Next Week Sabbath Begins at 4:42

So You'll Know

Porterville Seventh-day Adventist Church News

NOVEMBER 26, 2016

WELCOME! We are glad each one of you, members and guests have come to join us in worshipping our God on His holy Sabbath. May you leave this house of worship today with peace in your hearts and a renewed commitment to Him.

TODAY'S OFFERING FEATURES THE CONFERENCE FAITH ADVANCE, a ministry which is distributed between Christian education, camp meeting and evangelism. Since all loose offerings go to the Budget, please indicate on your offering envelope how you want any other gifts designated.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TODAY to Brandon Camacho.

A FELLOWSHIP LUNCH will be shared by our congregation **next week**. Please bring enough food for yourselves and church guests who will be staying. We want everyone to be satisfied and fed. TWO items, a casserole and a salad or dessert is recommended.

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE – Dec. 3 – Steve Horton, CCC VP; Dec. 10 – Children's Christmas Program; Dec. 17 –Musical Christmas Program; Dec. 24 – Ken Lockwood; Dec. 31 – Ruben-Dario Sanchez.

LADIES, MARK YOUR CALENDARS for December 11 at 2:00 for women's Ministries. Bring homemade cookies and enjoy the fellowship!

LADIES - PLAN TO ATTEND THE CCC WOMEN'S RETREAT January 27-29, 2017 at Tenaya Lodge. The featured speakers are Elizabeth Talbot and Shelley Quinn. Early bird rates will be available until Dec. 1, 2016. Contact Pat Curtis 559-642-2396 for more information. See the poster on the bulletin board. There are a limited number of full scholarships for Non-SDA applicants. There are also limited \$100 scholarships for CCC SDA women who have NEVER attended a CCC Women's Retreat. Call Pat Curtis or email: 2patcurtis@gmail.com to secure a scholarship. There are registration flyers on the media desk.

PRAYER MEETINGS

We are "digging" into 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.

THE NEHEMIAH PROJECT BOARD

SIERRA VIEW JUNIOR ACADEMY'S DONATION BOARD IN THE FOYER STILL HAS MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU TO HELP OUR SCHOOL ☺

A **THANK YOU CARD** was received from the Mildred Gavel family. They thank our church for the plants, thoughts and prayers during their loss.

2017 DEVOTIONAL BOOKS for family worship or personal devotions are available for purchase. Several options are available. Adult, Teen, Junior, Primary, etc. A sign-up sheet is on the table in the foyer. Discount prices are shown plus tax.

THE CHURCH STORAGE SHED will be cleaned out soon. If there are any items that you have stored there, they **MUST** be picked up. **ALL** items left will be sold or eliminated. November 30 is the deadline to pick up items.

IS THERE A SPANISH SPEAKING PERSON who can volunteer 1-1 ½ hours a week for the American Sign Language class being taught by Stephanie Walters. There is a family who wants to learn to communicate with their family member who himself is deaf and learning ASL. The class is Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. Please call Stephanie at 361-3369 if you can help.

THE ADVENTIST BOOK CENTER WILL HOLD AN OPEN HOUSE Sunday, December 4 from 10-4 p.m. at 2820 Willow Ave., Clovis. See the bulletin board for more information.

ADVENTIST BOOK CENTER AND PACIFIC PRESS – *Book of the Month for November: Uriah Smith*, by Gary Land. As editor of the Review and Herald for almost 50 years Uriah Smith guided the publication through the establishment of the Seventh-day Adventist church. This biography is about the multi-talented man God used to further His work. A fascinating read! There is a sign-up sheet at the media desk.

DEC. 10 OFFERING SUPPORTS ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICES. Your offering on Dec. 10 will help Adventist Community Services continue serving communities across the NAD. ACS fulfills Christ's mission to reach people by coordinating education and services for senior citizens, equipping youth to help others through Young Adults Emergency Services (YES!), and more. For more info visit them at communityservices.org.

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#)

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

Normal Office hours are: Wed. and Thurs. 9:00 - 12:00

Pastor's Office Hours: Wed. & Fri. 10:00 - 12:00

Phone: 784-6031; Email: office@PortervilleAdventist.org; FAX: 784-6052

Sabbath Ends Today at: 4:43

Next Week Sabbath Begins at 4:42

December 2016

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Adventist Beginners Bible Study 10 am-Library	2	3 Speaker: CCC VP Steve Horton Fellowship Potluck
4 ABC Open House 10-4 p.m.	5	6 6:30 ASL Class Beg-Intern	7 6:30 Prayer Meeting 7:00 Bible Study 6:30 Adventurers 6:30 Pathfinder Meeting	8 Adventist Beginners Bible Study 10 am-Library Christmas Parade	9	10 Children's Christmas Program 2:00 Sunshine Band Sings at Sun Villa
11 2:00 Women's Ministry	12 6:00 Worship Committee 7:00 Board Meeting	13 6:30 SVJA Kinder. Christmas Play 6:30 ASL Class Beg-Intern	14 6:30 Prayer Meeting 7:00 Bible Study 6:30 Adventurers 6:30 Pathfinder Meeting	15 Adventist Beginners Bible Study 10 am-Library 6:30 SVJA Christmas Concert	16	17 Christmas Muisical Program Children's Church 12:30 Street Feeders Pathfinders Food Basket Outreach
18	19 SVJA Christmas Vacation	20 6:30 ASL Class Beg-Intern SVJA Christmas Vacation	21 6:00 Prayer Meeting 7:00 Bible Study 6:30 Adventurers 6:30 Pathfinder Meeting SVJA Christmas Vacation	22 Adventist Beginners Bible Study 10 am-Library SVJA Christmas Vacation	23 SVJA Christmas Vacation	24 Christmas Eve Speaker: Ken Lockwood
25 Christmas Day	26 SVJA Christmas Vacation	27 6:30 ASL Class Beg-Intern SVJA Christmas Vacation	28 6:30 Prayer Meeting 7:00 Bible Study SVJA Christmas Vacation	29 Adventist Beginners Bible Study 10 am-Library SVJA Christmas Vacation	30 SVJA Christmas Vacation	31 New Year's Eve Speaker: Ruben-Dario Sanchez
		Notes	Secretary's Office Hours Wed. & Thurs. 9-12:00 Pastor's Office Hours Wed. & Fri. 10-12:00			