The Church at Study

9:30 a.m.

Adult Bible Study Classes

Children & Youth Sabbath School Classes

Cradle Roll	0 - 3 years	Cradle Roll Room
Kindergarten	4 years - K.	Kindergarten Room
Primary	1st - 4th grades	Primary Room
Junior	5th - 6th grades	Junior Room
Earliteen	7th - 8th grades	Earliteen Room
Youth	9th - 12th grades	Youth Room

NEXT SABBATH: December 17, 2016

Message: Pastor Erwin
Offering: Church Budget
Fellowship Luncheon served

Deacon: Gladie Sulit **Sunset:** 4:45 pm



We Welcome You

Church Address:

3975 East Las Posas Road Camarillo, CA 93010

Office Hours: 9:30 am-1:30 pm M-F Phone: (805) 482-4632 Fax: (805) 445-7725

"The Pantry"
Food Share for needy families
Tuesdays, 4:00-6:00 pm



SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

The CAMARILLO SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

desires that today you will experience the love of Jesus Christ, and the "Blessed Hope" of His soon return. Thank you for sharing this Sabbath day with us! If you're looking for a spiritual home, we invite you to join our church family.

OUR VISION STATEMENT: We exist to know Christ through: Loving Him, Serving Him, Sharing Him.

If you would like to view/listen to a previous sermon go to our website and click on "Video Archives". For an audio CD copy from the Audio-Visual Dept. order on a "Welcome" card and enclose a donation of \$3.00 each in an offering envelope marked "Sermon CD". Hearing Assistance Devices can be checked out from the A/V booth.

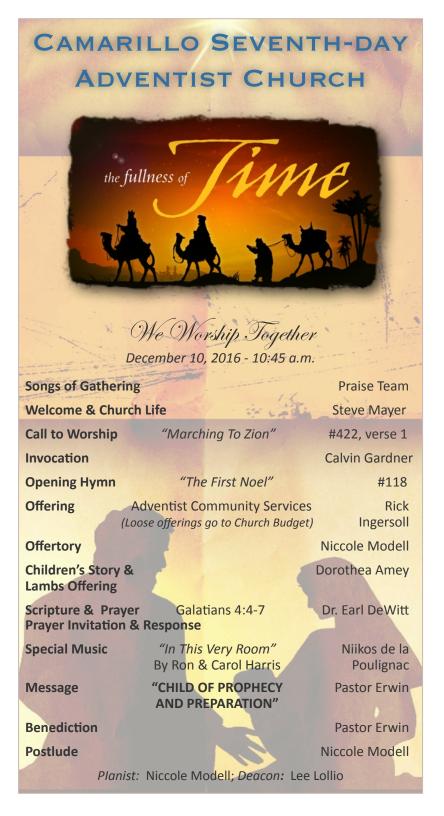
Church Web Site: www.camarillosda.org

To watch the live broadcast of our Sabbath School & Worship Services, go to the video player at the bottom of the home page.

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Church Life

WELCOME! We're glad you're here to worship and praise the Lord, our Creator and Redeemer. New guests are invited to fill out a welcome card.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS – SECOND READING: *IN:* William and Donna (Branstrom) Calkins FROM Ventura SDA Church, Ventura, California.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS – FIRST READING: <u>OUT:</u> Dennis and Rashelle Stirewalt TO Madison Campus SDA Church, Madison, Tennessee.

A CALL FOR XMAS COOKIES: Thank you for bringing your favorite holiday cookies or bars (2 or 3 dozen) on <u>Fri. evening</u>, <u>Dec. 16</u> for the reception to follow our Christmas Candlelight Concert.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON NEXT SABBATH, DEC. 16: Please bring a favorite vegetarian dish (seasonal or otherwise) with extra servings for our visiting guests.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU to Suny Lopez Moya and her beautiful musicians and all who helped make last week's Christmas Choral Service so extra special. A special thanks also to Dr. Gene Modell for his behind-the-scenes coordination and "pulling it together".

December - Celebrating Our Savior's Birth:

Today, December 10:

• 10:45 am: "CHILD OF PROPHECY & PREPARATION" - message by Pastor Erwin.

December 16:

7:00 pm: CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT CONCERT: Come and enjoy
this lovely <u>Friday evening</u> tradition in our Camarillo Church
sanctuary. Seasonal music, warm ambiance, refreshments. All
are welcome! Invite your family, friends & neighbors.

December 17:

- 10:45 am: "GIFT WRAPPED" message by Pastor Erwin.
- 5:00 pm: "ADVENT EVENSONG"- featuring the lovely *Oratorio* de Noël by Camille Saint-Saëns. Ventura SDA Church. 6300 Telephone Rd. Free admission. More info: 805-641-9646

December 24:

• 10:45 am: "FAMILY CHRISTMAS WORSHIP" - with songs and readings of the season by our Church Family.

COURTESY REQUEST: Please silence all cell phones etc.

IN DEEPEST SYMPATHY: We are sad to announce that Kami Berry's father, **Robert Cummings**, passed away on November 30, 2016. Please remember the family in your prayers at this difficult time. Condolences may be sent to: Kami & Dennis Berry, 726 W. Elm St., Oxnard, CA 93033-3138.

