

PASTOR'S NOTES

THE NEXT STEP AFTER "NEXT STEP"

At the conclusion of the "Next Step" event last Sabbath, I had one primary feeling: hope. It came from the sixty or so people there who had so much enthusiasm to serve God and others, and to take Sunnyside to the next level. I was inspired by how much ownership people have in the future of this church. As people shared their vision for Sunnyside, themes such as service, change, spiritual gifts, small groups, and prayer kept recurring. As the session came to a close there was one big question that needed an answer – "now what?" The answer that emerged is that a leadership team, composed of ten people from "Next Step", will identify three major themes on which the church will focus. They had their first meeting on Sabbath afternoon and will meet again tomorrow night. I, for one, can't wait to find out what they say will be the next step for Sunnyside.

SUNNYSIDE ON FACEBOOK

If you're a Facebooker, go to the Sunnyside SDA Facebook page and "friend" us. We're going to start using Facebook as another way to communicate with our church family.

CAMP WAWONA

Scholarships are available for sending your child/grandchild to Camp Wawona this summer. They are 3-way scholarships, meaning that the tuition cost is split between the family, Sunnyside, and Camp Wawona. There are a limited number of scholarships available, and they are given on a first-come first-served basis. Contact the church office (229-5501) to request an application.

RANDOM QUOTES

"The worst moment for the atheist is when he is really thankful and has nobody to thank." - **Dante Gabriel Rossetti**

"The best doctor in the world is the veterinarian. He can't ask his patients what is the matter - he's got to just know." - **Will Rogers**

"I have only one superstition. I touch all the bases when I hit a home run."
- **Babe Ruth**

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WORSHIP CELEBRATION

**March 12, 2011
11:00 A.M.**

“Do Lord”

Welcome
Pastor Dennis Ray

Children’s Story
Vicki Kemp

“Pass Me Not”

Prayer
Dianne Dickerson

Offering

“This Little Light of Mine”
“Power in the Blood”
“Seek Ye First”

Scripture
Proverbs 16: 1,3,4&9

**“How Does God
Guide Us?”**
Pastor Dennis Ray

Vocal Solo
Pete Jones

Benediction

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, MARCH 13

FAA Spring Fling & Blood Drive -
Ricchiuti Auditorium 11am — 3pm

MONDAY, MARCH 14

The GROUP Leaders Meeting 7:30pm

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9

Youth Hang Out – Youth Room 4pm
Deadline for Bulletin info: bulletin-
staff@sunnysidesda.org 6pm
Women’s Bible Study – Marshes’ 6:30pm

FRIDAY, MARCH 18

Youth Vespers – Redmans’ 6:30pm

SABBATH, MARCH 19

Sabbath School 9:30am
Worship Service 11:00am
Heritage Singers Concert — FAA 6pm

Sunset

This Friday
6:02 p.m.

Next Friday
7:07 p.m.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

March 19 — Pastor Ray

March 26 — Pastor Ray

April 2 — Pastor Cal

MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMARY

March Church Needs	\$28,000.00
Donations Received	5,807.00
Over (Short)	(22,193.00)
Year to Date	\$84,000.00
Donations Received	58,766.81
Over (Short)	(25,233.19)
Youth Pastor Fund	\$15,404.99

This Week’s Offering
Adventist World Radio

YOUTH EVENTS

March 12 — Youth Leaders Potluck & Meeting - 1pm - youth room

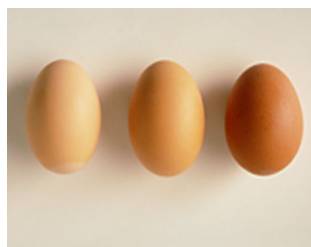
March 18 — Friday Night Vespers - Pastor Cal’s home

March 19 — Game Night Social - 7pm - youth room

March 25 — Jam Session - sanctuary

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

HEALTHY BYTES



Eggs

Those who have eggs for breakfast lose 65 percent more weight than those who down a bagel breakfast with the same number of calories, according to a study in the *International Journal of Obesity*. Eat the yolk, too. Recent studies have proved that the fat in the yellow part is important to keep you satiated, and the benefits of its minerals and nutrients outweigh its cholesterol effect. If you want to step up the healthful benefits a bit more – eat cage free or organic eggs as they do not have antibiotics in them.

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS



HERITAGE SINGERS
40TH ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION
CONCERT
MARCH 19 — 6PM
FRESNO ADVENTIST
ACADEMY
Admission is free.

