

## A Tribute To Mothers

**The Queen of the Home.**--The king upon his throne has no higher work than has the mother. The mother is queen of her household. She has in her power the molding of her children's characters, that they may be fitted for the higher, immortal life. An angel could not ask for a higher mission; for in doing this work she is doing service for God.... Her work is for time and for eternity. The mother is the queen of the home, and the children are her subjects.

The children are to be taught to regard their mother, not as a slave whose work it is to wait on them, but as a queen who is to guide and direct them...

**Eternity.**--The sphere of the mother may be humble; but her influence, united with the father's, is as abiding as eternity. Next to God, the mother's power for good is the strongest known on earth.

The mother's influence is an unceasing influence; and if it is always on the side of right, her children's characters will testify to her moral earnestness and worth. Her smile, her encouragement, may be an inspiring force. She may bring sunshine to the heart of her child by a word of love, a smile of approval.

**Her Grand and Noble Commission.** -- There are opportunities of inestimable worth, interests infinitely precious, committed to every mother. The humble round of duties which women have come to regard as a wearisome task should be looked upon as a grand and noble work. It is the mother's privilege to bless the world by her influence, and in doing this she will bring joy to her own heart. She may make straight paths for the feet of her children through sunshine and shadow to the glorious heights above. But it is only when she seeks, in her own life, to follow the teachings of Christ that the mother can hope to form the character of her children after the divine pattern.

**Sculpturing a Likeness of the Divine.**--There is a God above, and the light and glory from His throne rests upon the faithful mother as she tries to educate her children to resist the influence of evil. No other work can equal hers in importance. She has not, like the artist, to paint a form of beauty upon canvas; nor, like the sculptor, to chisel it from marble. She has not, like the author, to embody a noble thought in words of power; nor, like the musician, to express a beautiful sentiment in melody. It is hers, with the help of God, to develop in a human soul the likeness of the divine

**The World's Debt to Mothers.**--The day of God will reveal how much the world owes to godly mothers for men who have been unflinching advocates of truth and reform--men who have been bold to do and dare, who have stood unshaken amid trials and temptations; men who chose the high and holy interests of truth and the glory of God before worldly honor or life itself.

Mothers, ...your influence and example are affecting the character and destiny of your children; and in view of your responsibility, develop a well-balanced mind and a pure character, reflecting only the true, the good, and the beautiful.

*The Adventist Home, Chapter 38*

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## Sabbath Together

May 9, 2020

### Sabbath School

9:30 AM

Children's Sabbath School classes  
will hopefully resume June 6.

Adult Classes:  
Conference Center - Bible Study - David Rendon

Zoom - Traditional Quarterly - Anita McChesney

The discussion will be on lesson six of the adult Sabbath School quarterly (*Why is Interpretation Needed?*), which can be accessed online at: <https://ssnet.org/lessons/20b/less06.html>

Everyone is invited to join and share the blessings found in God's word together!

*Prayer is going to the Lord with our heart  
and coming away with His...*

Anon

### Sabbath Worship Service 11:00 AM

Welcome		Robert Plant, II
Call To Worship	<i>We Have This Hope</i>	Hymn 214
Hymns of Praise	<i>Far From All Cares</i>	Hymn 394
Children's Story		Archel Burda <i>(The green basket is for the Lamb's Offering to benefit Church Landscaping)</i>
Praise In Giving	<b>World Budget</b>	Tommy Muse <i>~ ~ ~ Tithes and all offerings also received at this time ~ ~ ~</i>
Offering Response		Hymn 694 <i>Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>
Song of Prayer	<i>Cares Chorus</i>	Congregation
Circle of Prayer		Philip Mainda
Song of Response	<i>Hear Our Prayer, O Lord</i>	Hymn 684
Message in Song		Elizabeth & Isabella Verastegui
Message	<b>THE EYES ARE USELESS WHEN THE MIND IS BLIND</b>	Ed Thorne
Closing Song	<i>Draw Me Nearer</i>	Hymn 306
Benediction		Ed Thorne

Praise Leader: Melwin Paez

Pianist: Joy Ramos

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Offering Next Week: Church Budget  
Speaker Next Week: Marybel Orellana

