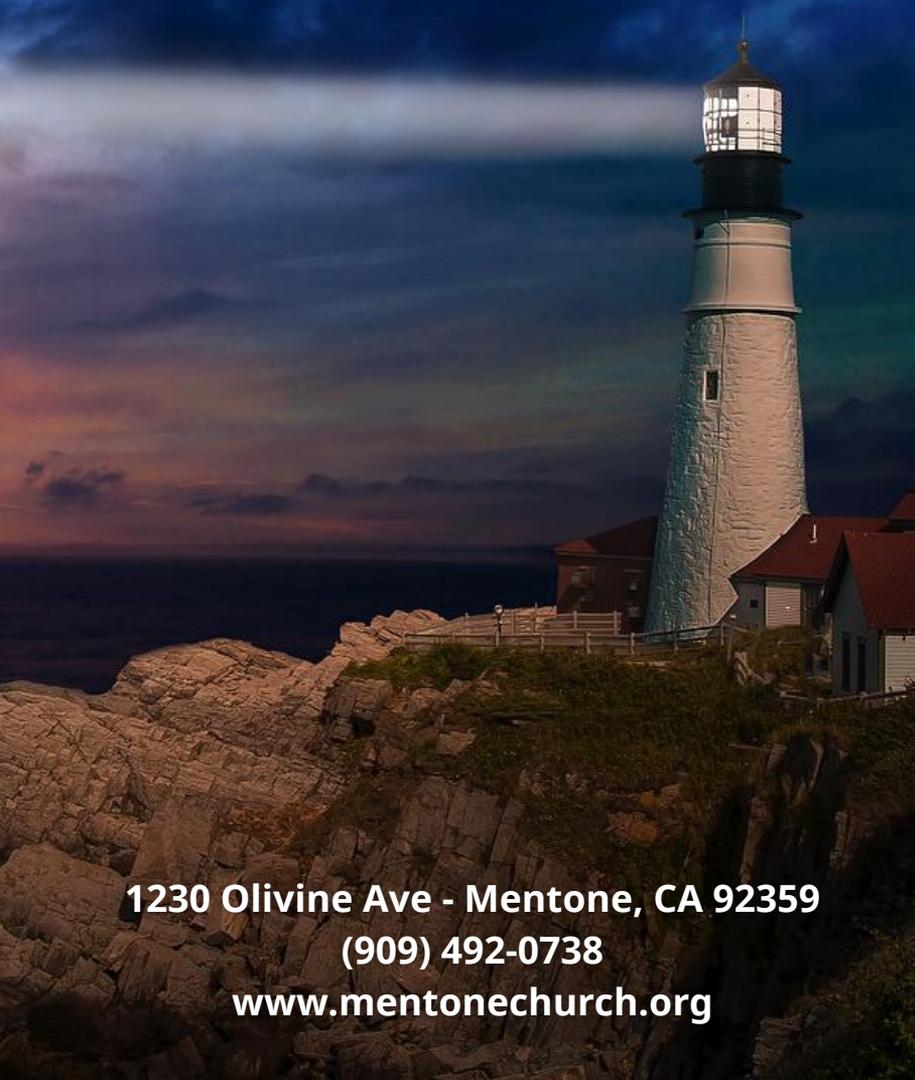


Mentone

Seventh-day Adventist Church



1230 Olivine Ave - Mentone, CA 92359

(909) 492-0738

www.mentonechurch.org



Church at Study

10:00 am

Children's Classes

Cradle Roll (Ages 0-Early 2)

Beginners (Ages 2-3)

Kindergarten (Ages 4-6)

Primary (Ages 7-9)

Junior (Ages 10-12)

Youth

Earliteens (Ages 13-15)

Youth (Ages 15+) in PF Rm

Adult Classes

Young Adults (Ages 18-35, Co Op Rm)

Spirit of Prophecy (Fellowship Hall)

New Believer's Class (Upper Rm)

Quarterly (Sanctuary)

Quarterly (Rm behind piano)

Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. If we can help you in any way, please let us know by contacting one of our pastors, greeters, elders, deacons, or deaconesses, or by our church app/website.

