"Let your light so shine before men,
that they may see your good works
and glorify your Father in heaven."
Matthew 5: 16 NKJV
Welcome!
Bakersfield Hillcrest
Seventh-day Adventist Church
June 3, 2023

The Church at Study

9:45-10:30 a.m.

(Numbers correspond to the map below)

FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Sabbath School starts at 9:30 a.m.

1. Beginners, Birth-3 years *Parents, please stay with your child in this class*
2. Kindergarten, 4 years-1st grade
3. Primary, Grades 2-4
4. Junior/Earliteen, Grades 5-8
5. Youth/Collegiate, High School+

Hillcrest Livestream at hillcrest.adventistfaith.org

10:45 a.m. Worship Service

5:00 p.m. Sabbath Afternoon Study

Please silence all electronic devices during worship service.

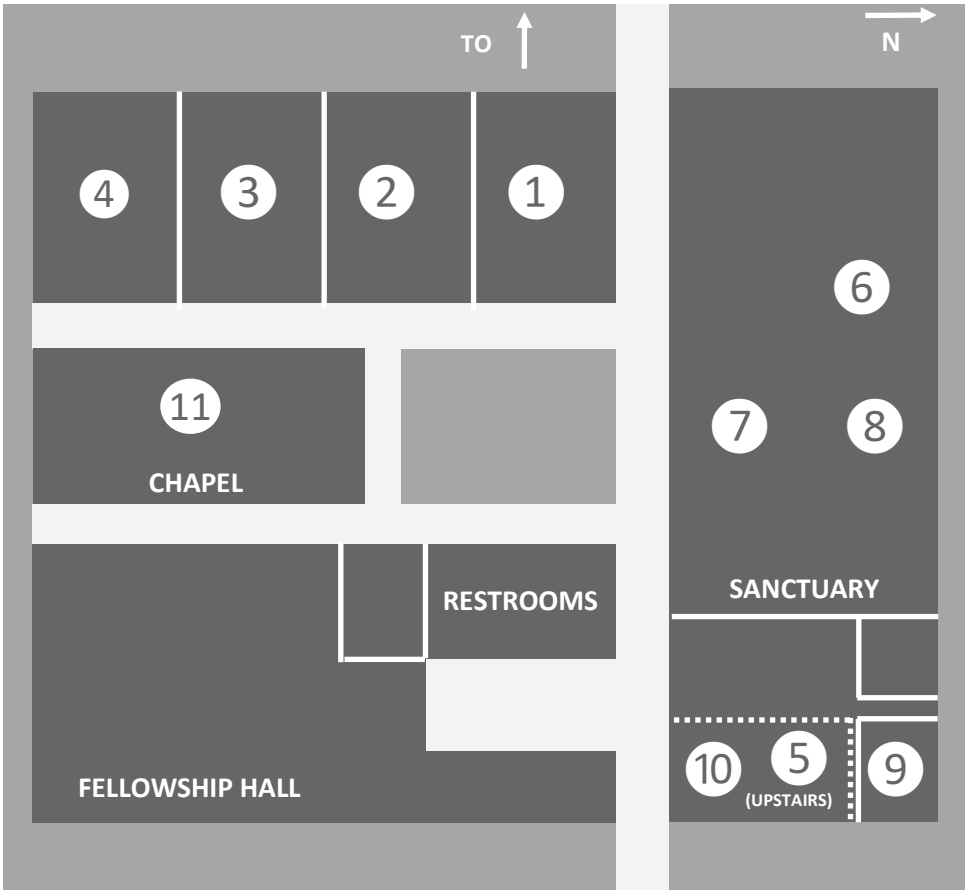
FOR ADULTS

Today: ***Satan's Final Deceptions***

Scripture: **John 17:17**

Lessons available online at absg.adventist.org

6. Lesson Study with Jesse Leal
7. Lesson Study with Doug Anglen
8. Lesson Study with John Buxton
9. Lesson Study with Ruth Holton. Zoom available. To join please contact her with your email address.
10. Lesson Study with Calvin Kubo. Zoom available. To join please contact Rick Heiss with your email address.
11. Lesson Study with Spanish Ministry



The Church at Worship

10:45 a.m.

