

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 0-3)
- 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 classroom above multi-purpose room)

- Young Adult Class (18-35)

Adult Classes

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

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 have a **fellowship meal** following the second service and the theme is vegan soups, sandwiches and salads. Stay and enjoy some fellowship time with us today.

We rejoice with Jeremy and Debra Brown as they dedicate Cameron Noah and Mia Elise to the Lord today. Please keep this precious family in your prayers.

Membership Transfers (First Reading) to Mentone:

Nerik & Yekaterina Gavriellova (baptized on 12/31/23) from Azure Hills

Membership Transfers (First Reading) from Mentone:

Darin & Shirley Ann Gowan from Mentone to Pasadena SDA Church

Jason and Heather Luckman from Mentone to Colton SDA Church

Head Elder Assignment (First Reading):

Pastor Gary Strunk

Today we are honored to have Alan J. Reinach, Esq. with us during both our church services. Please also plan to join us this afternoon at 2 pm in the Sanctuary for, **“Challenges to Religious Freedom.”**

Church at Worship

January 27, 2024 8:30 am* 11:00 am**

Prelude	Organ
Welcome and Announcements	Elder Karl McCalla
Introit ⁺	Organ
Invocation	Alan J. Reinach, Esq.
Songs of Praise	#485 I Must Tell Jesus #462 Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!
Opening Hymn	#604 We Know Not the Hour
Worship in Giving	Karl McCalla Conference-Wide Church & School Building Fund
Offertory	Belleplate Choir <i>This Is My Father's World</i>
Children's Story	Merrill King
Scripture Reading	Matthew 7:21-23 Karl McCalla* Joel Rubert**
Prayer Song ⁺	Congregation #668 O Thou Who Hearest
Worship in Prayer	Daniel Hernandez* Marie McCalla**
Worship in Song	Belleplate Choir <i>All Things Bright and Beautiful</i>
Sermon	Alan J. Reinach, Esq. <i>Finding the Real Jesus in an Age of Counterfeits</i>
Closing Hymn	#618 Stand Up! Stand Up for Jesus!
Benediction	Alan J. Reinach, Esq.
Postlude	Organ

⁺ Please Kneel

Platform Elder: Karl McCalla
Song Leader: Zaninovic Family* Garcia Family**
Pianist: Sandi Teichman* Judy Northrop**
Organist: Joyce Caraway

Lead Deacon: David Garcia
Sunset Tonight: 5:08 pm
Sunset Next Friday: 5:21 pm

@ Mentone Next Week

United Prayer

6:00 am – United Prayer on Mon. – Fri., 7 am Sab. & Sun., 12 pm Mon., Wed., & Fri. (Zoom)

Sunday, January 28

9 am – Church Business Meeting in Sanctuary
12 pm – Church Choir Practice in Multi-Purpose Room
2 pm – Performance Boost 30 in the Multi-Purpose Room
4 pm – Living Free in the Multi-Purpose Room
6 pm – The Mentone Bible Seminar with Pastor Borda in Fellowship Hall

Monday, January 29

6 pm Revelation Seminar in the Fellowship Hall
6:30 pm Depression & Anxiety Recovery Program in Multi-Purpose Room

Tuesday, January 30

All-day – Homeschool Co-Op and Children's/Youth choirs, bells
6 pm Zoom Prayer Meeting

Wednesday, January 31

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

Sabbath, February 3

Sermon – Pastor Guilherme Borda
3 pm – Ministry to the Homeless in San Bernardino
4 pm – Young Adult Small Group in the Fellowship Hall

Speaker Schedule

February 10 – Pastor Rodney Bowes
February 17 – Pastor Guilherme Borda
February 24 – Pastor Nathanael Činčala
March 2 – Pastor Rodney Bowes

Birthday Blessings!

27th – Enzo Borda, Danielle Ray 28th – Kaleb Post, Diane Thompson, Luciana Uruena, Michelle Lohr 29th – Darryl Patrick, Alex Hancock 30th – Cynthia Freeman, Gary Torres, Zachary Porter 31st – Carlos Carbajal-Garcia Feb. 1st – Kristen Wong, Maya Catolico, Daniel Ray 2nd – Lucas Hernandez, Luke Nguyen 3rd – Marilyn Halloway, Kalista Lee



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

For more information and announcements, see
www.mentonechurch.org

Mentone Church Life

January 27, 2024

There is Young Adult Small Group today at 4 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Come and join us for prayer, The Word, and fellowship.

Divorce Care meetings started on January 18, 6-8 pm, in the multipurpose room and are for 13 weeks. To register online, go to DivorceCare.org and search for Mentone SDA Church or register by contacting, Cheryl Craven, via texting, 909 435-5675 or email chegan2craven@gmail.com.

Tomorrow, Sunday, January 28 we plan to have a **church business meeting at 9:00 am** in the Sanctuary. We encourage all members to attend.

Lost and Found – Our deacons have put all the lost and found items on a table in courtyard today. Please stop by and check if any of your lost items might be there. Anything that is not picked up will be donated.

There will be a "Celebration of Life" service for Roberta Joan Summers this Sunday, January 28 at 3:00 o'clock at the University Church. Joan was a beloved teacher at Loma Linda Elementary School for many years. All are invited to attend and refreshments will be served following the service. God bless you and thank you so much!

Have you been struggling with anxiety, the blues or hopelessness?

Depression & Anxiety Recovery Program is starting again. Come to a free introductory session Monday, January 29 at 6:30 pm.