Today we are celebrating the Lord's Supper. As Seventh-day Adventist we celebrate open communion and we invite all baptized Christians to partake of the service.

Gluten-free communion bread is available for those who need GF.

Foot Washing locations: Women in Kindergarten Room, Men in the Pathfinder Room, and Families in the Fellowship Hall.

Today at 2 pm is our Elder Care Music Ministry with Tim Chapman to Rose Garden Residential Care at 1350 N. Wabash Ave., Mentone.

Please remember our missionaries to Costa Rica in your prayers!

They will be helping to build and complete classrooms for the SDA School in Liberia, Costa Rica, putting on a VBS, Health Talks, and provide dental services for the people of Liberia from April 1 – April 8.

Birthday Blessings!

April 5th – Don Griffin, Zac-Riley Taton, Julie Bowes, Alma Hernandez, Donalea Strunk **6th** – Marlene Steinweg **7th** – Jonathan Harper **8th** – Don Shelton **10th** – Laura Reklai



Bulletin & AV information must be submitted to
office@mentonechurch.org & av@mentonechurch.org
by Sunday at 8 pm

Church at Worship

April 4, 2026, 8:30 am* 11:00 am**

Prelude	Organ
Welcome and Announcements	Elder Greg Nelson* Elder Karl McCalla**
Introit ⁺	Organ
Invocation	Pastor Fred Dana
Songs of Praise	#476 Burdens are Lifted at Calvary #166 Christ the Lord is Risen Today
Opening Hymn	#287 Softly and Tenderly
Worship in Giving	Greg Nelson* Karl McCalla**
	Local Church Budget
Offertory	Tina Kazzi* Kinder Choir** <i>Knowing You Jesus* Sing Hosanna**</i>
Lambs Offering	Greg Nelson* Karl McCalla**
Children's Story	Mickey McDermott
Scripture Reading	Anique Augustus**
Prayer Song ⁺	Congregation <i>#668 O Thou Who Hearest</i>
Worship in Prayer	
Worship in Song	Tina Kazzi* Kinder Choir** <i>Lamb of God* Lord, I Lift Your Name on High**</i>
Sermonette	Pastor Fred Dana <i>No Limit</i>
Foot Washing (see locations on left)	Congregation
Partake of Emblems	Congregation
Closing Hymn	#251 He Lives
Benediction	Pastor Fred Dana

* Please Kneel

Platform Elder: Greg Nelson* Karl McCalla**

Song Leader: Gabrielle Simmonds* Katya Gavriellova**

Pianist: Margaret Song* Sofia Garcia**

Organist: Anna Sparks

Lead Deacon: Doug Yowell

Sunset Tonight: 7:12 pm

Sunset Next Week: 7:18 pm

Mentone Church Life

April 4, 2026

Membership Transfers to Mentone (Second Reading):

Caridad Ganding from Keene SDA Church in Texas
Azarias & Cresencia Camato from Bonnerdale SDA Church in AR
Ruth Madrid from Bellflower-Lakewood SDA Church, Bellflower, CA
Ihuoma Okezie Chukwueke (Elizabeth) from Seventh-day Adventist
Heritage Church in Harcourt, Nigeria
Enyioma Adu from Mt. Rubidoux SDA Church in Riverside
Minor Antonio Jimenez from Gerizim Spanish SDA Church in L.A.
Xiomara Jimenez from Gerizim Spanish SDA Church in Los Angeles

Membership Transfers from Mentone (Second Reading):

Mario, Monette, and Simone Rivera to Denton SDA Company in N.C.
Rueben A. Luevano to Coos Bay SDA Church in Coos Bay, Oregon

Communion service for Spanish group is planned for Sabbath, April 11.
The April 19th blood drive has been cancelled due to staffing problems. We look forward to seeing you on June 14th. Thank you for your support.

