

# *Mentone*

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

1230 Olivine Ave - Mentone, CA 92359

(909) 492-0738

[www.mentonechurch.org](http://www.mentonechurch.org)



# Church at Study

10:00 am

## Children's Classes

- Cradle Roll (Ages 0-3)
- Kindergarten (Ages 4-6)
- Primary (Ages 7-9)
- Juniors (Ages 10-12)
- Earliteens (Ages 13-15)

## Youth and Adult Class

- Youth (Ages 15+)

## Young Adult Class (meets in "The Upper Room")

- Young Adult Class (18-35)

## Adult Classes

- Adult Lesson Study (Sanctuary Front)
- Adult Lesson Study (Room behind the piano)
- All About Jesus (Room behind the organ)
- Spirit of Prophecy class now studying *The Story of Redemption* (Pathfinder Room)
- Revelation of Hope class (Fellowship Hall)

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**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.

**We are joyful with Kevin and Michelle Del Amen as they dedicate their new baby girl, Gabriela Annalise Del Amen to the Lord today.** Please lift them up in prayer, as they continue to daily guide their beautiful girls in the Lord.

## Membership Transfers (Second Reading) to Mentone:

Hugo, Rachel, Nathania & Samuel Leon from Chico Spanish SDA  
Sylvia Williams from Yucaipa SDA Church

**Are you interested in reading through the Testimonies for the Church** over the next 16 months? Contact Pastor Rodney Bowes if you would like to join the group beginning on January 1.

# Church at Worship

December 28, 2024 8:30 am\* 11 am\*\*

Prelude		Organ
Welcome and Announcements		Elder Dean Clayton
Introit <sup>+</sup>		Organ
Invocation		Pastor Guilherme Borda
Songs of Praise		#118 The First Noel #149 Once in Royal David's City
Opening Hymn		#287 Softly and Tenderly
Worship in Giving	Conference Advance	Dean Clayton
Offertory		Phillip Pitcher
	<i>Piano Solo</i>	
Children's Story		Margie Perman
Scripture Reading		Teresa Clayton
	<i>Genesis 2:9</i>	
Prayer Song <sup>+</sup>		Congregation
	<i>#668 O Thou Who Hearest</i>	
Worship in Prayer		Dean Clayton
Worship in Song		Phillip Pitcher
	<i>Piano Solo</i>	
Baby Dedication <sup>**</sup>		Pastor Guilherme Borda
Sermon		Pastor Guilherme Borda
	The Three Trees (ξύλα)	
Closing Hymn		#338 Redeemed!
Benediction		Pastor Guilherme Borda

\* Please Kneel

Platform Elder: Dean Clayton

Song Leader: Kaitlyn Porter\* Gavrielov Family\*\*

Pianist: Anna Sparks\* Sherry Yap\*\*

Organist: Judy Northrop

Lead Deacon: David Garcia

Sunset Tonight: 4:49 pm

Sunset Next Friday: 4:49 pm

# @ Mentone Next Week

## United Prayer (Zoom)

6:00 am - Mon. – Fri., 7 am Sab. & Sun., 12 pm Mon., Wed., & Fri.

## Monday, December 30

5 pm - Monday Nights with God Zoom Bible study (ID/passcode online)

## Tuesday, December 31 – Most Resume 1/7/25, Bells 1/14/25 and

**Orchestra resumes in February.**

No High School or Elementary Homeschool Co Op

No children's music programs

No Great Controversy Class

## Wednesday, January 1

7 pm - Prayer Meeting (Multi-Purpose Room and Zoom)

## Sabbath, January 4

Sermon – Pastor Fred Dana (Communion)

### **Speaker Schedule**

January 11 – Sermon: Pastor Fred Dana

January 18 – Sermon: Pathfinder Sabbath

### **Birthday Blessings!**

**December 29<sup>th</sup>** – Miguel (Tony) Ortiz **30<sup>th</sup>** – Isabel Judith Cortes **31<sup>st</sup>** –

Debra Brown **January 1<sup>st</sup>** – Samuel Florian, Michelle Del Amen, Rachel

Leon **2<sup>nd</sup>** – Liberty Arretche **3<sup>rd</sup>** – Lou Ann Strachan **4<sup>th</sup>** – Alexandra

(Sasha) Martin, Ester Oyoyo, Daisy Joy Shelton.

