

# *Mentone*

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

1230 Olivine Ave - Mentone, CA 92359

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[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.

## Nominating Committee: (Second Reading)

Anique Augustus, Rick Craven, Stacey Garcia, Akinlolu Jegede, Kristine Luong, Arun Muthiah, Marlene Steinweg

**Prophecy Odyssey** started last evening. Please encourage your family and friends to participate in this epic, 15-part Bible adventure series presented by Doug Batchelor, president of Amazing Facts International. You'll explore the pages of God's Word to get clear, trustworthy, logical answers to your most pressing questions about the book of Revelation, prophecy, and the last days. Visit <https://www.prophecyodyssey.com> for more information.

**Do you know where your children are and what they are doing?** Please supervise your children closely while on campus to prevent any safety issues. We kindly ask for your cooperation in keeping our campus a safe and secure environment for all.

# Church at Worship

September 21, 2024 8:30 am\* 11 am\*\*

Prelude	Organ
Welcome and Announcements	Elder Trent Logan
Introit <sup>+</sup>	Organ
Invocation	Pastor Fred Dana
Songs of Praise	#602 O Brother, Be Faithful #216 When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder
Opening Hymn	#281 I Gave My Life for Thee
Worship in Giving	Trent Logan
	Local Church Budget
Offertory	Stephanie Popa & Margaret Song <i>There Is a Fountain</i>
Children's Story	Merrill King* Tina Kazzi**
Scripture Reading	Sharon Logan Matthew 5:3-4
Prayer Song <sup>+</sup>	Congregation <i>#668 O Thou Who Hearest</i>
Worship in Prayer	
Worship in Song	Stephanie Popa & Margaret Song <i>Jesus Is All Medley</i>
Sermon	Pastor Fred Dana How Can I be Born Again? Part 2
Closing Hymn	#569 Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior
Benediction	Pastor Fred Dana
Postlude	Organ

\* Please Kneel

Platform Elder: Trent Logan

Song Leader: Porter Team\* Smith Family\*\*

Pianist: Judy Northrop\* Belen Lohr\*\*

Organist: Anna Sparks

Lead Deacon: Dion Cuevas

Sunset Tonight: 6:46 pm

Sunset Next Friday: 6:37 pm

# @ Mentone Next Week

## United Prayer (Zoom)

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

## Sunday, September 22

9:30 – 1:30 – Life Stream Community Blood Drive

10 am – Pathfinder/Adventurer Beach Kick-Off at Bolsa Chica

11 am – Church Choir practice

## Monday, September 23

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

## Tuesday, September 24

9 am – 4 pm – High School Homeschool Co Op

1 pm – 3 pm – Elementary/Middle School Homeschool Co Op

2 pm – Bell Plate Choir with Anna Sparks

3 pm – Chime Choir with Anna Sparks

3:30 pm – Kinder Choir with Tina Kazzi

4 pm – Children’s Choir with Belen Lohr

4 pm – Handbell Choir with Anna Sparks

5 pm – Youth Choir with Phillip Pitcher

6 pm – Church Choir practice with Judy Northrop

6 pm – Great Controversy Study (Healthy Life Center)

## Wednesday, September 25

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

## Sabbath, September 28

Sermon – Pastor Fred Dana

### Speaker Schedule

October 5 – Communion

October 12 – Pastor Guilherme Borda

### Birthday Blessings!

21<sup>st</sup> – Jill Ellington, Samantha Peace 22<sup>nd</sup> – Linda Soria, Roger Glaser, Esther David 23<sup>rd</sup> – Reem Fargo 24<sup>th</sup> – Bianca Zaninovic 25<sup>th</sup> – Daniela Sprenkle 26<sup>th</sup> – Loretta Bianchi

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



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

September 21, 2024

**Pathfinders and Adventurers has been postponed to start on September 29<sup>th</sup>.** Our first event will be our Beach Kick-off tomorrow, September 22 at 10 am. Please contact Sam & Kathleen Wong to complete registration or for more information at 909-282-7447.

**Malawi/Kenya Mission Trip:** Donna Rowe will be leaving on her mission trip to October 22. \$2500 is still needed to help drill a Well in Kenya and provide "Days for Girls" hygiene kits for Malawi. Please consider giving generously to this fund and keeping her in prayer as she prepares to leave.

**Bibles for Georgia:** During our recent Mission Emphasis Weekend at the church, a local donor came forward with a matching pledge of up to \$25,000 to fund the printing of 5000 Bibles in the Georgian language. If you are impressed to give to this project you can give securely online at [AdventistGiving.org](https://AdventistGiving.org) (at the bottom of the Local Church Giving Category choose Bibles for Georgia) or by using an offering envelope and writing Bibles for Georgia.

**Mentone International Mission Trips:** we have trips to Southeast Asia, Mexico, Rwanda, and Cuba in the near future. Prayerfully consider how the Lord would have you participate – praying, going, financially supporting. Se <https://mentonechurch.org/mission-trips> for more details.

**Build and Restore International is planning a mission trip to Mexicali, Mexico** this November 24-30, 2024. Mentone members are invited to join a trip of constructing a new church, sharing evangelistic and VBS programs, and serving health needs. Please sign up at [buildandrestore.org](https://buildandrestore.org). If we have 12 people sign up, the 13th person goes for free. You can also support this trip with your prayers and financially by giving to the Mexico mission trip online or in a tithe envelope (code 80025).

