

Pastor's Corner

Pastor Phil Robertson



Ever since that night in the Upper Room with His disciples, Jesus' words of counsel and instruction continue to bring hope and comfort to His followers. With a tenderness

that still resonates with us today, Jesus addressed this special group of friends in preparation for what they would experience after He returned to Heaven.

Jesus wanted them to remain committed to Him and, as His disciples, to demonstrate the principles of His kingdom in their lives. He gave them the clearest description of what it meant to be His followers when He said, ***"love each another...By this everyone will know that you are my disciples if you love one another."*** They were to focus on love, not fear.

But as they thought of being here without Him they were afraid. And then, His counsel turned their thoughts to how they should relate to the greatest day they would ever experience. "Let not your hearts be troubled, My Father's house has many rooms...I am going there to prepare a place for you...**I will come back and take you to be with Me.**" And the message of that statement should be the basis for us as we continue to wait for the fulfillment of that promise.

As we look around us today it is exciting to see that the signs of His coming are growing more distinct. Some of these things might even stir up a sense of fear in some folks. However, it is my prayer that we will always remember that when Jesus spoke those words of comfort and hope so long ago, He was speaking to our hearts as well.

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But as it is written:

"Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, Nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him."
1 Corinthians 2:9 (NKJ)

Sabbath Together

September 19, 2020

Sabbath School 9:30 AM

Adult Classrooms:

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

Birth-High School 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

Sabbath Worship Service 11:00 AM

Welcome		Pastor Phil
Call To Worship	<i>We Have This Hope</i>	Hymn 214
Hymn of Praise	<i>Take the Name of Jesus with You</i>	Hymn 474
Children's Story		Caleb Shetler
	The Miracle of Unwavering Faith <i>(The Lamb's Offering will benefit LJA Worthy Student)</i>	
Praise In Giving	Church Budget ~ ~ Tithe and all offerings also received at this time ~ ~ ~	David Riley
Offering Response		Hymn 694
	<i>Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	
Song of Prayer	<i>Sweet Hour of Prayer</i>	Hymn 478
Circle of Prayer		David Rendon
Song of Response	<i>Hear Our Prayer, O Lord</i>	Hymn 684
Message in Song	<i>The Lord's Prayer</i>	Robert Plant, II
Message	Stop, Look & Listen <i>Scripture: 1 Corinthians 2:9 (NKJ)</i>	Ed Thorne
Closing Song	<i>We Know Not the Hour</i>	Hymn 604
Benediction		Pastor Phil

Praise Leader: Robert Plant, II
Pianist: Joy Ramos

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Offering Next Week: Texico Ministries
Speaker Next Week: Pastor Phil

Attendance Last Week: 128

Deacon in Charge: David Riley

Elder of Month of September: Ed Thorne

Today's Greeter: Tammy Allen-Reed

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Texico Conference Office	1.505.244.1611
Conference Website:	http://www.texico.org/

Thank You From LJA

Thanks to all those who attended our LJA Vespers/Social, Sabbath, September 5. We trust you enjoyed the program & fellowship.

We hope you can join us again to our next event, **LJA Food Tasting Festival**, Sunday, October 25, 2020 at 5 pm. in the Fellowship Hall
Be thinking about a dish you would like to enter in this festival!!

Thank You for your continual support!
 Marybel Orellana, M.Ed.,
 Head Teacher/5th-8th grade
 Lubbock Junior Academy
 806-795-4481 ~ 817-709-3965



Thank You Women's Ministry

for the fantastic:



The Homemade Pizza was exceptional!!
 The watermelon was delicious, plus cookies and lots of side dishes —
 Topped off with a choice of Popsicles or Ice Cream!



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 Pastor, Elders, School Teachers and Local Church Ministry Leaders**

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

◆ Robert Aldridge (continued healing from Stroke)

◆ Mary Blake (Restored Health)

◆ John Brown (continued healing)

◆ Torey Brumfield (healing)

◆ David Cartwright (healing)

◆ Archel Burda (Healing fm injury)

◆ Myrtle Busby (Grief; death of Brother and sister-in-law)

◆ Donna Cartwright (health)

◆ Joe Castillo (health)

◆ Jerry Castro (health/healing)

◆ Jodi Castro (Grief, healing & wisdom for move)

◆ Karen & Juan Contreras (healing from accident)

◆ Denise Downing (Good Test on Oct.10)

◆ Johnson Fung (continued healing)

◆ Isai Herrera (healing fm surgery)

◆ Luis Moreno's sister, (Stage 4)

