

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-Early 2)

Primary (Ages 7-9)

Beginners (Ages 2-3)

Junior (Ages 10-12)

Kindergarten (Ages 4-6)

Youth

Earliteens (Ages 13-15)

Youth (Ages 15+) in PF Rm

Adult Classes

Young Adults (Ages 18-35, Co Op Rm)

Spirit of Prophecy (Fellowship Hall)

Quarterly (Sanctuary)

New Believer's Class (Upper Rm)

Quarterly (Rm 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 (Second Reading):

Jonathan & Lauren Harper from Columbus Eastwood SDA Church

Eric & Andrea Isaia from Yucaipa SDA Church

Membership Transfers from Mentone (Second Reading):

Samuel & Lina Florian to La Sierra University SDA Church

Rick Martinez to Auburn SDA Church

Missing Members (Second Reading):

Marcos Acosta, Nathan Ashcroft, Carlos Cerna, Todd Cooper, Caula

Greenwood-Wright, Hanifah Wright

Men's Ministry is today at 1 pm in the Multipurpose Room. Bring a lunch and join us for a time of fellowship and growth.

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

Birthday Blessings!

February 28th - Dean Simmonds, Ernest Castro, Steffanie Griffin, Marissa Imperio **March 1st** – David Garcia, Victoria Teppone **2nd** – Loren Smith, Israel Jegede, Axa Martell, Isaiah Patrick **3rd** – Jeniffer Cruz **4th** – Joel Cachero



Bulletin & AV information must be submitted to

office@mentonechurch.org

av@mentonechurch.org

by Sunday at 8 pm

Church at Worship

February 28, 2026, 8:30 am* 11:00 am**

Prelude	Organ
Welcome and Announcements	Elder Vladimir Zaninovic
Introit ⁺	Organ
Invocation	Pastor Rodney Bowes
Songs of Praise	#620 On Jordan's Stormy Banks #528 A Shelter in the Time of Storm
Opening Hymn	#22 God is Our Song
Worship in Giving	Vladimir Zaninovic Conference-Wide Church & School Building Fund
Offertory	Handbell Choir <i>Great is Thy Faithfulness</i>
Lambs Offering	Vladimir Zaninovic
Children's Story	Anique Augustus* Ian Catolico**
Scripture Reading	Charis Shin* Leander Tomazeli** Isaiah 1:18-20
Prayer Song ⁺	Congregation <i>#668 O Thou Who Hearest</i>
Worship in Prayer	John Shin* Leander Tomazeli**
Worship in Song	Handbell Choir <i>In The Garden</i>
Sermon	Pastor Rodney Bowes & Pathfinders Yahweh is Salvation
Closing Hymn	#214 We Have This Hope
Benediction	Pastor Rodney Bowes

* Please Kneel

Platform Elder: Vladimir Zaninovic
Song Leader: Wong Family* Morgan Family**
Pianist: Anna Sparks* Sofia Garcia**
Organist: Judy Northrop

Lead Deacon: David Garcia
Sunset Tonight: 5:45 pm
Sunset Next Week: 5:51 pm

Mentone Church Life

February 28, 2026

Associate Pastor Search: Our committee met this week and is now asking for suggestions for another associate pastor that you believe will be a good fit for Mentone. A form will be available in the bulletin and in the lobby this coming Sabbath. Completed form can be turned in the box in the lobby or to Karen Lafferty or Pastor Dana. Thank you.

Please support our mission trip to Oaxaca, Mexico, March 22-29, 2026. In addition to preaching the gospel, we plan to organize stations directly outside the Oaxaca hospital: Spiritual Care, Medical Education, Health Check-up, Relaxation, and Lifestyle, Education, and Food. We still need volunteers, donations and prayers! Contact Brittany Inostroza 253-905-6105 or Erin Banks 909-266-3568 for more information.

Join us on March 27 to 29 for "Real Help for Grieving Hearts" with Steve and Karen Nicola. They will present a series of caring and supportive workshops that are interactive, supportive, and healing for both grievors and those who want to provide better support. The workshops will be held on Friday evening at 7:00, Sabbath services, Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30, and Sunday morning from 10:00 to 12:00. For more details, please check the flyer.

Loretta Bianchi is in a wheelchair following knee surgery and needs some help with light house cleaning, getting her mail from her mailbox, drive her errands and doctor appts. If anyone can help with any of these tasks, she would greatly appreciate it! please call her at (951) 233-9026.

Students have been working hard to raise money for their mission trip to Costa Rica. If you would like to match the funds they raise or even support with a flat donation that would be very much appreciated. An offering line has been added You can make your donation on the church website's Adventist Giving under Costa Rica Mission Trip.