Pastor Rodney's mom memorial service will be on Sunday, April 26 at 3 PM at the La Sierra University Church with a reception following.

Students have been fundraising selling citrus fruits and frozen orange juice for their mission trip to Costa Rica, April 1-8, 2026. If you would like to match the funds they raise or even support with a donation, it would be greatly appreciated! Contact Savannah at (530) 526-4627.

Adventist Christian Talk Radio – Listen to and share 107.3 FM and www.kwrsradio.org

Please consider giving to the Building Fund to increase it, for future building needs and plans for our church campus.

See what is happening next week at www.mentonechurch.org/events and in the monthly calendar on the bulletin board.

Financial Information as of March 15, 2026

Church Budget: \$51,938.89 (Goal-to-date: \$84,198) (Annual Goal: \$360,792)

Building Fund: \$119,753.59

Staff Information

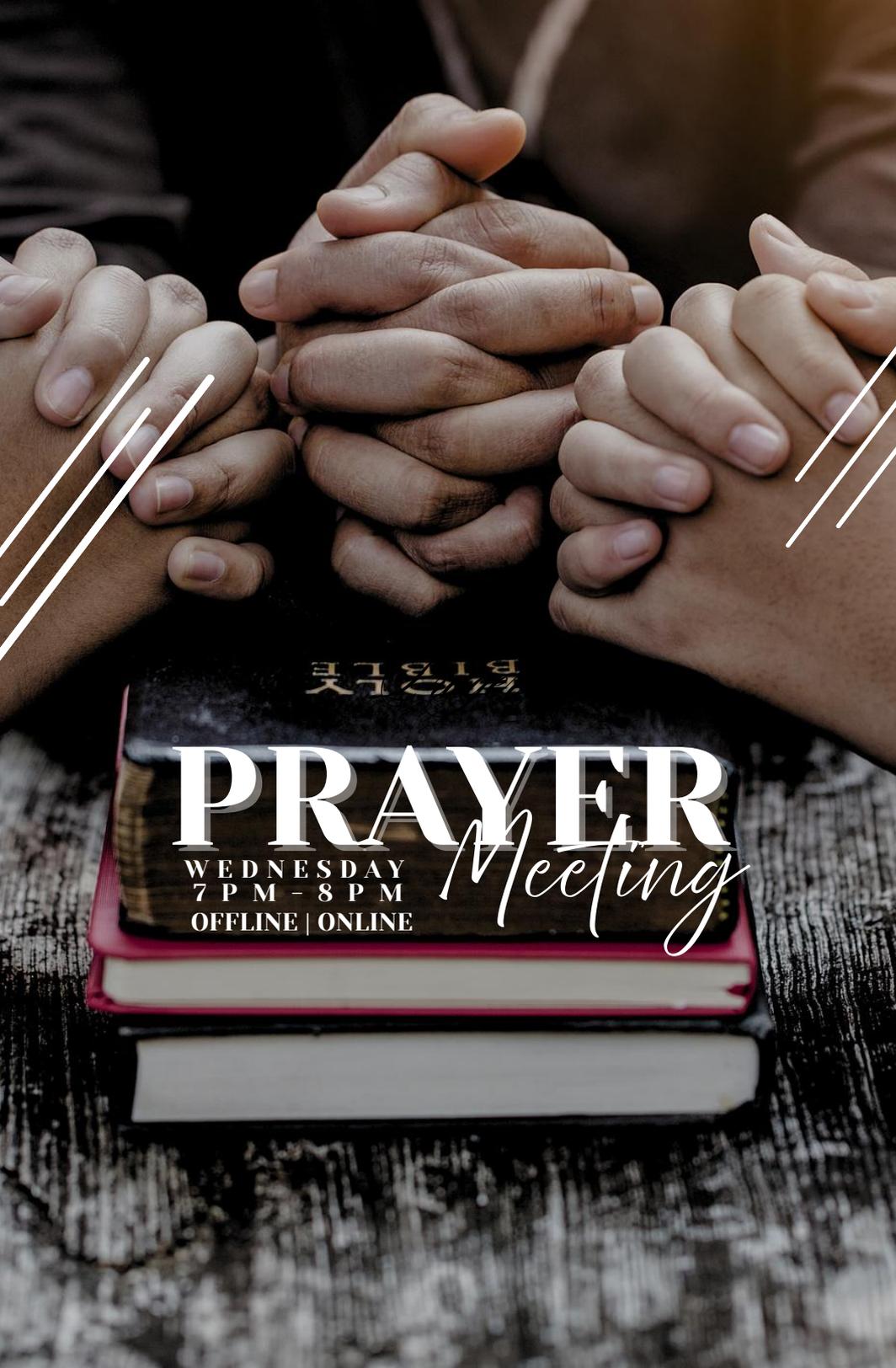
Senior Pastor: Fred Dana (845) 313-4822

Associate Pastor: Rodney Bowes (951) 500-8559

Youth Pastor: Daniel Gomez (626) 900-5593

Secretary/Clerk: Maggie Bonilla (909) 492-0738

Treasurer: Sherry Yap (818) 635-1548



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PRAYER

Meeting

WEDNESDAY
7 P M - 8 P M
OFFLINE | ONLINE



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2026-2027



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Loma Linda University Health

