message

welcome message from pastor dan



YOU HAVE CHOSEN the perfect day to come to GGSDA! All of us are trying to figure out how to get the most pleasure possible out of the life we have here . . . and that is good! Purpose #1 was, God Created Us for His Pleasure, so even God is looking for pleasure in what he does! Tom Sine once said:"Happiness is the surprise of a life _____" To fill in the blank, listen to the

sermon. You may be surprised!

We have a terrific Praise Team leading out today! And we pray that this service will help you find your exact niche in the world as we look at Purpose #4: "YOU WERE SHAPED FOR SERVING GOD!"

Tonight's Family Life Dinner and Show has been postponed, due to the huge basketball game at the academy that our Orangewood Academy Girls' Basketball team will be playing tonight at 7 pm. You will want to attend so you can cheer the girls on as they go for a State Championship for the first time in history! And the Family Life event is rescheduled for March 24 with a whole new program that we think you will really enjoy—check out today's flyer in bulletin for the new details!

GO SPARTANS!

what we believe

I believe that the most important of all Christian beliefs is the one that brings joy and assurance to God's friends everywhere: the truth about our Heavenly Father that was confirmed at such cost by the life and death of His Son.

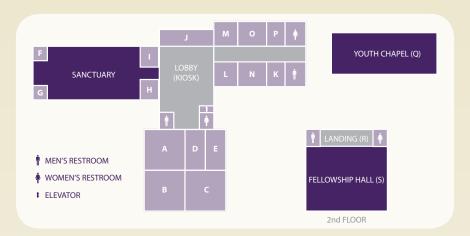
God is not the kind of person His enemies have made Him out to be: arbitrary, unforgiving, and severe. Jesus said, "If you have seen Me, you have seen the Father." God is just as loving and trustworthy as His Son . . . just as willing to forgive and heal. Though infinite in majesty and power, our Creator is an equally gracious Person who values nothing higher than the freedom, dignity, and individuality of His intelligent creatures—that their love, their faith, their willingness to listen and obey may be freely given. And it is his preference to regard us not as servants but as friends.

This is the truth revealed through all the books of Scripture. This is the everlasting Good News that wins the trust and admiration of God's loyal children throughout the universe!

Like Abraham and Moses—the ones God spoke of as His trusted friends—God's friends today want to speak well and truly of our Heavenly Father. We covet as the highest of all commendations the words of God about Job: "He has said of Me what is right."

-Graham Maxwell

general information



loc	name	sabbath school (9:30am - 10:45am)
А	Church Office	-
В	Community Service Room	Filipino Class
С	Pathfinder Room	Pastor Dan's Class
D	Board Room	Spanish Class
E	Library	Friends in Prayer (Adult Class)
F	Choir Room	-
G	Elder's Room	-
н	Mother's Room	Vietnamese Class
1	Deacon's Room	-
J	North Room	Tom Neslund's Adult Class
K	Storage Room	-
L	Cradle Roll Room	Cradle Roll Class
M	Kindergarten Room	Kindergarten Class
Ν	Primary Room	Primary Class
0	Junior Room	Junior Class
Р	Earliteens Room	Earliteen Class
Q	Youth Chapel	Youth Class
R	Fellowship Hall Landing	Contemporary Adults (future)
S	Fellowship Hall	Young Adults Class (9:45am - 10:45am)
	Sanctuary	-

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seventh-day adventist church

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prayer requests

Harmon, Judy	Sneed, Ted
Poole, Lila	

incoming members

Valsala Zachariah	Costa Mesa SDA Church

outgoing members

Marc Karsten	Corona SDA Church
Victoria Karsten	Corona SDA Church

upcoming events

Dates	Events
3/10 sab	Connecting Meeting @ 12:30 in the Board Room
3/11 sun	Daylight Savings
3/14 thu	Choir Practice @ 8:15 in the Sanctuary
3/16 fri	The Way @ 7pm in the Youth Chapel
3/17 sab	Children's Church @ 11am in the Youth Chapel
	Ministry Faire @ 12:30pm on the Back Patio
3/22 thu	Sports/Game Night @ 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall
	Choir Practice @ 8:15 in the Sanctuary
3/23 fri	Friday Night Live @ 7pm in the Fellowship Hall
3/24 sab	Filipino and Friends Potluck @ 12:30 in the Fellowship Hall
	Family Life Ministry Presents: A Night On the Town @ 7pm in the Fellowship Hall
3/27 tue	Church Board Meeting @ 7:30pm in the Board Room
3/28 wed	SECC Pathfinder Camporee
3/29 thu	Choir Practice @ 8:30pm in the Sanctuary
3/30 fri	Young Adult Open Mic Night @ 7pm in the Fellowship Hall
3/31 sab	Young Adult Gym Night @ 7pm in the OA Gym
	*Details on events are available at the Concierge Desk and

worship 10:50am - 12:15pm

FELLOWSHIP IN SONG			
WELCOME Shiphrah Fepulea'i			
HYMN OF PRAISE			
CHILDREN'S MOMENT Garrett Speyer			
WORSHIP IN PRAYERArt Morales			
WORSHIP IN MUSIC			
SCRIPTURE READING Elyse Briceno John 15:5,8,16			
WORSHIP IN SONG David & Cheryl Kharns			
MORNING MESSAGE Dan Smith You Were Shaped for Serving God			
WORSHIP IN GIVING Dan Smith			
OFFERTORY			
CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE			
BENEDICTION Dan Smith			
POSTLUDE			

Today's Worship Planner: Sheri Sinaga

Today's Deacons: Kevin Ebnit (Lead), Jonathan Campos, Cesar Castellanos, Albert Decena, Mike Dowser, Jerry Garcia,

Robert Hirschfeld, Robert Hirschfeld Jr.

Sabbath Rest Ends: 5:56pm Tonight - Sabbath Welcome Starts:

7:01pm Friday

Please remember to put your phones and pagers on silent. Thank you!

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community announcements

Connecting@GGSDA Lunch and Meeting Today!

There will be a Connecting@GGSDA team lunch and meeting in the Board Room today immediately following Divine Worship.

Church Retreat

Deposits to reserve your room or cabin for the church retreat must be received as soon as possible. Deposits are \$30 per family or \$20 per single person. Please fill out a registration form at the Concierge Desk. Enclose your deposit in a tithe envelope and drop it and your completed form into the Family Ministry box on the Concierge Desk.

Women of Faith

Women of Faith is coming to the Honda Center Friday night, September 14 and Sabbath, September 15 2012! Seats are available in the 200 level and the first row of the 400 level! Regular price is \$101 per ticket, but discounts are available for teachers and military families. Accommodations are available for those who have difficulties with height, stairs, walking, etc. Tickets are limited, so get your seats today. Call Melissa Briceno at 714 814 0484 or email Jasmine8097@yahoo.com for more information and to purchase your tickets.

Adventurers/Pathfinders

Sabbath, March 17, 2012: Pathfinder Meeting. Please meet in the Pathfinder room at 12:30pm or immediately following the church service. Lunch will be served!

The Pacific Union Camporee will be held Wednesday, March 28,through Sunday, April 1. Deadline to register is January 31, 2012. The registration fee is \$65 per person. Please see Sandra Caldwell for more information.

The Southeastern California Conference Pathfinder Fair will be May 20, 2012.

A Festival of Hymns

The Academy Choirs of Orangewood, La Sierra, Loma Linda, Lodi, Mesa Grande, Redlands, and San Diego will perform together as one voice singing many of your favorite hymns. Come and enjoy a wonderful evening full of music at the Loma Linda University Church on March 16 beginning at 7pm.

Church Office.