Fresh squeezed orange juice! For those who would like to support the mission trip through this method, contact Savannah at (530) 526-4627.

Cradle Roll Class is looking for a new teacher. If you are interested in this, please contact Andrea Isaia at 760-562-4619.

Financial Information as of February 16, 2026

Church Budget: \$32,187.93 (Goal-to-Date: \$48,430.06) Annual Goal: \$359,766.16

Building Fund: \$236,644.66

Staff Information

Senior Pastor: Fred Dana (845) 313-4822

Associate Pastor: Rodney Bowes (951) 500-8559

Youth Pastor: Daniel Gomez (626) 900-559

Secretary/Clerk: Maggie Bonilla (909) 492-0738

Treasurer: Intissar Issa (909) 214-9200

OVERFLOW PARKING AREA

To get from Mentone Seventh-day Adventist Church to the Faith Chapel parking area (often referred to locally as Faith Hill), follow these simple directions:

Exit the Church: Head south from the Mentone SDA Church parking lot toward Olivine Avenue.

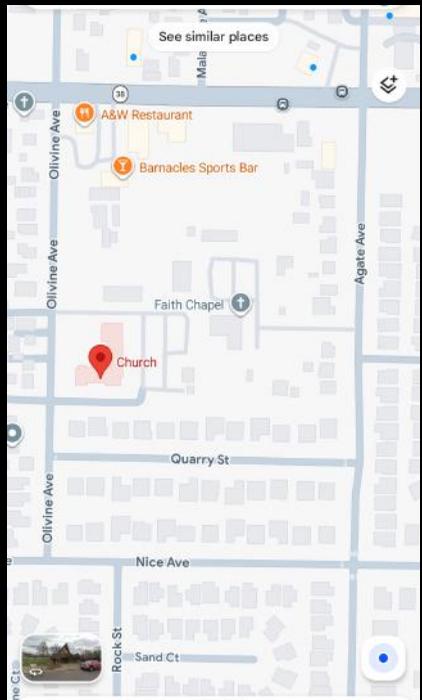
Turn Right: Make a right turn onto Olivine Avenue and continue for about 0.1 miles.

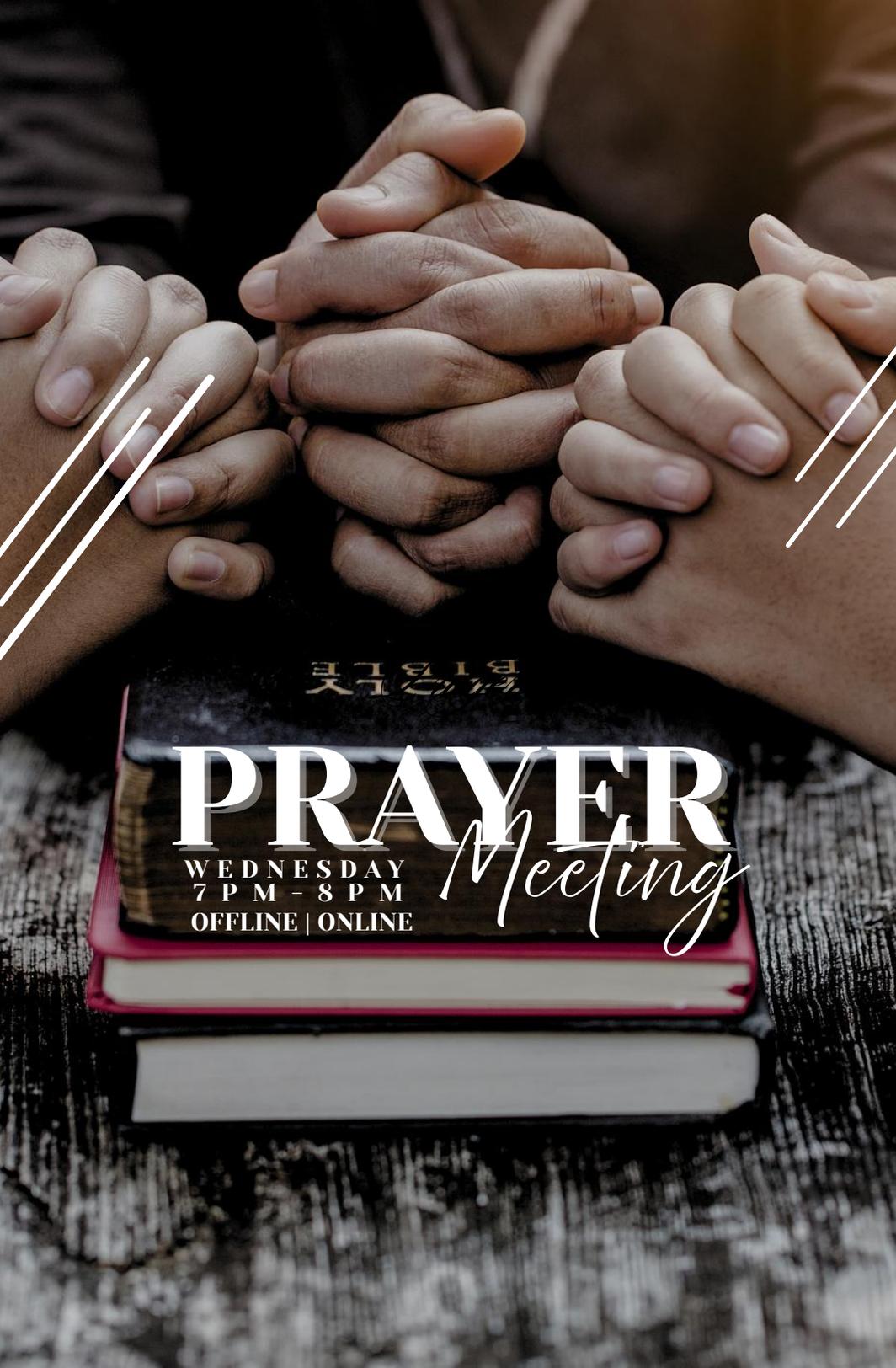
Turn Right onto Mentone Boulevard: Turn right onto Mentone Boulevard and go approximately 0.2 miles.

