

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

PASTOR'S NOTES

COMMUNION

Every year on the Sabbath before Easter weekend, we serve Communion. This Sabbath, Communion will be served at the end of the worship service. We will not have footwashing.

CHURCH WORK BEE

You're cordially invited to come out this Sunday and help us get rid of the weeds in the west parking lot. Please bring your weeding gear. We'll work from 2 to 5 p.m. If you have questions, please call Rod Turley at 647-7784.

DALE LUCAS

Two weeks ago, Dale Lucas had his third major stroke. He is recovering at Hy-Lond Convalescent Hospital, 3408 E Shields Ave. It is not known whether Dale will be able to return home or be transferred to an assisted living center.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Next weekend, we will celebrate the Resurrection with a special worship service on Sabbath and an Easter service on Sunday morning at the FAA mansion. Please see the bulletin announcement in this newsletter for more information about the Easter service.

TAX DAY...NOT

In case you are under tremendous pressure trying to get your taxes filed by the 15th, you will be glad to know the deadline is April 18 this year.

THE DANIEL PLAN

Rick Warren, author of *The Purpose-Filled Life* and pastor of Saddleback Community Church, is encouraging his flock to get healthy. He is promoting something he calls "The Daniel Plan." It sounds similar to something Adventist's have been promoting for years. If you're interested, go to <http://saddleback.com/thedanielplan/>.

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WORSHIP CELEBRATION

**April 16, 2011
11:00 A.M.**

**“I’m So Glad”
“Shall We Gather
at the River”**

Welcome
Bud Dickerson

Children’s Story
Mike Menes

Offering

Prayer
Dan Kittle

“It Is Well”
Manna

**“Redeemed”
“Sing Hallelujah
to the Lord”**

Scripture
Mark 14:12-21; 27-28
Mike Ford

**“Betrayal, Defection &
Failure”**
Pastor Dennis Ray

Communion

Benediction
Dan Kittle

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

MONDAY, APRIL 18
Full Plate Diet – Maroa Room 6:30 p.m.
The GROUP Leaders Meeting 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20
Youth Hang Out – Youth Room 4:00 p.m.
Deadline for Bulletin info: bulletin-
staff@sunnysidesda.org 6:00 p.m.
Women’s Bible Study – Marsh home 6:30
p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 21
Personnel Committee Meeting

FRIDAY, APRIL 22
Youth Jam Session – Sanctuary 5:30 p.m.

SABBATH, APRIL 23
Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Easter Celebration Service

Sunset

<i>This Friday</i>	<i>Next Friday</i>
7:31 p.m.	7:38 p.m.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

April 23 — Pastor Ray
April 30 — Pastor Ray
May 7 — Pastor Cal

MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMARY

April Church Needs	\$28,000.00
Donations Received	6,827.36
Over (Short)	(21,172.64)
Year to Date	\$112,000.00
Donations Received	87,606.79
Over (Short)	(24,393.21)
Youth Pastor Fund	\$19,902.42

This Week’s Offering
Local Church Budget

YOUTH EVENTS

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

HEALTHY BYTES

A few reasons why Americans are so unhealthy...

- ♦ For optimum health, a person needs to eat 40-50 grams of fiber daily. The average American eats 6-10 grams of fiber a day.
- ♦ Americans eat more than 500 million Twinkies per year. Chicago is the “Twinkie capital of the world,” gobbling down 27 million Twinkies annually. There is no fiber in a Twinkie.
- ♦ Each year Americans drink an average of 490 12-ounce soft drinks. There’s almost ¼ cup of sugar in a can of regular soda.
- ♦ In the 1800s, the average American consumed only 10 pounds of sugar per year. Today it’s 158 pounds. There is no fiber in sugar.
- ♦ The U.S. is the fattest country in the world. Mexico is second, the U.K. third.
- ♦ Obesity will soon surpass tobacco as the leading cause of cancer in America.
- ♦ An estimated one out of every three children born in America in 2000 will develop type 2 diabetes.
- ♦ Texas is the least healthy state, with Tennessee and South Carolina not far behind. Vermont is the healthiest state, with Hawaii and New Hampshire following.

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

First Reading: Patrick and Sherrie Coffee from Clovis.