Fine Arts Festival 2026



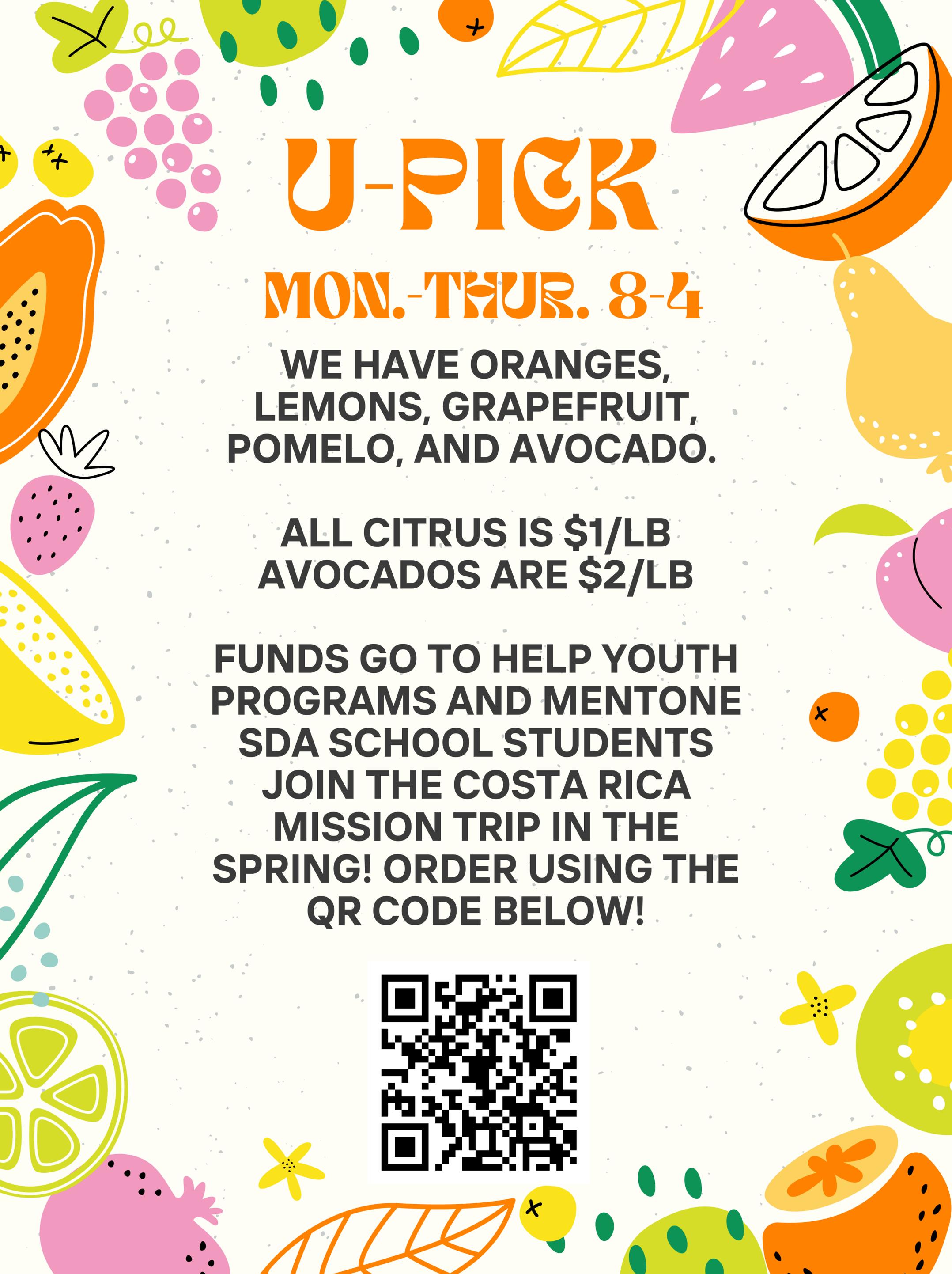
Fourth Annual **Sacred Choir Festival**

200 VOICES • 8 CHOIRS

4:30 PM

Saturday, April 18, 2026

Loma Linda Indonesian SDA Church, 10827 California St., Redlands, CA



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MON.-THUR. 8-4

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LEMONS, GRAPEFRUIT,
POMELO, AND AVOCADO.**