Turn Right onto Agate Avenue: Make a right turn onto Agate Avenue.

Arrive at Parking: Faith Chapel will be on your right at 1259 Agate Avenue.

***There is a small pedestrian gate that connects the properties, which can be used to walk between the two churches without driving around the block.





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Meeting

WEDNESDAY
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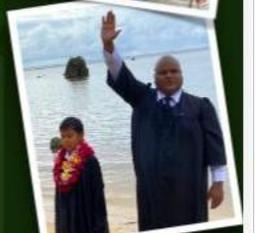
2026

Saturday,
February 28 6:30pm

LLU's Annual Homecoming
Guam-Micronesia
Fellowship Dinner

LINDA HALL, CAMPUS HILL CHURCH
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Come fellowship with past, present & future friends/
Missionaries of Guam and Micronesia. Hear current
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Guam Seventh-day
Adventist Clinic

Please RSVP at guamalumni.com
For more details: trobenson@adventistclinic.com

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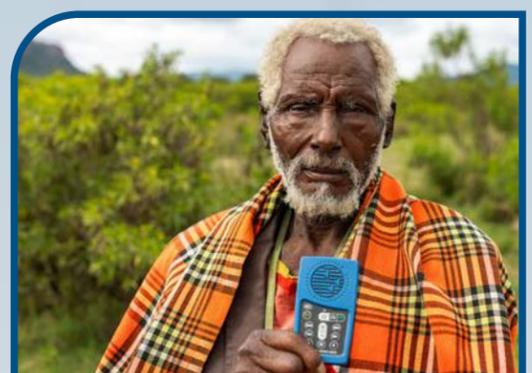
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Silver Spring, MD 20904 USA