THE PANTRY THANKS YOU for helping us serve our neighbors in need through your kind and generous contributions of cash, food, and household items. You are making a difference!

THE "WHOLE" CONFERENCE is coming Sun., Feb. 19, 2017! See flyer for details. Special 2-for-1 Offer! If you are a church member and invite a non-member, your cost is only \$79 (it's like getting 2 half-price tickets!) Limited time only - until Dec. 31, 2016. Enter Code 241 when you register online. Enter your name and your guest's name, email and phone number (in the comments box). www.wholeconference.org

Praying for God's Family

"Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours." Mark 11:24 (NIV)

PRAYER REQUEST FORMS are in the church pews and may be placed in the Prayer Box in the foyer. When your prayer needs have changed, please contact Prayer Ministry leader Anne Curry (805-987-1365) or the Pastor with an update. Thank you. *PLEASE NOTE:* We're starting a new prayer request list in Jan. 2017. Submit your new requests (or re-submit requests currently published) by phone or email to the church office or the pastor. Thank you.

IF YOU HAVE A SPECIAL PRAYER REQUEST, there is a prayer group meeting right after the church service each week in the Mothers' Room. Please feel free to join us for prayer.

PRAISES: The excellent Christmas music service last Sabbath - choir, singers, instrumentalists; what a beautiful and inspirational program!

HEALTH CONCERNS: Joy Lee, Rick & Nanette Ingersoll's daughter (recovery from surgery) as well as Rick's mother (recovery from a hospital stay); Donna Cummings (surgery recovery); Dennis (VOP Bible School student) - heart rhythm issues; Sigi; Georgie Livingston (frail;-injury recovery); Ghanim Elias (neck surgery recovery); Lisa; Geraldine Pratt (upcoming surgery); Dr. Eric Kinsley; Evelyn Lidstrom's cousin Jimmy Gustafson (serious medical issue); Dollie Wells, Nikkos de la Poulignac's mother; Ashley Allen; Ellis C.; Carol Taylor; Sandy Leon; Virginia Muff; Merle Evelyn, her aunt Jane Cadle, her daughters Michelle & Prudence, her son Ivan and granddaughter Nicole McCoy; Madison Jones; Carlos & Judy Romero (parents of Carlos Romero, Jr.); Dave Pennock's mom, Joanne (stroke recovery); Naomi Turner; Jim Douglas; Shirley Bellew; Mike & Joanne Godfrey's grandson Michael; Jim & Ann McClintock.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{OTHER NEEDS:} & Our country. Victim of disasters. Revival for our church. \\ Sandy Leon (family). \\ \end{tabular}$

BEREAVEMENT: Susie Potts and family in the loss of her father, Gerald Zeller.

Scripture for the Day

⁴ But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, ⁵ to redeem those who were under the law,



that we might receive the adoption as sons. ⁶ And because you are sons, God has sent forth the Spirit of His Son into your hearts, crying out, "Abba, Father!" ⁷ Therefore you are no longer a slave but a son, and if a son, then an heir of God through Christ. Galatians 4:4-7 (NKJV)

NEXT WEEK'S REMINDERS:

►TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13:

8:00 - 11:00 am: Pantry Set Up 4:00 - 6:00 pm: Pantry Distribution

6:30 pm: <u>LINDA VISTA CHRISTMAS PROGRAM</u> - "A Christmas Around the World" (Cookie sale afterward)

► WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14:

10:30 am <u>OR</u> 6:30 pm: **BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER GROUP:** "40 DAYS - PRAYERS AND DEVOTIONS TO PREPARE **FOR THE SECOND COMING by Dennis Smith**" with Pastor Erwin

& Calvin Gardner. (ALSO: Sabbath afternoon class @ 1:30 pm.

<u>AND</u>: **PHONE PRAYER CIRCLE** Sun., Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. @ **6:30 pm.** CALL: **515-739-1293**. PASS CODE **806486**#

6:30 - 8:00 pm: PATHFINDERS GIFT EXCHANGE PARTY

►THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15:

5:00/6:30 pm: CAES BANQUET/CHRISTMAS CONCERT

► FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16:

7:00 pm: CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT CONCERT

PATHFINDER CAMPING THIS WEEKEND: Dec. 9 - 12. Holiday Group Campground near Ojai. Thanks for your prayers for a safe, enjoyable and edifying camping experience.

TO OUR ADVENTURER CLUB: Thank you so much for putting together close to 100 "Blessing Bags" for the homeless friends that come to our Pantry. May God bless you for your kindness!

FOR AN EXPANDED VERSION of our announcements, go online to the church web site. Click on Weekly Bulletin.

SUNSET TONIGHT: 4:45 pm.

CHURCH E-MAIL LIST: If you'd like to receive Camarillo Church office e-mails, please notify us by sending an e-mail with your request to Suzanne at: office@camarillosda.org

NEWS, NOTICES, NEEDS etc. are posted in the foyer on the bulletin board for your information.

