

THE CHURCH AT STUDY

March 13, 2010

9:20 AM

Children's Sabbath School: Lower Level

Adult Sabbath School: Sanctuary

Superintendent:

Marlena Dupas

Sabbath School Study - 9:55 AM

“The Fruit of the Spirit is Righteousness” (Adult Quarterly)

Teacher and Location

Tony Valdez - Adult Quarterly
Sanctuary

Peter Stickney - Adult Quarterly
Room by the Organ

Pastor Roldan Abello - Filipino Tagalog Class
Room by the Piano

Mike Martell - Deacons' Study Hour
Room by the Resource Room

Tim Peters - New Young Adults Sabbath School
Tower Room

Pastor Mark Ferrell - Pastor's Class for Visitors and New Adventists
Seminar Room (Lower Level)

Welcome to Central Adventist Church as we celebrate again the Sabbath day: a symbol of Creation and Redemption. We are glad you're with us in this wonderful old building and wonderful Church Family---both building and congregation have a long and interesting history of service to God. The worship of our Creator and Redeemer is a blessing anytime, but it's even more meaningful in the company of people we love, either new friends or old. Visitors please join us for our Fellowship Meal in the Loughborough Center following the worship service.

THISAFTERNOON

12:30 PM - Deacons' Meeting
2:00 PM - Christ Magnified Class: *Doug Batchelor Series*
5:30 PM - Registered members of the Bible Study Fellowship Class

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Church Board Recommends:

Second Reading - Transfer In:

Tim Peters from Sawyer, MI

OFFERING EMPHASIS

Today - Adventist Radio/World
March 20 - Central Church Budget
March 27 - Conference Faith Advance
April 3 - Central Church Budget

LOOKING AHEAD

Health Seminar 2:00 PM **March 20**
Young Adult Rally **March 27**
Communion **April 3**
Deaconesses' Meeting **April 3**
Elders' Meeting, 6:30 PM **April 13**
Board Meeting, 7:15 **April 13**
Church Camping Trip **May 28-31**
Bible Study Week, 6:00 PM **June 6 - 11**
Bible Study Week, 6:00 PM **June 20 - 26**
Church Retreat **July 2-4**

Monday Night Bible Study - The series, *Following in Christ's Footsteps: A Study of the Life of Christ in the Gospels*, is being taught by *Donna Cline* at **7:00 PM** in the Seminar Room.

Wednesday Prayer Service begins at **10:00 AM** in the Seminar Room.

Wednesday Bible Study begins at **7:00 PM** in the Seminar Room.

Friday Night Young Adult Vespers, 7:00 - 9:00 PM in the Loughborough Center at 1844 Broderick Street. Our Parking lot on Pine Street is available

Sabbath, March 20 - *Pastor Mark Ferrell* will be the speaker for our Worship Service.

Ministry Meal - You are invited to a Sabbath Ministry Meal on **March 27**. Please bring no food that day because it is not a potluck; however bring something from the Word of God to share with those at your table.

Communion - If you know of anyone who is home-bound but would like to partake in our next communion on April 3, please let any of the elders or deaconesses know ahead of time so arrangements can be made to bring the sacrament to their home.

Parking Lot - A reminder: If you need to park in the center of the parking lot, please move your car right after the service today so that other cars can leave as well.

SUNSET tonight - 6:15 PM; next Friday - 7:21 PM Daylight Savings Time

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

March 6	Deisha Buffington	March 11	Pamela Temple
March 8	James Torres	March 13	Mavis Dean
March 8	John White	March 23	Erika Torres
March 11	Maria Manurung	March 29	Clifford Higginbotham

MARCH PRAYER LIST

S. F. Central Church Family
San Francisco Adventist School, Our Young Adults Rally
Evangelism, Job and Housing needs,
Our members in the Military and their Families
Haiti and Chile Earthquake Victims
Government Legislation

Special Prayer Requests:

Medical: *Alice, Dr. Wong*
Special Needs: *The Dupas Family, James, Pam's Family,*
The Hudgins-Tongol Family

This list is updated every month. If you have a request and would like to have the congregation pray over it and also have it listed in the church bulletin, please fill out a request form and put it in the prayer box by the pulpit..

