



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

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

JULY 29, 2010

## PASTOR'S NOTES

The weather in Soquel was great, but I'm happier than a tick on a fat dog to be home from camp meeting.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Sunnyside and Hope Lutheran are wrapping up another successful Vacation Bible School. According to Angela Reijnders, 180 children attended VBS this week. The theme this year is "Hero Headquarters." All are invited to attend a VBS dinner tonight at 6 p.m. in the Hope Lutheran Community Center. Hot dogs (beef and vegetarian), chips and watermelon will be served.



### CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

It was great to come home from camp meeting and see all the progress made on our church. All of the carpet and tile is installed. The sanctuary pews are refinished and the platform is nearly complete. The toilets flush and the sinks work in the restrooms. The lighting fixtures are ready for installation in the sanctuary. The only kink is parking. The city isn't crazy about the size of our parking lot, so we are trying to make arrangements with the Mormon Church across the street to use their parking lot on Sabbaths.

### PERSONNEL COMMITTEE BALLOT

Included in this newsletter is a Personnel Committee Ballot. It briefly explains the function of the Personnel Committee and has space for up to six nominations to serve on the Personnel Committee in the coming year. This ballot will be handed out in church. However, if you prefer to electronically nominate people for the Personnel Committee, please send an e-mail with up to six names to Ron Estep at [Bunkystep@Comcast.net](mailto:Bunkystep@Comcast.net).

### FAA WATERMELONS

FAA is growing watermelons this summer and they are now on sale. I can personally attest that they taste great! Stop by to purchase your watermelons at 5397 East Olive Avenue, between Peach and Clovis avenues, just off the 180 freeway.

### NEW SERMON SERIES

I'm kicking off a sermon series this Sabbath on the fruit of the Spirit. It will be an 8-part series, and each week I will focus on one of the fruits of the Spirit that Paul mentions in Galatians 5:22-23. We begin this week with love.

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## WORSHIP CELEBRATION

**July 31, 2010  
11:00 A.M.**

**“Love Divine”  
“God of Wonders”**

**Welcome**  
Pastor Dennis Ray

**Children’s Story**  
Lorraine Barr

**“Your Love Makes Me  
Sing”  
“Lord, I Give You  
My Heart”**

**Prayer**  
Jim Robison

### Scripture

**“Fruit of the  
Spirit: Love”**  
Pastor Ray

### Offering

### Benediction

### THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

#### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4

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

#### SABBATH, AUGUST 7

Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

#### Sunset

<i>This Friday</i>	<i>Next Friday</i>
8:08 p.m.	8:02 p.m.

### PREACHING SCHEDULE

**August 7** — Pastor Ray  
**August 14** — Pastor Cal  
**August 21** — Pastor Ray

### MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMARY

<b>July</b> Approved Budget	\$21,400.00
Amount Received	7,515.00
Over (Short)	(13,885.00)
<b>YTD</b> Approved Budget	\$149,800.00
Amount Received	92,446.34
Over (Short)	(57,353.66)
Youth Pastor Fund	\$15,875.00
Church Building Balance	\$56,494.00
Children’s Story Offering	\$4,923.19

This Week’s Offering  
**Monterey Bay Academy**

## YOUTH EVENTS

Go to the youth website at <http://sunnysideyouth.com>  
and take a look at other things the youth are up to...

## HEALTHY BYTES



Basil is low in Saturated Fat, and very low in Cholesterol and Sodium. It is also a good source of Protein, Vitamin E (Alpha Tocopherol), Riboflavin and Niacin, and a very good source of Dietary Fiber, Vitamin A, Vitamin C, Vitamin K, Vitamin B6, Folate, Calcium, Iron, Magnesium, Phosphorus, Potassium, Zinc, Copper and Manganese. Here is a recipe that we enjoy with pasta or as a spread on a cracker or with veggies. Stays well in the refrigerator for 2 weeks.

### PESTO

**All these amounts are suggestions. You can adjust to your own taste.**

1 packed cup fresh basil leaves, without stems	¼ t. salt
3 garlic cloves	½ c. extra virgin olive oil
1 cup pine nuts, toasted	1/3 c. grated Romano cheese

In food processor, pulse all ingredients except oil until fine. Drizzle oil in and pulsate for a few seconds until paste. Serve over hot pasta.

For more info on healthy solutions and recipes, contact  
Gale Bolinger at 974-2459 or email at [gale4health@comcast.net](mailto:gale4health@comcast.net)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PAINTER NEEDED



One or two painters are needed to paint the shelves in the storage closets in the new church. Please contact Garry Clark (288-3712), if you'd like to help with that.

### WORK BEE LEADER NEEDED



We're just about ready to move into our new church but we need to take care of a few more details. We need someone to supervise people with vacuuming, dusting and window cleaning. Please contact Garry Clark (288-3712), if you would like to be in charge of two work bees on August 8 & 15.

## MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

**First Reading:** Mark Pillor from Fresno Central. Alan Rodrigues to Fresno Asian.

**Second Reading:** Irma Carpenter from Oakhurst. Amanda Gonzales is joining Sunnyside by Profession of Faith.

## CHURCH AT SHAVER LAKE - AUGUST 21, 2010

Sabbath August 21, Fresno Sunnyside Church will meet at Shaver Lake rather than in Fresno.

**Shaver Lake Community Chapel:** Sabbath School classes 10:00-10:50. Cradle Roll, Kindergarten, Primary and Junior divisions will meet at the Picnic Tables behind the church. Cradle Roll will do a nature walk, craft, & snack. Kindergarten will do a nature hike, lesson, craft & snack. Primary will do a nature walk and craft. Juniors will do a nature walk and discussion. Adults will have a class inside the chapel. The church service will be 11:00-12:00 in the Chapel with Pastor Dennis Ray speaking.



**At the Camp Edison Towhee picnic site:** Early Youth and Youth will meet 10:30-12:00 for a Sabbath school/worship service with Pastor Cal.

Immediately after Church (approximately 1:00 PM) all will meet at the lake for an afternoon of fun at the Camp Edison Towhee site. For lunch, beef hot dogs (generously donated by Bar-S Meats), vegetarian Big Franks, buns, condiments, ice water and table service will be provided. Members are asked to bring cold salad or a dessert, chips and drinks (enough for your family and extra for guests) in an ice chest. After lunch, pontoon-boat rides on the lake will be available as will fellowship on land.

Things are casual this day, so dress comfortably for church and afternoon. Items to bring include folding chairs and /or blankets to sit on, sunscreen, insect repellent, and a sweater or light jacket for evening. Temperatures are about 20° cooler than the valley. You will need money for entrance to picnic area (\$5/car & \$2/person).

Due to concerns about liability and the fact that there will be no lifeguard on duty swimming is strongly discouraged. Many in our church family like to stretch the day into a weekend in the mountains. Information on campsites can be found at [www.campedison.com](http://www.campedison.com)

**Remember this is a great opportunity to acquaint others with the Love of God and for each other that we share at Sunnyside Church, so invite family and friends!**

**Directions to Shaver Lake Community Center Chapel:** Take Highway 168 East from Fresno to Shaver Lake. As you come into town you will notice the Sawmill Restaurant on your right. As you pass the restaurant immediately look LEFT and you will see a quaint White Church. Turn Left and park between the church and the community center. If you pass Dinkey Creek Road in your attempt to find the church, TURN AROUND and look for the only white church in town. Travel time from Fresno 1-1¼ hours.

**Directions to Shaver Lake Picnic Site at Camp Edison "Towhee":** Take Highway 168 1.6 miles past the Community Center Chapel, turn right at the Camp Edison (PG&E) Campground turnout. Proceed to the Toll booth. Entrance fee is \$5 per vehicle and \$2 for each person in vehicle. Proceed on road following signs to Picnic area. Sunnyside Church signs will also be posted. Take right turnout at Towhee Campsite. Those who are able-bodied should park on the asphalt above the picnic area. Those who have a little harder time walking on uneven ground can drive down to the picnic site.

## Personnel Committee Ballot

Please list up to 6 lay members of Sunnyside SDA Church to serve for a three-year term on the Sunnyside Church Personnel Committee.

Those not currently eligible for nomination are Executive Board Members (Bud Dickerson, Ron Fitzgerald, Donna Fitzgerald & Mike Ward), those currently serving (Bruce Eckhart, Ron Estep, Joaquin Espinosa, Bill Hartman, Bob Riley, Linda Messing, Denise McEowen, Irma McGuinn, Ron Soloniuk), and those off for just one year (Susan Bobbit-Voth and David Crouch).

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In addition to staffing current church offices, some of the responsibilities of the Personnel Committee are:

- Developing and calling leaders into existing ministries
- Attempting to match an individual member's gifts to an appropriate church ministry.
- Developing Job Descriptions
- Encouraging members to develop new ministries into which they believe God is calling them.

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



**Nancy & Bob  
Isaacs**



**Isaac & Caila Morgan**

## THE LAST WORD

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### HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Cheryl Colombini (7/31)  
Martha Caballero (8/1)  
Lisa Montgomery (8/1)  
Julie Bowen (8/3)  
Skip Espinoza (8/4)  
Brenda Smith (8/4)  
Michael White (8/6)

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...

Mike & Kayce Frazer (7/31)  
Ernesto & Ileana Espinosa  
(8/6)  
Steve & Faye Peterson (8/6)

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

— Galatians 5:22-23