**Mentone Apps:** Download our family of apps for your phone, tablet, and smart TV at [www.mentonechurch.org/apps](http://www.mentonechurch.org/apps)

**Have you seen our blog?** Find the latest church news at

[www.mentonechurch.org/blog](http://www.mentonechurch.org/blog)

**Adventist Christian Talk Radio** – Listen to and share 107.3 FM and

[www.kwrsradio.org](http://www.kwrsradio.org) with everyone you know.



Bulletin information must be submitted to  
[office@mentonechurch.org](mailto:office@mentonechurch.org) by **Sunday at 8 pm.**

For more information and announcements, see

[www.mentonechurch.org](http://www.mentonechurch.org)

# Mentone Church Life

December 28, 2024

**Christmas Projects - Global Outreach for Kids Foundation:** \$7200 for a project in the Dominican Republic focused on kids who are victims of domestic violence, human trafficking, homelessness or abandonment. The money goes toward missionary expenses. *Sponsorship of Orphans in India:* the goal is \$4620 to sponsor 8-11 orphans.

**Best Weigh, For Healthy Nutrition & Weight Loss** – Learn how to make therapeutic lifestyle change for results that last. Get fit, lose excess fat, reduce health risks, reverse chronic disease. Your job: Eat less, move more, relax. We provide the inspiration. Led by Jon Opsahl, MD, MPH, TLC, group facilitator and personal coach. Meetings are every Tuesday from 7-8:30 pm, starting January 7 - March 11, 2025. If have any questions or to sign up contact Jon at (951) 957-2730.

**Is God impressing you to be baptized or re-baptized?** Please contact Pastor Bowes if you are interested in participating in one of the upcoming baptisms.

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

**If you want your donation to count for 2024**, please make sure it is given by the last Sabbath of this year, mailed with a postmark of 12.31 or earlier, or given online before midnight December 31.

**Read the Bible in 2025.** See <https://mentonechurch.org/bible-reading-plans> for more information.

**Our next community blood drive** is scheduled for Sunday, January 12 from 9:30 am – 2:30 pm. Sign up early at [www.lstream.org/mentone](http://www.lstream.org/mentone) and receive points to redeem e-gift and exclusive items. For more information visit [www.lstream.org/donorstore](http://www.lstream.org/donorstore).

**Depression and Anxiety Recovery Program** is scheduled to begin, Monday, January 27, 2025 at 6:30 pm at church.

## Financial Information

As of December 15

Church Budget: \$261,900.41 (Goal to date \$331,468.88)

Christmas Offering: \$1,547.49 (Goal \$11,820)

Senior Pastor: Fred Dana (845) 313-4822

Associate Pastor: Rodney Bowes (951) 500-8559

Associate Pastor: Guilherme Borda (909) 654-1254

Spanish Coordinator: Samuel Florian (951) 640-5567

Church Office/Clerk: Maggie Bonilla (909) 492-0738

## *We Believe*

**That God is the Creator and Sustainer** of all that is, and that He is loving and good. That the three Persons – God the Father, the Ancient of Days; Jesus Christ, the Son of God; and the Holy Spirit, the Comforter – are eternally one in character and purpose. John 1:1-3, 1 John 4:8, Matthew 28:19

**That God reveals Himself** in nature, history, the Bible, the witness of the Holy Spirit, the ministry of prophets, and especially through the life of Jesus Christ. Romans 1:20, 2 Timothy 3:16, John 14:26, 1 Peter 1:21, John 5:39

**That we were created “in the image of God,”** free to choose either to respond in faith and love to the truth about God, or to reject it. We are fully dependent upon God for our existence and salvation. Genesis 1:26, Joshua 24:15, Acts 17:28

**That our salvation comes through Jesus Christ** when we repent and freely accept Christ’s death on the cross as paying the penalty for our rebellion and sins. As we daily cooperate with the transforming power of the Holy Spirit, we enter into a personal faith-based relationship with Jesus for healing and restoration. This power comes through Christ’s present ministry in heaven and is evident in Christ-like interests and behavior. Acts 2:38, John 1:12, Ephesians 2:8-10, Hebrews 7:25