◆ Debra Murphree's Cousin "Steve" (Leukemia)

◆ Bryan Muse (health)

◆ Jennifer Petty (restored health)

◆ Petty's niece, Lisa Stewart (health)

◆ Rebekkah Plummer's friend "Jesse" (needs a job)

◆ David Riley's cousin's, Kenneth Riley (recovering fm surgery) & Jamie Riley (on ventilator)

◆ Cindy Riley's sister & cousin "Tim" (continued healing)

◆ Aaron Tygart (healing, both Spiritual & Physical)

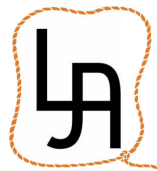
◆ David Varner's daughter Selena (In need of miraculous Healing)

◆ 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
2020			
Jan-June	\$21,264	\$27,405	\$6,141
July	\$ 3,544	\$ 3,846	\$ 302
August	\$ 3,544	\$ 5,714	\$2,170
September	\$3,544	\$ 2,104	(\$1,440)

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-Aug)	Last Year (Jan-Aug)
August 2020	YTD 2020	YTD 2019
\$25,659	\$179,127	\$190,520

	CHURCH BUDGET		
	Required	Received	Need
August 2020	\$13,130	\$6,099	\$7,031

	ROOF LOAN	
	(15-Year Note) Monthly Payment	Balance 8/31/2020
Original Roof Loan	\$3,544/month	\$289,143

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.

Events This Week

Sunday - September 20

8:00am Pathfinder Club - 5-mile Bike Ride on the way to complete "Bicycle Honor" requirements, Pathfinders please meet at Mae Simmons Park.

10:00am-Noon - Women's Prayer Breakfast

All women are invited for a Prayer Breakfast on the Patio at the home of Jan Yates, 4609 49th St.

2:30pm - Ladies Prayer Group - Classroom I

Tuesday - September 22

7:00-8:00pm - English Language Class with Mrs. Marybel Orellana via Zoom

Wednesday - September 23

7:00pm - English Bible Study - Conference Center

7:00pm - Spanish Bible Study - Classroom I

Thursday - September 24

7:00-8:00pm - English Language Class with Mrs. Marybel Orellana via Zoom

Friday - September 25

7:00pm - Prayer Group - Prayer Room

7:39pm - The joy of the Sabbath begins.

Upcoming Events

Family Sabbath School:

(Formerly: Corporate Sabbath School)

For the enjoyment of Junior through Adults, at 9:30am, September 26, facilitated by Mae Flores

Children's Church -

Sabbath, September 26, following the Children's Story All children ages 5-14 invited to Children's Church in the Conference Center - Parental permission is requested

LJA Field Trip to South Plains Fair:

Tuesday, September 29, 11am-2pm

D2U - Adventist Book Center -

To place an order call 1.800.333.1844

To see the food list and monthly sales go to:

www.abckeene.com

Orders must be placed by October 1 for delivery to our church Parking Lot at 3:15, October 7.

Men's Breakfast - Sunday, October 4, 9:00am.

All men are invited to meet at Lubbock's Breakfast House 3515 50th Street (Note New location) for Breakfast and Fellowship. After breakfast, Tom Sexton invited everyone to the "Patriot Range" 5840 49th Street.

Finance Committee - Tuesday, October 6, 6:00pm

Church Board - Tuesday, October 6, 7:00pm

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 our Pastor or one of our Elders, Deacons or Deaconesses - 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, Elders or church clerk will be happy to help you make membership arrangements.

Today's Events

9:30am - Discipleship Class - Classroom 14
Facilitated by Philip Mainda

9:30am - Sabbath School Classes

11:00am - Divine Worship Service - Worship Center
(Worship Service will be available on Facebook-Live)

11:00am - Spanish Divine Worship Service - Classroom 20

3-4:00pm - Zoom Bible Study "Book of James"
This study is open to all who would like to study - Contact Anita McChesney (574)514.9495 for the required Zoom connection ID.

7:00pm - Sundown Vespers - Classroom I

7:00pm - Vespers in Spanish - Classroom 20

7:00pm - YAM - Young Adult Ministry - Youth Lounge
This 18-35 age group meets weekly.
Masks suggested to make everyone feel comfy.

The Joy and Blessing of the Sabbath

Concludes today at 7:47 pm

Begins next Friday at 7:39pm

Sad News

Jodeanna Castro's mother passed away
Friday, September 11.

The family has asked us to pray for them during this time of loss.

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!

9/19/20