WORK BEE—THIS SUNDAY

A work bee is scheduled to mow/remove the weeds from the west lot on Sunday. If you have the time and some weed-eating equipment please join us at 2:00 p.m. We need to be finished by 5:00 when our renters return. If you have any questions, see Rod Turley (647-7784).

WOMEN'S FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

Come join the "60+ Single Women's Friendship Circle" on Sabbath afternoon, **April 30 at 4:00 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall. We will have refreshments and take some time to get acquainted with one another while we share some of the activities we'd like to organize. If you're interested in going on some local outings such as plays, bowling, or spending an evening playing games, come out and join us. Call Lola Arteaga (323-6682) or Lena White (434-0772), if you have any questions.

Sunnyside's Annual Women's Tea Sunday — May 1 1 to 4pm



at Hope Lutheran Community Center

This year our theme is
**"Women Changing Lives
in their Community & Around the World"**

Invite your friends to our annual Women's Tea. \$20 for ladies — \$10 for girls. Scholarships are available for anyone who needs them. Contact Sherry Marsh (224-9005) or Angela Reijnders (994-5504), if you have any questions.

The sign-up board will be in the church lobby; please print your name at the table you wish to sit and give your payment to your table hostess. (Please write "VEG" next to your name, if you are vegetarian).

This year we are collecting toiletries for the Rescue Mission. Please bring toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo & soap to be donated.

FUA/FAA ALUMNI REUNION

Fresno Union Academy/Fresno Adventist Academy Homecoming
April 22 & 23



GOT EGGSTRA EGGS?

Sunnyside's Annual Easter Sunrise Service will be here soon. There is a box in the foyer where you can put donations for our Easter egg hunt. We can use individually-wrapped Easter candy, plastic eggs, and tiny Easter toys and stickers. Your generosity is very much appreciated and thanks for helping us keep our expenses low!

EASTER MORNING SERVICE

Come and celebrate the Lord's resurrection with your church family at Sunnyside's 7th Annual Easter Service at the FAA Mansion picnic grounds. Join us for breakfast starting at **9:30am, Sunday, April 24** followed by a celebration in music and a short sermon. Bring your lawn chairs and picnic blankets. Kids, don't forget your baskets for the Easter egg hunt!



ABC OPEN HOUSE & FOOD SALE

You are invited to join us at the Adventist Book Center, 2820 Willow Ave., Clovis, **this Sunday, 10:00-4:00.**

First 100 customers get a \$5 gift certificate!
Lunch — 11 to 2pm

KITTY NEEDS A HOME



"Pearl" is 2 1/2 yrs old & spayed; very independent & quiet. She doesn't require much attention/touching; however, she does love for you to play with her. Not recommended for children; she will scratch. Email: mslgirl78@gmail.com

HOUSE FOR RENT

SDA family is moving out of the area and is looking to rent their home in NW Fresno: 3B/2.5BA 1700sf; Bullard/Brawley area; large corner lot; \$1300 per month. If you're interested, please call 559-275-9325.

LUNCH WITH A LEGEND

Fresno Adventist Academy is hosting "Lunch with a Legend" at the Piccadilly Inn (Airport location) 5115 E. McKinley - **this Sunday at 11:30.** Former FAA student, Dick Rutan made history when he piloted the Voyager aircraft on a non-stop, unrefueled flight around the world in 1986. Call Richelle Rickard, FAA Development Director, at 273-4976 to purchase tickets. Seats are limited!

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



Jean & Jim Robison



Nadine, Wilma & Blanche Hartman

THE LAST WORD

The hunger for love is much more difficult to remove than the hunger for bread."

– *Mother Theresa*

"Praise works with only three types of people; men, women, and children."

– *Anonymous*

"Appreciate people. Nothing gives more joy than appreciation." – *Ruth Smeltzer*

"When someone does something well, applaud! You will make two people happy."

– *Samuel Goldwyn*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Anna Cantu (4/16)
Jeanelle Menes (4/16)
Fran Moseley (4/16)
Donna Fitzgerald (4/19)
Alex Jay Walker (4/19)
Maggie Stover (4/20)
Jessica Walker (4/20)
Elise Cantu (4/22)
Gerad Hudler (4/22)

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...

Brian & Phyllis Birmingham
(4/18)
Gerad & Shelley Hudler (4/19)
Willie & Wendy Barreto (4/20)
Jack & Dawn Haldeman (4/20)