

MisUnderstanding God



Visitors & Church Family,

How comfortable do you feel asking God for a sign?

If not, could it be because of verses like this one found in Mark 8:12 which reads:

**He sighed deeply and said,
“Why does this generation ask for a sign?
Truly I tell you, no sign will be given to it.”**
(Mark 8:12, NIV)

OR...

If you absolutely have NO PROBLEM with these kinds of requests, why not? Do the stories of Gideon and Hezekiah come to mind?
OR...

If you happen to be slightly confused on the subject and don't really know, then this message is for you in:

**Is It Wrong to Ask for a Sign?
MisUnderstanding God
(Part 2)**

Looking forward to today's journey in God's Word together!

With love,
Pastor Ray

Vacation Bible School

July 24-27, 6:00-8:00pm
(Wednesday through Saturday)

**“ATHENS”
“Paul's dangerous journey
to share the truth”**

Josie Green has an exciting program planned, she needs leaders, crew leaders and lots of volunteers. To volunteer, call or text Josie at 806.773.8721

Sponsors of \$50 (or more) are also needed. Just mark your offering envelope
“VBS”

Sabbath Together

July 6, 2019

Sabbath School Classrooms

Classroom 1 - Traditional Quarterly
Classroom 20 - Spanish Sabbath School
Classroom 14 - Prayer Study - Jan Yates
Choir Room - Bible Study - David Rendon
Youth Lounge - Young Adult 18-35 - Hans Burda & Daniel Davis

Children's Classes:

Cradle Roll - Birth to 3: Classroom 3
Kindergarten - Age 4 through 1st Grade: Classroom 4
Primary - Grades 2-5: Classroom 2
Juniors - Grades 5-8: Classroom 7
High-School - Grades 9-12: Classroom 9

Classrooms are on the North, South & West Halls

Sabbath Worship Service 11:00 AM

Welcome		Pastor Ray
Call To Worship	<i>We Have This Hope</i>	Hymn 214
Hymn of Praise	<i>Far From All Cares</i>	Hymn 394
Children's Story		Cristy Tygart
	<i>The Lamb's Offering will benefit Vacation Bible School</i>	
Vacation Bible School Invitation		Josie Green
Praise In Giving	Church Budget	Cindy Riley
	~~~ <b>Tithe and all offerings also received at this time</b> ~~~	
Offering Response		Hymn 694
	<i>Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	
Song of Prayer	<i>Cares Chorus</i>	Congregation
Circle of Prayer		Glenn Blake
Song of Response	<i>Hear Our Prayer, O Lord</i>	Hymn 684
Message in Song		Grace Notes
Message	<b>Is It Wrong to Ask for a Sign? MisUnderstanding God Part 2</b>	Pastor Ray
Closing Song	<i>Cover With His Life</i>	Hymn 412
Benediction		Pastor Ray
	Postlude	
	~~~ Please remain seated until your row is dismissed ~~~	
	Praise Leader: Melwin Paez	
	Pianist: Joy Ramos	
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	Offering Next Week: NAD Women's Ministries	
	Speaker Next Week: Abel Rios	
	Attendance Last Week: 159	
	Deacon Today: David Riley	

Today's Greeters: Gary Sitton & Ysidro Hernandez

How To Reach Us

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Lubbock Junior Academy

School Motto
Building A Better World ~ One Child at a time

OUR CHURCH SCHOOL

OUR KIDS

OUR RESPONSIBILITY

We have a unique opportunity this coming school year!
Our school has grown!
This coming school year we will have TWO teachers!!
Every member WILL need to respond in some way to make this the
BEST YEAR YET!!

Pray for the Lord to reveal the part He has in mind for you to make this the
BEST YEAR YET!

