

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



July 5, 2013

My friends--I have about 5 minutes to send out a quick note. We are having a great, but very challenging time. Trying to keep the funds moving to all the projects, supplies to the cementing projects, all the details for the evangelistic meetings--plus get ready to preach every night!

We had a special baptism this morning at Sheri Sinaga's church, as she had two baptisms but is flying home tonight. So a group of us went, and I baptized her two young people, a very special experience for Pastor Sheri!

The huge cement project at our downtown church is probably about 80% completed, we just got some more bags of cement, our college boys are killing themselves. Josh and Joel and Sal were up until 2 finishing the last section.

We are in the large hall, 500-600 people there last night, big group for Sandra's VBS. We do not know how many baptisms tomorrow, but there will be some. We had 5 take their stand yesterday, so we'll see how many come from the other sites. It is hard work here, different from the Philippines, but the people are just as special.

I've got to run, please support your home church there tomorrow and Pastor Garrett and his sermon. Meshach Soli is speaking for SANCTUARY, and is just terrific.

No potluck tomorrow, we are saving it for when we all get back next Sabbath, July 9.

One last announcement from Lizz Randall:

Bring a Gift for Babies Are Miracles from God Baby Shower Next Sabbath

A baby shower is being hosted by Women's Ministries next Sabbath, July 13 at the end of Fellowship Dinner. We are celebrating the birth of four mothers' babies who are newborn to 6 months of age. "Shower" these mothers and their babies with your love by planning ahead to bring a gift! Diapers, size 2-4, and wipes are always an easy, useful gift. If you know of a church member mother who just had a baby and would like us to include her and her baby please contact Lizz Randall at <a href="mailto:714.913-3903">714.913-3903</a> or <a href="mailto:LizzRandal@aol.com">LizzRandal@aol.com</a>, or contact the church office at <a href="mailto:714.534-1987">714.534-1987</a>.

God bless you all, see you soon! Pray for us. If you have any mission money sitting on the sidelines waiting for a project, let Silvino or Michele know--we're pretty desperate to finish the last couple projects here--tiling the boys dorm at the Academy, and the sound system for the Mission and downtown church to do all evangelism and music concerts. They have nothing.

Pastor Dan