

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+)

Adult Classes

Spirit of Prophecy (Pathfinder Room) Quarterly (Sanctuary)

New Believer's Class (Co Op Room) Quarterly (Room 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.

Membership Transfers to Mentone (First Reading)

- **Bellini, Belodie, Yves-Carlo Phaeton** from Jerusalen French SDA Church Brooklyn, NY
- **Emmanuel Phaeton** from Salem Uniondale French SDA Church in Uniondale, NY
- -Carolyn Van Hoy from Emmanuel SDA Church South Boston, VA We have our monthly Fellowship Meal today following the second service and the theme is "Vegan Curries from Aound the World."

Today we will have our Men's Ministry Meeting at 1 pm in the Multipurpose Room. Get some food at fellowship meal and come join us. **Baptismal Class with Daniel Gomez** our Youth Ministry Leader will begin today at 2 pm and run for 10 weeks until October 25, 2025.

We will be having a mission report by the Jegede family and their experience in Ethiopia, today at 2:15 pm following our fellowship meal. Youth Hike at Forest Falls today at 4 pm, followed by vespers and lawn games at the church. See flyer/bulletin board for more info.

Birthday Blessings!

August 23rd – Patricia Thomas **24th** – Emil Castro, Christina Kazzi **25th** - Eliana Del Amen, Michael (Mikey) Sprenkle **26th** – Karen Lafferty, William Thomas **27th** – Lisa Blair **28th** – Jim Betcher, Judah Smith **30th** – Raul Hernandez



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

August 23, 2025, 8:30 am* 11:00 am**

Prelude Organ

Welcome and Announcements Elder Art Smith

Introit⁺ Organ

Invocation Pastor Fred Dana

Songs of Praise #507 Moment by Moment

#487 In the Garden

Opening Hymn #306 Draw Me Nearer

Worship in Giving Art Smith

PSR Christian Youth Camp & Retreat Center

Offertory Phillip Pitcher**

Morning Has Broken, Arr. **

Lambs Offering

Children's Story Anique Augustus* Marsha Nagel**

Scripture Reading Janis Smith* Justin Smith**

Malachi 3:1-3

Prayer Song⁺ Congregation

#668 O Thou Who Hearest

Worship in Prayer Art Smith*Loren Smith**

Worship in Song Phillip Pitcher**

Savior, Like a Shepherd**

Sermon Pastor Fred Dana

The Refiner's Fire

Closing Hymn #415 Christ the Lord, All Power Possessing

Benediction Pastor Fred Dana

Platform Elder: Art Smith
Song Leader: Liza Ngenye* Garcia Family**
Pianist: Janis Smith* Sofia Garcia**
Organist: Anna Sparks

Lead Deacon: David Garcia Sunset Tonight: 7:26 pm Sunset Next Week: 7:17 pm

⁺ Please Kneel

Mentone Church Life

August 23, 2025

Sabbath, August 30 at 10:40 am we will be having a mission report by Karen De La Cruz and her ministry "Go4Kids" in the Dominican Republic. Mentone SDA School is looking for a Teacher's Aid to work part time (about 20 hours/week) for the upcoming 2025-2026 school year. A heart for children and helping them learn are requirements for this position. The schedule is semiflexible with a preference of morning hours Mon. – Thurs. with no work to take home after school hours. Please feel free to contact Savannah Serle with any inquiries to see if this position may be a good fit for you and the school. Text or call at (530) 526-4627.

Pathfinder (ages 10+) and Adventurer (ages 3-9) Club registration is now open online (see QR code on flyer). In-person registration and uniform ordering will be this Sunday, August 24 from 9-10 am. For those interested in joining the Master Guide Class, please sign up as well.

Baby Shower for Ciccarone & Harper Families is planned for Monday, September 1 from 4 - 6 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Reply to Jannell Burk at (951) 447-3457 or for information.

Our Annual International Food Festival is planned for Sunday, September 14, from 12:30 – 2:30 pm. Plan to attend and invite your friends and neighbors. We will have lots of yummy food from around the globe! Do you enjoy meeting new people or getting to know church members more? Share your love for the ministry of hospitality as a church greeter. Interested? Call/text Kristine at (909) 910-9134.

Help support our upcoming church mission trips with prayer and financial support. You can either give online (you will see the trips listed under the local offering category) or write the mission trip you would like to support on the tithe envelope.

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 <u>www.mentonechurch.org/events</u> and the monthly calendar in the bulletin board.