**Adventist Christian Talk Radio** - Listen to and share 107.3 FM and [www.kwrsradio.org](https://www.kwrsradio.org) with everyone you know.

**Have you seen our blog?** Find the latest church news at [www.mentonechurch.org/blog](https://www.mentonechurch.org/blog)

## Financial Information

### As of September 15

Church Budget: \$177,977.55 (Goal to date \$250,719.40)

10-40 Projects: \$47,874.56 (2024 Goal \$164,800)

Tuition Assistance: \$9,388.85 (Goal \$10,000)

Malawi/Kenya Mission Project: \$355 (Goal \$2500)

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

## *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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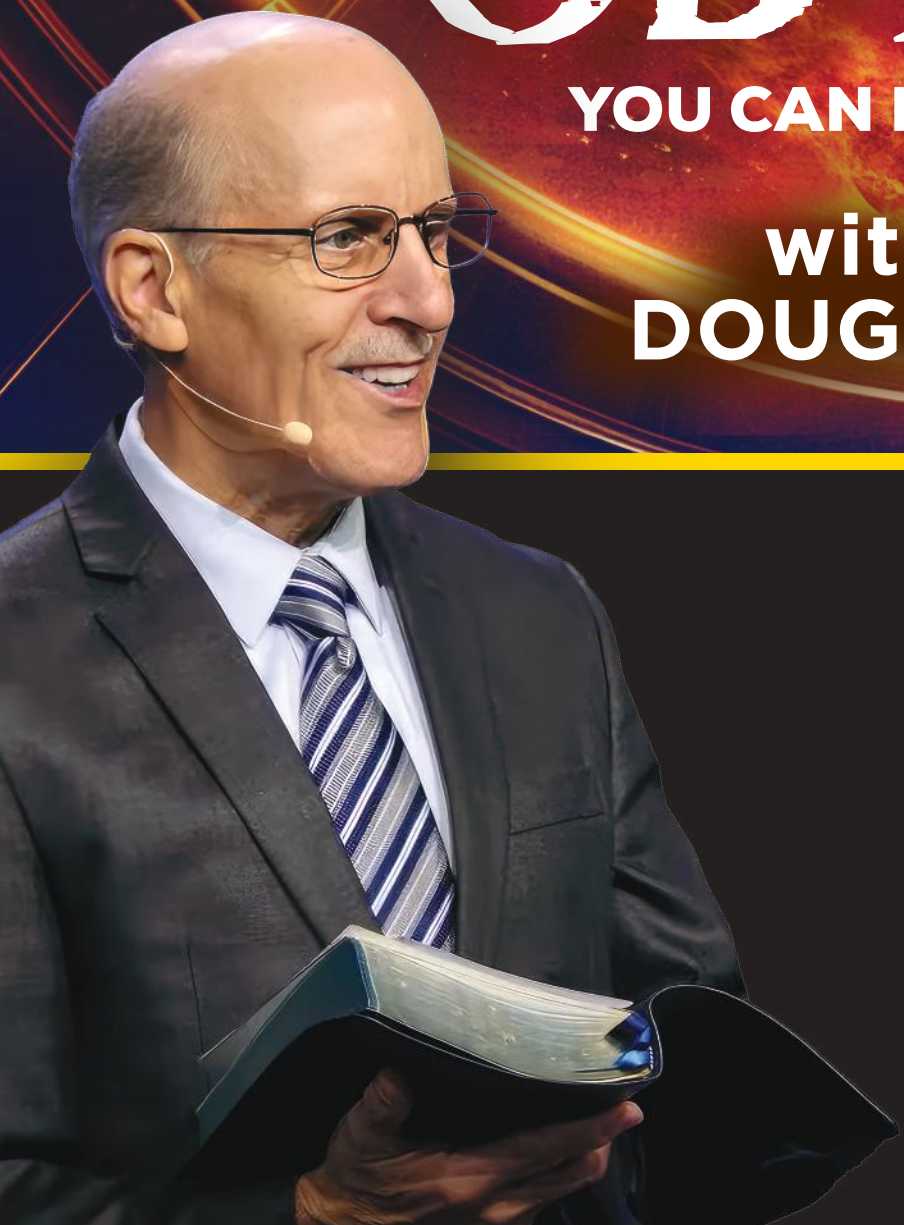
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# Mentone Music

## Orchestra



Mentone Orchestra is looking for strings, woodwinds, brass, and other instruments. Rehearsals will be Tuesdays at 7:00 most weeks. Audition required for new members.

## Handbells

Mentone Handbell choir is looking for musicians, age 14 and up (adults welcome). Rehearsals will be weekly on Tuesdays at 4:00. Previous bell experience not required. Ability to read music is required.



## Belleplates, Chimes



Belleplates	9-10	Tuesdays at 2pm
Chimes	11-13	Tuesdays at 3pm

## Kinder, Children, Youth Choirs

Kinder Choir	3-5	Tuesdays 3:30	Tina Kazzi
Children's Choir	6+	Tuesdays 4pm	Belen Lohr
Youth Choir	13-18	Tuesdays 5pm	Phillip Pitcher



## Church Choir

Open to all ages

Rehearsals on Sundays at noon (1st, 3rd, 5th) and Tuesdays at 6

Contact: judynt@aol.com



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