

FRESNO WESTSIDE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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CCC Black Convocation

Fri. evening Sept. 14 at 7

Sept. 15 starting at 9 am

This is the day that
the **LORD** has made;
let us rejoice & be glad in it.

-Psalm 118:24

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WELCOME

to our Church FAMILY

We're glad to have you!

Pastoral/Church Staff

Earl Canson Jr., Senior Pastor	209-321-9863
Eddie Standifer, First Elder.....	360-8975
Harry Dulan, Administrator	322-6950
Catherine Thomas, Treasurer	484-941-2395
Chioma Nathan, Church Clerk	
Anthony Smith, Interim Head Deacon.....	349-1905
Ruby Powe, Head Deaconess.....	251-9114
Neil Thomas, Ministries Director.....	484-941-2233

Adult Sabbath School Program

9:45 A.M.

Song Service		Ruby Powe
Opening Song	<i>"Lift Up the Trumpet"</i>	#213
Scripture	Acts 13:21-23	David Kelley
Opening Prayer		David Kelley
Welcome/Coordinator's Remarks		Patricia Franklin
Teachers' Prayer		
Lesson Study		week #7
<i>"Paul's First Missionary Journey"</i>		
Mission Story		Shondelle Hinds
Closing Prayer		

Divine Worship Service

AUGUST 18, 2018

11:00 A.M.

CHURCH AT WORK

Announcements

Welcome/Pastoral Remarks

Children's Story

Chioma Nathan

Pastor Canson

Wanda Williams

CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Church Elder

Invocation

Church Elder

Hymn of Worship

"Sweet By and By"

#428

Musical Selection

Time of Testimony

Church Elder

Prayer of Intercession

Church Elder

Prayer Response

Westside Praise Team

Praise in Song/Meditation

Westside Praise Team

Sermon

Pastor Earl Canson

God's Tithes, Our Offerings

Church Elder

Offertory Selection

Musicians

Benediction

Pastor Canson

THE KING'S BUSINESS

We extend a warm welcome to all of our visiting friends and family who have chosen to worship with us on this blessed Sabbath Day. Our prayer is that you truly experience the presence of the Lord in fellowship and services today and, if you're looking for a church home, Fresno Westside would love to have you as part of our family!

PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS.... *Tuesdays 11 am–2pm or by appointment.*

SECRETARY'S HOURS... *Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 am – 2:00 pm.*

All announcements to be posted in Sabbath's bulletin must be approved by the Pastor or Head Elder and submitted no later than Wednesday. All inserts must be submitted no later than Tuesday. You may submit bulletin information by phone **233-3648**, fax 441-1232, or email at fresnowestsidesda@gmail.com.

Tithe & Offerings

RETURN AN HONEST TITHE 10%

GIVE A GENEROUS OFFERING 3% - 5%

COMMIT TO SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Fund the *Building A New You* Capital Campaign

One day, may each one of us hear Jesus say,
"Well done, good and faithful servant; you have been
faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many
things. Enter into the joy of your Lord"

Matt. 25:23

Join us from sundown Sunday through noon Monday for

PRAYER & FASTING

Prayer connects you to God. Fasting disconnects you from the world.

TODAY'S LOOSE OFFERING: Local Church Budget

Worship is by nature participatory, not passive. If we come to church with our hearts properly tuned to hear God's voice, we should be able to perceive Him in all hymns, prayers, music, sermons, and offerings as well. We need to focus our attention and pray that God will help us. True worship occurs when we lift up the Lord in praise and thanksgiving, offering ourselves to Him in devotion and service, and devoiding ourselves of our innate pride and selfishness.

STEWARDSHIP SPOTLIGHT: Please contribute to the local annual sacrifice fund. Your resources are needed for insurance payments, property taxes, and church school subsidy. Thank you.

The **TREASURERS AND COUNTERS** kindly request that members place tithe & offering in a tithe envelope and remember to put your NAME on it and DESIGNATE where you would like your funds to go and place it in the offering plate. PLEASE DO NOT KNOCK ON THE DOOR after offering is collected!



Log on to the www.myfwsda.org Home page, see menu and click on Church Giving. Register if you are a first time user and follow the instructions.

PRAYER LINE: The 6 am phone number is 1-641-715-3605 (code) 402410#. The 7 am phone number is 1-515-739-1032 (code) 7792#. These are long distance calls and you will be charged unless you have unlimited long distance.

MINISTRIES COUNCIL: For every event planned at our church a Ministry Request for Facility Needs form must be completed and turned in 2 weeks prior to the event. This will help avoid calendar conflicts.

CHURCH NOTIFICATION: PLEASE NOTIFY THE PASTOR/OFFICE when the following occurs: a member is ill; a member is hospitalized; a member passes away; or a family member passes away. Also, let us know when you have a change in phone number or address. Thank you.