TITHE & OFFERING DONATIONS must be dropped off or postmarked by <u>Sat, Dec. 31</u> to be credited for the 2016 tax year. Online donations should be made through the church website under the button, "Giving" no later than 9:00 p.m. on Dec. 31. Please contact Stephen Mayer at 805-990-8855 if you need special assistance.

CHURCH ONLINE: For those who are out of town, unable to attend due to illness, or who would like to share with family and friends – there is a *live broadcast* of our Camarillo SDA Sabbath School (9:30 a.m.) and worship service (10:45 a.m.). Go to our website at www.camarillosda.org at the bottom of the page. To access previous services, click on the Video Archive link on the left-hand side of the home page.

ROOM FOR RENT: There is a senior lady in South Oxnard (near corner of Ventura Rd. & Channel Islands Blvd.) with an empty room w/private bath she needs to rent (in order to make ends meet). Nice place, nice senior complex. She's Joyce Berg, 805-985-9581.

ADVENT EVENSONG: In the midst of this season of lights, you are warmly invited to an Advent Evensong on Sat., Dec. 17 at 5 pm featuring the lovely *Oratorio de Noël* by Camille Saint-Saëns. Written in only 11 days, this compact and sublime 35 min. work is Saint-Saens' tender homage to the story of the Nativity and includes exquisite solos, a duet and trio interspersed with choral writing. Our soloists include Patricia Lathrop-McPherson and Molly Clementz along with a chamber ensemble. Helen Farson conducts from the keyboard. Admission is always free. Approx. service time 1 hr. Ventura Seventh-day Adventist Church. 6300 Telephone Rd. Ventura. Please call 805.641.9646 if more information is desired.

THE PANTRY THANKS all the thoughtful and generous friends who have brought critically needed food donations to help replenish our Pantry shelves. We can still use canned foods and

small packaged goods *Thank you again* for helping us serve our neighbors in need through your kind support.

OPPORTUNITY TO BE BLESSED: Heidi Carpenter, our conference Literature Evangelism Director, is looking for 3–4 homes who could take in two girls or two guys during their practicum for <u>Souls West</u> (our evangelism training school). *Need*: room to sleep in, bathroom access, a little space in the fridge. Sharing food with students is welcome but definitely not required. Dates: 1/6/17 - 1/13/17; 1/20/17 - 1/27/17; 2/3/17 - 2/10/17.

THE "WHOLE" CONFERENCE is coming Sun., Feb. 19, 2017 with world-renowned speakers and live food prep demonstrators sharing the "why" and "how" of a healthful plant-based lifestyle. Bulletin flyers give you all the details. Please pick up some extra flyers and posters from the foyer to hand out to anyone you know who might benefit from this special health event. NOTE: Register by Dec. 31 to get the least expensive rate.

SAVE THE DATE! JUNE 24, 2017: 50th Anniversary celebration of the start of our Camarillo SDA Church. Theme: "Homesick For Heaven". Join us for a full day of worship, fellowship, food, and lots and lots of music! Look for the flyers in the foyer for more details about this special day.

WANT TO JOIN YOUTH PRAISE TEAM? Ages 13 to 27 are invited to join us. We need willing hearts to sing or play any instrument! Contact: Colleen Gonzalez (<u>neca7@roadrunner.com</u>).

NEW JUNIOR PRAISE TEAM! We are forming a Junior praise team of ages 6-14. If your child plays an instrument or sings, we'd love to have them. Contact Colleen Gonzalez at neca7@roadrunner.com to sign up or get more info.

SINGING BAND: Ministry to homebound members. For more info please contact Chad. 805-443-7264.

OUR AUDIO/VISUAL DEPARTMENT needs a **minimum of 24 hours notice** (by 10:00 a.m. Friday) for anything other than the usual services. **Special needs include:** additional microphones, tracks or video played, special music, PowerPoint, and *all practice/rehearsal sessions*. Contact the A/V person on duty. The A/V leader, Reini Blech, can be reached at 805-501-6667. Thanks for your consideration.

2016 FLOWER CHART is posted in the foyer. To commemorate a special occasion or honor the memory of a loved one, mark your

chosen dates accordingly. Please print clearly! Place your \$35 donation for each bouquet in a tithe envelope. At least one week's notice is needed when ordering sanctuary flowers (notify the Floral Designer Team, headed by Flo Lowe, if you want a certain color or type of flower or plant arrangement). If you wish to place a customized message in the bulletin, please notify the church office a week ahead. Remember to take your flowers home with you after the service. Thanks!

NEW STEPS TO CHRIST AUDIO BOOK with narration and melodious piano music in the background. Only \$20. To order, please contact Calvin Gardner, our Pastoral Assistant.

LINDA VISTA ADVENTIST ELEMENTARY is now enrolling for the 2016-2017 school year. For more info or for a tour of the school, call (805) 647-2220, or Lois DeWitt at (805) 843-1482.

FOR INFORMATION ON QUALITY CHRISTIAN EDUCATION please contact: Newbury Park Adventist Academy; Principal, Steve Laing, (805) 498-2191. stevelaingnpaa@qmail.com".