

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)

Youth

Earliteens (Ages 13-15) Youth (Ages 15+)

Young Adult Class (ages 18-35)

Adult Classes

Quarterly (Sanctuary) Quarterly (Room behind piano)

Spirit of Prophecy (Pathfinder Room) Revelation (Fellowship Hall)

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 is our Pathfinder Investiture Sabbath at the 11 am worship service and the Pathfinder Bible Experience (PBE) afternoon presentation. Please stay with the Pathfinders and Adventurers for a pasta and salad Fellowship Meal for lunch, so you can attend the PBE presentation at 2:30 pm!

Today we will be having some youth baptisms, during the second service. Please welcome and congratulate them after the service and encourage them in their walk with the Lord! They are - Sarai Brumsey, Jessica Thomas, Paul Rasman, Adrian Meza, Kevin Burk and Jedediah Crounse.

Birthday Blessings!

May 17th – Mary Kelley, Maggie Bonilla, Jacob Patrick 18th – Rick Craven 19th – Jim Hartwick, Angelica Smith 21st – Akinlolu Jegede 22nd – Eric Rosado, Leidy Cardona 23rd – Jennifer Von Maack Baker 24th – Wayne Blowers, Joanna Jaworska



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

For more information and announcements, see <u>www.mentonechurch.org</u>

Church at Worship

May 17, 2025 8:30 am* 11:00**

Prelude Organ

Welcome and Announcements **Elder Art Smith**

Introit+ Organ

Pastor Rodney Bowes Invocation

Songs of Praise #184 Jesus Paid it All

#185 lesus is All the World to Me

Opening Hymn #258 Baptize Us Anew

Worship in Giving Art Smith

Local Church Budget

Offertory Anna Sparks

Art Smith Call for Lamb's Offering

Children's Story **Anique Augustus**

Scripture Reading Melissa Aree

Acts 1:5, 8

Prayer Song⁺ Congregation

#668 O Thou Who Hearest

Worship in Prayer Art Smith

Worship in Song Anna Sparks

Pastor Rodney Bowes Sermon

Baptize Us Anew

Closing Hymn #332 The Cleansing Wave

Pastor Rodney Bowes

Benediction ⁺ Please Kneel

Platform Elder: Art Smith

Lead Deacon: Dion Cuevas Song Leader: Kaitlyn Porter* Pathfinder Praise Team** Sunset Tonight: 7:45 pm

Pianist: Judy Northrop* Andre Huerta** Sunset Next Friday: 7:50 pm

Organist: Anna Sparks

^{**11:00} service - please see PF Program insert

Mentone Church Life

May 17, 2025

Join us at our pop-up bookstore! The Pacific Press Publishing Association is joining with the Southeastern California Conference Pathfinders at their upcoming Pathfinder Club Ministries Fair to bring you great materials at super discounts! On May 18th from 10 am – 3 pm at La Sierra University at 4500 Riverwalk Pkwy, Riverside, CA. See flyers in foyer or poster in bulletin board.

Save the Date! Church get-acquainted-picnic at Oak Glen Schoolhouse Museum and Park, Sunday, June 22, 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm. Bring your own lunch. Will provide fruit, water, and cookies.

Calling for VBS Volunteers! Those who wish to volunteer for VBS – *Dare to Be*, please write your name on the volunteer list in the church foyer or can also sign up at https://mentonechurch.org/vbs and click the "Volunteer Today" button on the bottom of the page. You may also contact Phillip Pitcher at (951) 675-0459 to sign up.

GYC West 2025 is planned for August 15-17th at Cookson Ranch, Humboldt County, CA. For more information check <u>www.gycwest.org</u> or call (530) 330-5686.

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

Tuition Assistance is open for 2025/2026 school year. Please apply if you are a member with a child attending an Adventist school, including college. Go to mentonechurch.org, click on Resources, and then on Educational Scholarship Forms. Forms will be open until June 15.

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

Download our Mentone App today at mentonechurch.org/apps **Mentone Apps:** Download our family of apps for your phone, tablet, and smart TV at www.mentonechurch.org/apps

As of May 14

Church Budget: \$107,456.24 (Goal-to-Date: \$124,684.04 Annual Goal: \$341,240.52)

Building Fund: \$61,232.64

Staff Information

Senior Pastor: Fred Dana (845) 313-4822 Associate Pastor: Guilherme Borda (909) 654-1254 Associate Pastor: Rodney Bowes (951) 500-8559 Spanish Coordinator: Samuel Florian (951) 640-5567 Church Office/Clerk: Maggie Bonilla (909) 492-0738 Church Treasurer: Julie Bowes (909) 435-5995