WE NEED

PRAYERS ~ ~ MORE STUDENTS

~~~ **VOLUNTEERS** ~~~

**FINANCIAL SUPPORT, AND MORE!!**

LET ME, OR ANOTHER SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER KNOW WHAT THE LORD PLACES ON YOUR HEART.

Cindy Riley, Treasurer,  
Lubbock Junior Academy



# LUBBOCK

# SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

### MISSION STATEMENT

We, as children of the Living GOD, are here to

***UPLIFT JESUS CHRIST,***

His teachings and His commandments with all our hearts, souls and minds.  
As redeemed servants of Christ, we are to serve and to prepare all for the Second Coming of Jesus Christ as the Blessed Hope and encouragement for all mankind.

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## Prayer Requests

### ► CHURCH FINANCES

(for God's continual Leading as church and LJA projects are funded)

◆ **Our President, Leaders of our country, Leaders of our Church, our Pastors, Elders, School Teachers and Church Ministry Leaders**

◆ **All Disaster Victims - EARTHQUAKES, FIRES & FLOODS**

◆ **Pray for Christ's followers who are being persecuted and/or killed for their faith world wide.**

◆ Debbie Bellknap (Stage-4 Cancer)

◆ Bill Bertleson (healing)

◆ John Brown (healing)

◆ Irma Brown's daughter Rachel

◆ David Cartwright (healing)

◆ Donna Cartwright (health)

◆ Ken Cartwright (healing)

◆ Joe Castillo (health/healing)

◆ Karen Contreras (health/healing)

◆ Michele Crawford's nephew Ryan Conley (healing)

◆ Jaydee Fremgen (health/healing)

◆ Johnson Fung (miraculous healing)

◆ Olga Garcia (healing)

◆ Faith Kruse (health)

◆ Flo McIntire (health)

◆ Angel Moreno (Safety & Peace)

◆ Debra Murphree's cousin's husband, Randy; and her Aunt's granddaughter, Lexie (both with serious health problems)

◆ James Petty (relief from back pain)

◆ Jennifer Petty (continued healing)

◆ Petty's niece, Lisa Stewart (health)

◆ Petty's niece, Melinda (healing)

◆ Petty's Grandson, Bryce

◆ Petty's neighbor "Luis" (healing)

◆ Kathy Phillips (health/healing)

◆ Rebekka Plummer's friends "Adam for a job" and "Jesse"

◆ Josh Ramirez (spiritual healing)

◆ Cindy Riley's sister (healing)

◆ Esther Slaughter (health)

◆ Brenda Stephenson's friend "Kay" (leg amputation)

◆ Grace Summerlin (health)

◆ Teddy Tubbs (healing)

◆ MaryAnn Ulery's co-worker, brother & friend (health, guidance & deliverance)

◆ Aaron Tygart (healing both spiritual & Physical healing)

◆ Kathy Yates brother "Ray" (continued healing)

◆ Jan Yates (health)

◆ Duane Young Family (healing physical & Emotional)

◆ **Unspoken** prayer requests Healing, finances and families.

### Intercessory Prayer

*And I sought for a man among them that should make up the hedge and stand in the gap before me for . . .*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Optional)

*Please stand in the gap for me - that God's divine will be done regarding the following . . .*

*Fill in your request, tear off, place in the Offering plate, or give directly to the Pastor or to one of the Elders.*

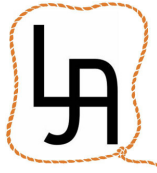
*May God Bless You!*

Prayer FAX Line 806.799.5136

Email: [lubbockadventist@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lubbockadventist@sbcglobal.net)

7/6/19

## Lubbock Junior Academy . . .



Accepting students for 2019-2020 School year

Student Handbook & Applications are available at the church office.

### Lubbock Junior Academy

School Motto

*Building A Better World ~ One Child at a time*

Please feel free to contact:

**Marybel Orellana, M.Ed., Principal/Teacher, 5-8**

**Email:** [morellana@texico.org](mailto:morellana@texico.org)

**Phone or Text** 817.709.3965 **School** 806.795.4481

**Melwin "Bim" Paez, Teacher, Grades K-4**

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Connie Buckman - School Board Chair, 817.296.0874

Cindy Riley, Treasurer, 806.928.9713

Glenn Blake, 806.790.9549

or the Church Office, 806.793.8614

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### CHURCH ROOF LOAN

| 2018        | Payment  | Received |          |
|-------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Jan-June    | \$21,264 | \$23,071 | \$1,807  |
| July-Dec    | \$21,264 | \$21,934 | \$ 670   |
| <b>2019</b> |          |          |          |
| Jan-Mar     | \$10,632 | \$10,166 | (\$ 466) |
| April       | \$ 3,544 | \$ 4,154 | \$ 610   |
| May         | \$ 3,544 | \$ 2,703 | (\$ 841) |
| June        | \$ 3,544 | \$ 3,721 | \$ 177   |

### CHURCH FINANCES AT A GLANCE

| June 2019 | TITHE                         |                               |
|-----------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|           | This Year (Jan-June) YTD 2019 | Last Year (Jan-June) YTD 2018 |