Attendance Last Week: 62

Deacon in Charge: David Riley  
Elder for May: Melwin Paez

Today's Greeter: Tammy Allen-Reed

## How To Reach Us

### Board of Elders:

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Marybel Orellana; LJA Principal/Teacher	817.709.3965
Lubbock Junior Academy	806.795.4481
Adventist Book Center - Texas	800.333.1844
Texico Conference Office	1.505.244.1611
Conference Website:	<a href="http://www.texico.org/">http://www.texico.org/</a>

## Social Distancing

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic  
Texas Governor Abbott  
has issued Social Distancing/seating  
guidelines for meeting in church buildings

\* Keep at least two empty seats (or six feet separation)  
between parties in any row, except as follows:

\* **Two or more members of the same household  
can sit adjacent to one another, with two seats  
(or six foot separation) empty on either side.**

► *Two individuals who are not members of the same household but who are attending together may sit adjacent to one another, with two seats (or six foot separation) empty on either side.*

**\*Alternate rows between attendees  
(every other row left empty)**

Check the Bulletin Board for a complete report issued for:  
**CHURCHES/PLACES OF WORSHIP**

## Interesting Information

Available on: **YOU TUBE**  
"IS THIS THE TIME OF THE END?"  
Walter Veith & Martin Smith  
April 23, Two-Hour presentation



# 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 Local Church Ministry Leaders**

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

- ◆ Andi (Relief from pain)
- ◆ Andi's Grandfather (angiogram)
- ◆ Andi's Mother-in-law (cancer) Dora Ragain
- ◆ Debbie Bellknap (Stage 4)
- ◆ Mary Blake (continued healing)
- ◆ John Brown (continued healing)
- ◆ Myrtle Busby (Relief from pain)
- ◆ Torey Brumfield (healing)
- ◆ Sandra Caballero (healing)
- ◆ David Cartwright (healing)
- ◆ Donna Cartwright (health)
- ◆ Joe Castillo (health/healing)
- ◆ Jerry Castro (health/healing)
- ◆ Karen Contreras (health/healing)
- ◆ Michele Crawford's nephew Ryan Conley (healing)
- ◆ Grace Fields (Breast Cancer)
- ◆ Jaydee Fremgen (health/healing)
- ◆ Johnson Fung (continued healing)

- ◆ Charles Gaines (healing)
- ◆ Olga Garcia (healing)
- ◆ Steve Graves (health)
- ◆ Lionel Johnson (health)
- ◆ Anita McChesney family (comfort)
- ◆ Angel Moreno (Safety & Peace)
- ◆ Jennifer Petty (Restored Health)
- ◆ Petty's niece, Lisa Stewart (health)
- ◆ Petty's Grandson, Bryce
- ◆ Petty's neighbor "Luis" (healing)
- ◆ Victorina Prieto (healing)
- ◆ Rebekka Plummer's friends "Adam for a job" and "Jesse"
- ◆ David Riley's niece "Felicia"
- ◆ Cindy Riley's sister (healing) & her cousin "Tim"
- ◆ Yolanda & Juan Rojas (healing)
- ◆ Esther Slaughter (health)
- ◆ Teddy Tubbs (Strength/healing)
- ◆ MaryAnn Ulery's co-worker, & friend (health)

◆ Aaron Tygart (healing both Spiritual & Physical)

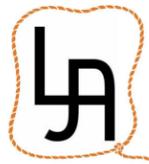
◆ Kathy Yates (healing)

◆ Duane Young family (healing)

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

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

## Lubbock Junior Academy ...



### Recruiting K-8 students for 2020-2021 School year

Student Handbook & Applications are available at the school or church office.

### Lubbock Junior Academy

School Mission Statement

**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

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

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

**Phone or Text** 240.460.7923

Robert Plant, II - School Board Chair, 806.441.1090

Cindy Riley, Treasurer, 806.928.9713

or the Church Office, 806.793.8614

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### CHURCH ROOF LOAN

2019	Payment	Received	
Jan-June	\$21,264	\$20,744	(\$ 520)
July-Dec	\$21,264	\$22,518	\$1,254
<b>2020</b>			
Jan-March	\$10,632	\$9,388	(\$1,244)
April	\$3,544	\$7,748	\$4,204
May	\$3,544	\$980	\$2,564

We need to stay a month ahead at all times, as the payment is drafted from our bank account on the 10th of each month.

