

message

welcome message from pastor dan



TODAY IS BIG! Why is today *big*, you ask? Today is *big* because we have the La Sierra University Chamber Singers with us! Today is *big* because Tatiana will be baptized. Today is *big* because we will enjoy a terrific fellowship dinner after *Divine Worship*! Today is *big* because I missed being with all of you while I was

on the road speaking last week! I am glad to be home! And today is *big* because it is the first Sabbath after the Church Board voted a Church Master Plan for the next three and a half years that we will bring to the whole Church soon. The plan is *big*! The plan is *bigger* than any of us can really expect to accomplish without a string of miracles. But we have a *big* God who does *big* things! It is exciting and it starts TODAY!

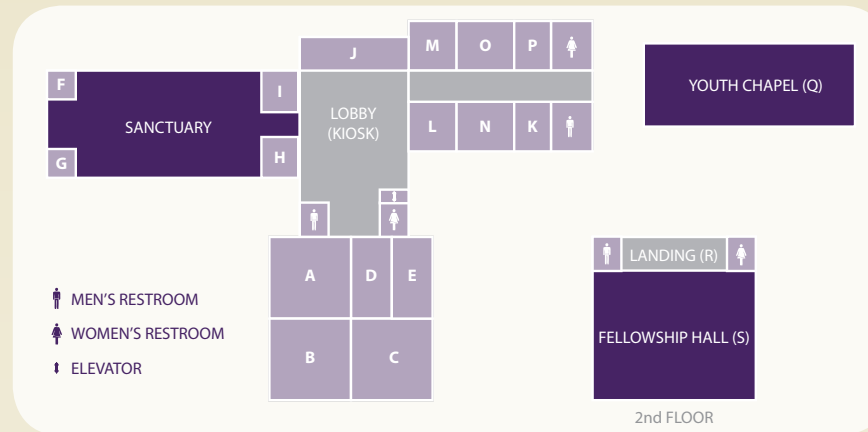
AGAINST THE GRAIN! We start this new November series today with a sermon, in both the 9:30am and 11:30am services, on the story of Daniel's three friends and the Fiery Furnace in Daniel 3. How do you know when you should stand up when everyone else is bowing down? What gives some the courage to stand against the tanks in Tiananmen Square while others just give in? Why are some willing to be "whistle-blowers" when others just put their heads down and go with the flow?

One of the greatest quotes is the famous quote in the book *Education* (57): "The greatest want of the world is the want of men who will not be bought or sold, men who in their inmost souls are true and honest, men who do not fear to call sin by its right name, men whose conscience is as true to duty as the needle to the pole, and men who will stand for the right though the heavens fall." May that be us at GGSDA!

May God bless you in our worship services today and with our love in the hallways and in our fellowship dinner immediately following *Divine Worship* upstairs in the Fellowship Hall!

—Pastor Dan

general information



loc	name	sabbath school (10:30am - 11:25am)
A	Pastor Dan's Office	Arthur Kiziak, Contemporary Bible Principles
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
S	Fellowship Hall	<i>the Sanctuary</i> Study (Young Adults Class)
	Sanctuary	-

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welcome to
garden grove
seventh-day adventist church

November 2, 2013



grace | everyone | everywhere | every time

announcements & church news

prayer requests

Alonso, Noemi	Krell, Bertie
Bravo-Escalante, Alicia	The Ron Reynolds Family
Cutchlow-Brooks, Pam	Ruiz, Ethel (M. Kiziak's mother)
Gibbs, Julia	Smith, Ruth
Harman, Judy	Sneed, Carol
Jolly, Linda	Storment, Michelle

upcoming events

Dates	Events
today	Fellowship Dinner @ 1:00pm in the Fellowship Hall GGSDA Leadership Meeting @ 3:30pm in the Fellowship Hall Vietnamese Fellowship @ 4:30pm in the Youth Chapel <i>Twilight Vespers</i> @ 5:30pm in the Fellowship Hall
11/3 sun	<i>An Evening with Lincoln at Gettysburg</i> in the Fellowship Hall at 7:00pm Daylight Saving Time Ends
11/4 mon	Church office will be close.
11/7 thu	Choir Rehearsal @ 7:30 pm
11/8 fri	<i>The Way</i> @ 7:00pm in the Youth Chapel
11/12 tue	Visioning Council @ 7:00pm in the Board Room

incoming members

Charmichael, Marvin	Westminster Good Sam SDA
Ford, Dana	Westminster Good Sam SDA
Ford, Shane	Westminster Good Sam SDA
Galbreath, Jacqueline	Westminster Good Sam SDA
Galbreath, Lemans	Westminster Good Sam SDA

worship 9:30am and 11:30am



Contemporary Worship Service

9:30am

This Month's Series: ***Against the Grain***

divine worship

11:30am

GATHERING SONG Praise Team
 WELCOME Dan Smith
 MORNING HYMN Hymn 647
Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory
 PRAISE AND ADORATION Praise Team
 COMMITTING TO GOD Dan Smith
 Tatiana Troche
 CHILDREN'S STORY Chris Small
 WORSHIP SONG La Sierra University
 Chamber Singers
 WORSHIP IN PRAYER Jacqueline Galbreath
 WORSHIP IN MUSIC La Sierra University
 Chamber Singers
 WORSHIP IN WORD Dan Smith
Against the Grain!
 WORSHIP IN GIVING Dan Smith
 OFFERTORY La Sierra University
 Chamber Singers
 BENEDICTION Sydney Wallace
 POSTLUDE Carol Meckstroth

Today's Worship Planner is: Tom Neslund
 Sabbath Rest Ends: 5:59pm Tonight
 Sabbath Welcome Starts: 4:54pm Friday
 Please remember to put your cellular phones and pagers on silent. Thank you!

You can't be good enough to deserve forgiveness. That's why we need a Savior.
 —Max Lucado

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community announcements

If You Are Newly Exploring God's Word, Enjoy A Contemporary Look at our Bible Principles Class in Pastor Dan's Office.

GGSDA is being blessed with a new adult Sabbath School class led by Arthur Kiziak called *A Contemporary Look at Bible Principles*. Meeting today in Pastor Dan's office, the class is discussing topics such as: *Is Jesus Divine?*, *Mechanics of Salvation*, and *Spiritual Anatomy*. If you are newly exploring God's Word, are a new GGSDA member, or a longtime Christian wanting a fresh look at important Bible principles join the class today!

Ask-A-Pathfinder and Help the Pathfinders Go to the International Camporee in Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

Does your yard need a renovation or perhaps some digging, gardening, or weed pulling? Are you considering painting before the holidays? Do you need help with cleaning your home or organizing paperwork, a closet, or your garage? The Garden Grove Pathfinder Club members will help you with your cleaning projects. They are raising funds for 25 Pathfinders to attend the 2014 International Camporee in Oshkosh, Wisconsin, and you can help by letting them help you with your projects! Their goal is to raise \$25,000. If you would like the Pathfinders help, please contact Sandra Caldwell at 562 773-9450 or scaldwell262@yahoo.com to discuss your needs and set a date and time. They will complete the task! Donations are appreciated!



Women's Ministry Christmas Tea Party Is Saturday, December 7.

Please join Women's Ministry for our annual Christmas Tea Party on Saturday, December 7, 2013 at 5:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. The cost is \$15 per woman. There will be tables of eight and the menu will include a variety of tea's, scones, fresh fruit, and finger sandwiches. There will also be a contest for most unique table setting theme. One place setting with decorations must fit in a 3x3 area. Women are encouraged to "dress up" in their finest with hats and gloves this year. Photo opportunity areas will be available.