

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)

We are glad that you have chosen to worship with us today. If we can help you in any way, please let us know by contacting one of our elders, deacons, deaconesses or by our church app/website.

Today we will be having a "Not Farewell, but Fare Forward"

Fellowship Lunch in honor of Pastor John and Sandy Anderson. There is no need to bring food because the meal will be catered. And a special program will follow after the luncheon at 2:30 in the sanctuary.

Farewell memory album for Pastor John and Sandy. We are hoping that each family can make one page with a picture of their family along with memories and well wishes. There will be a table at church with pages for families to create their page, bring your photos. Daniela Sprengle is heading up our album project, if you have any questions text her at (909) 831-2579. Today is the deadline to turn in pages as it is their last Sabbath with our congregation.

Cuba Mission Trip – We are planning to share the gospel in Cuba next May 5-20, 2024. See <https://mentonechurch.org/cuba-mission-trip> for info.

Church at Worship

October 14, 2023 8:30* 11:00 am**

Prelude	Organ
Welcome and Announcements	Elder Bevan Geslani
Introit ⁺	Organ
Invocation	Pastor John Anderson
Songs of Praise	#337 Redeemed #108 Amazing Grace
Opening Hymn	# 33 Sing a New Song to the Lord
Worship in Giving	Bevan Geslani
	Union Designated
Offertory	<i>Jesus Paid it All</i> by Iman Haq & Aaron Friessen* <i>Adam & Eve</i> by 3 AM Kinder Choir**
Children's Story	Patty Perez
Scripture Reading	Arden Tamano* Tina Robinson** Philippians 4:19,20
Prayer Song ⁺	Congregation <i>Our Dear Father Hear our Prayer</i>
Worship in Prayer	Lou Ann Strachan* Michael Robinson**
Worship in Song	I Surrender All by Iman Haq & Aaron Friessen* I am a Witness by 3 AM Children's Choir**
Sermon	Pastor John Anderson <i>They Went On</i>
Closing Hymn	Send Us Thy Power
Benediction	Pastor John Anderson
Postlude	Organ

⁺ Please Kneel

Platform Elder: Bevan Geslani
Song Leader: Gary Strunk* Garcia Family**
Pianist: Margaret Song* Kathleen Wong**
Organist: Joyce Caraway

Lead Deacon: Ed Dinger
Sunset Tonight: 6:16 pm
Sunset Next Friday: 6:08 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, October 15

9:00 am – Church Board Meeting (Zoom and in-person)

11:00 am – Church-wide Picnic at Sylvan Park

Monday, October 16

5:00 pm – Monday Nights with God Zoom Bible study

6:00 pm – Church Choir Practice

7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Best Weigh program at 1866 Mentone Blvd. (Old Book Craftsman Building), Mentone

Wednesday, October 18

7:00 pm Prayer Meeting (Multi-purpose room and Zoom)

Sabbath, October 21

11:00 am – To be announced

Speaker Schedule

October 28 – Pastor Rodney Bowes

November 4 – Allistair Wong

November 11 – Pastor Rodney Bowes

November 18 – Nathanael Činčala

Birthday Blessings!

14th – Alexis Gaona 15th – Regina Mackenzie, Roman Sison, Mike Valdez, Yaczaira Perez Zaninovic 16th – Season Smith Shirley Torres 17th – Steve Sparks, Bo Marcus Padilla 18th – Albert Sison 19th – Beverly Bluhm, Isabel Cardona 20th – Anna Miller 21st – Tommy Cooper, Samuel Oyoyo

GLOW'ing at Mentone: For October, our focus is on tracts to be shared leading up to and on October 31st. To share your GLOW testimony on the third Sabbath of each month contact Nathalia Rasman at 951-796-4948 or nathaliarasman@yahoo.com.

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



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

Mentone Church Life

October 14, 2023

AMEN Conference: In His Presence is happening October 26 to 29 in Indian Wells. All physicians, dentists, allied health professionals, and pastors are encouraged to attend. Medical & dental students can apply for a subsidy to cover their lodging, meals and registration. For more information or to register for the conference, visit: amensda.org/conference or email conference@amensda.org.

We need 150 volunteers for the upcoming AMEN clinic in January 2024. We will need help with set-up, general volunteers, as well as medical, dental and vision professionals. Please sign up today at <https://bit.ly/amenmentone>.

Pastor John's books - The requested books will be in the church office, labeled with the buyer's name. You can pick up the books from there and either pay Maggie at the church office, send Pastor John and Sandy a check, or they will be available on Sunday morning from 9-10 a.m. as they will be packing up the truck to move out from the little house. Their mailing address is PO Box 2642, San Marcos, CA. 92079.