Financial Information as of August 15, 2025

Church Budget: \$215,046.79 (Goal-to-Date: \$223,118.80) (Annual Goal: \$341,240.52)

Building Fund: \$86,062.34

Staff Information

Senior Pastor: Fred Dana (845) 313-4822 Associate Pastor: Rodney Bowes (951) 500-8559 Church Secretary/Clerk: Maggie Bonilla (909) 492-0738 Spanish Coordinator: Samuel Florian (951) 640-5567 Youth Ministry Leader: Daniel Gomez (626) 900-5593 Church Treasurer: Intissar Issa (909) 214-9200







LITTLE ONES

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A BABY SHOWER FOR THE CICCARONE AND HARPER FAMILIES

Monday, September 1st from 4pm to 6pm

Mentone 7th Day Adventist Church

Reply to Janell Burk at 951–447–3457 registered at

Elise Ciccarone – (girl) Amazon

Lauren Harper –(boy) Amazon

Mentone Music

Orchestra



Mentone Orchestra is looking for strings, woodwinds, brass, and other instruments. Rehearsals will be Tuesdays at 7pm Oct-Dec and Feb-May. Completion of Suzuki book 3 or equivalent is required.

Bells

Belleplates TBD TBD TBD

Chimes 11-13 Tuesdays at 3pm Anna Sparks Handbells 14+ Tuesdays at 4pm Anna Sparks



Kinder, Children, Youth Choirs



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

Church Choir

All ages

Rehearsals: Tuesdays at 6pm and Sundays twice a month, time TBD

Text Judy Northrop: 909-855-5521

ADVENTURER PATHFINDER MASTER GUIDE CLUBS 2025-2026



GROWING FAITH . BUILDING CHARACTER . LIVING FOR CHRIST

Come begin your spiritual journey in community— experience nature, crafts, worship, camping, Bible study, and service. Each class offers a Christ-centered path designed to nurture your child's faith, character, and joy in a fun-filled, God-honoring way.

- Adventurers (Ages 3-9):
- Active Ants (Age 3)
- Little Lamb (Age 4)
- Eager Beaver (Age 5)
- Busy Bee (Age 6)
- Sunbeam (Age 7)
- Builder (Age 8)
- Helping Hands (Age 9)

- Nathfinders (Ages 10–15):
- Friend (Age 10)
- Companion (Age 11)
- Explorer (Age 12)
- Ranger (Age 13)
- Voyager (Age 14)
- Guide (Age 15)
- ↑ Master Guide Club
 (Ages 16+):
 - Advanced leadership training; no class levels, but follows a structured program

The Mentone Adventurer and Pathfinder Clubs typically meet twice a month, usually on Sunday mornings:

Adventurers meet from 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM Pathfinders meet from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Each month includes:

- -One class-focused meeting, where children explore Bible lessons, earn awards, and grow in character through hands-on, faith-based learning.
- -One activity-based meeting, featuring outreach projects, outdoor adventures, or special events that help children live out their faith and build community.
- *In addition to monthly meetings, the clubs also participate in two camping trips per year—a cherished time for worship, bonding, nature exploration, and building lifelong memories.

*Master Guide classes TBD.

Please note: exact schedules may vary slightly by season or holiday.

For more info, go to clubministries.org mentonechurch.org

"TRAIN UP A CHILD IN THE WAY
HE SHOULD GO..." PROVERBS 22:6





CHRIST & HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS

FRI-SUN | OCT 10-12 2025

REGISTER NOW FOR MEALS & LODGING

FEATURED SPEAKERS



Stephen Bohr



Narlon Edwards



Gabriel Arruda



Samuel Tucker

LOCATED AT PINE SPRINGS
RANCH

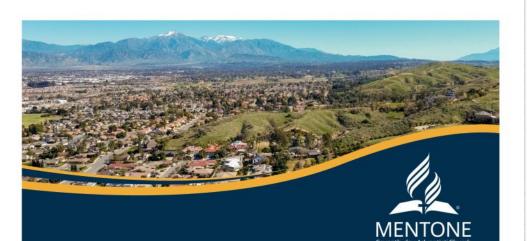
58000 APPLE CANYON RD, MOUNTAIN CENTER

QUESTIONS? CALL/TEXT

805-764-1252



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ADOPT A HOMEBOUND MEMBER A VISITATION MINISTRY INITIATIVE

A simple but meaningful gesture, such as a visit, a phone call, or a chat, can make a difference, creating bonds of affection and continuous fellowship. We aim to support the emotional well-being of our members, seeking to fight their loneliness and minimize the effects of isolation and sadness.

"... thou art thy brother's keeper. Thou shouldest have a watchful care for thy brother, be interested for his welfare, and cherish a kind, loving spirit toward him. Press together, press together."

(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.