

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

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 27, 2011

CHURCH LIFE

BBQ & BUSINESS MEETING

Everyone is encouraged to attend the barbeque and business meeting this Saturday at 5:30 p.m. We will discuss the finishing of our church and how we plan to raise the \$200,000 needed for the project. You will have an opportunity to ask questions as our church leaders will be on hand to explain in detail how we move forward in faith.

COMMUNITY TOWN HALL MEETING

There will be a neighborhood town hall meeting held at our church on Tuesday, November 1, 6:00 - 8:00pm. A local developer would like to build a 26-unit apartment complex on the adjacent two acres south of the church property. The entire community and church body is invited to attend this meeting to hear what the developer is proposing and to give feedback.

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Worship

Teach

Connect

Serve

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

**October 29, 2011
11:00 A.M.**

**“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”
“Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord”**

Welcome

Children’s Story
Dianne Dickerson

Offering
Ron Fitzgerald

Special Presentation

**“Worthy, You Are Worthy”
“Be Glorified”**

Prayer
Bud Dickerson

Special Music

Scripture
Colossians 3:15-17

“The People of Christ”
Pastor Dennis Ray

Benediction
Bill McEowen

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30

Early Youth Fall Party – The Vaughn Home 6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Women’s Friendship Circle Meeting – Youth Room 2:00 p.m.
Community Meeting regarding Proposed Land Development – Fellowship Hall 6:00 p.m.
Full Plate Class – Primary Class Room 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Finance Committee Meeting 6:30 a.m.
Deadline for Bulletin info: bulletin-staff@sunnysidesda.org 6:00 p.m.
Personnel Committee Meeting 6:30 p.m.
Women’s Bible Study – Marsh Home 6:30 p.m.
Sacred Rhythms Class 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Worship Committee Meeting – Pastor’s Office 7:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4

Youth Jam Session 5:30 p.m.
Creative Team Worship Meeting 7:00 p.m.

SABBATH, NOVEMBER 5

Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Potluck – Maroa Rooms immediately following worship service
Memorial Service for Robert Montgomery 4:00 p.m.

HEALTHY BYTES

Want to Try Quinoa But Don’t Know Where to Begin?

Quinoa & Black Beans

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| 1 T – Olive oil | ¼ t – Cayenne pepper |
| 1 – Onion, chopped | ½ cup – Cilantro, fresh & chopped |
| 3 – Garlic cloves, minced | 1 cup – Corn kernels, fresh or frozen (You can also just use a can of corn after drained) |
| ¾ cup – Quinoa, uncooked | 2-15oz cans – Black beans, rinsed & drained |
| 1 ½ cups – Vegetable broth | |
| 1 t – Ground cumin | |



Sauté onion and garlic in the olive oil until onions are translucent and tender. Add quinoa, vegetable broth, cumin, and cayenne pepper to sautéed mixture. Bring mixture to a boil, cover, reduce heat, and simmer for 30 minutes. Stir in corn, beans, and cilantro. Cook for an additional 5 minutes on low to marry the flavors. Of course, salt and pepper to taste. You can serve the Quinoa & Black Beans as a main dish with some corn chips and salsa. It would work great as a side dish too.

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

PREACHING SCHEDULE

November 5 — Pastor Ray
November 12 — Pastor Cal
November 19 — Pastor Ray

MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION SUMMARY

October Church Needs	\$28,000.00
Church Needs Donations	19,178.53
Over (Short)	(8,821.47)
Year to Date	\$280,000.00
Donations Received	211,595.14
Over (Short)	(68,404.86)
Youth Pastor Fund	\$18,205.17

This Week’s Offering
NAD Evangelism

Sunset

This Friday
6:08p.m.

Next Friday
6:00p.m.



YOUTH EVENTS

THIS FRIDAY

Vespers at Pastor Cal’s - 6:30pm

NOVEMBER 5

Canned Food Drive - 3:00pm
followed by a Taco Bell Feast & Bowling

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POTLUCK — NOVEMBER 5



Our next potluck will be November 5. Those with last names beginning **A-L bring crockpots filled with your favorite dish**; names beginning **N-Z bring dessert**. Salad and bread will be provided by the potluck committee. We hope you'll join us for lunch.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

Second Reading: Michael Bullion from Fresno Central. Soila and Cheyenne Evans to Clovis.

BARBEQUE & BUSINESS MEETING



Join us for an evening barbeque **this Sabbath at 5:30 p.m.** We'll enjoy an hour of fellowship and begin our business meeting at 6:30 p.m. We will discuss the finishing of our church and how we plan to raise the money for the project.

A HARVEST OF THANKS

Thank you to all who helped make the Harvest Carnival the most successful ever! The turnout was amazing, and we could not have pulled it off without all the help and support we received from so many different sources. So, to all of you very special people who helped with set-up, donations, music, venue, entertainment, food, game booths, and clean-up...Thank You! It is such a gift to have such a supportive congregation.

