



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

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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## PASTOR'S NOTES



### A NOTE FROM OUR TREASURER

At 1:00 pm Thursday, June 25, 2009, Fresno Sunnyside SDA Church became the official owners of their own church building at the Southwest corner of Maroa and Barstow. This is a day dreamed about by the congregation for a lot of years and the fulfillment of a major part of the vision that the founding member families had when they formed the Sunnyside Company 22 years ago. The building will now go through a renovation process headed by our own Garry Clark while we remain worshipping at Hope Lutheran Church for the next six months.

Many thanks for the generous donations and prayers and hard work done by all those involved. The list is long and distinguished and includes all of the congregation for their prayers and efforts. We look forward to worshipping the first time in our church sometime in late November or December.

*Now the work begins! — Ron Fitzgerald*

### YOUTH PASTOR CANDIDATE - EARL BALDWIN, JR.

We have invited Earl Baldwin, Jr., one of our candidates for Youth Pastor to spend the holiday weekend with us. Earl and his family will arrive on Thursday, July 2 and will have a full weekend which will include additional face-to-face interviewing with our search committee. Additionally, he will preach on Sabbath, July 4 and will spend time with our youth during Friday Night Vespers, Sabbath School, and a youth social. We hope that you will be able to come to church to meet Earl and hear him preach. The search committee would appreciate your feedback. Please direct your feedback to Rod Turley, search committee chair, at 647-7784 or rodturley@yahoo.com.

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## WORSHIP CELEBRATION

**June 27, 2009  
11:00 A.M.**

**“Praise to the Lord”**

**Welcome**  
Bud Dickerson

**“Ancient of Days”  
“I Could Sing of Your  
Love Forever”  
“You Are My King”**

**Garden of Prayer**  
Bud Dickerson

**Ministry Minute**

**Children’s Story**  
Elisa Torres-Messing

**Offering**

**Scripture:**  
**Philippians 2:1-2**  
Johan Reijnders

**Koinonia**  
J. Murdock

### THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 1

Deadline for Bulletin info: bulletin-staff@sunnysidesda.org 6:00 p.m.

#### SABBATH, JULY 4

Meditative Service 8:30 a.m.

Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Potluck – immediately following service

### PREACHING SCHEDULE

**July 4** — Earl Baldwin, Jr.

**July 11** — Ramiro Cano

**July 18** — Pastor Ray

### MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMARY

<b>June</b> Approved Budget	\$18,300.00
Amount Received	8,235.33
Over (Short)	(10,064.67)

<b>YTD</b> Approved Budget	\$109,800.00
Amount Received	87,043.08
Over (Short)	(22,756.92)

Youth Pastor Fund	\$38,287.15
Church Building Fund	\$1,083,501.06

#### This Week’s Offering:

Conference Faith Advance

## YOUTH NEWS



Earl Baldwin, Jr. will be visiting our church on **July 4th weekend**. Earl is one of our top candidates for the open Youth Pastor position. He has been interviewed over the phone and has been invited by the search committee to come out and spend some time with us so we can get to know him and his family better. We have not offered him the job of Youth Pastor and need your input on how well you think he is suited for the position.

***Please make it a point to join us for***

↪ **Friday Night Vespers** ↪ ↪ **Sabbath School** ↪  
↪ **Worship Service** ↪ ↪ **a Social Event (TBA)** ↪

and other activities we can plan before he gets here. We will be sending out more emails when activities are planned so you can decide what works for you over the Holiday weekend.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### YOUTH PASTOR UPDATE

One of the candidates we are seriously considering as our new Youth Pastor, will preach at Sunnyside on July 4. Plan to attend and you will have an opportunity to meet him.

### POTLUCK NEXT SABBATH — JULY 4

Our potluck will feature Sloppy Joes. The potluck committee will provide all the fixings for the sloppy joes.

**A-M** please bring salad.

**N-Z** please bring dessert.

*Potluck is a great time to catch-up with friends and to make new ones.*

*Sunnyside Church Family,*

Thank you so much for the gift card. Also, thank you very much for always supporting me with your love! I love you all very much!

*Always, Hayley Smith*

### REFRESHMENT HOSTS NEEDED

The opportunity is still open to host the refreshment table. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Judi Krogstad at [drjudi@sbcglobal.net](mailto:drjudi@sbcglobal.net) or 225-3650.

### THURSDAY NIGHT BASKETBALL

All are welcome to participate every Thursday night from 6:30–9:30 in the Fresno Adventist Academy gym. \$5/person or \$20/team. Proceeds benefit the Student Sponsorship Program for FAA students. Call Coach Rico Balugo at 905-7543 for more information. For information on sponsoring a child, call Richelle Rickard at 251-5548 ext. 145.



### SUNNYSIDE CHURCH RENOVATION



We challenge each church member to join us as we raise \$100,000 for our new church renovation. So far we've raised \$45,258.32! Please prayerfully consider what you can do, and place a gift in the offering plate. Mark your tithe envelope "New Church Home."

### REGISTRATION BEGINS THIS SABBATH FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

**AUGUST 3-7**

**8:30 — 11:45AM**

For ages 4 yrs. thru 6th grade.

#### Volunteers are needed!

We need teachers, teen helpers & construction crew.



We need help with set construction and decorations. And, if you'd like to have a fun-filled, adventurous week with 200+ kids, we'd love to have your help, too! Contact Angela (994-5502) or Leo(994-5588) or talk with them at church.



### SUMMER CAMP AT WAWONA

**Space is still available!** The conference & local church will pay 2/3 of your child's summer camp expenses for a week at Camp Wawona thru August 2. E-mail [GetWebb@gmail.com](mailto:GetWebb@gmail.com) for details (\$107.50 is the parent/child's portion).

### FAA YOUNG ALUMNI PARTY

This Saturday at 8:30pm at the Airport Piccadilly Inn (McKinley Ave.) Anyone who graduated or attended FAA from 1970-2009 is invited to reunite & have an entertaining evening of comedy & dessert. For more info call Richelle Rickard at (701)426-4845. Bring family & friends!

**GETTING TO KNOW OUR FRIENDS & FAMILY**  
*Building Lives Through Relationships...*

**Bud & Dianne  
Dickerson**



**Verna, Wil  
& Jasmine  
Barcoma**



**Delaine & Ivan Morford**

## THE LAST WORD

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY  
TO...**

Megan Edwardsen (6/27)  
Brenda Mendoza (6/27)  
Dana Valente (6/27)  
Vonette Finkbeiner  
(6/29)  
Michael Ward 6/29)  
William Barreto (6/30)  
Phill Rhoads (6/30)  
Bill Moseley (7/1)  
Jerma Palafox (7/1)  
Kristi Burkhart (7/2)  
Dairien Finney (7/2)  
Krystal Haldeman (7/2)  
Celina Caballero (7/3)  
Clark Donaghy (7/3)  
Sheri Hawkins (7/3)  
Jessica Morford (7/3)  
Samha Chaye Ribadu  
(7/3)

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY  
TO...**

Shondel & Jacqueline  
Tillett-Hogan (6/28)

## A Little Church Trivia



- 27% of all coffee drinkers will make an ill-timed exit during the sermon.
- The longest recorded sermon of 51 hours and 30 minutes was given by Reverend Howard Ramsey in Shawsville, USA in 2003.