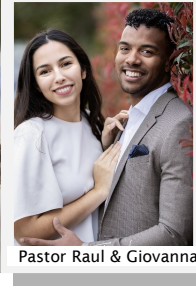


Pastor's Page



Greetings, beloved church family!

I hope this message finds you all in good health and high spirits. It is with mixed emotions that I write to inform you that I will not be able to join you for church service today.

However, I bring you exciting news! I have been given the incredible opportunity to return to my alma mater, Southwestern Adventist University, as a guest speaker for an event they are hosting.

As an alumnus of Southwestern Adventist University, it fills my heart with joy to have the privilege of sharing God's Word with the university community. I am humbled and grateful for this opportunity to serve and inspire others through the power of preaching. Please keep me in your prayers as I embark on this special journey.

While I am away, I want to remind you all of the upcoming revival weekend titled **"Revival in Prophecy,"** **Our Mission in 3 Global Messages** which will take place from February 2-3. We have invited the esteemed Dr. Rico to join us as our guest speaker. Dr. Rico is known for his deep understanding and passionate delivery of God's Word, and I am confident that his messages will uplift and inspire our congregation. I encourage each and every one of you to attend and participate in this special weekend.

Although we will be physically apart, please know that you all remain in our thoughts, prayers, and hearts. We are one family in God, and distance cannot diminish the bond we share. Let us continue to support and uplift one another in our Christian walk, even when we are not physically together. I urge you to join me in praising the One who deserves all honor and glory, Jesus Christ. Together, let us offer our prayers and worship, knowing that our love and devotion to Him transcend any physical barriers. May His presence be felt in every corner of your lives, filling you with peace and joy.

We eagerly anticipate our reunion next weekend, where we can once again come together to celebrate and praise our Lord. Until then, let us continue to grow in faith, love, and unity, knowing that the Lord is with us always.

With heartfelt blessings and warm regards,

Sabbath Together

January 27, 2024

Sabbath School 9:30 AM

Adult Classrooms:

Classroom 1 - *Traditional Quarterly*
 Classroom 20 - *Spanish Sabbath School*
 Classroom 14 - 28-Fundamentals - *Philip Mainda*
 Youth Lounge - Young Adult 18-35 - *Hans Burda & Daniel Davis*

Birth to 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

Health Nugget

Prelude *Family of God* Congregation

Welcome & Announcements Glenn Blake

Praise in Worship *O Come to the Altar & Here I am to Worship* Congregation

Children's Story Archel Burda
 Lamb's Offering will benefit Church Worthy Student Fund
At this time all children ages 5-14 are invited to Children's Church in the Conference Center - Parental permission is requested

Offering Call Texico Ministries Anita McChesney

~ ~ ~ Regular tithe and offerings also received at this time ~ ~ ~

Offering Response Hymn 694
Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

Song of Prayer *A Quiet Place* Hymn 503

Circle of Prayer Glenn Blake

Song of Response *Hear Our Prayer, O Lord* Hymn 684

Special Music Ianthe Burda & Nora Richemond

Message **What Will You Do?** Ed Thorne
Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. John 14:6, NIV"

Closing Hymn *Bringing in the Sheaves* Hymn 369

Benediction Ed Thorne

Postlude

Pianist: Emelyn Elaida

Praise Team: Ianthe Burda, Maddie Caballero, Nikki Marpa and Nora Richemond

Offering Next Week: Local Operating Expenses

Speaker Next Week: Dr. Jorge Rico

Greeter Next Week: Ana Moreno

Attendance Last Week: 175

Today's Greeters: Nehemie Gervais

Head Deacon: David Riley

Elder Team for January: Glenn Blake & Daniel Davis

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OUR MISSION IN 3 GLOBAL MESSAGES

We are thrilled to invite everyone to join us for an incredible Revival next Weekend, February 2-3, 2024

Get ready to experience a powerful spiritual journey with our esteemed guest speaker, Dr. Rico, as he shares his insights on

"OUR MISSION IN 3 GLOBAL MESSAGES"

Revival weekend promises to be a time of inspiration, reflection, and transformation.

