

## 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. **Thank you for wearing your mask inside the building and remember to social distance.**

**PRAYER MEETING** is on Zoom every Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. We are starting a study of Luke's gospel this Wednesday.

**ADRA FEED HUNGRY CHILDREN PROJECT** this year. Drop your spare change in the donation box hanging in the foyer or write a check and place it in an offering envelope indicating it is for ADRA Project. \$190.21 has been received through the end of March.

**NEXT WEEK:** Al Lopez will have the worship service. The offering will be for Hope Channel International, Inc. **Loose offering goes to Local Church Expense and undesignated offerings in envelopes go to Insurance.**

**CHURCH BOARD MEETING:** The next regular board meeting will be Friday, 4/9/2021 at 9:00 a.m. at the church.

March	Budget	Received	Donations to Budget March	Balance 4/2/2021
	\$1,400	\$839	<b>-\$561</b>	
Expense				<b>\$1,773.86</b>
Evangelism	--	\$110	--	\$721.96
Insurance		\$361.95	\$6,448.78	Goal: \$6,810.73
Building Fund		\$0		\$927.85

**CHURCH MISSION PROJECT:** Mark gifts for our mission project as HOPE.

**LA VIDA MISSION:** We are collecting paper towels, toilet paper and oatmeal. Take your donations to the cradle roll room.

**TUITION ASSISTANCE:** Mark tuition assistance gifts as TUITION.

**FIRE ALARMS:** We received enough gifts to get new fire alarms! Thank you!

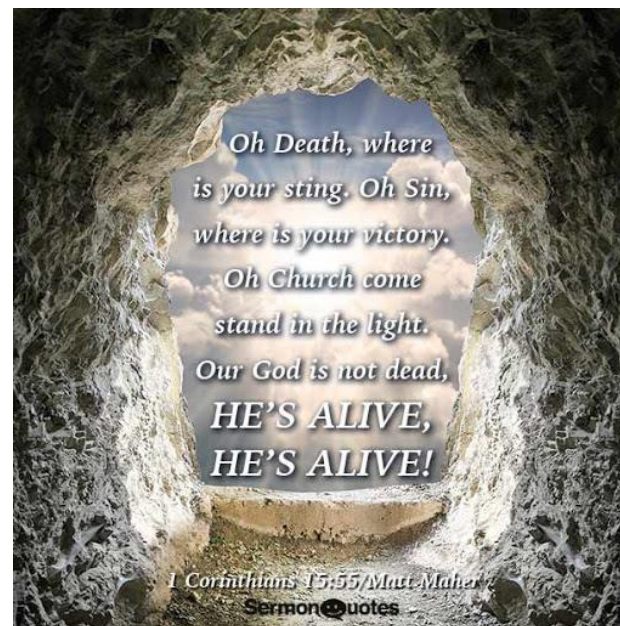
**PRAYER REQUESTS:** There is now a Prayer Request Form on our website. When you click on the SUBMIT button the message will go to Karen and Martin.

**BIBLE STUDY:** We will resume Sabbath afternoon Bible Studies next Sabbath if you want to stay after church. The study will be after the fellowship meal on those Sabbaths.

**CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK:** Happy Birthday Wednesday to Al Lopez!

**KEEP GOD'S HOUSE CLEAN:** When you leave the sanctuary, please do not leave trash/bottles/etc. in the pews. Use the Clorox/Lysol wipe and wipe down the back of the pew in front of you and the arm of your pew. Take trash with you and put in the trash can at the end of the table outside the sanctuary door.  
Thank you very much!

# Welcome Fort Lupton Seventh-day Adventist Church



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4/3/2021

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**Pastor's Notes**

So far God has shown us in Romans that his judgment is just and fair by how he responds to human sin: with forgiveness, kindness, faithfulness, and by drawing us to repentance and into a trusting relationship with himself. But it's in Romans 3:21-24 that the focus shifts to something else God shows us about himself: his righteousness or justice. The Greek word for "righteousness" is the same word for "justice"; in the New Testament, the only way you can tell which idea is being discussed is by the context - and New Testament writers often talk about righteousness and justice at the same time! Paul points out in Romans 3:21 that "apart from the Law the righteousness/justice of God has been manifested, being witnessed by the Law and the Prophets" (NASB). Among other things, Romans 1 and 2 highlight the fact that God's law helps us know him because it tells us what he's like and what his intentions have always been for us (namely, good). But Paul then highlights the fact in Romans 3 that God has already shown us what his righteousness/justice is without assistance from that law; instead, the law and the prophets - basically, the entire written revelation of who God is and what he's like - stand as witnesses to how God has manifested his righteousness/justice to us: through the faith of Jesus Christ, which is given to everyone who trusts him (verse 22), and through the redemption that is in Jesus Christ, which is given to ever sinner who wants to be justified by his grace (verse 24). Most Bible versions translate Romans 3:22 as "the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ," but Paul's original Greek literally says "the righteousness/justice of God through the faith of Jesus Christ." Paul's point in Romans 3:21-24 is not about OUR faith, but rather the faithfulness of JESUS as the way in which God has shown his righteousness/justice to us all! God's righteousness consists in him saving us through Jesus, the one who has been supremely faithful to God. And God considers it justice to justify everyone who trusts in him through Jesus, the Redeemer of sinners. Friends, I invite you this weekend to reflect and rejoice in the righteousness and justice God has already shown you through the redemption found in Jesus our Savior. God bless.

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

Superintendent Program Martin Pope  
 Teacher Martin Pope  
 Lesson Study: What Happened?

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

Welcome/ Announcements Karen Fernandez

**Worship in Praise**

Praise Song Karen Fernandez

**Call to Worship**

Responsive Reading 799 Martin Pope  
*Do Not Worry*

**Worship in Prayer**

Pastoral Prayer Martin Pope

**Worship in Stewardship**

Call for Offering *Local Church Budget* Brent Balmer

**Worship in Song**

Opening Hymn # 518  
 "Standing On the Promises"

**Worship in the Word**

Scripture John 13:30 Brent Balmer

Special Music "How Great Thou Art" Video  
 Wintley Phipps

Sermon Al Lopez  
 "Crossing the Line"

Benediction Al Lopez

Closing Hymn # 528  
 "A Shelter in the Time of Storm"

Sundown Today 7:26 PM Next Friday 7:32 PM