The Church at Worship

May 17, 2025 11:00 am

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Welcome & Announcements Elder Art Smith	
Processional & Flags Pathfinders, Adventure	rs, and Color Guard
Pledge to the Bible	Lisa Huerta
Pledge to the Christian Flag	Bianca Zaninovic
Introit	
Invocation Pa	astor Rodney Bowes
Songs of Praise #184 Jesus Paid It All	Praise Team
#185 Jesus is All the World to Me	
Opening Hymn #258 Baptize Us Anew	Congregation
Worship in Giving Local Church Budget	Michelle Lohr
Offertory I Delight to Do Thy Will	Wong Trio
Lamb's Offering	Sierra Bowes
Year in Review	Video
Scripture Reading Acts 1:5, 8	Jaelyn Wong
Call to Prayer #668 O Thou Who Hearest	Congregation
Worship in Prayer	Eliana Del Amen
Pathfinder Investiture Samue	el & Kathleen Wong
Pathfinder Pledge	Soley Oyoyo
Pathfinder Law	Kristen Wong
Pathfinder Aim & Motto	Heidi Burk
Pathfinder Song	Levi Krpalek
Adventurer Investiture Samue	el & Kathleen Wong
Adventurer Pledge	Sage Smith
Adventurer Law	Zac-Riley Taton
Adventurer Song	Abel Pitcher
Special Music Psalm 19:7-10,14 Pathfinders/Adventurers	
Sermon & Baptisms Baptize Us Anew	Pastor Bowes
Closing Hymn #332 The Cleansing Wave	Congregation
Benediction	Pastor Bowes
Recessional	Organ

Our Pathfinder & Adventurer Theme: The Law

Psalm 19:7-10, 14

The law of the LORD is perfect, converting the soul; The testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple;

The statutes of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; The commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes;

The fear of the LORD is clean, enduring forever;
The judgments of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.

More to be desired are they than gold, Yea, than much fine gold; Sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart

Be acceptable in Your sight,

O LORD, my strength and my Redeemer.

Mentone Mustangs





Adventurers:

Active Ants: Instructor Joel Cachero

Jianna Cachero, Madeleine Kay Del Amen, Israel Jegede, Eunice Pitcher, Eden Quinn

<u>Little Lambs:</u> Instructor Janell Burk

Enzo Borda, Sierra Bowes, Aubreyann Burk, Shiloh-Rei Taton, Kaisen Velasco

Eager Beavers: Instructor Phillip Pitcher

Eliana Del Amen, Abel Pitcher, Raelynn Quisido

Busy Bees: Instructors Kate Gavrielov and Alma Felix

Malachi Catolico, Anastasya Cuevas, Daniel Gavrielov, Elyana Lataeanu, Anna Miranda, Josiah Morgan, Natalie Ray, Alma Salvador, Kyle Shin, Zac-Riley Taton, William Thomas, Zac Tomazeli, Kian Velasco

Sunbeams: Instructors Lola Jegede, Anna and Joe Krpalek

Kairo Brumsey, Jianna Bulwer, Jackson Cachero, Rachel Jegede, Gabriella Krpalek, Reed Ontiveros, Audrey Quinn, Thalia Quinn, Ailsie Rasman

Builders: Instructors Elisa Shin and parents

Bruno Borda, Lucas Gonzalez, Miracle Johnson, Jeremiah Morgan, Charis Shin, Sage Smith, Solomon Smith, Aurora Tomazeli

Helping Hands: Instructors Maureen Cachero and Heidi Uruena

Sarai Brumsey, Jadyn Cachero, Maya Catolico, Angie Flores, David Gavrielov, Melody Ontiveros, Jeremias Salvador, Samantha Torres, Luciana Uruena, Jordyn Wells

Pathfinders:

Friends: Counselor Dafne Moretta

Quintin Bryson, Levi Krpalek, Paula Moretta, Sophia Shin, Nathan Thomas, Bianca Zaninovic

Companions: Counselors Annalise and Christian Freed

Daniel Akinfenwa, Jaden Morgan, Soley Oyoyo, Judah Smith, Susana Uruena, Jaelyn Wong

Explorers: Counselor Patricia Thomas

Eimy Flores, Kaylee Hernandez, Lisa Huerta, Michelle Lohr, Joshua Morgan, Paul Rasman, Daniel Smith, Jessica Thomas, Gianmarco Zaninovic

Rangers: Counselor Rodney Bowes

Nathan Manea, Jonny Schmidt

<u>Voyagers:</u> Counselor Belen Lohr

Marissa Bonilla, Kevin Burk, Jonathan Lohr, Emma Schmidt, Canela Smith, Kristen Wong, Sasha Zaninovic

Guides: Counselor Andrea Balog

Heidi Burk, Andre Huerta

<u>Staff:</u> PF & Adv Directors – Samuel & Kathleen Wong; Adv. Deputy Director – Nathalia Rasman; PF Advisor - Marlene Steinweg; PF honors coordinator – Lucinda Schmidt; Adv awards coordinator - Andrea Balog; Drill/Marching Instructor – Merrill King; Pathfinder Bible Experience Coach – Julie Bowes

<u>Color Guard</u>: Commander: Emma Schmidt; Guard members: Anastasya Cuevas, Gabriella Krpalek, Jaden Morgan, Melody Ontiveros, Judah Smith, Gianmarco Zaninovic

<u>Praise Team</u>: Anastasya Cuevas, Rachel Jegede, Jaden Morgan, Joshua Morgan, Ailsie Rasman; Pianists - Andre Huerta and Jonathan Lohr



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to bring you great materials at super discounts!