Text Your Prayer Requests To 661-375-7224

WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

Prelude		Victor Din
Welcome & Invocation		Kevin Fawke
Songs of Praise	Hymn #s 195 & 422	All

WE PRESENT OUR GIFTS

Introduction	Pastor Luis Rendon	Pastor Johnson
Children's Story		Fernando Gonzales
Receiving the Offering	Local Church Operating Budget	Debbie Combs
Offertory		Victor Din

WE HEAR THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Sharing Our Joys & Concerns		Kevin Fawke
Prayer Response	*Hear Our Prayer, O Lord* #684	All
Special Music		Edwin Cartagena
Scripture Meditation	Matthew 5:13-16	Linda Bradshaw
Spoken Word	*Let Your Light So Shine Before Men*	Pastor Johnson

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Hymn of Consecration	*It Is Well With My Soul* #530	All
Benediction		Pastor Johnson
Postlude		Victor Din

Audio: Steve Trunkey
Broadcasting: Dean Chilldres & Steve Combs
Deacon Team: Gary Hollingsead/Team 1
Greeters: Bob & Karen Stewart
Guitar: Stanley Chit
Piano: Victor Din
Praise Team: Edwin, Marly & Maritza Cartagena
Safety Team: Alpha
Video: Jordan Garcia
Worship Leader: Edwin Cartagena

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Good morning church family and friends! Welcome to God's house on this holy Sabbath day. This is a place of reverent worship and this is a time to encourage and uplift one another. Today may God bless you with peace and rest from your week of work and trials.

MEET TO PRAY Immediately after worship service you are invited to join the group up front at the right-hand side of the Sanctuary to pray.

GREAT CONTROVERSY OUTREACH We need YOU to help distribute these books! Our goal is to get a book to every household in Bakersfield. We meet on the first Sabbath every month at 3:00 p.m. and go door to door in teams. Please pray for this mighty outreach and plan to join us!

BAA SENIOR COMMENCEMENT JUNE 4, 10:00 A.M., IN THE GYM.

REBAPTISM Donyea Stevens rededicated her life to Jesus and was rebaptized at the CYC event last weekend. Donyea, may God bless your walk with Him!

JUNE 10 Join us for a special Sabbath highlighting Adventist education. Our speaker will be Steven Dulcich and we'll get to hear the testimonies of parents, volunteers, and staff of the Bakersfield Adventist Academy. Then we'll enjoy an old fashioned potluck after church service. Bring enough of your favorite vegan or vegetarian dish to share!

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES! Our most heartfelt congratulations to all of our 2023 graduates. We are happy for you and your families as you celebrate this important milestone. We would like to celebrate with you by posting the announcement of upcoming graduations in the bulletin, please call or email Heather in the church office.

- Congratulations! to the BAA 8th graders and the senior class
- Cassandra Largent graduated from college (again) with her Master's Degree in Education - Curriculum and Instruction. Cassandra is a former student and graduate of BAA, class of 2001.

STUDENT AID 2023-2024 Our Hillcrest members who have children attending BAA, or would like to enroll their children in the Bakersfield Adventist Academy, may apply for tuition assistance. The deadline to turn in your student aid agreement is June 6, 2023. Please contact Heather in the church office to get a copy of the student aid agreement.

LOCAL CHURCH OPERATING BUDGET It has been a challenge to keep our general expenses covered (utilities, payroll, supplies, BAA subsidy, and maintenance.) Please prayerfully consider what you can give to support our church and the work we do to share the gospel of Jesus.

Hillcrest Financial Report June 2

Combined Church Operating Budget

$34,166.00 Amount Needed Monthly
$0.00 Received MTD in June 2023
$410,000.00 Total needed for 2023
$173,462.00 Budget YTD through 6/3
$82,188.00 Received YTD through 6/2

GOOD SAMARITAN FUND funds for this ministry are beginning to trickle in. Let the trickle become a creek. God knows and blesses your gifts for those in need.

SMALL PRAYER GROUPS Would you like to pray with a small group? Contact Heather in the church office to get connected with a group leader.

GREETING MINISTRY Our greeters make the church foyer a friendly place to be! Call Heather in the church office if you would like to join our greeting ministry.

LOCAL ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICES (ACS) The Hillcrest ACS ministry provides food and other items to our members and our community. Please text Lucy Chilldres at 549-2359 if you would like to volunteer or if you know someone in need.

LOST AND FOUND Please request your missing items from the Deacon's room. Connect with our Sabbath School Secretary, Joanne Carter, for assistance.

CHURCH OFFICERS REPORT We received a letter from Pastor Serns regarding our vote for officers May 13. Please see page 8.