Pinnacle of Prophecy – We will host an epic Bible adventure series by Doug Batchelor, president of Amazing Facts International, starting October 27 in the Three Angels Gospel Tabernacle. This 14-part series is sure to be a great blessing for all attendees. See www.mentonechurch.org/pinnacle for more info. We also need volunteers to help make this event a success. Please sign up today at <https://bit.ly/pinnaclevolunteer>.

The International Creation Sabbath is scheduled for October 28. Please pray for all the events planned around the world for that day. We plan to focus on God's creative power here at Mentone.

Financial Information

As of September 30

Church Budget: \$193,974.20 (Goal \$174,879)

10-40 Projects: \$97,633.05 (Goal \$164,860.00)

Mentone Beehive Matching Fund: \$16,053.83 (Goal \$10,000) We made it! Praise the LORD!

Senior Pastor: John Anderson (760) 470-6966

Associate Pastor: Rodney Bowes (951) 500-8559

Youth Pastor: Nathanael Činčala (909) 602-4304

Associate Pastor: Daniel Skoretz (909) 730-2250

Spanish Coordinator: Samuel Florian (951) 640-5567

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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THE PINNACLE OF PROPHECY



UNLOCKING REVELATION'S MYSTERIES

A 14-Part Epic Bible Adventure with Pastor Doug Batchelor



Join Us October 27 @ 7pm

Three Angels' Gospel Tabernacle
1230 Olivine Avenue
Mentone, CA 92359

For a local program followed by the live broadcast
mentonechurch.org/pinnacle





MENTONE CHURCH PICNIC

ALL ARE INVITED

Hosted by Men and Woman's Ministry

Sunday, October 15

11am-3pm

Sylvan Park, Redlands

Corner of University and Colton

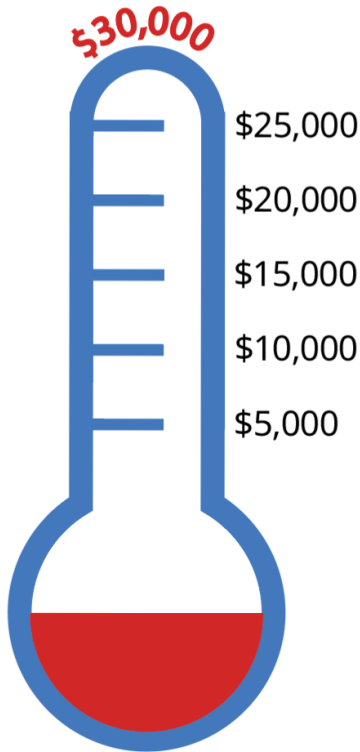
Veggie Burgers with all the trimmings provided

Please bring a Vegan Picnic dish to serve 20

Come for Fun, Fellowship and great Food!



MENTONE EVANGELISM PROJECTS



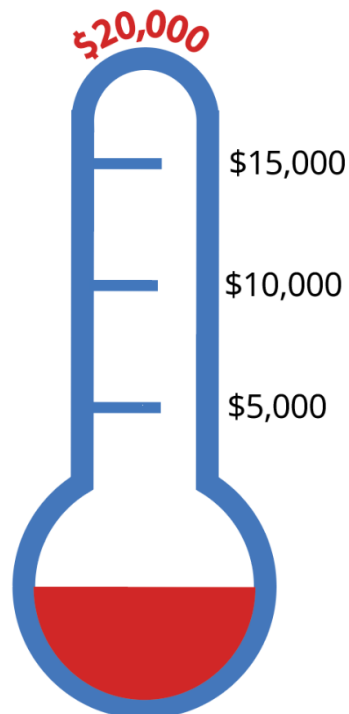
AMEN Free Clinic

GOAL: \$30,000 serves 300 people

Mentone will host this event on Sunday, January 14, 2024.

“AMEN partners with local Seventh-day Adventist Churches and organizations to provide needed dental, vision, and medical care to underserved and underinsured communities. These clinics provide an opportunity to share God’s love with the community and are most effective when followed by systematic events and evangelistic series. These clinics provide healing and can be life-changing for patients and volunteers.”

MENTONE EVANGELISM PROJECTS



The Healthy Life Center

GOAL: \$20,000

The Healthy Life Center stands as a vital link to our local Mentone community. Situated at 1866 Mentone Blvd, Mentone, CA 92359, the Healthy Life Center will house a variety of programs and initiatives, including the Best Weigh program, Depression Recovery, Divorce Care, Bible studies, and an array of other offerings.

We invite you to join us in our mission to care for our community and further the teachings of Jesus Christ by contributing to our goal. Your support is instrumental in making a positive impact on our community's well-being and spiritual growth.