EVENING PRAYER MEETING

Join us at the church on Wednesdays at 6 pm as we pray together and study from the book "Counsels on Health".



Bible

Study

&

Prayer

Meeting

Church Weekly Announcements

- 1. Kitchen Use:** Please notify Renee O'Guinn, kitchen coordinator, two weeks in advance of the time you need to use the kitchen. Thank you.
- 2. Free breakfast:** Each Sabbath morning starting at 8:30 we serve a good, healthy meal. **All are welcome!** To help, please see Shetia Davis.
- 3. Fellowship Dinner:** Everyone is invited to stay for a meal in the Mendinghall Better Living Center after church service today. We ask that all members participate by bringing a dish to share for potluck each week. Thank you.
- 4. Church Choir Rehearsal:** We will practice next Sabbath afternoon in the sanctuary immediately after dinner and also Wednesday evening, Aug. 29th, at 7:00. We're singing "*Hosanna*", "*He Lifted Me*", and "*Jesus Saves*" in the mass choir for Convocation on Sept. 15th.
- 5. Community Intercessory Prayer Service:** Dr. Karen Crozier will be starting a prayer service this Monday, Aug. 20th from 6-7 pm at the church. It will continue on the first and third Mondays of the month. Come and bring your burdens, concerns, needs, and praise reports to share and encourage others.
- 6. A Big Thank You** to all who participated and supported our Prison Ministries Day last week to make it a success! You are all very much appreciated.
- 7. The CCC SDA App** is now available for download on Google Play and the App Store. 2018 Camp meeting sermons can be viewed at vimeo.com/cccsda.
- 8. Winter Cantata:** If you'd like to sing in the annual program, meet at the Central SDA Church today and next Sabbath at 1:30 for an introduction to the music. Regular practices begin Sept. 15th until the performances in December. They are performing "Beloved Son".
- 9. Women's Spiritual Koinonia :** with speaker Hyveth Williams November 16-18, 2018 at the Murrieta Inn & Spa in Rancho Murieta. You can register today at womenskoinonia.com or call [707-739-6626](tel:707-739-6626) for registration assistance. The cost is \$260 and the deadline is September 30th.
- 10. Church Bereavement:** There will be a memorial service for Sis. Juliet Thomas next Sabbath afternoon at 5:00. Please keep Bro. Neil Thomas and the rest of the family in your thoughts and prayers.

YOUTH

Ministries

Today: Quiz-a-Rama practice at 5 pm

Fridays: Praise in Motion rehearsal at 6 pm

Aug. 25 & 29: Choir Rehearsals

Sept. 14-15: African American Convocation



11. Adventurer Staff Meeting: will be on Sunday, Sept. 9th, at 11:00 am. Adventurer registration for the new year is now open through the month of September. Please see Ava Dickerson for forms. Thank you.

12. It's Quiz-a-Rama Prep Time! If you'd like to be on the team, please join us this afternoon at 5:00 for practice. This year's subject is the book of Romans and team members can be 8-30 yrs. old.

13. Calling all Praise Dancers, Mimes, and Signers! Join us on Friday evenings at 6:00 for practice. We'll be performing "*The Anthem*" by Richard Smallwood for Convocation on Sept. 15th.

14. OU Live! We Got Next is Oct. 3-7 this year. All high school seniors interested in attending college days at Oakwood University this Fall, please call or text Akosua Opoku-Boateng at [559-824-4822](tel:559-824-4822).

15. Empowerment Conference 2018: is the Fresno Westside sponsored Family Life Retreat for men and women October 5-7 at Harris Ranch Inn in Coalinga. Registration and additional information is available at myfwstda.com.

16. Flat Screen TVs: We are looking for a donation of 3 large screen televisions (40" or more) for the church. Please contact the pastor if you can help. Thank you.

17. Church Wi-Fi: Please log onto the network FWSDA1-guest and type in myfwstda for access each week. Take note that our services are streamed live online and you may be shown on camera.

18. Notice/Warning! The alarm system is installed and activated. Please do not enter the church or gym without proper access codes. See the Pastor if you should have a code.

GREEN POWER SMOOTHIE

This classic green smoothie balances the power of spinach and chia seeds with the sweetness of grapes and apples.

Ingredients: 1 apple, peeled, cored, & cubed; 1 packed cup baby spinach; 1/2 cup frozen seedless grapes; 1/2 cucumber, peeled & cubed; 1 Tbsp. fresh lemon juice; 1 Tbsp. chia seeds; 3 ice cubes

Directions: Put all ingredients in blender plus 1/2 cup cold water. Blend until smooth and serve immediately. Enjoy!