### CHURCH FINANCES AT A GLANCE

	TITHE This Year (Jan-April)	Last Year (Jan-April)
April 2020	YTD 2020	YTD 2019
\$21,270	\$87,253	\$95,667

	CHURCH BUDGET		
	Required	Received	Need
May 2020	\$13,130	\$1,095	\$11,478

	ROOF LOAN (15-Year Note)	
	Monthly Payment	Balance 4/30/2020
Original Roof Loan	\$3,544/month	\$309,153
\$420,000		

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.

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

~ ~ Thank You For Remembering our Church Expenses ~ ~  
A total of \$13,130 is required monthly for every ministry to be fully funded.

## Upcoming Events

**100 Days of Prayer March 27 through July 4, 2020**  
**Will you pray for God's church and mission**  
**During the COVID-19 Crisis? 100 Days of Prayer**  
**March 27 to July 4**

Join Seventh-day Adventists all around the world in praying for the presence and power of the Holy Spirit to be poured out on our church, to empower us for mission, and to be a light to the world during this time of crisis!

Visit [revivalandreform.org/100days](http://revivalandreform.org/100days)

to receive the weekly special prayer blog and the daily world church prayer requests.

**\*\* NOTE \*\***

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**Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic**  
**All events will be held in compliance with the "Social Distancing/Seating Stipulation" guidelines posted by Governor Abbott**

> **Finance Committee** - Sunday, May 17, 3:00pm  
> **Church Board** - Sunday, May 17, 4:00pm

> **LJA Constituency Meeting** -  
Sunday, May 17, 6:00pm, Conference Center

> **Lubbock Junior Academy - 8th Grade Graduation**  
Sunday, May 17, 7:00pm, in the Church Worship Center

> **Wednesday Bible Study: The Judgement**  
Wednesday, May 20, 7:00pm in Choir Room  
**"Message to the world 1844 and being ready"**

> **LJA Last Day of School:** Friday, May 22

> **Wednesday Bible Study: The Judgement**  
Wednesday, May 27, 7:00pm in Choir Room  
**"The sanctuary in heaven"**

> **Corporate Sabbath School: May 30 - Hans Burda**

> **Wednesday Bible Study: The Judgement**  
Wednesday, June 3, 7:00pm in Choir Room  
**"Good News or Bad News"**

> **VBS - June 10-13 "Hero's"**  
(May be postponed)

> **Wednesday Bible Study: The Judgement**  
Wednesday, June 10, 7:00pm in Choir Room  
**"1844 and being like Jesus"**

> **Children's Church Schedule:**  
Sabbath, June 13 & 27, Following the Children's Story  
Parental permission requested.

## 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 introduce yourself to 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 Elders or church clerk will be happy to help you make membership arrangements.

## Today's Events

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

**11:00am - Spanish Divine Worship Service** - Room 20

**Prayer Warriors** - Classroom 1 - to resume in June

**5:30pm - Provide Meal Ronald McDonald House**

**Sundown Vespers to resume in June** - Classroom 1

**Vespers in Spanish** - Classroom 20 - to resume in June

**YAM** - Young Adult Ministry - Off Campus until June

**The Joy and Blessing of the Sabbath**

Concludes today at 8:37pm

Begins next Friday at 8:41pm

## Events This Week

(All Gatherings must be scheduled and must comply with Social distancing/seating stipulations)

**Sunday - May 10**

**Mother's Day**

**Women's Prayer Group** - resume in June

**Monday - May 11**

**Men's Prayer Group** - Board Room - resume in June

**Wednesday - May 13**

**7:00pm - Wednesday Bible Study: The Judgement**  
**"What is Jesus Doing?" - Conference Center**

**Friday - May 15**

**Prayer Ministry** - Board Room - Resume in June  
**8:41pm** - The joy of the Sabbath begins.

**For it is in giving that we receive.**  
Francis of Assisi

### 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!

5/9/20