WEEKLY MEETINGS

1. Sabbath Afternoon Study (SAS), English, 5:00 p.m., Sanctuary.
2. Sabbath Vespers Spanish, 5:00 p.m., Chapel
3. Wednesdays, Hillcrest Children's Choir Practice at 5:00 p.m., in the Kindergarten room
4. Wednesdays, 6:00 p.m., Pathfinder Club meets in the Pathfinder room, and the Adventurer Club meets in the Primary room.
5. Wednesdays, Spanish Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Chapel
6. Wednesdays, English Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary.
7. Thursdays, End-Time Events Study, 5:00 p.m., Library

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING Church family, you are encouraged to attend prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. You may come in person to meet in the Sanctuary or join through zoom.
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83472738310?pwd=RUpseHVDc0dZSk1MMzZTRTNaeUU2QT09
Meeting ID: 834 7273 8310
Passcode: 617077

GO GLOW every second Sabbath of the month this outreach teams up at 3:30 p.m. to go into our community and Give Light to Our World. All are welcome to join in. Connect with Tricia Marrero if you have questions, 509-876-7018.

SMILE! A NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY IS COMING There is a handout at the welcome podium as you enter the foyer, please complete it as soon as possible. You may turn it in to anyone on the directory committee:
Debbie Combs 661-317-8327
Ruth Holton 661-742-8683
Karen Stewart 661-319-6699
Lorinda Hoffmann—Clerk@HillcrestAdventist.org

SOQUEL CAMP MEETING JOB OPENINGS
We are currently accepting job applications for our annual Camp Meeting, July 12-22, 2023, in the Burger Bar/ Cafeteria and Parking departments. Please fill out the application found at the following link. https://www.cccadventist.org/campmeeting
Teens/young adults encouraged to apply for work in the Parking Division. For more information email: soquelsecurity@cccsda.org

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SOQUEL CAMP MEETING UPDATE We expect the auditorium to be repaired and open for use by the end of May. This means the guest rooms will be available and the English meetings will be held in the auditorium. Please keep this in your prayers. Camp Meeting is the full ten days, July 13-22, 2023 (Thursday-Sabbath). There will be English meetings, Spanish meetings, all the children's and youth programming, seminars, preaching, music and good fellowship. To book onsite lodging for RV, cabin (senior citizens only), or tent space at Soquel campground, go to www.cccadventist.org/campmeeting or phone 559-347-3128. Don't wait to register for camp meeting!

CCC JOB OPENINGS

1) The Accounting Department is seeking a full-time Senior Accountant/Payroll Specialist. … Must be a member of the Seventh-day Adventist church in regular standing and maintain consistent, active church attendance. Compensation range is $21.48 to $27.00 per hour. *

2) Administrative Assistant/Front Desk Assistant The Administrative Assistant/ front desk provides the first impression of the Conference to the constituency and the public who visit and call the Conference office. … Compensation scale: $16.96-$22.99 Benefits include: Healthcare, Life insurance, Long-term disability insurance, sick, vacation and holiday pay, 403b. Schedule Mon – Thur 7:30 – 5:30 (38 hour). *

*To apply, please send cover letter, application and resume to Human Resources. Link for application: https://www.cccadventist.org/hrforms By email: lbarron@cccsda.org, fax 559-347-3062 or mail 2820 Willow Ave., Clovis, CA 93612 Open until filled.

BIBLE STUDIES Last week (Sun-Sat) our Bible Workers led 33 studies. Praise God! Please keep these efforts in your prayers. If you would like to learn to give Bible studies, too, you can contact our Bible Workers with the information provided on the back of our bulletins.

M ST. NAVIGATION CENTER OUTREACH If you would like to help feed the homeless a delicious and healthy meal on the 3rd Sabbath of each month, please contact Tricia Marrero at 509-876-7018

HOMELESS/HELP MINISTRY OUTREACH Join this ministry on the last Sabbath of every month at 2:00 p.m. They caravan to MLK park and bless the homeless with bags of food, hygiene items, and clothing.

MANAGING GOD'S SUPPLY LINE FOR OVER 40 YEARS In the 1950's, Ressa and Al took $5,000 out of their savings and gave it to a pastor who wanted to start a Christian camp. The pastor ultimately left his church so he could direct the camp ministry full-time. For the next 40 years, Ressa and Al sent money to the camp every month. The first year, only 19 children attended the camp, but now thousands come to the camp every year. While the camp director was on the the front lines, Ressa and Al helped man the supply line with their monthly gifts. 1 Samuel 30:24 says those who stay with the supplies will share equally with those in the battle. In heaven, Ressa and Al will get to meet thousands of people they helped lead to Christ through their faithful and generous giving that helped start and sustain that camp for many years. This is a true story in a series of radio spots by Brian Kluth of www.GiveWithJoy.org and www.kluth.org

Today's Offering: is for the Local Church Operating Budget. Your donations keep our church and our school operating by covering the cost of utilities, supplies, and maintenance, as well as payroll for our secretary, custodian, and school employees.

