FRESNO SUNNYSIDE SDA CHURCH



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

PASTOR'S NOTES

SETTLING IN

We've heard many positive comments from those who attended the Friday night and Sabbath worship services last weekend in our new church facility. There is a collective sense that people are pleased with our new home and that this truly is a "new beginning" for Sunnyside. It was a special weekend that left me feeling very excited about Sunnyside's future. It took at tremendous amount of teamwork of pull it off, and each person did their part.

Now that we've had our "grand opening", the work of settling in to our new home begins. The church board has many decisions to make regarding renting our facility to other groups and setting policies and guidelines regarding usage of the building. We also have to address the unfinished parts of the facility, such as the kitchen and audio/visual in the sanctuary.

LANDSCAPING

One of the on-going projects at our new church home is landscaping. This week, Leonard Rael is installing irrigation lines into the permanent planter boxes in the parking lot. The installation will not be complete by Sabbath, so please don't be alarmed by how they look. In addition, the access between the parking lot and church will be temporarily hampered. Leonard also planted grass under the playground equipment to make it a safer place for our children to play.

PAT RAEL HOSPITALIZED

Leonard's father, Pat, was admitted to Kaiser Hospital yesterday. They are waiting for test results to come back, but it appears that he has a kidney infection. Pat helped considerably in the renovation of our church building. He is hoping to be released from the hospital tomorrow.

MICHELLE HUDLER SURGERY

Michelle underwent surgery at UC San Francisco on Monday to have a shunt inserted in her spinal column. The surgeon called the surgery a success, but Michelle is having a difficult recovery. She continues to have intense headaches, loss of vision, and vomiting. She was released from the hospital and is staying with her parents, Mike and Laurene Ward.

NEW CHURCH SECRETARY

Beginning on Tuesday, our office staff will grow by one. Cheryl Crouch has agreed to volunteer in the office on Tuesdays to cover for Angela Reijnders, who is unable to work on Tuesdays due to her class schedule at Fresno State. We appreciate Cheryl helping us out as we expect the administrative workload to increase now that we are in a permanent facility. Beginning this week, the church office is open Monday thru Friday, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

PICTORAL DIRECTORY

If you haven't done so already, please sign up to have your picture taken for the new church directory. The setting dates are September 19, 20, and 21. To sign up on-line, go to the church website, http://sunnyside.adventistfaith.org/.and click on the LifeTouch icon. There will also be a table in the church foyer on Sabbath where you can sign up.

PROCESS FOR SELECTING A NEW CONFERENCE PRESIDENT

The process for selecting a new Central California Conference president has begun. The Pacific Union Conference is holding townhall meetings to hear the views of members of the local congregations. The meeting in our area will be held on September 16, at 7 p.m., at the Fresno Central Church. You are encouraged to attend.

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WORSHIP CELEBRATION

September 4, 2010 11:00 A.M.

"Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine" "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

Welcome

Pastor Dennis Ray

Children's Story

Tina Cornwell

"Love Lifted Me"
"Lord, Be Glorified"

Prayer

Marla Hartman

Fruit of the Spirit: Kindess

Pastor Dennis Ray

Vocal Solo

Jennifer Proctor

Offering

Benediction

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Deadline for Bulletin info: bulletinstaff@sunnysidesda.org 6:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Church Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.

SABBATH, SEPTEMBER II

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

Sunset

This Friday Next Friday 7:24p.m. 7:15p.m.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

September 4 — Pastor Ray **September 11** — Pastor Cal

September 18 — Pastor Ray

MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMARY

August Approved Budget Amount Received Over (Short)	\$21,400.00 19,011.29 (2,388.71)
YTD Approved Budget Amount Received Over (Short)	171,200.00 118,596.51 (52,603.49)
Youth Pastor Fund	\$19,034.00

This Week's Offering Local Church Budget

\$40,400.00

\$5,879.45

YOUTH EVENTS

PAINTBALL — SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

Church Building Balance Children's Story Offering



Bring \$20 and be ready to leave from the church @ 8:30a.m. Transportation, lunch & equipment will be provided. If you have your own equipment, make sure you bring CO_2 for it. You must have signed permission slip with you to get on the van!

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

HEALTHY BYTES

A Few Quick Serving Ideas for turmeric

- Add turmeric to egg salad to give it an even bolder yellow color.
- Mix brown rice with raisins and cashews and season with turmeric, cumin and coriander.
- Turmeric is a great spice to complement recipes that feature lentils.
- Give salad dressings an orange-yellow hue by adding some turmeric powder to them.
- For an especially delicious way to add more turmeric to your healthy way of eating, cut cauliflower florets in half and healthy sauté (sauté in a small amount water instead of oil) with a generous spoonful of turmeric for 5 minutes. Remove from the heat and toss with olive oil, salt and pepper to taste.

For more info on healthy solutions and recipes, contact Gale Bolinger at 974-2459 or email at gale4health@comcast.net

ANNOUNCEMENTS



THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY.

ELECTION OF NEW CCC PRESIDENT

There will be a town hall meeting at **7:00p.m.** on **September 16** at Fresno Central Church to discuss the process for electing a new conference president. This meeting will be facilitated by Ricardo Graham, Pacific Union President.