Don't forget to set your clocks forward an hour before you got to bed Saturday night.

spring *forward*

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EBAY UPDATE



Check out Sunnyside's eBay account, new items have been added. Postal charges will be removed to local buyers, 100% of the money earned goes to our building fund. Happy bidding! If you need more information on our eBay account please talk to Rod Turley, Pat Lutz or Maxine Smith.

SUMMER CAMP AT WAWONA JUNE 19 – JULY 31

The weekly camp themes include: archery, cowboy camp, drama, aquatics, rock climbing and more. Scholarships are available for sending your child/grandchild to Camp Wawona this summer. They are 3-way scholarships, meaning that the tuition cost is split between the family, Sunnyside, and Camp Wawona. There are a limited number of scholarships available, and they are given on a first-come first-served basis. Contact the church office (229-5501) to request an application.



SPRING FLING AT FAA!

Take a Walk on the Beach Boardwalk!
This Sunday, 11:00–3:00.



- ♦ International food booths provided by local Adventist churches
- ♦ Game booths hosted by FAA classes
- ♦ Live arts & crafts auction
- ♦ Food drive
- ♦ Community blood drive



Central California Blood Center Call Sue Schramm to schedule blood donation, 251-5548 ext 0. Free T-shirt and game/food tickets to all eligible blood donors! Bring nonperishable food items for the food drive. Call Richelle Rickard if you have any questions: 273-4976. Hope to see you there! Fresno Adventist Academy, Ricchiuti Auditorium, 5397 E. Olive. (between Peach & Clovis Ave.)

SPRING YOUNG ADULT RETREAT 2011

"Knowing Jesus is Practical"

Camp Wawona — **April 1-3**

Registration Deadline: March 28, 2011

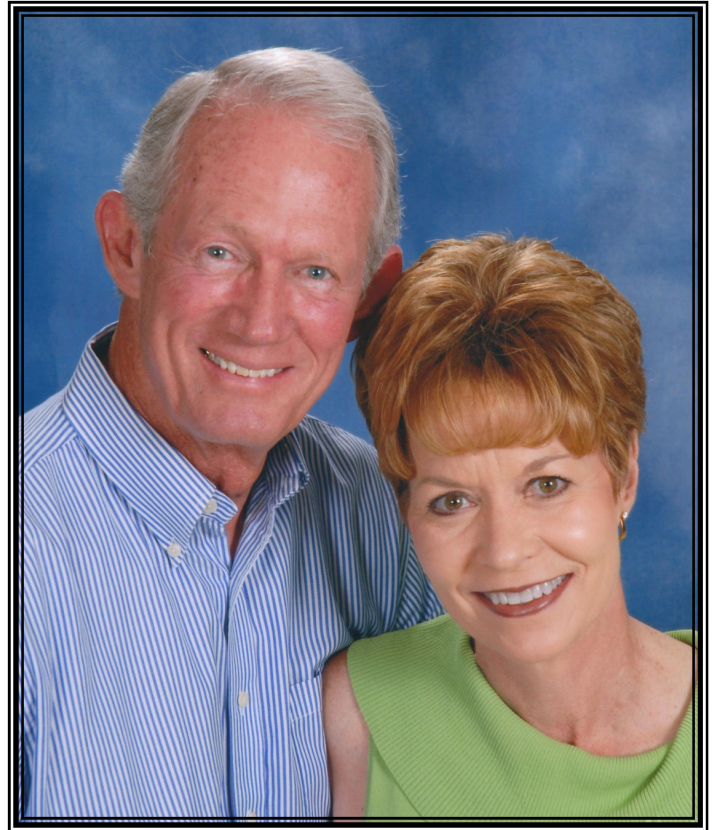
Speakers: Dr. Collin Ross and Steve Horton

FUA/FAA ALUMNI REUNION

Fresno Union Academy/Fresno Adventist Academy Homecoming begins **April 22-23** with the annual Alumni Golf Tournament & Sabbath Services. For more information, contact Richelle in the FAA Development Office 273-4976 email: rrickard@faa.org. *This year's Honor Classes: 1941, 1951, 1961, 1971, 1981, 1986, 1991, 2001.*

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

Bob & Vicki Anderson



Alice Armstrong

THE LAST WORD

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY
TO...**

Lauri Vaughn (3/12)
Cheri White (3/12)
John Banks Jr. (3/13)
Vonda Kittle (3/13)
Tim McCall (3/14)
Delaine Morford (3/14)
Lindsey Shimmin (3/15)
Feliciana Wong (3/15)
Clayton Liu (3/18)
William Lutz (3/18)
Gary Shimmin (3/18)



**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
TO...**