

message

welcome message from pastor dan



Were you thankful this week? When the first two Celebration Churches started up, years ago, in Loma Linda and Portland—the extreme conservatives complained that we had nothing to celebrate, that we should only be mourning over the state of the Church and that we are not

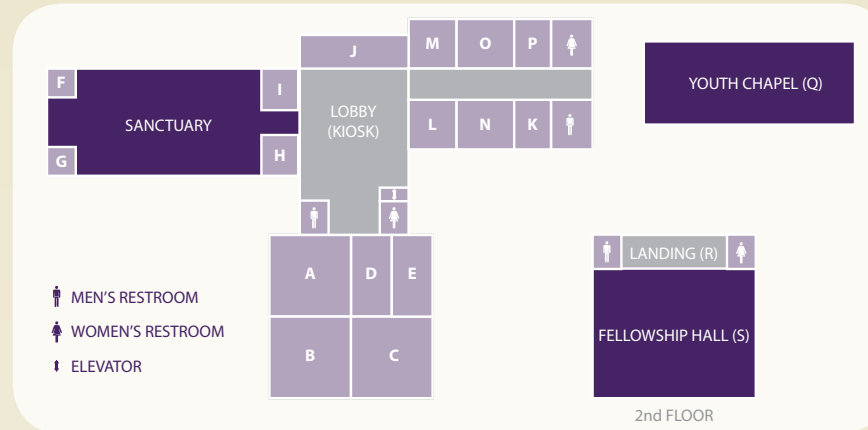
in heaven. OK OK! True enough! But are there not still long lists of things to celebrate and be thankful for? iPhones, microwaves, music. . . thankful that the sun comes up every morning, and that we get to live in Southern California. Our college kids are home this week, for family, our Church fed 350 for Thanksgiving, thanks to Mu, and Pako, and all the others who made it happen, and we hope you are thankful for GGSDA! GGSDA is thankful for you and that you are here today.

the SANCTUARY 9:30am: "GRACE: EVERY TIME!" Easily the most controversial of the three phrases in our Motto: Grace: Everyone. Everywhere. Every time! But we hope we can back it up. If we can't, then maybe there's no hope for any of us. May you hear grace more clearly today, and through this series, than you have ever heard it before!

DIVINE WORSHIP 11:30am: Today we finish going through *THE LORD'S PRAYER: THINE IS THE KINGDOM, THE POWER, AND THE GLORY*. When the sermon is finished, we will all stand and sing it with Kimber one last time for this series. May you experience *the Kingdom—and the Power—and most of all the Glory*, today and forever. Amen.

Pastor Dan

general information



loc	name	sabbath school (10:30am - 11:25am)
A	Church Office	-
B	Community Service Room	Filipino Class
C	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	-
H	Mother's Room	Vietnamese Class
I	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
N	Primary Room	Primary Class
O	Junior Room	Junior Class
P	Earliteens Room	Earliteen Class
Q	Youth Chapel	Youth Class
R	Fellowship Hall Landing	Contemporary Adults (future)
S	Fellowship Hall	<i>the Sanctuary</i> Study (Young Adults Class)

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welcome to
garden grove
seventh-day adventist church

November 24, 2012



grace | everyone | everywhere | every time

announcements & church news

prayer requests

Alonso, Noemi	Jolly, Linda
Cutchlow-Brooks, Pam	Sneed, Helen
Harman, Judy	

upcoming events

Dates	Events
today	Young Adult Gym Night at the OA gym (start time to be determined)
11/25 sun	Youth Paintball outing (see announcements for details)
11/27 tue	Finance Committee Meeting @ 6:30pm in the Board Room Church Board Meeting @ 8pm in the Board Room
11/29 thu	Choir Rehearsal @ 7:30pm in the Board Room
11/30 fri	<i>The Way</i> @ 7pm in the Youth Chapel Adventurer's Family Network meeting @ 7pm in the Fellowship Hall
12/8 sab	Orangewood Academy Choirs and Handbells @ 11:30am in the Sanctuary Fellowship Dinner @ 12:45pm in the Fellowship Hall Grace University @ 2pm in the Fellowship Hall with special guest, Rita Smith Sports Night @ 7pm in the Fellowship Hall
12/14 fri	Young Adult visit to Orangewood Children's Home (see announcement)
12/15 sat	Family Life Laser Tag (TBA)