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AVOCADOS ARE \$2/LB**

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SDA SCHOOL STUDENTS
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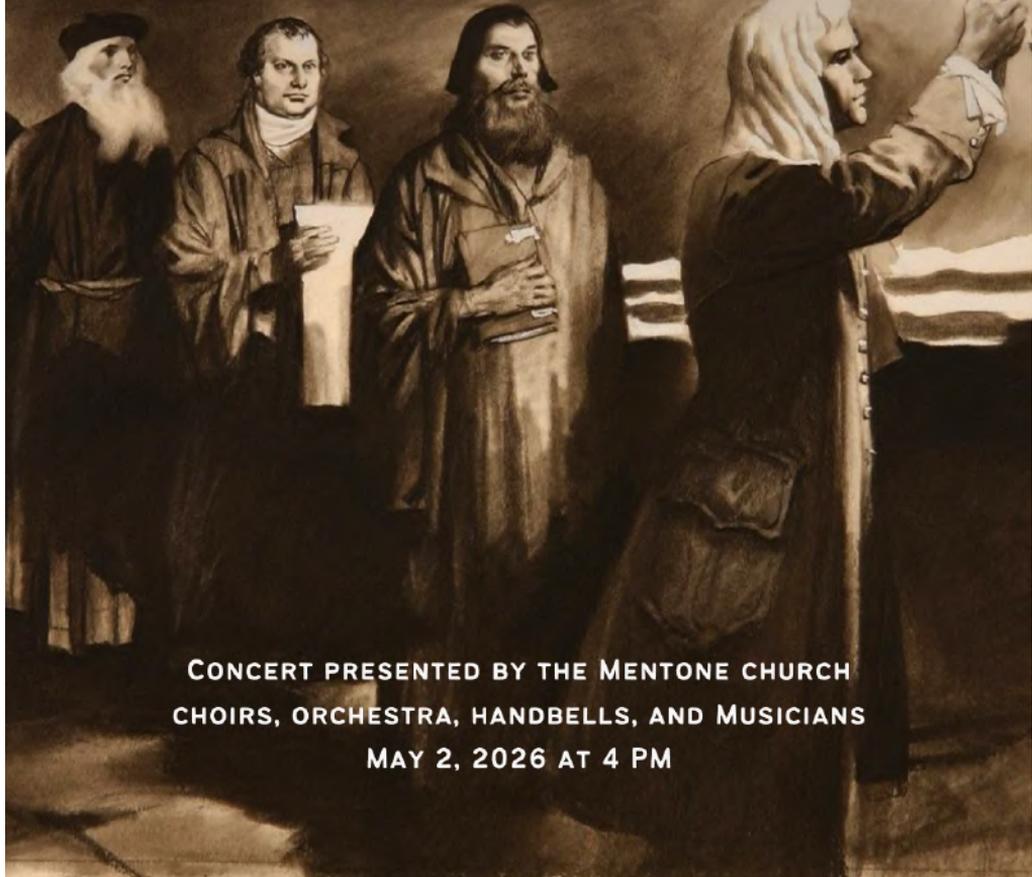
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CONCERT PRESENTED BY THE MENTONE CHURCH
CHOIRS, ORCHESTRA, HANDBELLS, AND MUSICIANS
MAY 2, 2026 AT 4 PM

