



# Garden Grove Seventh-day Adventist Church

## Pastor Dan's Communiqué



June 21, 2013

My dear friends all over OC and beyond!

As you can imagine, the countdown to Tonga has begun, and everybody is racing, and I have a list to race to this afternoon also! Please pray for us all, 77, as we pack and get on a plane Sunday night. We will meet at Orangewood at 6:45 if you want to come send us off, be part of a wonderful tradition of hugs and prayer as we go.

**OFFERING:** We announced last week that we will take a second offering tomorrow for Tonga. It will go for the evangelism and construction projects. We budgeted \$4000 for this offering, but we really need about \$7000 to restore where we had to borrow from those projects to pay for the crates, for customs and duties, and other disasters! We don't want any of your faithful tithe and offerings, that will all go in the first offering. We are hoping that everybody could do \$20 per person, others will do more as they are able, and somehow we will go with enough to at least do many of the items on their list from the churches and the Mission there. This is their one chance to get some help for a very isolated mission, and we would love to be able to help as much as possible.

We will have a lovely candlelit processional and dedication tomorrow, so I think it will be a great service at DIVINE WORSHIP (11:30). We have a baptism, a beautiful young Vietnamese woman who has studied with Pastor David. The message will be: "AN ACTS 2 CHURCH!"

**THE WAY:** 7:00 in the Youth Chapel, Pastor Garrett has a very cool theme he is doing, "ALTAR EGO," and tonight is on YES or NO to LIFE!!

**WELCOME THE SABBATH (7:30):** Join the John's Ministry and their families as they welcome the Sabbath in the Fellowship Hall tonight!

**SANCTUARY (9:30):** Our Young Adult service, with our new Worship leader Nathan Smith and his full band tomorrow, and **Pastor Shiphrah** giving the message!

**TONGA:** Line up for the Processional, and pick up your t-shirts in the Narthex after church.

**Filipino Fellowship:** After Church, Community Services center.

**Vietnamese Fellowship:** 4 pm, Youth Chapel. Everybody is excited, looking forward to our new young pastor coming July 15!

**Vespers (6:30):** Fellowship Hall.

We will do our best to stay in touch from Tonga! Hope you can all come tomorrow for the dedication, and for a great day of teaching, worship, and community!

God bless you all!  
Pastor Dan