—Your Social Committee



A PLACE TO SERVE

Sunnyside has many places for you to serve in the church including the Personnel Committee. In the past we have asked the church body for nominations to this committee. Rather than having someone else nominate you, we would like you to prayerfully consider this position yourself. If you are looking for a place to serve the church in this or another capacity, please contact Bill Hartman. 799-0511 or williamrhartman1@gmail.com.

YOUTH PARENTS MEETING AT POTLUCK

Pastor Cal would like to meet with all youth parents during potluck **next Sabbath**. If possible, he'd like for the parents to sit and eat together. So make plans to stick around for potluck! Please let Cal know if you'll be there — you can call, text or email him at 367-7026 or calvinredman@gmail.com.

HOST REFRESHMENT TABLE

Dates available: **November 19, 26; December 10, 17**. Please sign up in the fellowship hall. Make it simple or go with a theme. *Reimbursement is available.*

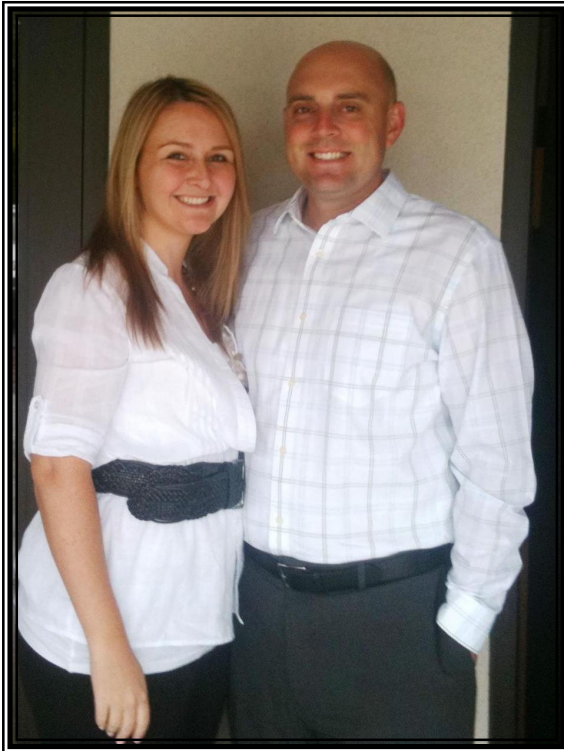
Please submit your bulletin announcements to bulletinstaff@sunnysidesda.org. All info is due by 6:00p.m. on Wednesday.

CHRISTIAN EDITION You won't want to miss Christian Edition on Saturday, **November 19 at 4pm** at Fresno Adventist Academy in the Ricchiuti Auditorium. Christian Edition Men's Chorus has been performing classic Christian hymns and selected contemporary sacred music around the world for over 30 years. Don't miss this **FREE** special concert. We are requesting pies and other dessert donations from church members for a bake sale that will follow the concert; the proceeds will enhance FAA's technology program. Delicious Asian food will be sold after the concert as well. For bake sale donations, please contact Gale Bolinger at 275-8975. Bring your friends to this outstanding event!

FAA ANNUAL HOLIDAY GALA

Fresno Adventist Academy's 12th Annual Holiday Gala for the Student Sponsorship Program is **Sunday, December 4 at 5:00 p.m.** RSVP for tickets to this festive, elegant, and heart-warming event by contacting Richelle Rickard, 273-4976 or rerrickard@faa.org. Tickets are limited. Complimentary child care is available.

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



**Kathryn & Kris
Keener**

**Bill & Denise
McEowen**



THE LAST WORD

Loma Linda Chinese Seventh-day Adventist Church

Sabbath - October 22, 2011

Welcome

Pastor J. Murdock

Our new YOUTH ASSISTANT



After spending his teenage years believing he was going to be a lawyer and then a sports journalist, God called J. to take a closer look at ministry. Three years into a degree in Pre-Law/Mass Communication, while working as a Task Force Intern in the Central California Conference, he decided to pack up all of his things and move to Riverside to essentially restart his college education. J. Murdock is currently completing his Religious Studies degree at La Sierra University and will graduate this year. While at La Sierra he met his beautiful girlfriend Rebecca and together they have grown closer to God and closer to each other.

While he is currently rooted in Southern California, his mother Laura lives in Canton, CT, his father Scott in Visalia, CA and his younger brother Wesley in Fresno, CA. J. enjoys playing and watching baseball, basketball, hockey, and tennis and is known to split his time between socializing at home and snowboarding down a mountain during the winter.

We look forward to the passion and talents that Pastor J. will bring to our youth!

J. practically grew up in Sunnyside and was an awesome Early Youth leader. We are extremely proud of him! We pray that God will bless him and his ministry as he follows God into this chapter of his life.

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY
TO...**

James Browning (10/29)
Chad Daniels (10/29)
Ian Stover (10/29)
Matthew Estep (10/31)
David Marshall (10/31)
Dennis "Mikey" Vasquez
(10/31)
Dorothy Winn (10/31)
Brian Birmingham (11/1)
Michelle McGuinn-Riofrio
(11/1)
Albert Smith (11/1)
Ivan Morford (11/3)
Isabella Soto (11/3)

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
TO...**

Chad & Jannine Fitzgerald
(11/1)