

## Pastor's Page

Pastor Phil Robertson



The Communion Service provides a powerful reminder of God's gift of Salvation to humankind. In the components of our 'celebration', instituted by Jesus Himself, we see the focal point of God's plan to reclaim His creation. And in this service we find deep meaning, far-reaching purpose and a Living Hope. This service is packed with such important concepts of atonement, forgiveness and a call to discipleship.

As Jesus spoke with His disciples shortly before His betrayal, He told them that He 'chose' them and appointed them that they may go and bear much fruit for His Kingdom. Here, at the end of their earthly ministry experiences, Jesus was trying to confirm the amazing call on each of their hearts to be disciples, His disciples. Sure they had hung in there with Him throughout the most unusual and unpredictable period of their lives, but now that He would be leaving them, He truly wanted them to step up and step into His mission like never before.

These twelve specific men were the ones that He chose. They were also men who were challenged by the issues in their lives, by the discord they witnessed among His detractors and by their own need to truly 'choose' Jesus as their Savior and Lord. Making a choice, coming to a decision to truly follow Him in the days ahead, not seeing Him, but trusting Him just the same. Unfortunately, even though they had witnessed amazing events, they still were susceptible to distractions, conflicts with each other, and unfaithfulness to Him.

Jesus fully understood what He was doing that night in the Upper Room. By eating the Passover meal with His disciples, He re-affirmed and remembered the deliverance in Egypt when the angel 'Passed Over' the houses of those who were obedient to His instructions. But in this moment, as He shared the bread and the cup, Jesus was announcing the deliverance that He was about to secure for them, and for all of those who would come to believe on His name. He expressed His deep desire that they would 'remember' His death and celebrate the deliverance that He would provide through His blood.

Today, we will come to His table and we will 'Remember' that He died the death that we deserve and affirm our gratitude for His Gracious Gift of Salvation.

Warmly,  
Pastor Phil, Interim Pastor

## Sabbath Together

May 1, 2021

**Sabbath School** 9:30 AM

### Adult Classrooms:

Classroom 1 - Traditional Quarterly  
Classroom 20 - Spanish Sabbath School  
Conference Center - 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 First 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

For directions, see posted floor plan or ask the Greeters for assistance.