6:15 AM is Adventist Prayer Time around the World

MEDIA LISTINGS

3 ABN Live	www.3abn.org	618-627-4651
ACN	www.acnsat.org	800-226-1119
Amazing Facts	www.amazingfacts.org	916-434-4388
Between the Lines	www.btlministries.org	800-298-9496
Breath of Life	www.bolministries.com	877-265-6333
Faith for Today	www.lifestyle.org	888-940-0062
Freedom's Ring	www.churchstate.org	805-413-7396
Hope Channel	www.hopetv.org	301-680-6689
It Is Written	www.iiw.org	805-433-0210
La Voz de la Esperanza	www.lavoz.org	805-955-7641
LifetalkRadio	www.lifetalk.net	615-469-5122
The Quiet Hour	www.thequiethour.org	800-900-921
Voice of Prophecy	www.vop.com	805-955-7611
Bible Studies	www.biblestudies.com	
Bible Studies for Kids	www.kidzvp.com	

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WORSHIP SERVICE

March 13, 2010

10:50 AM

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Hymn of Praise

In Times Like These # 593

Tithes and Gifts of Love

Children's Offering for Student Financial Aid Fund

Doxology: *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow #694*

Children's Story

Myriam Reginato

Special Music

Until Then

Eileen Beale & Deise Santos

*Now, Dear Lord, as we pray,
take our hearts and minds far away
From the press of the world all around
To Your throne where grace does abound.
May our lives be transform'd by Your love,
May our souls be refreshed from above.
At this moment, let people everywhere
Join us now as we come to You in prayer.*

Congregational Prayer

*I Cast all my Cares upon You
I Lay all of my Burdens, down at Your Feet
Anytime, I don't know just what to do,
I will Cast all my Cares upon You*

Scripture Reading

Psalms 1
Gilda Inaudi

Sermon

Understanding Daniel 1
Pastor Mark Ferrell

Hymn of Response

O Brother, Be Faithful # 602

Postlude

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Platform Coordinator: Ben Tivao
Accompanist: Salle Yoo

Deacon in Charge: Julieto Almacin
Greeters: Dean Gain & Priscilla Der

The famous astronomer Athanasius Kircher, having an acquaintance who denied the existence of a supreme Being, took the following method to convince him of his error, upon his own principles. Expecting him upon a visit, he procured a handsome globe of the starry heavens, which he placed in a corner of the room where it could not escape his friend's observation. The latter seized the first occasion to ask where it came from and to whom it belonged.

"Not to me," said Kircher; "nor was it ever made by any person, but came here by mere chance."

"That," replied his skeptical friend, "is impossible. You surely jest."

Kircher then took occasion to reason with his friend upon his atheistic principles. "You will not," said he, "believe that this small body originated by mere chance; yet you would contend that those heavenly bodies of which this is only a faint and diminutive resemblance, came into existence without order and design."

By this chain of reasoning, his friend was at first confounded, next convinced, and ultimately he joined in "a cordial acknowledgment of the absurdity of denying the existence of a God."

So eminent an astronomer as General Mitchel, who understood the voices in which the heavens declare the glory of God, who read with delight the word of God embodied in worlds, and who fed upon the written Word of God as his daily bread, declared, "We find an aptness and propriety in all these astronomical illustrations, which are not weakened, but amazingly strengthened, when viewed in the clear light of our present knowledge."

Herschel says, "All human discoveries seem to be made only for the purpose of confirming more strongly the truths that come from on high and that are contained in the Sacred Writings."

The common authorship of the worlds and the Word becomes a necessary conclusion. Would that men sought more diligently in the Word for the scientific truths there declared far in advance of their discovery!

"Who hath measured the waters in the hollow of His hand, and meted out heaven with the span?" "Mine hand also hath laid the foundation of the earth, and My right hand hath spanned the heavens." —

By Ernest Lloyd, Signs of the Times, November 12, 1918.