Dr. Rico will delve into the depths of prophetic teachings, helping us reconnect with our faith and reignite our spiritual fire.

Prepare yourself for thought-provoking messages, uplifting worship, and heartfelt fellowship.

February 2, Friday evening,

7:00pm "The Landscape of Revelation"

February 3, Sabbath Morning & Afternoon,

11:30am "The Everlasting Gospel"

12:30pm HAYSTACK LUNCH

2:00pm "God's Solemn Warning"

Whether you're a member of our church family or new to our community, we extend a warm welcome to all. Revival Weekend is an open invitation to everyone seeking spiritual growth and rejuvenation.

Bring your friends, family, and neighbors along to experience this extraordinary event.



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 on funding of our church and LJA)

◆ **Our President, Leaders of our country, Leaders of our Church and Conferences, Our Elders, School Teachers and Local Church Ministry Leaders.**

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

◆ Deborah Bellknap (Healing, Health & Finances)

◆ John Brown (Health & Healing)

◆ Donna Cartwright (Healing)

◆ Joe Castillo (Total Healing)

◆ James Crowley, Jr. (Divine Healing)

◆ Flores & Ramos family (Comfort)

◆ Anthony Guerro (Colon Cancer)

◆ Dottie Haney (Health & Healing)

◆ Faith Kruse (Health & Healing)

◆ Mireya Lujan (Total Healing)

◆ Sherry Muse (Total Healing)

◆ Andi Nunez (Health & Healing)

◆ Charlotte Pauda & Jane Perez (comfort in loss of Mother)

◆ Janie Perez (Pain relief)

◆ Jennifer Petty (Total Healing)

◆ Kathie Robertson (Total Healing)

◆ Linda Sigala (Total Healing)

◆ Esther Slaughter's Grandson "Steven" (Total healing)

◆ Morgan Stewart (Stroke)

◆ MaryAnn Ulery (Abnormal Lab)

◆ Olivia Villanueva (Healing)

◆ Bryce Whorton (Stage 4 wounds)

◆ Kathy Yates (Total Healing)

◆ Kay Young (Strength & Healing)

◆ **WAR VICTIMS**

◆ **TORNADO VICTIMS**

◆ **EARTHQUAKE VICTIMS**

◆ **FIRE VICTIMS**

◆ **SHOOTING VICTIMS**

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

Lubbock Junior Academy



Accepting K-8 Students for 2023-2024 School year

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

Lubbock Junior Academy

Building A Better World ~ One Child at a time

Please feel free to contact:

Melwin "Mr. Bim" Paez, Teacher

Phone or Text 240.460.7923

Cindy Riley - School Board Chair

Phone or Text 806.928.9713

School, 806.795.4481 or the Church Office, 806.793.8614

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### CHURCH ROOF LOAN

| 2022      | Payment  | Received | + or (-)  |
|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Jan-Dec   | \$42,528 | \$56,520 | \$13,992  |
| 2023      |          |          |           |
| Jan-June  | \$21,264 | \$19,206 | (\$2,058) |
| July-Sept | \$10,632 | \$21,563 | \$10,931  |
| October   | \$3,544  | \$1,880  | (\$1,664) |
| November  | \$3,544  | \$2,673  | (\$871)   |
| December  | \$3,544  | \$5,867  | \$2,323   |
| January   | \$3,544  | \$2,053  | (\$1,491) |

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

### CHURCH FINANCES AT A GLANCE

| TITHE                     |                     |                     |           |
|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|
|                           | This Year (Jan-Dec) | Last Year (Jan-Dec) |           |
| December 2023             | YTD 2023            | YTD 2022            |           |
| \$54,869                  | \$426,974           | \$318,499           |           |
| CHURCH OPERATING EXPENSES |                     |                     |           |
| 2024                      | Required            | Received            | + or (-)  |
| January                   | \$14,125            | \$7,584             | (\$6,541) |
| ROOF LOAN (15-Year Note)  |                     |                     |           |
| Original Roof Loan        | Monthly Payment     | Balance 12/31/2023  |           |
| \$420,000                 | \$3,544/month       | \$138,779           |           |

**Receipts for your 2023 Tithe & Offering Contributions are ready to be picked-up!**

Should you find a discrepancy on your receipt contact Cindy Riley at 806.928.9713

Receipts not picked up by January 27, will be mailed.