*Details on events are available at the Concierge Desk and Church Office.

refreshments@elevenses

You are invited to enjoy Elevenses' hot and cold drinks and a variety of other refreshments at the refreshment island outside the Back Parking lobby entrance.

worship 9:30am and 11:30am



contemporary worship

9:30am

November's message series: *Grace*

divine worship

11:30am

WE GATHER GGSDA Praise Team

WELCOME Dan Smith

MORNING ANTHEM Covenant Singers

MORNING HYMN Hymn 557
Come, Ye Thankful People

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Kimber Parks, Tom Neslund

WE BAPTIZE Dan Smith, Le Cong Giao
Huỳnh Duy Thiệp, Lê Thị Báu

DRAMA GGSDA Drama Team

WE PRAISE GGSDA Praise Team

WE GIVE Tim Parks, Covenant Singers

WE REFLECT IN GOD'S WORD Dan Smith
THINE IS THE KINGDOM, THE POWER, AND THE GLORY

WE REFLECT IN SONG Kimber Parks
The Lord's Prayer

WE DEPART Dan Smith

Worship Planner: Lisa Bethen

Today's Deaconesses are: Carmen Montesa (Lead), Aleyda Castellanos, Luz Bella Magdaluyo, Zenaida Paclibar, and Norma Ramirez.

Sabbath Rest Ends: 4:45pm Tonight
Sabbath Welcome Starts: 4:41pm Friday

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

Our prayers are God's opportunities. —L.B. Cowman, *Streams in the Desert*

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community announcements

The Youth are Paintballing at SC Village Sunday, November 25 at 10am!

GGSDA Youth are going to SC Village to play paintball on Sunday, November 25. They will be starting at 10am. The charge will be \$50 per youth which includes the entry fee, gun, mask, air, and paint for the morning. Each youth is responsible for his or her own transportation to and from SC Village. SC Village's address is 8900 McCarty Road, Chino, California 92880. If you have any questions, please email Pastor Garrett at GarrettSpeyer@gmail.com.

Young Adults Need Your Attendance and Snack Donations for Their Annual Orangewood Children's Home Event Friday, December 14.

Young Adults are hosting their Annual Orangewood Children's Home Christmas Event to give the home's residents a night of fun and holiday cheer on Friday, December 14 from 6pm to 8pm. Orangewood Children's Home is Orange County's emergency shelter for abused and neglected children. If you are 18 or older (per agency regulations) please join the Young Adults in celebrating the season with these children who will not have the blessing of celebrating with their own loved ones. If you cannot attend, you can still help by donating snacks such as juice boxes, cookies, fruit snacks, Rice Krispy treats etc. for the evening. Donations can be given to a young adult or dropped off at the church office. Please contact Elianna Campos at 714 797-0515 if you have any questions.

'Tis the Season for Persimmons! Please Share Any Excess Persimmons (or other fruit) You Have Between Now and Christmas!

Connecting@GGSDA's Elevenses' refreshment committee would really appreciate any excess fruit—particularly persimmons—that you can share with us between now and Christmas. Many church members never enjoy this glorious gift from God, so you can make the holiday season extra special by sharing yours! We will also be grateful for avocados, figs, lemons, limes, or other fruit from your trees for Sabbath refreshments. The Connecting team would be glad to come and pick any fruit during the week if you would like. Please contact JoAnne Wall at 626 379-2701 or joannekaywall@yahoo.com if you have persimmons or other fruit to donate.