Next Week's Offering: is for Women's Ministries

Tithe Envelopes To assist our treasury team, please mark your tithe envelope so they know how you would like your donations distributed. Please **print** your full name on the tithe envelope. Loose offering will go to the designated calendar offering.

Online Giving Use our secure website to give online with your bank account or card. Log on to hillcrest.adventistfaith.org
If you would like to help supplement our church's monthly subsidy to BAA, select "more offering categories" then "show all", and select "BAA Church School Subsidy".

Devotional Thought

Make the Sabbath a Delight

All who love God should do what they can to make the Sabbath a delight, holy and honorable. They cannot do this by seeking their own pleasure in sinful, forbidden amusements. Yet they can do much to exalt the Sabbath in their families and make it the most interesting day of the week. We should devote time to interesting our children. A change will have a happy influence upon them. We can walk out with them in the open air; we can sit with them in the groves and in the bright sunshine, and give their restless minds something to feed upon by conversing with them upon the works of God, and can inspire them with love and reverence by calling their attention to the beautiful objects in nature.

The Sabbath should be made so interesting to our families that its weekly return will be hailed with joy. In no better way can parents exalt and honor the Sabbath than by devising means to impart proper instruction to their families and interesting them in spiritual things, giving them correct views of the character of God and what He requires of us in order to perfect Christian characters and attain to eternal life. Parents, make the Sabbath a delight, that your children may look forward to it and have a welcome in their hearts for it.
Child Guidance pg. 536

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Dear Hillcrest Seventh-day Adventist Church Family,

It was wonderful spending this past Sabbath with you. The Lord has filled your church family with lots of spiritual gifts to be used to advance His mission. Remember that everyone has a story and a mission, and everyone needs a group and a mentor!

The vote was a strong 80% in favor of accepting the list of nominees for the new church year. The new Church Board will take office June 1, 2023. Here are additional notes.

1. The term of office will be June 1, 2023 till December 31, 2024, unless the CCC appointed pastor calls for elections earlier.
2. If you lead or serve in a ministry that is not a Church Board position, please continue to serve and stay connected with your Church Board mentor. If you'd like a change of ministry, please let your Church Board mentor know. If you don't know who your Church Board mentor is then check with Pastor George or one of the cluster elders to find a good Church Board mentor for your ministry.
3. The Church Board serves as the Nominating Committee between elections. At an appropriate time in the future they will address the first elder position and any vacancies.
4. Thanks to all who have served and all who continue to serve. Everyone is needed in God's work. Join a ministry team if you aren't on one already! There is a world to win for Jesus!

Blessings to you,

Pastor Dan Serns
President, Central California Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

The Acts of the Apostles pgs. 184-187

In this dark and trying hour the company of Lystrian believers, who through the ministry of Paul and Barnabas had been converted to the faith of Jesus, remained loyal and true. The unreasoning opposition and cruel persecution by their enemies served only to confirm the faith of these devoted brethren; and now, in the face of danger and scorn, they showed their loyalty by gathering sorrowfully about the form of him whom they believed to be dead.

What was their surprise when in the midst of their lamentations the apostle suddenly lifted up his head and rose to his feet with the praise of God upon his lips. To the believers this unexpected restoration of God's servant was regarded as a miracle of divine power and seemed to set the signet of Heaven upon their change of belief. They rejoiced with inexpressible gladness and praised God with renewed faith.

Among those who had been converted at Lystra, and who were eyewitnesses of the sufferings of Paul, was one who was afterward to become a prominent worker for Christ and who was to share with the apostle the trials and the joys of pioneer service in difficult fields. This was a young man named Timothy. When Paul was dragged out of the city, this youthful disciple was among the number who took their stand beside his apparently lifeless body and who saw him arise, bruised and covered with blood, but with praises upon his lips because he had been permitted to suffer for the sake of Christ.

The day following the stoning of Paul, the apostles departed for Derbe, where their labors were blessed, and many souls were led to receive Christ as the Saviour. But "when they had preached the gospel to that city, and had taught many," neither Paul nor Barnabas was content to take up work elsewhere without confirming the faith of the converts whom they had been compelled to leave alone for a time in the places where they had recently labored. And so, undaunted by danger, "they returned again to Lystra, and to Iconium, and Antioch, confirming the souls of the disciples, and exhorting them to continue in the faith." Many had accepted the glad tidings of the gospel and had thus exposed themselves to reproach and opposition. These the apostles sought to establish in the faith in order that the work done might abide.