LET'S BE CLEAN AND GREEN

The finance committee is seeking bids for janitorial and gardening services for the new church facility. We welcome the church family to send referrals that are licensed, bonded, and insured. Interested parties should submit all bids to the church office at 5375 North Maroa Avenue. A decision will likely be made in the fall.

HOW DOES EBAY WORK?

Some of you have asked "How do I find Sunnyside Church on ebay?" Here is a fast, easy way to find us. At the ebay site click on "Site Map" at the bottom of the page. When the site map page comes up, look for "Connect" and click on the link "Find a Member." Type "sunnysidesda" in the text box. Enter the verification code displayed and click on the search button. Click on the sellers items link on the right side of the screen. This will bring you to a page that shows you all the items we currently have for sale. You can make "sunnysidesda" a favorite seller by clicking on "add to favorite sellers". This allow you to get back to it easily. If you still can't seem to get the hang of this, contact Rod Turley(298-3853); he'll be glad to help.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER

Second Reading

Karen Bullion to Napa Community.

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN-UP TO GET YOUR PICTURE TAKEN

We want our entire church family to be part of the new church directory. September 19, 20, and 21 are the dates that you will choose from to schedule an appointment to have your portrait taken. Morning and evening appointments are available. Please take a look at your calendar and see which date works best for you and your family. There are no sitting fees and no requirement to purchase any of the photos. You can make your appointment online by going to the church website and clicking on the "Lifetouch" icon or you can sign-up at church this Sabbath

Contact Angela at the church office (229-5501), if you have any questions.

NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

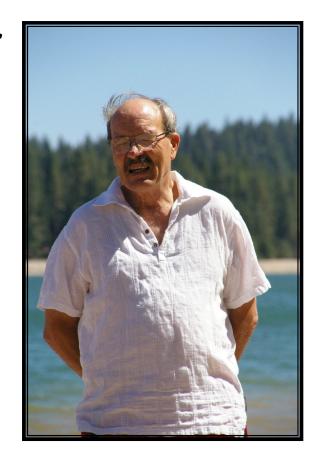
We are starting a bible study in the book of Acts. We will be seeing how the Church of the Way became one of the largest religious movements of the world....We will see how God's Spirit moved and led and leads even today.

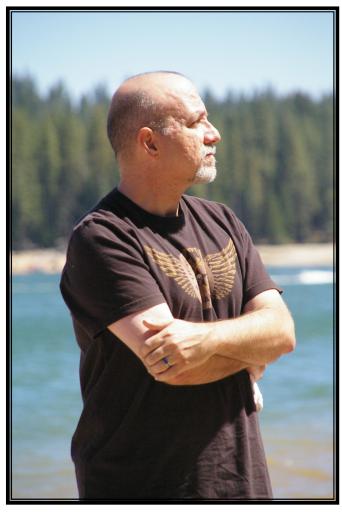
Wednesday nights at 6:30 pm, and a light supper is served every Wednesday night. If you have questions about the study, call Sherry at 224- 9005.

GOD'S HELPING HANDS is a SDA nonprofit group of doctors & nurses, who assisted with building a much needed hospital in Peten, Guatemala. They are in need of volunteer doctors & nurses to give one or two weeks service in the hospital. They are also in urgent need of medical supplies — among the most needed: otoscopes, urine analyzer, stethoscopes, blood pressure machines, cholesterol machines, hematocrit machines, x-ray machine, urine collection bags for infants. Dalia King will be leaving this month to volunteer in Guatemala. Contact her at 276-1953 or dalila.king@gmail.com, if you have questions or would like to give.

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

Larry Barber





Kenneth Charron

THE LAST WORD

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Bernadette Randall (9/4) Mark Ward (9/5) Brandon Yoshida (9/5) Willie Barreto (9/6) Dustin Batty (9/6) Art Fernandez (9/6) Ryan Ford (9/6) Bob Gilbert (9/6) Troy Goertz (9/6) Janeen Palafox (9/6) Aaron Johnson (9/7) Kipp Swanson (9/7) Delbert Swederofsky (9/8) Julia Taylor (9/8) Ben Winn (9/8) Dalia Fauni-Ignacio (9/9) Bill Jamison (9/9) Cody Hickman (9/10) Leo Reijnders (9/10)

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...

Michael & Terri Mosley (9/4) David & Kim Daggs (9/5) Mike & Patricia Ford (9/5) John & Alesia Sheffield (9/8) Daryl & Linda Slusher (9/8)

SERMONS I SEE

by Edgar A. Guest

"I'd rather see a sermon than hear one any day; I'd rather one should walk with me than merely tell the way.

The eye's a better pupil and more willing than the ear, Fine counsel is confusing, but example's always clear;

And the best of all preachers are the men who live their creeds, For to see good put in action is what everybody needs.

I soon can learn to do it if you'll let me see it done; I can watch your hands in action, but your tongue too fast may run.

And the lecture you deliver may be very wise and true, But I'd rather get my lessons by observing what you do;

For I might misunderstand you and the high advice you give, But there's no misunderstanding how you act and how you live."