

## 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 going through the gospel of Luke. There will NOT be a meeting this Wednesday, the 21<sup>st</sup>.

**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:** Martin Pope will have the worship service. The offering will be for Rocky Mountain Conference Advance. **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, 5/14/2021 at 9:00 a.m. at the church.

April	Budget	Received	Still Needed	Balance 4/16/2021
	\$1,400	\$848	\$552	
Expense				<b>\$2,286.62</b>
Evangelism	--	\$20	--	\$741.96
Insurance		\$939.20	\$5,871.53	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:** New fire alarms were installed last Thursday. Thank you to those who donated to the cost!

**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 have a Bible Study this afternoon after church.

**FELLOWSHIP MEAL:** Next Sabbath will be our next Fellowship Meal!

**CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK:** Happy Anniversary Thursday to Nathan & Selena Salazar!

**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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4/17/2021

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## Pastor's Notes

Have you ever considered justification through Jesus to be one of the ways God shows his oneness AND that he is the one true God? In Romans 3:21-26, Paul makes three points about what God shows us regarding his character: God manifests his righteousness through Jesus' faithfulness (the literal phrase in these verses is "the faith/faithfulness of Jesus") and the redemption that comes through him, rather than the Law (verses 21-24); God publicly displayed Jesus as the true "hilasterion," which is the Greek word for the mercy seat in the Old Testament sanctuary service - the place where you come to meet with a merciful God (verse 25); and God demonstrates his righteousness through Jesus so that he can be the just God and the one who justifies all of us through Jesus (verse 26). Then, Paul makes an interesting move: having stressed that nobody can boast because we are justified by faith instead of our performance or obedience (Romans 3:27-28), he concludes that God is not only the God of the Jews, but also of the Gentiles (verse 29). Why does Paul draw this conclusion? It's because of what he says in verse 30: "Since indeed God who will justify the circumcised [i.e., Jews] by faith and the uncircumcised [i.e., Gentiles] through faith is one" (NASB). According to Paul, God shows he is the one true God by justifying both Jews and Gentiles from the same faith - the faith that comes from Jesus! Likewise, God shows that "God is one," like Deuteronomy 6:4 tells us, by showing he is the same God to Jews and Gentiles - he doesn't treat them differently, but gives them the same faith in the same Jesus! So what does this mean for you? It means that God is reliable and you don't have to worry that he might treat this person differently from how he treats you. He loves you, and them, and everyone else, and he shows that same love to each of us. And it also means that God is interested in bringing people together so they can be one with each other, and in this way he can share his oneness with us. Friends, let us trust in the God who justifies Jews and Gentiles alike, for this God always exhibits the same reliable, trustworthy love toward all of us. God bless.

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

Superintendent Program  
Teacher  
Lesson Study:

Sandy Akins  
Sandy Akins  
"All Future Generations"

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## 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

800  
*Union With Christ*

Martin Pope

### Worship in Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Martin Pope

### Worship in Stewardship

Call for Offering

*Local Church Budget*

Brent Balmer

### Worship in Song

Opening Hymn

"Faith Is the Victory"

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### Worship in the Word

Scripture

Ephesians 2:8

Brent Balmer

Special Music

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"  
Charles Haugabrooks

Video

Sermon

"Faith"

Al Lopez

Benediction

Al Lopez

Closing Hymn

"Standing on the Promises"

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Sundown Today 7:40 PM

Next Friday 7:46 PM