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. **Remember to social distance.**

PRAYER MEETING: No prayer meeting this week.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL: Join us after church service for our fellowship meal!

BIBLE STUDY: Bible Study after the fellowship meal.

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. \$328.87 has been received through the end of July.

NEXT WEEK: Sandy Akins will be teaching. The offering will be for Local Church Budget. 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, 9/17/2021 at 9:00 a.m. at the church.

August	Budget	Received	Still Needed	Balance 8/13/2021
	\$1,400	\$855	\$545	
Expense				\$1,994.02
Evangelism		\$10		\$873.21
Insurance		\$3,885.17	\$2,925.56	Goal: \$6,810.73
Building Fund		\$		\$977.85

CHURCH PROJECTS: Mark gifts for our local mission project HOPE and tuition assistance as TUITION.

LA VIDA MISSION: We are collecting paper towels, toilet paper and oatmeal in the cradle roll room

BLESSINGS IN A BAG: We are waiting for Sue Hubert to touch base with each school about the possibility of the schools taking over the program.

STEPS TO CHRIST: A mailing to another of the 20 Carrier routes will be sent later this month thanks to offerings through 8/7. There are 5 more routes listed on the white board in the foyer. If you want to sponsor a route, write the route # on your offering envelope with your donation and cross the route off the list on the board. If you just want to contribute to the a future mailing, mark your offering STC. We have \$54.73 left for another mailing. This is not coming out of evangelism.

BUSINESS MEETING: Please plan on attending a vespers followed by a Business Meeting on Sabbath, September 25th.

REVIVAL MEETINGS: Look for more information about a small series of revival meetings in October!

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK: Happy Birthday tomorrow to Ari Fernandez! Happy Birthday Wednesday to Pastor Gamble!

KEEP GOD'S HOUSE CLEAN: When you leave the sanctuary, please do not leave trash/bottles/etc.in the pews. 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



Pastor Nathaniel Gamble 8/14/2021

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Pastor's Notes

The idea that the church is the body of Christ is fairly well-known to those who follow Jesus. We talk about it all the time as a way to encourage unity and love among members in a congregation. But most of us miss what that idea demonstrates about God. Paul helps us see that being the body of Christ means God has put all of us together, connecting all of us to each other in Jesus Christ. Romans 12:4-5 says. "For just as we have many members in one body and all the members do not have the same function, so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually members of one another" (NASB). Appealing to the image of the body. Paul shows that it is self-evident to our daily experience of life and reality that the human body is comprised of several "members": feet and legs, hands and arms, ears and eyes, teeth and tongue, a mouth, a heart, a mind, etc. But do you notice what Paul states is a self-evident spiritual reality? "So we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually members of one another." Paul is entirely convinced that God has made us part of Jesus' body - that the church participates in Jesus and his life. But according to Paul, God has shown that we are not members of Jesus' body but rather members of each other. God takes many different people who have no original connection to each other and he connects them to each other in Jesus, thus making Jesus their common connection and similarity. But instead of making these many different people pieces of Jesus' body, he makes them pieces of each other. Can you imagine that? God hasn't given us to Jesus, as much as he has given us to each other IN Jesus! You belong to Jesus and because you belong to Jesus, you belong to each other. Friends, it can sometimes be a struggle to maintain health relationships with fellow church members. During those difficult times, remember that God has shown himself to be the miracle God: in Jesus, he puts people back together; then, he endeavors to form a new group of people that is defined by their relations to each other in Jesus. What a strange-yetmarvelous God who shows himself to us! God bless.

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

Superintendent Program	Brent Balmer
Teacher	Brent Balmer
Lesson Study:	Rest, Relationships, and Healing

Praise Service

Importance of Praise		Brent Balmer
"Doxology"	# 694	Brent, Ginger, Congregation
Definition of Praise		Susan Watson
Responsive Reading	# 855	Brent Balmer, Ginger Harvey
"Psalm 148"	Recording	Sonshine Singers

Praising God means praising the Holy Trinity

The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit

This morning we will participate in a trinity of praise to the triune Godhead

God the Father

Who is God?		Brent Balmer
Psalm 98		Susan Watson
"Sing a New Song"	Recording	Glad

God the Son

Patriarchs and Prophets	Selection	Brent Balmer
"Crown Him with Many Crowns"	# 223	Brent, Ginger, Congregation
"The Christian's Assurance"	# 745	Ginger and congregation
"Praise the Lord"		Karen Fernandez

God the Holy Spirit

Comments		Brent Balmer
"Come, Holy Spirit"	# 269	Brent, Ginger, Congregation
Habakkuk 2:20	Silent Prayer	Brent Balmer
Paul's Doxology	# 838, # 913, # 912	Brent Balmer
"Doxology"	# 694	Brent, Ginger, Congregation

Sundown Today 7:56 PM

Next Friday 7:47 PM