

We Gather to Worship
October 21, 2017
10:25 a.m.

Prelude

Worshipping God in Song

Welcome: Steve Rose

Children's Story: Betsy Jabola and Friends

Children's Church & Offering

Sharing Our Blessings: Steve Rose
Local Church Budget

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

Hymn of Praise: #92
"This Is My Father's World"

Talking With God in Prayer:
Stan Wolfe

Music for Worship:
Todd and Karen Yost

Hearing God's Message: Dr. Arlene Taylor
"Do Science and Scripture Align?"

Benediction: Frank Baughman

Postlude

Musicians: Karyn Neal and DeLauna Lockwood
Choristers: Todd and Karen Yost

Welcome to the
Seventh-day Adventist Church
in Porterville

Calendar This Week:

Today 8:00 a.m. 1st Appointment, Prayer Ministry, Sanctuary open
8:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study, Vera's Room
9:30 a.m. Bible Study Class, "The Human Condition"
10:25 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Arlene Taylor
10:40 a.m. Children's Church
12:30 p.m. Street Feeders
Sunday 9:00 a.m. Ladies Quilting class
Monday 6:30 p.m. ASL (American Sign Language) lessons
7:00 p.m. SVJA Board Meeting
Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Adventurers
Next Sabbath 8:00 a.m. 1st Appointment, Prayer Ministry, Sanctuary open
8:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study, Vera's Room
9:30 a.m. Bible Study Class, "Justification by Faith"
10:25 a.m. Speaker: Pastor Doug Motsenbocker

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.

Prayer Meetings/Bible Study Groups during the week

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Springville Bible Study
Wednesday 1:00 p.m. Ladies Upper Room Bible Study, Shakespeare's home
6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Vera's Room
7:00 p.m. Bible Study
Thursday 10:00 a.m. Adventist Beginners Bible Study, Call Jerry Miller 539-3588
5:30 p.m. Oct. 26: Deaf Women Bible Study, Walter's home
Friday 6:30 p.m. Rose's Bible Study, 788-8092

So You'll Know

Porterville Seventh-day Adventist Church News

OCTOBER 21, 2017

WELCOME to God's house on His holy Sabbath. May our united worship bring renewed faith and commitment to us all.

TODAY'S OFFERING IS FOR THE LOCAL CHURCH BUDGET. 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: Del Delker and Giada Coelho.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS, SECOND READING: Olga Saljoughy from Porterville SDA Church to Exeter Sda Church; and Julie Ramirez-Rangel from Lindsay Hispanic SDA Church to Porterville SDA Church.

TODAY, DR. ARLENE TAYLOR WILL present fascinating information during our Worship Service and in the afternoon. Here are her topics:

- 11:00 am Do Science and Scripture Align?
- 2:00 pm Fear: Its Neurobiology and Its Antidote
- 3:00 pm Chromosomes, Genes, and the Tsunami of Love

MISSING: A DVD SERIES "IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF PAUL", by Tony Moore. It was purchased at Camp Meeting and was last seen on the table at Prayer Meeting. Please return to the church.

THERE WILL BE NO MORE POTLUCKS FOR OCTOBER. OUR NEXT POTLUCK WILL BE NOVEMBER 4.

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE: Oct. 28 – Pastor Doug Motsenbocker; Nov. 4 – Ken Bullington, VP of Edu., CCC; Nov. 11 – Mark Eller; Nov. 18 – Stephen Arrington; Nov. 25 – Jonathan Kurts.

CCC YOUTH PRAYER CONFERENCE "ASCEND, THE STORY OF GOD" will be held at Fresno Adv. Academy, Nov. 9-12, 2017. The cost is \$20 per person. See the bulletin board for more information.

ADVENT VETERANS DAY RUN on Sunday, Nov. 12, 7:30 a.m.: You should be making half your goal by now! If you haven't signed up yet, it's not too late – a sign-up sheet is on a clipboard on the media desk in the lobby. Any questions, call Carol Rose at 788-8092.

FAMILY NIGHT

Adventurers and Pathfinders meet at 6:30

Prayer Meeting – Wednesday 6:30 ---- Bible Study Wednesday 7:00

We are beginning a study of Steps to Christ.

GLOW (GIVING LIGHT TO OUR WORLD) is a literature ministry based on a personal encounter with easy-to-carry, pocket-size tracts on such biblical subjects as health, who God is, prophecy, and what the Bible says about specific subjects. A pocket-size tract, personally handed to someone, can become an immediate connection with Jesus through heaven's information highway—the Holy Spirit. Pick up some for sharing on the media counter today!

WHAT WAS ONCE A VIBRANT SCHOOL is now in ruins. The fires raging through Santa Rosa destroyed Redwood Adventist Academy on Monday, October 9, 2017. The school, founded in 1931, educates kindergarten through high school students, many of whom now find themselves without a school and some, without homes. The staff is working to gather at a new temporary location so that classes can continue for the 128 students enrolled this year. The property was insured, but there will be other costs as this school and its families try to recover. Your love, prayers, and support are so appreciated.

SIERRA VIEW JR. ACADEMY will host their annual Fall Festival Nov. 2 from 5:30 to 7:00. There will be lots of food for sale, games and activities. Everyone is welcome.

SIERRA VIEW JR. ACADEMY IS SELLING VEGGIE CORN DOGS to support the 9th and 10th grade class. There are order forms on the media desk. Your order will be ready to pick up on Nov. 2 at Sierra View's Fall Festival at 5:30 p.m. For phone orders, call 799-3104.

ADVENTIST BOOK CENTER AND PACIFIC PRESS – *Book of the Month for OCTOBER: Glimpses Into the Life of Ellen White*, by Jim Nix. Ellen White, a mother, grandmother, a friend, and a prophet. Glimpses into the life of Ellen White shares first account, personal stories of the challenges and joys of this amazing woman who chose to accept her calling.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – SUNDAY, NOV 5: The Fresno Hmong Seventh-day Adventist Church, in partnership with Life Hope Centers, needs your help to offer free medical, dental, and vision care for the Hmong community in Fresno. Other services will include lifestyle coaching, cooking classes, childcare, and many many more. This is a completely free clinic. Clinic will be held at 3323 E. Nevada Ave, Fresno, Calif. Volunteer at volunteersignup.org/AQTYR. Medical professionals and others are encouraged to participate.

OUR SANCTUARY is open at 8:00 a.m. for "1st Appointment" Sabbath Morning Prayer Ministry.

FINANCIAL REPORT:	Monthly Budget	Received	Year-to-date
September Church Budget	\$13,740	\$7,292.39	-\$36,705.42

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

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Sabbath Ends Today at: 6:12

Next Week Sabbath Begins at 6:05