**That we are mortal** and that in death we sleep in the grave until the resurrection at the Second Coming of Christ. Then the gift of immortality will be given to all who have put their trust in Him, and that 1,000 years later, the wicked will be resurrected to receive their reward of eternal death. We are a “living soul”, body, soul, and spirit, and do not exist apart from our body. Genesis 2:7, John 11:12-14, John 5:28, 29, Revelation 20

**That our body is the temple of the Holy Spirit,** and it is to be treated with the respect due its Creator. The fullness of human life is achieved when, by the grace of God, we obey His physical, mental, and moral laws. 1 Corinthians 6:19 & 10:31, 3 John 1:2, John 10:10

**That the Ten Commandments** are grounded in love and are a revelation of God’s character. They are the explicit expression of His will for us and are His standard of judgment. Exodus 20, Romans 7:12, James 2:12, John 15:10

**That the Seventh-day Sabbath** was made and blessed by God as a symbol of His creative power and sovereignty. It has been designated as a sign of His redeeming and sanctifying power to be kept sacred by all who claim Him as Lord and Savior. Genesis 2:3, Ezekiel 20:12, Deuteronomy 5:12-15

**That God’s church** is the primary means by which He maintains His unity with us and we with each other. This involves defined membership, symbols of commitment in baptism by immersion, participation in the Lord’s supper, personal involvement in worship, study, witnessing, and financial support for her mission through returning of tithes and free will offerings. 1 Corinthians 12, 1 Peter 2:5-9, Hebrews 10:24, 25, John 17:20, 21

**That the redemptive process** will come to its climax at the end of time with the Second Coming of Christ, which is imminent, and will be completed when the whole creation is again in perfect harmony with the Creator. Titus 2:13, 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18, Revelation 22:20, John 14:1-3

**That the Three Angels’ Messages** of Revelation 14:6-12 constitute the last warning message to the world, reminding men of the character of God.



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Seventh-day Adventist Church

## *Christmas Projects*

### **Global Outreach for Kids Foundation - \$7,200**

A project in the Dominican Republic focused on kids who are victims of domestic violence, human trafficking, homelessness or abandonment. The money goes toward missionary expenses.

### **Sponsorship of Orphans in India - \$4,620**

The goal is to sponsor 8-11 orphans.

# BLOOD DRIVE

Scan the code to make  
your next appointment!



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## Mentone Seventh-Day Adventist Church

Sunday, Jan. 12, Sunday, Mar. 9,  
& Sunday, May 4  
9:30 AM to 2:30 PM

1230 Olivine Ave., Mentone  
in the bloodmobile

For appointments, call 800.879.4484, visit  
[lstream.org/mentone](http://lstream.org/mentone), or scan the QR code above.

The Online Donor Store is back! Donors will earn points with every donation to redeem for e-gift cards and exclusive items. For more information, visit [LStream.org/donorstore](http://LStream.org/donorstore).



LifeStream  
Blood Bank



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

# Medical, Vision & Dental Clinic


(\*SAT 11:30AM-5PM)

**Feb 7-9, 2025, Fri-Sun, 8AM-5PM\***

## WE NEED **VOLUNTEERS**:

- Dentists/Hygienists/Dental Assistants
- Optometrists
- Physicians/Medical Professionals
- Mental Health Counselors
- Clothing Program
- Legal
- IT/Data Entry
- Barber/Hairstylist
- Massage Therapists
- Interpreters
- Pastors
- Prayer Warriors
- Security

We can use your help. Even if you are licensed out of state, you can still volunteer. Find out how to get a temporary volunteer license by emailing [admin@lifeandhealth.org](mailto:admin@lifeandhealth.org).

 Life and Health is a non-profit network of physicians, optometrists, dentists, and medical professionals dedicated to providing free medical, vision, and dental care to those who are uninsured or under-insured. This free clinic is made possible by volunteers and by donations.

 **San Bernardino Community SDA Church** 1696 N G St, San Bernardino, CA 92405



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