As an important factor in the spiritual growth of the new converts the apostles were careful to surround them with the safeguards of gospel order. Churches were duly organized in all places in Lycaonia and Pisidia where there were believers. Officers were appointed in each church, and proper order and system were established for the conduct of all the affairs pertaining to the spiritual welfare of the believers. AA 185.2 This was in harmony with the gospel plan of uniting in one body all believers in Christ, and this plan Paul was careful to follow throughout his ministry. Those who in any place were by his labor led to accept Christ as the Saviour were at the proper time organized into a church. Even when the believers were but few in number, this was done. The Christians were thus taught to help one another, remembering the promise, "Where

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Church Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday

June

4	5	6 **Student Aid Agreements are Due**	7 **5:00** Children's Choir **6:00** Pathfinder Club **7:00** Prayer Meeting (English) **7:00** Prayer Meeting (Spanish)
11	12	13	14 **5:00** Children's Choir **6:00** Pathfinder Club **7:00** Prayer Meeting (English) **7:00** Prayer Meeting (Spanish)
18	19	20	21 **5:00** Children's Choir **6:00** Pathfinder Club **7:00** Prayer Meeting (English) **7:00** Prayer Meeting (Spanish)

Our church calendar is also available on our website: hillcrest.adventistfaith.org

Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
2023		3 **9:30** Sabbath School **10:45** Worship Service **3:00** Great Controversy Outreach **5:00** SAS
8 **5:00** End-Time Events Study	9 **6:00** Worship Rehearsal **8:10** Sunset	10 **9:30** Sabbath School **10:45** Worship Service Potluck **3:30** Go GLOW **5:00** SAS
15 **5:00** End-Time Events Study	16 **6:00** Worship Rehearsal **8:13** Sunset	17 **9:30** Sabbath School **10:45** Worship Service M St. Navigation Shelter Outreach **5:00** SAS
22 **5:00** End-Time Events Study	23 **6:00** Worship Rehearsal **8:14** Sunset	24 **9:30** Sabbath School **10:45** Worship Service **2:00** Homeless Help Ministry **5:00** SAS

TBD=To Be Determined

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two or three are gathered together in My name, there am I in the midst of them." Matthew 18:20.

And Paul did not forget the churches thus established. The care of these churches rested on his mind as an ever-increasing burden. However small a company might be, it was nevertheless the object of his constant solicitude. He watched over the smaller churches tenderly, realizing that they were in need of special care in order that the members might be thoroughly established in the truth and taught to put forth earnest, unselfish efforts for those around them.

In all their missionary endeavors Paul and Barnabas sought to follow Christ's example of willing sacrifice and faithful, earnest labor for souls. Wide-awake, zealous, untiring, they did not consult inclination or personal ease, but with prayerful anxiety and unceasing activity they sowed the seed of truth. And with the sowing of the seed, the apostles were careful to give to all who took their stand for the gospel, practical instruction that was of untold value. This spirit of earnestness and godly fear made upon the minds of the new disciples a lasting impression regarding the importance of the gospel message.

When men of promise and ability were converted, as in the case of Timothy, Paul and Barnabas sought earnestly to show them the necessity of laboring in the vineyard. And when the apostles left for another place, the faith of these men did not fail, but rather increased. They had been faithfully instructed in the way of the Lord, and had been taught how to labor unselfishly, earnestly, perseveringly, for the salvation of their fellow men. This careful training of new converts was an important factor in the remarkable success that attended Paul and Barnabas as they preached the gospel in heathen lands.

The first missionary journey was fast drawing to a close. Commending the newly organized churches to the Lord, the apostles went to Pamphylia, "and when they had preached the word in Perga, they went down into Attalia, and thence sailed to Antioch."

simply delish!

Plant-based cooking classes

Sunday, May 28th from 4-5:30 p.m.
Breakfast

Sunday, June 4th from 4-5:30 p.m.
Supper/Dinner

Sunday, June 11th from 4-5:30 p.m.
Desserts

Enjoy an evening with **FREE** cooking demonstrations and sampling. Classes are open to the community, so **bring a friend**! Donations will happily be accepted!

Classes held in the **Social hall** at:
Bakersfield Central Seventh-day Adventist Church
4201 Wilson Road

Reserve your spot today!