| \$21,313  | \$139,263                     | \$139,853                     |

| June 2019 | CHURCH BUDGET |          |      |
|-----------|---------------|----------|------|
|           | Required      | Received | Need |
| \$12,330  | \$11,143      | \$1,187  |      |

| Original Roof Loan \$420,000 | ROOF LOAN (15-Year Note)      |                           |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
|                              | Monthly Payment \$3,544/month | Balance 5/31/19 \$335,215 |

~ ~ Thank You For Remembering our Church Expenses ~ ~  
A total of \$12,330 is required monthly for every ministry to be fully funded.

*Please place your contribution in an offering envelope and designate the ministry to which your offering is to be allocated, Undesignated offerings will go to the Church Budget.*

*All the ministry efforts of the Lubbock Seventh-day Adventist Church have been made possible by your generous contributions and faithful stewardship. You are deeply appreciated and your financial support is making a significant difference.*

*For your convenience, there is also a link for online giving, <http://www.lubbockadventist.org>*

## Upcoming Events

**Children's Church** - Next Sabbath, July 13, in the Conference Center, following the Children's Story. Children ages 5-14 are invited to attend. Parental permission requested.

**LJA Marketing Meeting** - Monday, July 15, 7:00pm. Classroom I

**School Board**, Tuesday, July 16, 7:00pm. Classroom I

## Vacation Bible School

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### "VBS"

**Men's Breakfast** - Sunday, August 4, 9:00am. All men are invited to meet at Golden Corral for Breakfast and Fellowship

**LJA Registration & Cookout-Fundraiser**, Sunday, August 4, 1-4:00pm - School Playground. (\$5.00 suggested donation)

**Wednesday Evening Prophecy Class**  
Will resume August 7, at 7:00pm in the Choir Room

**Osh Kosh Camporee** - August 12-18, 2019

**First Day of School** - Tuesday, August 20, 8:30am

**First Day of School Watermelon Feed** - Tuesday, August 20, 2:00pm, School Playground.

**Fun Run** - Sunday, August 25, 8:00am - Leftwich Park

**LJA Vespers & Fundraiser** - Sabbath, September 21, 7:00pm - Baked Potato Bar

**Lubbock Seventh-day Adventist Church Sabbath Morning Messages** are now available on You Tube: [Lubbocktexicoadventist bit.ly/LubbockTexico](http://Lubbocktexicoadventist.bit.ly/LubbockTexico)  
Available to watch at your convenience

## Welcome

*to the Lubbock Seventh-day Adventist Church.*

*It is good to have you with us today. We pray that our time together assists you in your growth in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.*

**If you are visiting, please speak with one of our Elders or Deacons — who are here to greet you.**

If you are looking for a church home, we pray you will find it with us!

We would love to welcome you into our church by baptism, by your profession of faith in Jesus, or by transfer from another Seventh-day Adventist church. Our pastor or church clerk will be happy to help you make membership arrangements.

You may speak to the pastor, one of the elders at church or write your request on a Card and drop it in the offering plate.

*Cards are located in the Sanctuary pew racks.*

## Today's Events

**9:30am - Sabbath School** - Church in Bible Study

**9:30am - Spanish Worship Service** - Classroom 20

**11:00am - Divine Worship Service** - Worship Center

**11:00am - Spanish Sabbath School** - Classroom 20

**12:30pm - Fellowship "Haystacks" Lunch** - Fellowship Hall, Everyone is invited to stay for lunch, immediately following the Worship Service today.

**5:00pm - Prayer Warriors** - Classroom I

**7:00pm - Sundown Vespers** - Classroom I

### *The Joy and Blessing of the Sabbath*

*Concludes today at 9:00pm ~ Begins next Friday at 8:59pm*

## Events This Week

**Sunday - July 7**

**9:00am - Men's Breakfast** - All men are invited to meet at Golden Corral for Breakfast and Fellowship  
**2:30pm - Women's Prayer Group** - Classroom I

**Monday - July 8**

**6:00pm - Finance Committee** - Board Room  
**7:00pm - Church Board** - Classroom I  
**7:00pm - Men's Prayer Group** - Board Room

**Wednesday - July 9**

**7:00pm - Spanish Prayer Meeting** - Pastor's Office

**Friday - July 12**

**6:30pm - Celebration of the life of Josh Ramirez**  
On his 19th Birthday, At Copper Cove Apartment, 3220 14th Street, Apt. 205. Please RSVP to Sandy Ramirez at 806.319.1076.

**7:00pm - Prayer Warriors** - Classroom I

**8:59pm** - the Joy and Blessing of the Sabbath begins.