INSIGHTFUL UNDERSTANDING OF THE SPIRIT OF PROPHECY

To often Mrs. White has been viewed as having two main objectives-- rebuking sinners and giving rules. I would invite you to read at least two statements that will reveal her true feelings of reluctance and aversion to giving testimonies to individual people and laying down rules. (See for example Early Writings 76 and 8 Manuscript Releases 238-39.)

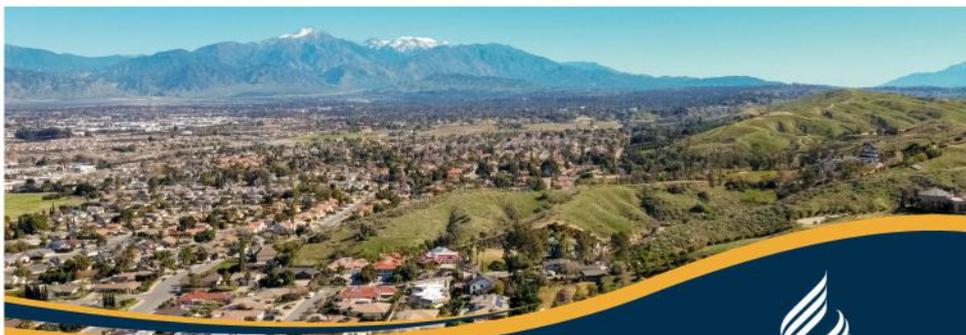
Her true passions were writing and preaching about the love of God in Christ and pointing people to the Bible. “Her writings, which were guided by prophetic revelation through visions and prophetic dreams, must be read and understood with this perspective.” (Understanding Ellen White, pg. vi)

Because of her accident at the age of about 9, Ellen Harmon (White) had her educational plans thwarted. This led to bitterness toward God. She also feared hell, which she inherited from her Methodist faith, which in turn added to her viewing God as a tyrant. After a few years of spiritual turmoil her mother arranged for Ellen to talk with a Methodist Adventist minister, Levi Stockman. This deeply spiritual counsel from this minister completely changed her view of God and in later years, the parental love of God became her favorite theme. Her favorite hymn became “Jesus, Lover of My Soul” by John Wesley. (Review & Herald, Dec. 13 1906, 10)

Ellen herself wrote about the spiritual counsel Pastor Levi Stockman gave. “My views of the Father were changed. I now looked upon Him as a kind and tender parent, rather than a stern tyrant compelling men to a blind obedience. My heart went out towards Him in a deep and fervent love.” (Life Sketches Original Manuscript, 43)



Ellen G. White (Seated in the middle) with her family at Elmshaven August 24, 1913



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(Ellen G. White, 1T 113.3)

“The generous soul will be made rich,
And he who waters will also be watered himself.”

(Proverbs 11:25; NKJV)

We invite you to join this vital ministry, and we pray that God will give us all a giving and loving spirit.

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