**Sabbath Worship Service** 11:00 AM

Welcome		Pastor Phil
Call To Worship	<i>We Have This Hope</i>	Hymn 214
Invocation		Robert Plant, II
Hymn of Praise	<i>Power in the Blood</i>	Hymn 294
Praise in Giving	<b>Church Budget</b>	Cindy Riley
	~~~ Regular tithe and offerings also received at this time ~~~	
Offering Response:		Hymn 694
	<i>Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	
Song of Prayer	<i>In the Garden</i>	Hymn 487
Circle of Prayer		Pastor Phil
Song of Response	<i>Hear Our Prayer, O Lord</i>	Hymn 684
Homily	<b>"Do This In Remembrance of Me"</b>	Pastor Phil
	Luke 22:19-20 NIV	

(Congregation will separate for Service of Humility)

### The Service of Humility

(The following choices are provided for your personal comfort)

**Men only** in Classroom 1  
**Women only** in Class Room 2  
**Couples only** in the Church Parlor  
**Families** in the Conference Center  
Please honor the reserved seats as you return to the Sanctuary

~ ~ ~ The Emblems ~ ~ ~

Hymn of Dedication *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* Hymn 350

"And when they had sung a hymn, they went out...."  
Matthew 26:30

Please contribute to the Offering for the poor as you leave

**Praise Leader:** Robert Plant, II

**Pianist:** Joy Ramos

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**Today's Greeter:** Dottie Haney & Ysidro Hernandez

## How To Reach Us

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Melwin "Bim" Paez	240.460.7923
Ed Thorne	806.535.4300
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David Riley, Chair, Board of Deacons	806.577.2990
Michele Crawford, Chair, Board of Deaconess	970.901.0987
Kathy Flyger, Church Event/Building Coordinator	806.535.7770
Church Office	806.793.8614
Church FAX	806.799.5136
Church Email Address	<a href="mailto:lubbockadventist@sbcglobal.net">lubbockadventist@sbcglobal.net</a>
Church Website:	<a href="http://www.lubbockadventist.org">http://www.lubbockadventist.org</a>
Marybel Orellana; LJA Principal/Teacher	817.709.3965
Lubbock Junior Academy	806.795.4481
Dorothy Tubbs, LVN, Health Ministry Director	806.544.2435
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>

## Communion Sabbath

### In Remembrance of Me ..



And He took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying,

**"This is my body given for you; do this in remembrance of me."**

In the same way, after the supper, He took the cup, saying,

**"This cup is the new covenant in my blood, which is poured out for you."**  
Luke 22:19-20

The Service of Humility will be available in various locations.

Choices available for your comfort

- ◆ Men only in Class Room 1
- ◆ Women only in Class Room 2
- ◆ Families in the Conference Center
- ◆ Couples in the Church Parlor



**Speaker Next Week:** Pastor Phil

**Greeters Next Week:** Lydia Gellido & Janie Perez  
**Offering Next Week:** "Disaster and Famine Relief"

Attendance Last Week: 124+ 125 on Facebook Live

Deacon in Charge: David Riley  
Elder in Charge: Melwin (Bim) Paez



# 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.

Mailing Address: P O Box 6277  
Lubbock, TX 79493-6277

**5302 Elgin Avenue  
Lubbock, Texas 79413  
806.793.8614**

Website: <http://www.lubbockadventist.org>

## 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 and Conferences, our Pastor, Elders, School Teachers and Local Church Ministry Leaders**

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

- ◆ Ann Aldridge - (healing)
- ◆ Robert Aldridge (continued healing from Stroke)
- ◆ Tammy Allen-Reed (healing)
- ◆ Glenn Blake's Grandson (healing)
- ◆ Mary Blake (Restored Health)
- ◆ John Brown (continued healing)
- ◆ Donna Cartwright (healing)
- ◆ Ken Cartwright's 3 sons Uncle & loss of their Mother)
- ◆ Joe Castillo (family health)
- ◆ Jerry Castro (health/healing)
- ◆ Brittany Crawford (healing)
- ◆ Denise Downing (Divine Healing)

- ◆ Debra Murphree (death in family)
- ◆ Walter Murphree (healing)
- ◆ Daniel Narcisse (Lung Cancer)
- ◆ Maybel Paez (death in family)
- ◆ Jennifer Petty (restored health)
- ◆ Tammy-Allen Reed (Healing)
- ◆ Cindy Riley's brother "Chuck Ness" & niece "Ally" COVID
- ◆ Pastor Phil's Mother & Sister (healing)
- ◆ Esther "Dolly" Slaughter (healing fm hip surgery)
- ◆ Aaron Tygart (healing, both Spiritual & Physical)
- ◆ Tim Verastegui - (strength/encouragement)
- ◆ Smiley Verastegui - (Restored eyesight)
- ◆ Kathy Yates (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.**

**Tim Verastegui is in need of our prayers for encouragement and would like to hear from his church - Please send notes, pictures, etc. to:**

Sr. Verastegui, Timothy  
SHIP 12, USS TRITON, DIVISION 247  
3515 Sailor Dr.  
Great Lakes, IL 60088-3515

### 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: \_\_\_\_\_

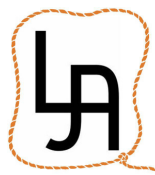
(Optional)

*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!*

5/1/21

## Lubbock Junior Academy . . .



### Recruiting K-9 students for 2021-2022 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 "Mr. 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

~ ~ ~ "Like" us on Facebook ~ ~ ~

### CHURCH ROOF LOAN

2020	Payment	Received	
Jan-June	\$21,264	\$27,404	\$6,140
July-Dec	\$21,264	\$31,356	\$1,516
2021			
January	\$3,544	\$3,598	\$54.00
February	\$3,544	\$3,329	(\$215)
March	\$3,544	\$4,079	\$535
April	\$3,544	\$3,378	(\$166)

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

March 2021	TITHE	
	This Year (Jan-March) YTD 2021	Last Year (Jan-March) YTD 2020
\$27,142	\$78,835	\$61,982

April 2021	CHURCH BUDGET		
	Required	Received	Need
	\$12,950	\$12,749	\$201

Original Roof Loan	ROOF LOAN (15-Year Note)	
	Monthly Payment	Balance 3/31/2021
\$420,000	\$3,544/month	\$263,654

*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 ~ ~  
... and for the sacrificial way you continue to give.

## Events This Week

Sunday - May 2

**9:00am - Men's Breakfast**, All men are invited to meet at Lubbock Breakfast House for breakfast & fellowship.

**11:00am - Church Board** - in the Conference Center

**2:30pm - Ladies Prayer Group** - Via Zoom

Wednesday - May 5

**7:00pm - Mid-week Prayer & Bible Study** in the Conference Center

**7:00pm - Spanish Mid-week Prayer Meeting** in Classroom I

Friday - May 7

**7:30pm - Prayer Warriors** - Classroom I

**8:35pm** - the Joy of the Sabbath begins.

## Upcoming Events

Sabbath - May 8

**11:30am - Children's Church** - in the Conference Center following the Children's Story

**5:30pm - Ronald McDonald House** - Men's Ministry will provide the evening meal for the residents of the Ronald McDonald House. Contact David Riley to volunteer food.

Sabbath - May 15

**1:00pm - All-Church Fellowship "Hay Stack" Potluck Lunch** to honor all 2021 Graduates K through PhD following the Worship Service. If you are graduating or you know another graduate, please let us know by calling the church office 806.793.8614 or text Kathy Flyger at 806.535.7770

Sunday - May 16

5:00pm - **School Board** - Classroom I  
6:00pm: **LJA Constituency Meeting** - Conf Center  
7:00pm: **LJA 8th Graduation**, Worship Center

Monday - May 17

6:00pm - Potluck - Fellowship Hall  
7:30pm - **LJA Awards & Music Recital**

**Monday - Wednesday, May 17-19**  
**LJA 8th-Grade Class Trip**

**PRAYER ROOM NOW AVAILABLE**  
The Prayer Room will be staffed every Sabbath from 9:00am to 1:00pm to assist anyone in need of special prayer!  
Contact David Riley: 806.577.2990

## 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.

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.

### Lubbock Junior Academy School Board Member Update

**Second Reading:**  
**Re-nominate: Robert Plant, II and Kathy Flyger for a 3-year term.**  
**Nominate: Yolanda Garcia to fill the term vacated by David Jeter**

## Today's Events

**9:30am - Sabbath School (Bible Study) for all ages**

**9:30am - Discipleship Class** - Classroom I4  
Facilitated by Philip Mainda

**11:00am - Divine Worship Service** - Worship Center  
(Worship Service will be streamed via Facebook-Live)



**Communion** including the Ordinance of Humility (Foot washing) will be available for all who wish to participate.

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

**3-4:00pm - Zoom Bible Study: The Book of Job**  
This study is open to all who would like to study.  
Contact Anita McChesney (574)514.9495.

**7:30pm - Spanish Vesper Service** - Classroom 20

**7:30pm - Young Adult Ministry** - Youth Lounge  
This 18-35 age group meets weekly.

**The Joy and Blessing of the Sabbath**  
**Concludes today at 8:30pm**  
**Begins next Friday at 8:35pm**