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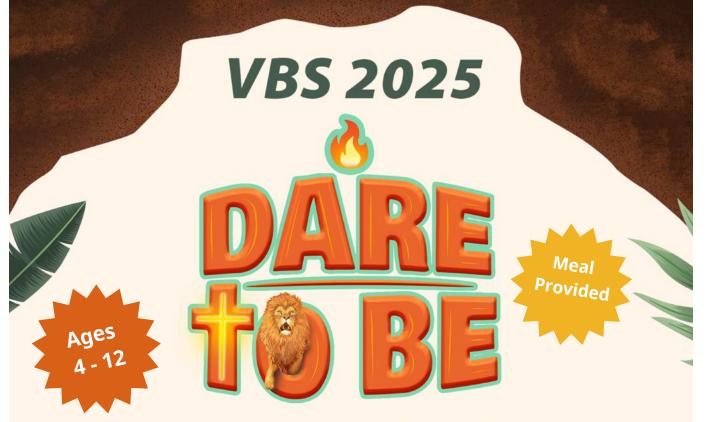
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^{*}See back page for statistics.



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DATE: July 14 - 18, 2025

TIME: 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm



RSVP today at www.mentonechurch.org/vbs



INSIGHTFUL UNDERSTANDING OF THE SPIRIT OF PROPHECY

One of the foundational pillars of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church is the gift of prophecy. The book, *28 Fundamental Beliefs*, which encapsulates the core beliefs of the church, summarizes it this way:

The Gift of Prophecy

"The Scriptures testify that one of the gifts of the Holy Spirit is prophecy. This gift is an identifying mark of the remnant church and we believe it was manifested in the ministry of Ellen G. White. Her writings speak with prophetic authority and provide comfort, guidance, instruction, and correction to the church. They also make clear that the Bible is the standard by which all teaching and experience must be tested. (Num. 12:6; 2 Chron. 20:20; Amos 3:7; Joel 2:28-29; Acts 2:14-21; 2 Tim. 3:16-17; Heb.1:1-3; Rev. 12:17; Rev. 19:10; Rev. 22:8-9.)"

Over the next weeks and months, the Mentone Seventh-day Adventist Church would like to acquaint or re-acquaint our members and visitors with the Spirit of Prophecy including fascinating details about Ellen White.

We encourage everyone to read and enjoy these brief readings in the bulletin and on the bulletin board.



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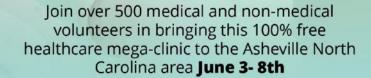
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Event Information

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GYC West 2025

August 15-17th

Cookson Ranch, Humboldt County, CA

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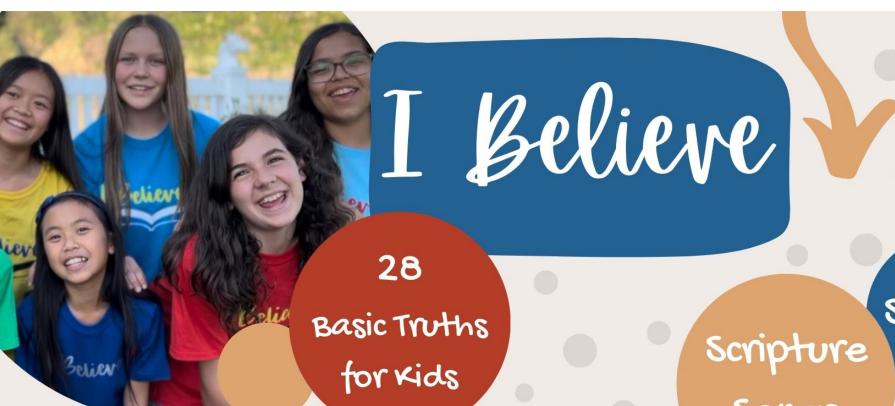
Registration



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Children's Ministries Fundraiser for

Oranges and Lemons!

Please help support our various children's ministries, including the Mentone SDA School, the Homeschool Co-op, Pathfinders, and Adventurers, by purchasing oranges/lemons/grapefruits/pomelos/sweet lemons/avocados.

How to Purchase:

Option 1: Pick on your own and make donations to the respective funds on the tithe envelope or online.

Option 2: Have the fruit picked for you! For this option you will need to contact the ministry leader you would like to support indicating how many and what you would like picked and arrange for pick up or delivery.

Suggested donations are as follows: Oranges \$10 per large grocery bag, avocado/grapefruit/pomelos- .\$50 each, and lemons and sweet lemons/limes -5/\$1.00. *The tangerines/mandarins are NOT for sale

Contact information:

For School: Esterady Cincala (909) 602-4301

For Pathfinder/Adventurer Clubs: Sam and Kathleen Wong at 909-282-7447

For the Homeschool Co-op: Daniela Sprenkle at 909-831-2579

The Children Thank You for Your Support!!