

## message

### what we believe

I believe that the most important of all Christian beliefs is the one that brings joy and assurance to God's friends everywhere: the truth about our Heavenly Father that was confirmed at such cost by the life and death of His Son.

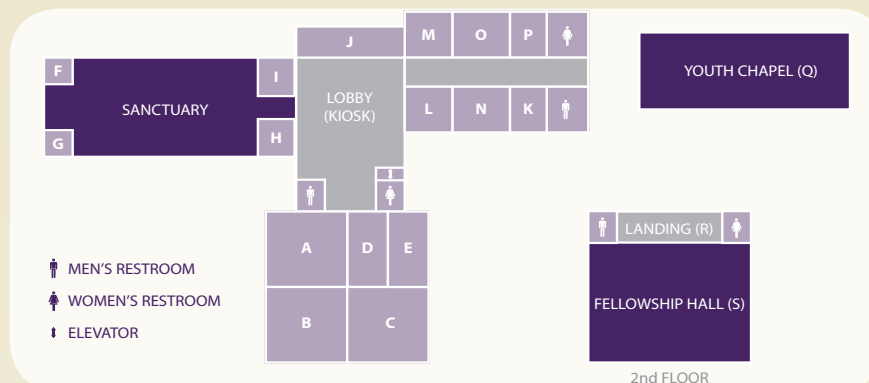
God is not the kind of person His enemies have made Him out to be: arbitrary, unforgiving, and severe. Jesus said, "If you have seen Me, you have seen the Father." God is just as loving and trustworthy as His Son . . . just as willing to forgive and heal. Though infinite in majesty and power, our Creator is an equally gracious Person who values nothing higher than the freedom, dignity, and individuality of His intelligent creatures—that their love, their faith, their willingness to listen and obey may be freely given. And it is his preference to regard us not as servants but as friends.

This is the truth revealed through all the books of Scripture. This is the everlasting Good News that wins the trust and admiration of God's loyal children throughout the universe!

Like Abraham and Moses—the ones God spoke of as His trusted friends—God's friends today want to speak well and truly of our Heavenly Father. We covet as the highest of all commendations the words of God about Job: "He has said of Me what is right."

—Graham Maxwell

## general information



loc	name	sabbath school (10:30am - 11:25am)
A	Pastor Dan's Office	Adult Class With Arthur Kiziak
A	Pastor Tony's Office	Friends in Prayer (Adult Class)
B	Community Service Room	Filipino Class
C	Pathfinder Room	Pastor Dan's Class
D	Board Room	Spanish Class
E	Library	Brazilian Fellowship
F	Choir Room	
H	Mother's Room	
I	Deacon's Room	
J	North Room	Tom Neslund's Adult Class
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	OC Grace First Study (Young Adults Class)
	Sanctuary	

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welcome to  
garden grove  
seventh-day adventist church

August 8, 2015



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## announcements and church news

### prayer requests

Amman, Travis	Krell, Bertie
Bravo-Escalante, Alicia	Lawrence, Glorene
Carriger, Brian	Ruiz, Ethel (M. Kiziak's mother)
Cutchlow-Brooks, Pam	Smith, Ruth
Gibbs, Julia	Sneed, Carol
Harman, Judy	Storment, Michelle
Haskins, Dolores	Von Freya Aesir, Thorbalduria
Jolly, Linda	Willis, John

Norman Morris, former GGSDA associate pastor, passed away Wednesday, August 5. Memorial service arrangements are pending. Our love, and prayers are with the Morris Family at this difficult time.

### upcoming events

Dates	Event
Today	Contemporary Service @ 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall
	Sabbath School Classes @ 10:30am
	<i>Divine Worship</i> @ 11:30am in the Sanctuary
	Camp Meeting Fellowship Dinner Celebration @ 1:00pm in the Fellowship Hall
	Filipino Fellowship Worship Service @ 2:30pm in the Community Service Room
	Vietnamese Fellowship @ 4:00pm in the Youth Chapel
	Youth and Young Adult Open Gym Night @ Orangewood Academy (See Pastors Sara-May or Tony for more information.)
8/9 sun	Youth Pool Party (See Pastor Sara-May for more information.)
8/12 wed	Nominating Committee Meeting @ 7:00pm in the Board Room
8/14 fri	<i>The Way</i> @ 7:00pm in the Youth Chapel
8/15 sat	<i>A Lil' Old Fashioned Family Fun</i> @ 7:30pm in the Youth Chapel

### A Grateful Thank You for Your Food Donations to Community Service

Community Service is very grateful for all of you who have donated food to help support the weekly food distribution program. We need your continued support and encourage your giving as you are able. You will find a list at the Concierge Desk of the types of foods we need most. If you would like a Charitable Donation Receipt, forms are available at the church office.

### Portuguese, Korean, Spanish, or Vietnamese Translation Is Available.

Radios for Portuguese, Korean, Spanish, or Vietnamese translation are available at the Concierge Desk in the Lobby.

### Radios are also available for the hearing impaired.

## worship 9:30am and 11:30am

# OC Grace First

Contemporary Worship Service

9:30am

Message Series: *Revealing the Lamb*

# Divine Worship

11:30am

SONG OF GATHERING . . . . . GGSDA Praise Team

MORNING HYMN . . . . . Hymn 294  
*Power in the Blood*

WELCOME . . . . . Dan Smith

WORSHIP IN PRAYER . . . . . Paula Holman

MISSION IN ACTION . . . . . GGSDA Missionaries

PRAISE AND ADORATION . . . . . GGSDA Praise Team

WORSHIP IN WORD . . . . . Dan Smith

WORSHIP IN GIVING . . . . . Ed Carceler

OFFERTORY . . . . . Silvino Briceno

BENEDICTION . . . . . Dan Smith

POSTLUDE . . . . . Carol Meckstroth

Worship Planner: Sylvia Urbina

Sabbath Rest Ends: 7:47pm

Sabbath Welcome Starts: 7:41pm Friday, August 14

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

*Satan's greatest weapon is man's ignorance of God's Word.*

—Unknown

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### community announcements

# CAMP MEETING 2015

Saturdays: August 8, 15, 22, 29  
11:30am - The Sanctuary



*Nurture your soul  
in worship services  
with a camp  
meeting flair!*

**CAMP MEETING  
FELLOWSHIP  
DINNER  
CELEBRATION**

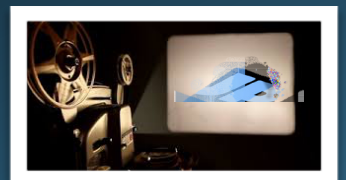
TODAY! 1:00pm

## A LIL' OLD FASHIONED FAMILY FUN

SATURDAY  
AUGUST 15

7:30 TO 10:30PM

-LOCATION-  
GGSDA OC GRACE



**BRING YOUR FAVORITE  
DESSERT TO SHARE!**



- OUTDOOR MOVIE (FEATURING "UP")
- BOARD GAMES
- FIRE PIT



BRING YOUR OWN LAWN CHAIRS