Call or Text Pastor Hodet
(801) 293-9694
Or
Email Wendy Naus
juiceatnfm@yahoo.com

Community Updates

Wednesday, June 7 – Saturday, June 10
First presentation begins at 7:00 PM Pacific

Af t er spe ndi ng t im e o n socia l m edia, do you ev er fee l not goo d e nough?

You're not alone. Many youth and young adults just like you have lost their identity to the world's ideals, but you can reclaim the only identity that will fulfill and empower you—the one you have in Christ!

At the 2023 Amazing Facts Youth Conference, EYEdentity: Changed by Beholding, the purpose of your life will be brought into deep focus. Come reclaim your identity so that you can experience lasting joy and peace!

Register and get details at: AFYOUTH.com

Speakers: Doug Batchelor, Carlos Munoz, Daniel Hudgens, Carissa Vitorovic, Dwayne Lemon, Calvin Kim, and Scott Ritsema

Member Search

If anyone has contact information for the following missing members, please contact Karen Stewart at 661-319-6699

Aguilar, Luis (Luis, Melanie, Abigail)
Aguilar, Glenda
Aguirre, Lisa
Albritton, Steve
Altsman, Sylvia
Altsman, John
Alvarado, Albert
Alvarado, Anna
Alvarado, Jorge
Alvarado, David
Amaro, Rafael
Amaro, Tania Franciele
Anderson, Fred
Anderson, Paula
Archer, Vernon
Arnison, April
Arnold, Curlie
Astorga, Maria (Abraham, Marisol)
Bailey, Jeffrey
Baker, Gloria
Baker, Linda
Barker, Barbara
Barrientos, Anastacio
Bartel, Dina
Baughman, Aaron
Baughman, Sonja
Beauford, Mark
Beauford, Virginia
Beaver, Eva Marie
Beckham, Joan
Beckwith, Linda
Bell, Karen
Bell, Caroline
Bella, Patty
Berg, Cheryl
Berlanga, Christina
Bernard, Renee
Bingham, Tracy
Blanco, Lana
Boles, Geri
Bonillo, Rebecca
Boston, James
Boston, Melissa
Boston, Colette
Briano, Gabriel
Briggs, Isaac
Brogdin, Chiffawn
Bronson, Chris
Brown, Julia
Brown, LaVerne
Brown, Marla (Michaela)
Bryant, Karen
Bryant, Latecieya (Theresa, Thyrell)
Buchanan, Ron
Buller, David
Burden, Olan Craig
Burnham, Susan
Burrow, Eric
Butler, Carla
Castaneda, Alicia
Castaneda, Eugene
Castillo, Juliane
Chan, Gary
Chapin, Barbara
Chapin, Lloyd
Cherbonnier, Geralynn
Cherbonnier, Lee
Christensen, Hans
Clark, Donna
Clark, Justin
Cobar, Lucrecia
Cobar, Rodrigo
Cobbs, Isaac
Cobbs, Valerie
Contreras, Elizabeth
Contreras, Frank
Cope, Linda
Corral, Rebekah
Corral, Estrella
Cottrell, Sabrina
Cottrell, Gail
Cottrell, Richard
Cowan, Sherri (Clifford, Zachery)
Crabtree, Roberta
Crabtree, Wayne
Crow, Stephen
D'Jour, Monique
Davis, Elinor
Davis, Mariane
Davis, Michelle
Delgadillo, Ariya
Donovan, Cathy
Duenas, Susan
Eberich, Bunny
Edwards, Erwin
Edwards, Nikki (Scherry, Timothy, Amanda,)
Ehret, Donna
Elias, Jim
Eller, Ryan
Field, Marilyn
Fitzgerald, Gracie
Fitzgerald, Huie
Flores, Christina
Ford, Brian
Fowler, Charles Jr
Fowler, Dana
Fowler, Debbie
Franco, Mike
Gamble, Robin
Garcia, Ramona
Gardea, Angelina
Gardea, Manuel III
Geiss, Lisa
Girrens, Lynnette
Golden, Marilyn
Goodman, Jim
Green, Paul
Greene, Donna
Greene, Jeanette
Griess, Melissa
Grissom, Donald
Gross, Alice
Guerra, Ruben Jr
Gutierrez, Norma
Guy, Debra
Guy, Paul
Hale, Lyle

