

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



June 7, 2013

Happy Sabbath to you all! Many of us are just getting ready to head down to the beach. It's not too late for you to join us! Starting the Sabbath at the beach is just such a cool blessing, and to have a baptism as part of it is just too good!

BEACH VESPERS & BAPTISM: 6-8 pm, Corona Del Mar. Take 55, 73S, MacArthur, to Pacific Coast Highway, Turn left going south, then in town turn R on Marguerite. At the beach turn right for about a block, then go down the hill if you want to pay \$15 for the parking, or park up on the hill for free and walk in. The baptism will be about 6:30, you climb over a rocky hill to the NE of the beach and parking area, and come upon a small lagoon where we do our baptisms. Come celebrate and welcome **Denise Naranjo** as she makes this huge commitment!

Then we will just hang out and welcome the Sabbath. It's potluck, bring some food along, some camp chairs, and enjoy God and His people!

SPECIAL GUEST: For both services tomorrow (9:30 and 11:30), are guest is Pastor Jesse Siebel. He is the youth director of the Hawaii Conference, has been a pastor over there for years, and grew up there. His wife is Shilhi, from our own Boloico family, and sister to Sonny, our drama director. He is a surfer, an activist, and they are among our favorite people in the world.

For Sanctuary we will have Silvino Briceno and Joel Tameifuna leading praise. For Divine Worship we have our Praise Team, and a wonderful singer, Jay Emery, singing special music. A great Sabbath!

TUITION AID OFFERING: We missed the special offering last week, and so will take a 2nd offering at the end of Divine Worship tomorrow. We need several thousand dollars to complete our commitment for over 30 kids and young people to Orangewood and to La Sierra University. If everyone could bring \$20 for each person in your family, that would be incredible, and we could pay all this off. You can't invest your money any place better than this, and get more long-term leverage. These kids could be the ones who will change the world, take the gospel to the end. Do whatever you can.

PASTOR'S BIBLE CLASS: 10:30 to 11:20, Pathfinder Room. "Seven Last Plagues," evangelism style! Imagine you're in a stadium filled with seekers in the Philippines or Russia or Ukraine or Tonga or Orange County, and you're in the valley of decision in the Last Days, and the lights go down and the screen goes up and the preacher gets anointed and preaches his/her heart out on the "Seven Last Plagues," Christ-centered, character-of-God-focused. That's what we're going to try to do tomorrow!

VIETNAMESE FELLOWSHIP: 4 pm, Youth Chapel. I have the message, we are expecting a full house, and we're going to rock!

REVELATION SEMINAR: Wednesday night, 7:30 to 8:45. The "Seven Trumpets!" Are these terrible 7 Trumpets all ancient history, or are there about to blow?

God bless you all! Pastor Dan