## Events This Week

**Monday - January 29**

6:00pm - **School Board** - Classroom 1

**Tuesday - January 30**

**5:00-7:00pm - Adventurer/Pathfinder Club**

Adventurers in Classroom 2 and

Pathfinders in the Conference Center.

**Friday - February 2**

**7:00pm - "The Landscape of Revelation"**

The first of 3 Dr. Rico will present

**The Joy and Blessing of the Sabbath**

Begins at 6:19pm

## Upcoming Events

**REVIVAL IN PROPHECY** - February 2-3, 7:00pm,

Friday evening, Sabbath morning, Haystack Lunch, & Sabbath afternoon with Dr. Jorge Rico.

**PBE AREA LEVEL:** Sabbath, February 3, 2-5:00pm,

at the Advent Hope Church in San Angelo. TX.

**Men's Breakfast**, Sunday, February 4, 9:00am. All men

are invited to meet at the Golden Corral for breakfast & Fellowship.

**Pathfinder/Adventurer Club Schedule** - Tuesday,

February 6 & 20, 5:00-7:00pm

Adventurers in Classroom 2 and

Pathfinders in the Conference Center.

Clubs meet the 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month.

**Dinosaur Encounter** - Wednesday, February 7, 6:30pm

In the Fellowship Hall. \$10 General Admission.

**Elder's Meeting:** Sabbath afternoon, February 10, 5:00pm

in the Board Room

**Finance Committee:** February 13, 6:00pm, Board Room

**Church Board:** Feb.13, 6:30pm - Conference Center

**Women's Prayer Breakfast:** Sunday Morning, Feb. 18,

at 10a.m. All women are invited to the home of Anita McChesney for Breakfast and Fellowship.

**Presidents Day Holiday:** Monday, February 19 -

No School.

**Wednesday Night Meetings Are Coming Back!!!**

**Starting Wednesday, February 21, 7:00pm!!!**

**Pastor Raul** will guide us through J. Earnhardt's "Bible Marking" study.

## 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.

Simply write your request on a Card and drop it in the offering plate. *Cards are located in the Sanctuary pew racks.*

**We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today.**

## Today's Events

**Pastor Raul is in Keene, TX this morning serving as the speaker for the Texico Youth & Young Adult HOOPS FEST** at Southwestern Adventist University - Let's join together in prayer for safe travel in his return tomorrow.

**9:00am - Discipleship Class** - Classroom 14

A study of the 28 Fundamental Doctrines.

**9:30am - Sabbath School** for all ages

**9:30am - Spanish Speaking Worship Service** -

Spanish Chapel - Classroom 20

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

**6:00pm "YAM" Young Adult Ministry** - This 18-35 age group meet weekly in the Youth Lounge.

**Following Vespers YAMs will host a Potluck In the Fellowship Hall - open to everyone.**

**Especially those wanting to visit with Tim Verastegui, Our Navy man, who is home for a brief visit**

**The Joy and Blessing of the Sabbath**

Concludes today at 6:13pm

Begins next Friday at 6:19pm

**Revival In Prophecy "Our Mission In Three Global Messages"**

Presented by **Dr. Jorge Rico**  
**Friday & Sabbath, February 2 & 3, 2024**

**PRAY FOR REVIVAL in PROPHECY**  
To answer questions,  
To awaken souls to prepare for  
the pending return of Jesus

### 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!*

1/27/24