Member Search

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Hashim, Ron
Hawkins, Eric
Henry, Brian
Henry, Gladys
Hepp, John
Hernandez, Stephanie
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Hill, Kylee
Hill, Kindra
Hinson, Patty
Hofer, Fred
Hoffman, Carol
Hollis, Frank Matthew
Houghton, Tristesse
Howe, Zae Lee
Hudson, Bobbie (Dana)
Hughes, David
Hughes, Paul
Hyrchuk, Karissa
Isquith, Barry
Jeffries, Kara
Jeffries, Blair
Jeffries, Jason
Jepson, Elisabeth (Kubo)
Johnson, Pam
Johnson, Tracy
Johnston, Teresa
Jones, Drucilla
Jones, Amy
Kavanaugh, Pat
Kennedy, Joseph Jr, Sabrina
Cottrill, Brittany, Jeremiah,
Tristan (Dugan)
Khademi, Deborah
Kimera, Beth
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Kirtesh, Viorica
Kitchens, William
Kizziar, Thomas
Kline, Peggy
Knecht, Dallas
Kovachny, Koijevsko
Kranenburg, Katherine
Kubo, Christopher
Kuntz, Wayne
Lagoni, Pam
Lambky, Kathy Elaine
Land, Robert
Lawson, Vernon
Leon, Esperanza
Leon, Judith, Alvaro,
Long, Gina
Lowe, Brandon
Lukens, Kerry
Lukens, Terrance
Macias, Richard III
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Mackie, Richard
Mallard, Kimberley
Martin, Carolyn
Martin, Jeff
Martin, Indigo
Martin, Kenneth
Martinez, Armando
Martinez, Miguel
May, Jim
McCann, Michael Sr
McCann, Terri
McCaslain, Jessica
Brian
McCurdy, Dawn
McGhee, Shannon
McKinney, Delois
McNaughton, Adrianne
Meaney, Allen
Medina, Carlie Jr
Mendoza, Guadalupe
Miller, Jeffory
Miller, Stephen
Miller, Margaret
Miller, Tamra
Milry, Greg
Minor, Peggy
Minor, Wendell
Moore, Jimmy
Moore, Linda
Moore, Phyllis
Moore, Robert
Morales, Mary
Moreland, Patricia
Moreland, Troy
Moreno, John
Mork, Kathy
Morledge, Michael
Mouser, Pam
Munkhbold, Irene
Munkhbold, Mike
Munkhbold, Munkhbadrakh
Nance, Donna
Nary, Andrea
Naus, Joshua
Naus, Krystal
Navarro, Lisa
Neblett, William
Nettleton, Keith
Neufeld, Aaron
Neufeld, Randy
Neuharth, Daniele
Newton, Ralph
Nieto, Mary
Nunes, Louis
O'Dell, Elizabeth
O'Neal, Josh
Ortiz, George
Ortiz, Mary
Owens, Louise
Padilla, Mario Jr
Pahle, Teresa
Paine, Jennie
Pannell, Todd
Pannell, Mary Ann
Pannell, Pat
Parker, Rebecca
Parker, Julia
Parks, Woody
Patterson, Eva
Patterson, Ruth
Pease, Troy
Pennington, Susan
Perez, Nick
Petersen, Shuree
Philippi, Jill
Phillips, Laurie
Pilgrim, Walter
Pineda, Tammy
Pineda, Gerardo

Pitts, Jorgen
Pitts, Meredith (Rosie)
Plane, Fred
Plane, Michael
Polston, Tiffany
Poor, Peggy
Powers, Kathy
Priest, Laurie
Rahberger, Hanna,
Rahberger, Josh
Rainda, Stephen
Ramirez**,** Antonio &
Gutierrez, Linda
Ramirez, Carolina
Ramirez, Ernesto
Ramkissoon, Dave
Ramos, Polly
Ramos**,** Chris
Randel, Darren
Randel, Marian
Randel, Wilbur Jr
Rathburn, William
Ratliff, Ruby
Redman, Bill
Reed, Ricky
Reichard, David
Reitz, Pamela
Rendel, Cynthia
Rendel, Ron
Reyes, Daniel
Rhoades, Tammy
Rice, Daryl
Ridge, Alex
Robinson, Richard
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Yett, Jennifer
Yett, Norman
Yoder, Lula
Young, Lorena
Zerbel, Lyle

Prayer Works

We believe in the power of prayer! Please keep the following people and situations in your prayers this week.

