

message



welcome message from pastor dan

MERRY CHRISTMAS . . . THE MORNING AFTER! We hope that you had a lovely time with your family and friends. And we are happier still that you are with us today celebrating Christmas again with your church family! We pray that you will feel

the deep pleasure of being in the *presence* of Jesus Himself, "God with us" . . . the One about whom the angels said: "Be not afraid, for we have Good News of Great Joy!" As you sing about it today, may the joy of the holy angels, who stand every day in the presence of God Himself, make your heart beat a little faster!

We hope that you have received well this week, and given well. Now we ask that you give well to God! Sometimes as you pay through your stack of bills, God and the Church and the missions become just more bills to pay. And in December, there is always one more solicitor, one more charity with a request. But our giving to God's work is never that—it is giving to God Himself. And He feels and hears and sees all. The moment someone is moved in their heart to give to God, He feels and hears and sees it instantly!

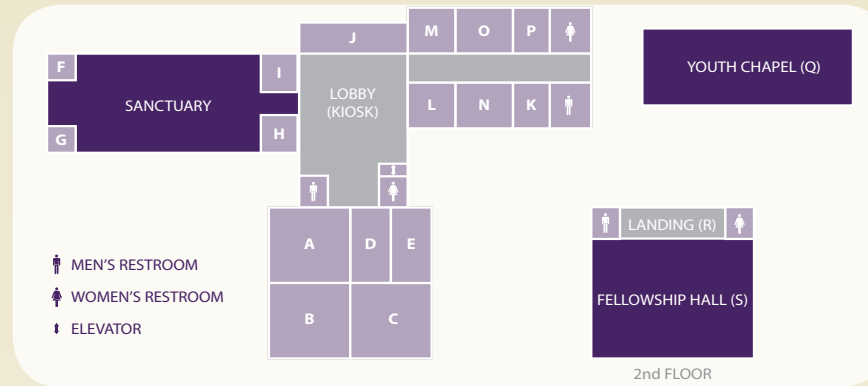
Our giving lets Him know that despite all the others who ignore Him or use His Name in vain or worship counterfeit gods or believe terrible things about Him or do not even believe He exists . . . that there is at least one group of people who love Him, that revere His Name, and who long to be with Him face-to-face not just for a thousand years but for eternity. *He is Who you give to!*

We are praying that you, and the whole church of people who identify with Garden Grove and OC GRACE, will close the year by giving back to God an absolutely faithful tithe and as much Church Budget as you can give—3 to 4% of income if at all possible . . . adding your vote to this church being the best it can be in 2016! If you want these tithe and offerings to "count" in 2015, they have to be at the church or postmarked by midnight, December 31!

God bless,

Pastor Dan

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

December 26, 2015



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announcements and church news

prayer requests

Amman, Travis	Lawrence, Glorene
Bravo-Escalante, Alicia	Malos, Norine (JoAnne Wall's Sister)
Cutchlow-Brooks, Pam	McCoubrey, Julie
Harman, Judy	Ruiz, Ethel (M. Kiziak's mother)
Haskins, Dolores	Smith, Ruth
Jolly, Linda	Von Freya Aesir, Thorbalduria
Bertie, Krell	Willis, John

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
	Filipino Fellowship Dinner at 1:00pm in the Community Service Room Filipino Fellowship Worship Service @ 2:30pm in the Fellowship Hall Vietnamese Worship Service @ 4:30pm in the Youth Chapel
12/28 mon	Youth and Young Adult Skiing and Snowboarding Trip
1/2/16 sat	New Year Fellowship Dinner Celebration @ 1:00pm in the Fellowship Hall



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worship 9:30am and 11:30am

OC Grace First

Contemporary Worship Service
9:30am

Message Series: **Jesus Uncensored**

Divine Worship

11:30am

SONG OF GATHERING GGSDA Praise Team
HYMN OF PRAISE Congregation
Joy to the World

WELCOME Dan Smith
WORSHIP IN PRAYER Tim Parks
WORSHIP IN SONG Kimber Parks
WORSHIP IN GIVING Dan Smith
OFFERTORY David Kharns
PRAISE AND ADORATION GGSDA Praise Team
WORSHIP IN WORD Dan Smith
SONG OF RESPONSE Patrick Lockett
BENEDICTION Dan Smith
POSTLUDE Carol Meckstroth

2015 Church Budget: \$263,520
2015 Year-to-date Church Budget: \$205,241
GGSDA Capital Expense: \$8,000
Amount Needed: \$66,279

Worship Planner: Kimber Parks

Sabbath Rest Ends: 4:49pm
Sabbath Welcome Starts: 4:53pm Friday, January 2

Thank you for putting your cellular phones and pagers on silent.

May God continue to bless you in the new year.
—GGSDA

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