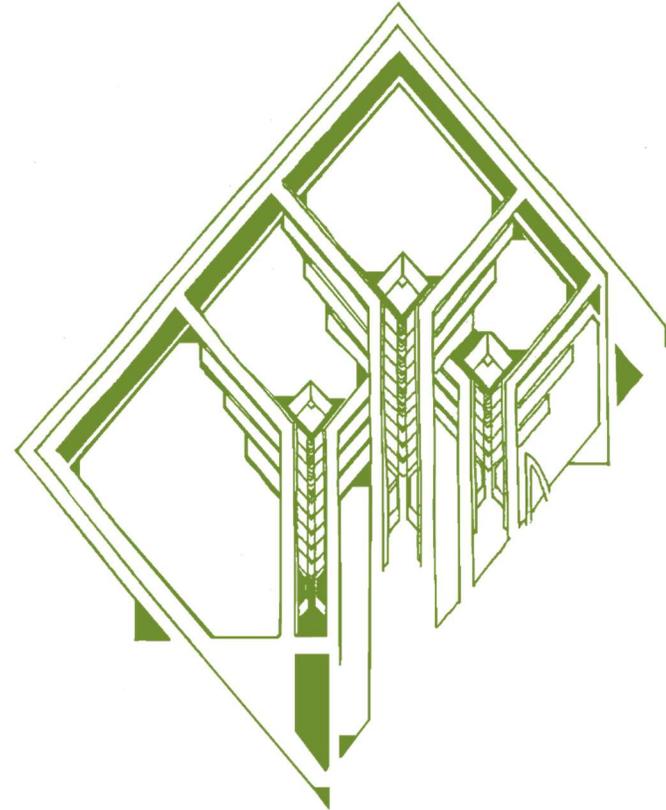


Text Messaging

To join the Pray Chain and receive notifications of current prayer requests contact Douglas Motsenbocker. If you have a prayer need, contact Velma (310-8042) or Doug (310-7604).

April 1, 2023



Hosts today: Tim Reeder, Karen Reeder, Laura Silva
Bulletin Board: Andrea Culver and DeLauna Lockwood
Sabbath Ends Today at 7:18 pm Next Week Sabbath Begins at 7:23 pm

Porterville Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Highway 65 and Linda Vista

Porterville, California

We Gather to Worship

April 1, 2023

10:45 am

Praise Time

Becky Speer

Welcome & Announcements

A Psalm of Praise: Psalm 138

Pastor Rob Wilcox

Worship in Giving: "Local Church Budget"

Jonathan Kurts

Children's Offering/Story

Pastor Rob Wilcox

Hymn of Praise #462 "Blessed Assurance"

Homily

Pastor Rob Wilcox

Rite of Cleansing

Responsive Reading: Psalm 130

Pastor Rob Wilcox and Stan Wolfe

Musical Meditation

DeLauna Lockwood

Worship in Prayer

Pastor Rob Wilcox

Hymn of Meditation, #403: "Let Us Break Bread Together"

Celebration of Our Lord's Supper

Worship in Song #350: "Blessed Be the Tie that Binds"

Benediction

Pastor Rob Wilcox

Welcome to the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Porterville

Sabbath School Bible Discussion

9:30 a.m.

Series Title:

Three Cosmic Messages

This week:

Lesson 1 "Jesus Wins—Satan Loses"

Next week:

Lesson 2 "A Moment of Destiny"

Adult class is in the Sanctuary.

This Week

Today

2:00 pm

Great Controversy Distribution

Wednesday

4:00 pm

Great Controversy Book Prep

6:30 pm

Prayer Meeting

Next Sabbath

9:30 am

Sabbath School, all ages

10:45 am

Divine Worship

So You'll Know

News Sheet for the Porterville Seventh-day Adventist Church

April 1, 2023

Today

Offering:

Today's offering features our Local Church Budget. Our budget funds a broad variety of categories for our local church, such as nurture, office expense, outreach to the community, church maintenance and utilities and support for our church sponsored school. Please mark your envelope for your tithe and other donations. All loose offerings go to the Local Church Budget.

February Budget Report:

Income	Needed Monthly	Balance
3186.95	14,945	-25,786.57

For Your Information

SVJA March Prayer Partners

This month we will be praying for the Staff at SVJA. Remember these hard-working servants in prayer this week: Amy Evans TK & K, Joshua Rivas Elementary Aide, Elizabeth Peterson grades 1 & 2, and Diana Ward grades 3 & 4.

Tuition Assistance for 2023-24

Families who anticipate needing tuition assistance for next school year at SVJA should apply for the Three Way Match. Pick up the form at the school and turn it in by April 15. Deadline is near!

Mandarins

Mandarin oranges are available in the kitchen. Please help yourself.

A Special Need

Many farm workers in Porterville have lost nearly everything in the recent flooding of their homes. There has been an appeal to our church for long-sleeved shirts for these farm workers. Please bring the shirts to the fellowship hall.

Soquel Camp Meeting 2023

We are excited to announce that the SOQUEL CAMP MEETING will take place at the beautiful SOQUEL campground from July 13-22, 2023! The online registration process will be based on a first-come, first-served basis and commence at 7 pm on March 13, 2023. Don't miss your chance to register early and secure your spot!

Visit <https://www.cccadventist.org/campmeeting> for more information and to register.

Boy's and Girl's Retreats

The CCC Teen Girls & Teen Guys Retreats are happening next month! Please share the attached flyers with any teens or parents of teens! The purpose of the retreats are to help young girls and young men know and establish their identity in Christ. They will include powerful worships, prayer, Bible study, small group discussions, and delicious food all geared for teens and their chaperones!

1. Girls Retreat April 21-23 is for teen girls Ages 13-18 (in high school) The price is currently \$70 for each girl and this covers food, lodging, and registration. ALL GIRLS MUST be accompanied by a female chaperone or sponsor (\$70 for registration). Each chaperone can be responsible for up to 5 girls. Register here: <https://cccgirlsretreat23.eventbrite.com>
2. Guys Retreat April 28-30 is for teen guys Ages 14-18 (in high school) The price has increased and is now \$30 for each teen and this covers food, lodging, and registration. We require that every guy be accompanied by a male chaperone or sponsor (\$30 for registration). Each chaperone can be responsible for up to 5 teen guys. Space is limited. Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/teen-boys-retreat-tickets-558249107107>

Membership Transfer

First Reading: Amanda Paulson Gagnon transferring to the Gardner SDA Church in Westminster MA.