Loose Offerings

August 2018

Sunset Times

4 Local Church Budget

8:05

11 World Budget

7:57

18 Local Church Budget

7:49

25 Conference Faith Advance

7:40

GOLDEN SMOOTHIE

This bright smoothie is the perfect morning pick-me-up with help from the turmeric and ginger.

Ingredients: 1.5 cups coarsely grated carrots; 1 cup coconut milk; 1/2 large orange, peeled; 2 Medjool dates, pitted & chopped; 1 Tbsp. fresh lemon juice; 1 to 1.5 tsp. finely grated fresh ginger; 1/2 tsp. ground turmeric; 2 ice cubes



Directions: Put the carrots and coconut milk in blender on low speed. Add the orange, dates, lemon juice, ginger, and turmeric. Start on low and increase to high until smooth. Add ice and blend to incorporate. Enjoy!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY everyone born in the month **AUGUST**

2 - Stephan Doyle

4 - Pauline Hutton

5 - Nana Kwame Ackom-Ankrah

6 - Phyllis Brown

7 - Liana Hinds

8 - Kofi Opoku-Ababio

10 - Rita McPeters

11 - Mika Fisher

11 - Eddie Standifer

14 - Michael Oliver

15 - William Doyle

18 - Isaac Evans

18 - Steffeni Oliver

19 - Lance Dixon

19 - K'reale Moore

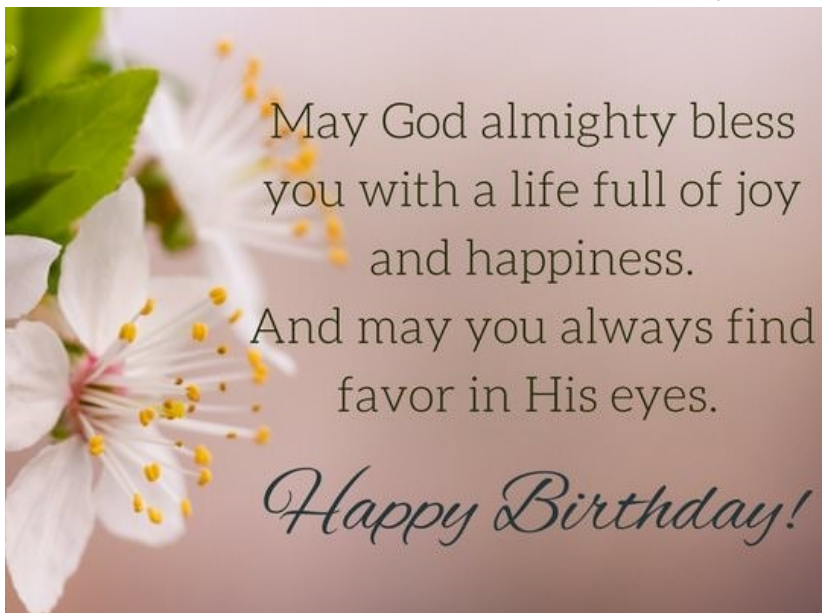
22 - Jocelyn Evans

25 - Stanley Allen

25 - Shirley Meyers

29 - Andre Flanigan

31 - Tanya Fisher





Sick and Shut-In

Matthew 25:36 "... I was sick, and you visited me...."

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**Special Prayers
For Those In Need**



Listen to

SERMONS

Sermon topic: _____

Speaker: _____ Scripture: _____

Sermon Main Points:

What did God say specifically to me during the sermon?

Scripture References:



Do you have comments or concerns regarding the church? We encourage you to write them down, and place them in the “**CHRISTIAN CONCERNS**” box next to the bulletin board in the foyer. We want to hear from you!



21. Stewardship

We are God’s stewards, entrusted by Him with time and opportunities, abilities and possessions, and the blessings of the earth and its resources. We are responsible to Him for their proper use. We acknowledge God’s ownership by faithful service to Him and our fellow men, and by returning tithes and giving offerings for the proclamation of His gospel and the support and growth of His church. Stewardship is a privilege given to us by God for nurture in love and the victory over selfishness and covetousness. The steward rejoices in the blessings that come to others as a result of his faithfulness.

(Gen. 1:26-28; 2:15; 1 Chron. 29:14; Hag. 1:3-11; Mal. 3:8-12; 1 Cor. 9:9-14; Matt. 23:23; 2 Cor. 8:1-15; Rom. 15:26, 27.)

Stewardship



Request a pastoral visit, appointment, or call Request a membership transfer

Change of address or phone number Desire to be on church robo-call/text list

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____

Phone_____ Cell_____

E-mail_____ Birthdate_____

From Church_____



Please fill out form. Cut/ tear on dotted lines and place in the collection plate.