

## Garden Grove Seventh-day Adventist Church Pastor Dan's Communiqué

October 12, 2012

Dear GGSDA Church Family!

As the Sabbath slips into our world and God takes His seat at the table set for two to wait to see if you will join Him--may you feel the tug on your heart to enter into a Sabbath meal with Him! And may you truly "Delight in the LORD!" Isaiah 58:14.

**TONIGHT: THE WAY** is every Friday night now, 7 pm tonight in the Youth Chapel. The Chapel is full, it's the most happening event in Orange County. La Sierra University Church youth are busing down to be with us, and Pastor Toya, their youth pastor, will be speaking, and Pastor Garrett will lead the band. It will be a great night, guaranteed!

**SOUND SYSTEM:** The new system is in, the tech people were trained for several hours last night. May God bless us with a smooth first-day trial run! But we are all very excited and thrilled with this huge step up in our worship service, music ministry, drama, everything. Now we will move on to the rest of the Sanctuary Upgrade project.

YOUNG ADULTS: SANCTUARY, 9:30 Service. "We're continuing (the)Sanctuary October series, "This Generation", with our amazing Senior Pastor Dan tomorrow on our mission to Reclaim this Generation! His title is: "Kill a Few Snakes If You Need To!" from 2 Kings 18:4. Questions include: "Why do so many Young Adults leave church behind during the years behind HS and when they get married and start having children?" "How can you tell the difference between a part of the church or your beliefs that should stay true forever, and what parts lose their relevance and need to be swapped out for something new?" "When should you stick to the Old Wine, and when should you switch to the New Wine?" We're also launching our first Outreach tomorrow by (the)Sanctuary! It's an outreach mission on the hush so you want to come on time to hear Steven Morales dish out the details!" (Pastor Shiphrah)

9:30am Sanctuary Worship

10:30am Prayer Experience & 10min Party

10:45am Sanctuary Study

11:30am Divine Worship

**DIVINE WORSHIP: 11:30 am, in the Sanctuary.** Praise Team, the message on ""Hallowed Be Thy Name!", from the Lord's Prayer, the World's Greatest Prayer. And then the holy and sacred Lord's Supper. We have a world-class guest soloist, a recently converted woman who sang for my sermon for campmeeting this summer and is just amazing!

Vietnamese Fellowship: 4 pm, Youth Chapel.

**MEMORIAL SERVICE:** The service for Mark West will be Saturday night in the Sanctuary, at 6 pm, followed by a reception at about 7:30 in the Fellowship Hall.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD:** We will begin signups for those who would like to sponsor a "shoebox" gift to a child around the world. In the Narthex, with Dr. Melitza Brown.

**ORANGEWOOD FALL FESTIVAL**, Home & School, this **Sunday**, **Oct. 14**, **11-3**. Food booths, game booths, live & silent auction, always a fun day!

**ALUMNI TOURNAMENT**: October 21, Black Gold Course, Yorba Linda. A great course, see if you can beat the pastor, all the money goes for student aid at Orangewood! Call the Academy, <u>1-714-534-4694</u>.

Young Adults Small Groups: "Also! Our small group leaders have been hard at work to launch this month. October 19, Reach La Sierra, Jessica Chung. October 21, Young Professional Women, Rhonda Cort. October - Eric Smith - University, La Sierra. October - Elyse Briceno - OC, Collegiate Girls. Small Groups Already Active: OC, Collegiate Guys - Steven Morales. OC, Young Moms - Leah Smith. Contact Leah to join Young Moms on our Facebook group <a href="here.">here.</a> Contact Rhonda to join Young Professional Women on our website: <a href="here.">www.youngprofessionalwomen.org</a>."

Pastor Shiphrah

**INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL: SATURDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 27.** This was a huge event last year, you could hardly move around! We had like 20+ booths with terrific ethnic food all around the perimeter of the Fellowship Hall, the music was fantastic. Not many churches in the world have a Hall like ours, and could put on what we put on that night!

Doors will open at 6, Meal will be served at 7:00, the Program at 7:30. Sign up in the Narthex tomorrow!

That's the news, at GGSDA this week! Our condolences also the Burn family, for the loss of Patrick's brother this week. Services are

God bless you all! Pastor Dan