

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

September 25, 2015



My dear Saints--

In just a few minutes I need to race down to San Diego to speak for a campmeeting that my brother Richard is having. His speaker, a fantastic speaker and old friend of mine, Elder Bill Liversidge, passed away totally unexpectedly Wednesday morning. Just absolutely terrible. So I am helping him out by speaking tonight, and Pastor Sara-May is going down also and then speaking twice for the Sabbath services. So please understand if this is a little short!

For **DIVINE WORSHIP** we start a new series on the "**7 DEADLY SINS!**" This list has been around for over 1500 years, and many, many books have been written about them. They are not "deadly" because God will kill you--the sins themselves will kill you! So maybe we better know about them! Can you list any of them? Doing any of them?! If you're worrying and wondering, "Where's grace in this series?" Don't worry--there is ALWAYS grace in messages at GGSDA OC GRACE!

As part of the sermon, there will be a special dessert right after church for everybody--**strawberry shortcake-**-so allow 5 extra minutes after church to get some strawberry shortcake!

****DEDICATION OF ALL CHURCH OFFICERS--which means if you said "YES" to any church office at all--we want you to be there if at all possible--and stand and let God "anoint" you into that ministry and service. Several Unions in Europe this week decided not to have any more special "ordinations" for pastors, just a prayer service, equal for both men and women. So this prayer for you will just about exactly like that!

This is a NO THE WAY weekend, but back next week--always 1st and 3rd Friday nights in the month.

OC GRACE FIRST at 9:30am, Sabbath Schools everywhere at 10:30, DIVINE WORSHIP at 11:30, with a choir and a couple great songs.

VIETNAMESE FELLOWSHIP (4:30pm) in the Youth Chapel.

COMING UP:

100th Anniversary of Southeastern California Conference, Sunday, October 4, La Sierra University, 10:30-3:00 pm.

Los Alamitos becoming a Church--October 17, Sabbath morning **And see posters about the Sanctuary that will be erected there soon with tours.

International Banquet, Saturday night, October 10!

God bless--Pastor Dan