The Pathfinder and Adventurer Bike-a-thon Fundraiser is scheduled for Sunday, February 4. Please support them as they as for pledges that benefit the club and also go towards the International Camporee!

Stephanie Dawn sacred concert – Sabbath, February 17 at 5 pm.

Dear Church Family: We are overwhelmed by the expressions of thoughtfulness and gratitude contained in the book that was compiled and recently given to us. Thank you so much! Words cannot express our appreciation for all that you mean to us. We are truly blessed to have been part of the Mentone church family during these last 9 years. May God continue to go with the Mentone church and all its members! Mentone will always be in our thoughts and prayers. - Pastor John and Sandy Anderson.

Financial Information

As of January 22

Church Budget: \$11,493.36 (potential goal \$32,446.56)

10-40 Projects: \$3,395.90

Pathfinder Camporee: \$28,197.27 (Goal \$50,000)

Healthy-LIFE Center: \$10,043.64 (Goal \$30,000)

Associate Pastor: Rodney Bowes (951) 500-8559

Associate Pastor: Guilherme Borda (909) 654-1254

Youth Pastor: Nathanael Činčala (909) 602-4304.

Spanish Coordinator: Samuel Florian (951) 640-556

Maggie Bonilla, Church Office: (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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- Manage stress without distress
- Improve brain function, emotional intelligence, energy levels, and mood
- Live above loss
- Defeat depression and anxiety through right thinking and positive lifestyle choices
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January 29 @
6:30 pm

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Mentone, CA 92359

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**Opening Session
January 21 @ 4 pm**

Future Schedule

January 28 @ 4pm February 11 @ 4pm
February 4 @ 4pm February 25 @ 4pm
March 3 @ 4pm

Location

Mentone Seventh-day Adventist Church
1230 Olivine Ave, Mentone, CA 92359



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DivorceCare topics

Emotional healing

Deep hurt
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Loneliness
Fears & anxiety

Overcoming relationship struggles

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How will DivorceCare help me heal?

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Focused support group

- Discussing what you learned from the video
- Talking about how to apply it
- Sharing how each group member is doing (only if you want to share)

Participant guide

- Exercises and articles for recovery and personal growth
- Parenting tips
- Practical tools to help you heal



How do I join a group?

See the information below:

Need another day or time?

Visit divorcecare.org/findagroup to find a list of groups in your area. Or find a group meeting online.

Find a group today!

Online groups available!

Watch the videos from your own device, then connect with an online group for discussion.

Dawn of Hope Ministry

Presents

Stephanie Dawn, Vocalist
and
Dann Thornton, piano

Songs and words of hope
that connect
God's heart to yours...



There are many people who are in a state of hopelessness, because they don't understand the healing power of God's grace. When God's grace is understood, embraced, and applied to the life, the truths of His Word are better understood, and more important to us. All those who come to God, as they are, will experience His healing touch. It is when we come to Him in our greatest weakness that He provides His greatest strength. Your heart and voice will sing the praise expressed in 1 Corinthians 15:57. "But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Mentone SDA Church
1230 Olivine Avenue
Mentone, CA 92359
Saturday, February 17 @ 5:00 pm

Dawn of Hope Ministry has music available for download from their website,
and CD's are available for purchase at their concerts.

www.dawnofhopeministry.com

936-264 1106 or 218-340-1000



When Stephanie Dawn first sang the chorus of “Jesus Loves Me” at the age of 11 months, her mother knew that God had given her a special gift. From that day onward, Stephanie’s love of music and her ability to sing blossomed. At the age of three she sang her first solo in church, and when she was nine years old, she recorded her first album and began traveling. Since then she has performed at the John F. Kennedy Center, GC sessions, as well as many churches, camp meetings, and other venues around the United States. She has been featured on the 700 Club, 3ABN, and The Voice of Prophecy. Her connection with The Voice of Prophecy came about through her friendship with Del Delker. Del Delker and Stephanie met when Stephanie was four years old. Del took Stephanie under her wing and became her mentor, and by the time Stephanie reached adulthood they had become close friends. They remained close until Del’s death in 2018.

In 2000, God called Stephanie, her mother, and her stepfather and pianist, Dann Thornton, into fulltime music ministry. They began traveling around the United States, sharing the message of God’s love through music and spoken messages, but Stephanie has not been without her struggles. She has been blind from birth and suffers from other health challenges, but, as was the case with Paul, Christ’s strength is made perfect in her weakness. There were times when she was unable to travel due to her health, but God used these trials to teach her valuable lessons and give her a deeper understanding of His character. Stephanie has shared her testimony at many churches around the United States, as well as on 3ABN, because she wants to give hope to others who are struggling.

After a time of not traveling due to Covid, God called Stephanie and her parents back into fulltime ministry in July of 2021, and through the help of Lonnie Melashenko and other friends, enough funds were raised for them to purchase a motorhome. They now travel around the United States in their motorhome, which is the only home they have. Stephanie and her parents believe that we are at the time of the end, and their mission is to help people understand and take hold of the righteousness of Christ in these last days. It is their hope and prayer that God will use their programs to help others see the Gospel more clearly and draw them closer to Him.

Dawn of Hope Ministry presents

Stephanie Dawn

Vocalist and speaker, with Dann Thornton, piano



To contact Dawn of Hope Ministry call or email us at:

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STARTING ON DEC. 3, 2023

SUNDAYS, 6:00pm–7:00pm

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WITH

Pastor Guilherme Borda

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