

SunnysideNews

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

MAY 5, 2011

PASTOR'S NOTES

WELCOME TO THE WORLD

If you haven't heard, Alexis Lauren Webb was born April 28 at 4:05p.m., weighing in at 6 pounds and 19 inches long. Congratulations Lenden, Lorie & Mitchell!

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Worship

Teach

Connect

Serve

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

May 7, 2011
11:00 A.M.

***"All Creatures of Our
God and King"***
"O Worship the Lord"

Welcome

Honoring Motherhood
Jim Robison

Children's Story
Marla Hartman

Offering

"Forever"
"Draw Me Close"
"I Worship You"
***"Turn Your Eyes
Upon Jesus"***

Prayer
Jim Robison

"Sabbath's Coming"
Bob Gilbert

Scripture

Message
Pastor Cal Redman

Benediction

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, MAY 8

Happy Mothers' Day

MONDAY, MAY 9

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11

Youth Hang Out – Youth Room 4:00 p.m.
Women's Bible Study – Marsh home 6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 12

Church Board Meeting – Church Office 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, MAY 13

Youth Jam Session – Sanctuary 5:30 p.m.

SABBATH, MAY 14

Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
The GROUP – Sanctuary & Youth Room 5:30 p.m.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

May 14 — Jim Robison

May 21 — Pastor Ray

May 28 — Pastor Ray

MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMARY

April Church Needs	\$28,000.00
Donations Received	18,751.64
Over (Short)	(9,248.36)
Year to Date	\$112,000.00
Donations Received	99,531.07
Over (Short)	(12,468.93)
Youth Pastor Fund	\$22,392.71

This Week's Offering
Local Church Budget

Sunset

This Friday
7:51 p.m.

Next Friday
7:56 p.m.

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

READING AND INTERPRETING PRODUCE LABELS

- ♦ Conventional Fruit labels - grown with herbicides and possibly harmful fertilizers are 4 digits and mostly start with the digit 4
- ♦ Organic Fruit labels - safe to eat and more nutritious - have five digits and starts with number 9
- ♦ Genetically Modified Fruits - start with the digit 8
(http://amazingdiscoveries.org/index.php?id=234&p_docid=505)

Example for an apple:

#4922: a conventional apple grown with herbicides & possibly harmful fertilizers.

#99222: organic and safe to eat

#89222: RUN!! It has been Genetically Modified (GMO)

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS



REISIG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

A \$1,000 scholarship will be presented this year to one member of our congregation who fulfills the eligibility requirements of the scholarship. For further information about the scholarship & to apply, please contact Bud Dickerson at 250-7569 or bdickers@fresno.edu.

Application deadline is Tuesday, May 24.



BE PART OF THE GROUP

Come join "The Group" - our young adult service at 5:30 p.m. every Sabbath in a relaxed atmosphere with some familiar elements but with a different spin. Our program includes praise and plenty of time just to hang out and get to know each other. Come dressed in jeans, shorts or your favorite T-shirt and get ready to praise God. Everyone is welcome; we encourage you to bring a friend. Visit our website at wearethegroup.com and following us on Twitter and Facebook.

IT'S TIME TO HONOR OUR GRADUATES

Sunnyside will honor its 2011 graduates of eighth grade, high school, college, and advanced degrees on **Sabbath, May 28**. Please contact the church office (229-5501 or churchoffice@sunnysidesda.org) with the name of the student, parents' names, grade or degree, and any special awards or recognition for the graduate. **We also need a current photo and a baby/toddler picture for a slideshow presentation by May 24.**



WE NEED YOUR HELP

We could use your help in completing simple maintenance and repair projects around the church. Volunteers keep our budget in line as we continue to improve our church facility. Please note the project board hung in the hallway outside Angela's office. If there are areas where you or your friends can help, pick up a project card, follow the simple instructions, and have fun! Thanks for the hand. Talk to Rod Turley if you have questions, 647-7784.



60+ SINGLE WOMEN'S FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

Our next gathering will be at the home of Vickie Massee on **May 21** immediately following worship service. Vickie will provide lunch for all who attend. Please call Vickie (438-1597) for directions or call Lola Arteaga (323-6682) or Lena White (434-0772), if you have any questions.

JUNIOR BAPTISMAL CLASS

Pastor Dennis will teach a baptismal class for young people ages 10-13. It will meet at the church each Tuesday night, from 6:30-7:30, May 17-June 7. There is no cost to attend. To register your child or grandchild, please contact Pastor Dennis at 647-9485 or dennis@sunnysidesda.org.

OPEN HOUSE &

POTLUCK BBQ — THIS SABBATH

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GETTING TO KNOW OUR FRIENDS & FAMILY

Building Lives Through Relationships...

Women's Ministry Annual Tea

Sunday was our annual tea and fundraiser for Women's Ministry and we had over 130 in attendance. The afternoon was filled with great conversation, prize drawings, good food, a fun fashion show — all highlighted by a wonderful slideshow presentation of Venita Espinoza's and Valerie Robert's mission trip to Africa.

This year the ladies brought toiletries like toothpaste and toothbrushes, shampoo, deodorant, and soap that we delivered to the Rescue Mission on Wednesday. Additionally, we raised over \$2,400 for Women's Ministry! Thank you to everyone who had a part in making this such an awesome fundraiser.



THE LAST WORD



Cinco de Mayo (Spanish for "fifth of May"). It is celebrated nationwide in the United States and regionally in Mexico, primarily in the state of Puebla. The date is observed in the United States as a celebration of Mexican heritage and pride, and to commemorate the cause of freedom and democracy during the first years of the American Civil War. In the state of Puebla, the date is observed to commemorate the Mexican army's 's unlikely victory over French forces at the Battle of Puebla on May 5, 1862, under the leadership of General Ignacio Zaragoza Seguin.

Contrary to widespread popular belief, Cinco de Mayo is not Mexico's Independence Day the most important national patriotic holiday in Mexico, which occurs on September 16th.

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY
TO...**

Mack Fulkes (5/7)
Melva Delgado (5/9)
Justin Reijnders (5/9)
Patricia Barreto (5/11)
Benjamin Flores (5/13)

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
TO...**

Armando & Sherilynne Blanchet
(5/7)