- ***Lynda Fenderson***
- ***Balcazar family, healing for Raul***
- ***Election Process***
- ***Peggy Whiteman, healing***
- ***Gloria Rea's Son-in-law health***
- ***Gloria Rea's sister and daughter, health***
- ***Marshall Hollingsead III, silent request***
- ***Our members who are experiencing trials of all kinds***
- ***Conference wide evangelism.*** **Therefore pray the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest.** ***Matthew 9:38***
- ***Bakersfield Adventist Academy facility, staff, and students***
- ***All those who are giving or receiving Bible studies***

If you would like to add your request to our prayer list, please call the church office, or fill out the prayer request card found in your pew, and give it to a pastor or an elder. You may text prayer requests to 661-375-7224

"I surrender my life to Jesus, accepting Him as my Saviour and Lord. I eagerly desire to follow Him in every aspect of my life. I desire to be ready when Jesus comes."

☐ I would like personal Bible studies
☐ I would like correspondence Bible studies
☐ I would like to talk with/visit with the Pastor
☐ I would appreciate prayer

Name:_____
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Please tear off and place in offering plate

Seventh-day Adventists® Believe

- In one God—Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Heb. 1:1-3; Matt. 3:16-17; 28:19
- Jesus Christ, the Divine Son of God is our Saviour. John 1:1-3
- The Holy Spirit, the Divine Comforter leads sinners to repentance. John 16:7-16
- The Bible is God's inspired Word. 2 Tim. 3:16-17
- In regeneration and the new birth, through belief in and acceptance of the gospel John 3:1-7, 16-17; 2 Cor. 5:17
- The second coming of Christ is very near. It will be literal, personal and visible to all. John 14:1-3; Acts 1:11; 1 Tim. 6:15, 16
- That man by nature is mortal Job 4:17; 1 Tim. 6:15, 16
- Immortality and eternal life are the gifts of God and received only through faith in Christ. Rom. 6:23; 5:21
- All the dead are in an unconscious state. Eccl. 9:5; John 11:11-14
- There will be a resurrection of the dead. 1 Thess. 4:13-17
- The wicked will not live eternally burning in hell. But will be burned up to eternal death. Mal. 4:1-3; 2 Pet. 3:10
- By reason of His death, Christ offers the free gift of His righteousness to all who accept Him by faith. Rom. 4:3-5
- Salvation is by grace alone, it comes as a gift of God, received by faith and not through any merit of the sinner. Eph. 2:8-9
- The Ten Commandments are the standard of righteousness by which all will be judged and which all Christians are commanded to obey. James 2:10-12; Ex. 20
- God created the world in six literal days and established the Seventh-day Sabbath as a memorial of creation, therefore all people are obligated to keep it holy. Ex. 20:8-11; Acts 13:14, 42
- God promises to bless us as we freely return tithes and offerings to support the work of the gospel. Lev. 27:32; Mal. 3:10; 1 Cor. 9:13, 14.
- In baptism by immersion Mk. 1:9, 10; Rom. 6:3-5
- In Spiritual gifts bestowed on believers for ministry and spiritual growth of the church Eph. 4:1-8
- The body is the Temple of the Holy Spirit, therefore we must care for it and abstain from use of intoxicants, tobacco, and unclean meats, etc. 1 Cor. 3:16, 17; Prov. 23:29-32: Lev. 11:1-47
- The principles of modesty in deportment and dress 1 Tim. 2:9, 10
- In the Sanctity of marriage and family. God instituted marriage as a sacred bond between one man and one woman. Matt. 19:4-6; Heb. 13:4

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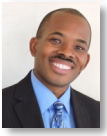

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Hillcrest Updates

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Deacons: Chaul Duran/Team 2
Safety Team: Bravo
Video: Justin Grier
Worship Leader: John Owens

Worship Services are Broadcast and Live-streamed on our website and Facebook. Smile! You may be photographed, videoed, and broadcast. Click on the Livestream link on our website: Hillcrest.adventistfaith.org, and view our 10:45 a.m. worship service and 5:00 p.m. SAS service from anywhere in the world!

Audio Receivers are available in the Deacon's room for the hearing impaired.

Through centuries of persecution, conflict, and darkness, God has sustained His church. Not one cloud has fallen upon it that He has not prepared for; not one opposing force has risen to counterwork His work, that He has not foreseen. All has taken place as He predicted. He has not left His church forsaken, but has traced in prophetic declarations what would occur, and that which His Spirit inspired the prophets to foretell has been brought about. All His purposes will be fulfilled. His law is linked with His throne, and no power of evil can destroy it. Truth is inspired and guarded by God; and it will triumph over all opposition. *Acts of the Apostles* pg. 11

Our Mission

To become like Jesus and reveal Him through service.