

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all our guests and friends this week. If you are searching for a church home, we cordially invite you to make the Ft. Lupton Seventh-day Adventist Church your church home.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL today after church. Please join us. The special fellowship meal for November will be on 11/23/19 and will be Soup and Sandwiches. Bring your favorite soup and sandwich for everyone to enjoy!

ADRA HOMES FOR ORPHANS PROJECT this year. Drop your spare change in the donation box hanging in the foyer. \$545.54 has been received through the end of October. Money is sent when \$100 has been received.

NEXT WEEK: Pastor Nathaniel Gamble will have the worship service. The offering will be for Local Church Budget. **Loose and undesignated offering goes to Local Church Expense.**

CHURCH BOARD MEETING: The next regular board meeting will be Sunday, 1/5/2020 at 4:00 p.m. at the church.

November	Budget	Received	Still Needed	Balance 11/8/2019
	\$1,400	\$523	\$877	
Expense				\$1,809.14
Evangelism	--	\$27	--	\$806.63
Insurance		\$0	\$6,000	Goal: \$6,000
Building Fund		\$181.72		\$617.85
Repair/Air		\$3,007.07	\$992.93	Goal: \$4,000

ADVENTSOURCE: Are you looking for training for the ministry leaders in your local church? Visit AdventSource.org/Events or call 402.486.8800 to find upcoming training events sponsored by the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

CHURCH MEETING: Next Sabbath, November 16th, after the church service, please stay around to discuss the development of a worship committee, after which we will have a baptism for the Aspen Park church. Please stay to support the Pastor and our sister church.

BAPTISM NEXT WEEK: Next Sabbath at 1:00 p.m., we will have a baptism for the Aspen Park church. Members from Aspen Park will be joining us for this happy event. Then we will share a fellowship meal with everyone who wishes to stay.

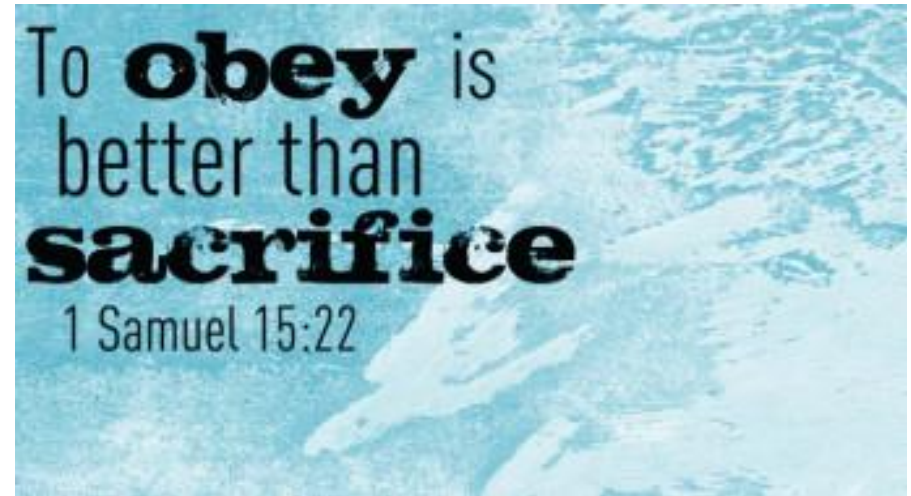
FIRST READING: For transfer of membership of Ted and Janeen Williams to the Arkansas Valley Church in Swink, Colorado.

INSURANCE FUND: We now have separate fund for our property and liability insurance. The anticipated cost is \$6,000 in March 2020. If you wish to contribute toward the cost of the insurance, mark your envelopes INS. The Church Budget goal has been adjusted down by deducting the insurance amount from the previous budget of \$1900.

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK: Happy Birthday Monday to Julia Muñoz!

KEEP GOD'S HOUSE CLEAN: When you leave the sanctuary, please do not leave trash/bottles/etc.in the pews. Take them with you and put them where they belong. Thank you very much!

Welcome Fort Lupton Seventh-day Adventist Church



Pastor Nathaniel Gamble
11/9/2019

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War Room
9:30 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.

Our Church at Study
10:00 A.M. - 10:50 A.M.

Superintendent Program
Teacher
Lesson Study:

Martin Pope
Martin Pope
The Reading of the Word

Kindergarten/Primary: Wanda Balmer *Junior/Earliten:* Karen Fernandez

Pastor's Notes

We are all familiar with discipline, even if we don't like it. And many of us believe we are familiar with divine discipline, which we often think is merely punishment for sin. But have you ever wondered what it might mean if God's holiness and divine discipline were related? Hebrews 12:10 gives us such a connection: "For they disciplined us for a short time as seemed best to them, but He disciplines us for our good, so that we may share His holiness" (NASB). Contextually, Hebrews 12 speaks about divine discipline in light of Jesus. Just as Jesus endured the cross and hostility from sinners, and only sat down at the right hand of God's throne through his endurance of these things (vv. 2-3), so we are called to endure God's discipline as those who have been adopted into his family as his sons and daughters through Jesus Christ, God's Son (v. 7). It is our filial identity in Christ that provides us with reasons for how we approach discipline: we endure God's discipline because God only disciplines sons and daughters - not illegitimate children (vv. 7-8); our earthly fathers disciplined us and we knew we should respect them, so we should respect our heavenly Father for his discipline even more (v. 9); and our earthly fathers disciplined us the best they knew how, but our heavenly Father always disciplines us with our good in mind (v. 10). The word for discipline in these verses literally means "child-training"; nevertheless, even if this wasn't the literal translation of the term, Hebrews 12:7-10 demonstrates that God's discipline is about teaching us how to be his sons and daughters, rather than punishing us for not being his perfect children. God wants to share his holiness with us because we are his children; as sons and daughters of God, it is our destiny, inheritance, and birthright to participate in the holiness of God. So what does it mean that God's holiness and divine discipline are related, according to Hebrews 12:10? It means that the goal of God disciplining us - literally, his activity of training us to be his sons and daughters - is solely about helping us be what we already are: sons and daughters of God! Friends, as you worship God today, remember that divine discipline is God's loving action of making you his holy children. God bless.

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Our Church at Worship
11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

Interlude Musical Selections
Welcome/ Announcements Martin Pope

Worship in Praise

Songs & Praises His Name is Wonderful

Our Children at Worship

Evangelism Offering Storyteller: Sandy Akins

Call to Worship

Responsive Reading 727 Don Schraeder
Invocation *The Lord Is My Light* Chuck DeShazer

Worship in Stewardship

Call for Offering *Annual Sacrifice Global Mission* John Fernandez
Offertory Prayer John Fernandez

Worship in Song

Opening Hymn "He Lives!"

Worship in Prayer

Pastoral Prayer Don Schraeder
"Surely the Presence"

Worship in the Word

Scripture John Fernandez
Exodus 20:24-26

Special Music Ailil Moron-DeShazer

Sermon Chuck DeShazer
"The Law of the Altar"

Closing Hymn # 505
"I Need the Prayers of Those I Love"

Benediction Chuck DeShazer
Postlude "God Be With You" # 65

Sundown Today 4:48 PM Next Friday 4:43 PM