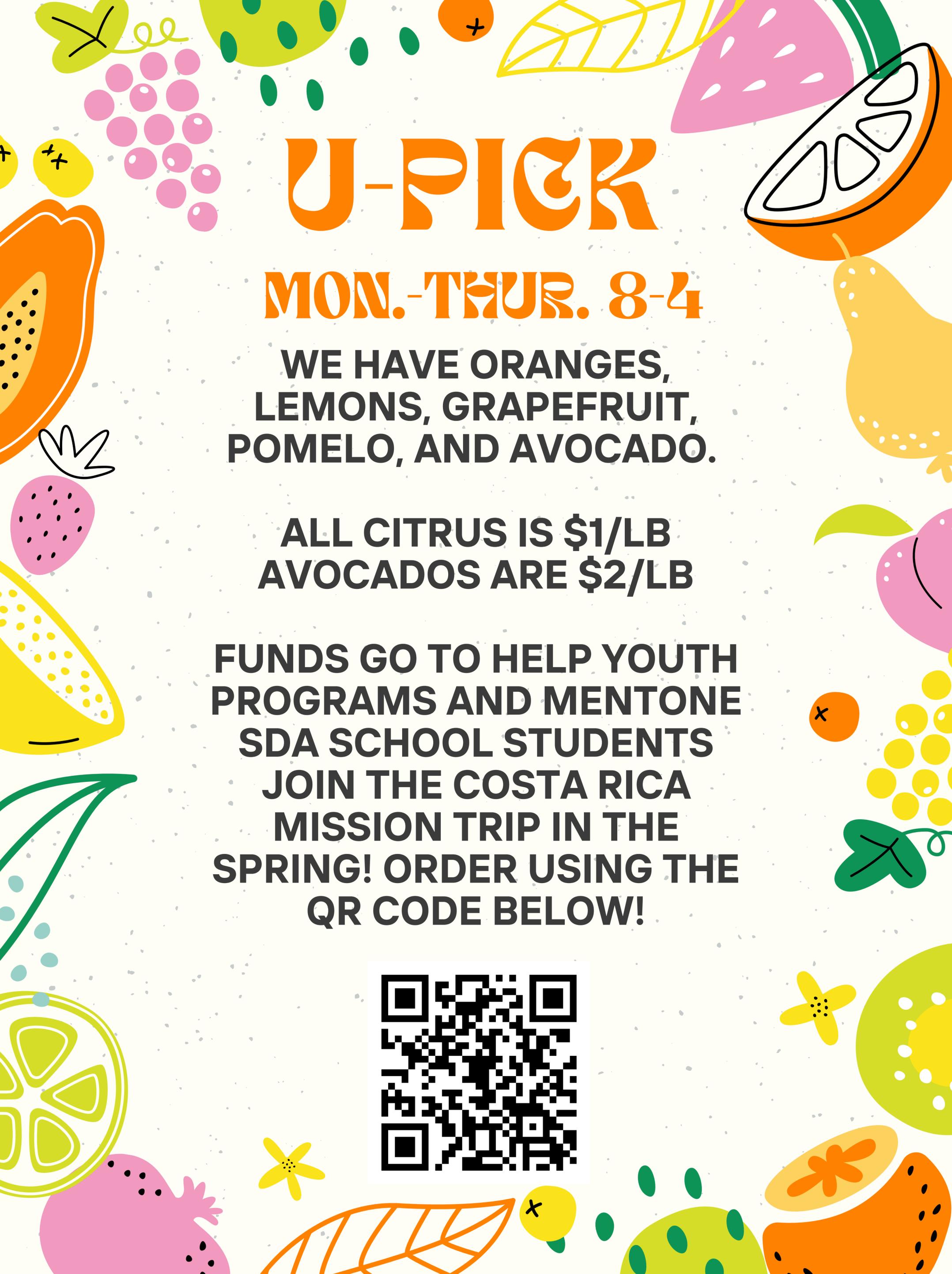
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POMELO, AND AVOCADO.**

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AVOCADOS ARE \$2/LB**

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SDA SCHOOL STUDENTS
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INSIGHTFUL UNDERSTANDING OF THE SPIRIT OF PROPHECY

To often Mrs. White has been viewed as having two main objectives-- rebuking sinners and giving rules. I would invite you to read at least two statements that will reveal her true feelings of reluctance and aversion to giving testimonies to individual people and laying down rules. (See for example Early Writings 76 and 8 Manuscript Releases 238-39.)

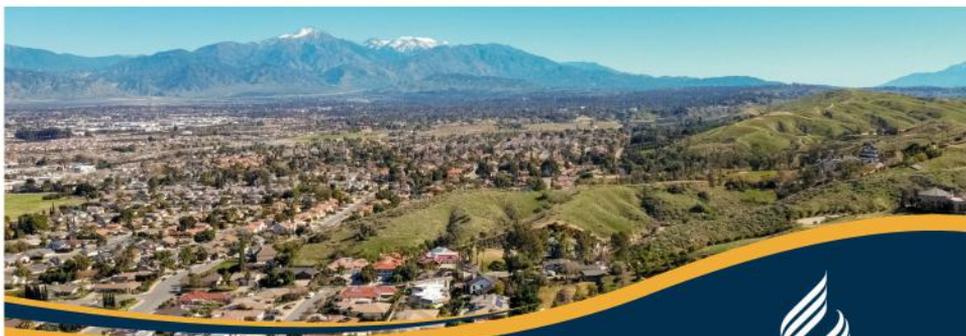
Her true passions were writing and preaching about the love of God in Christ and pointing people to the Bible. “Her writings, which were guided by prophetic revelation through visions and prophetic dreams, must be read and understood with this perspective.” (Understanding Ellen White, pg. vi)

Because of her accident at the age of about 9, Ellen Harmon (White) had her educational plans thwarted. This led to bitterness toward God. She also feared hell, which she inherited from her Methodist faith, which in turn added to her viewing God as a tyrant. After a few years of spiritual turmoil her mother arranged for Ellen to talk with a Methodist Adventist minister, Levi Stockman. This deeply spiritual counsel from this minister completely changed her view of God and in later years, the parental love of God became her favorite theme. Her favorite hymn became “Jesus, Lover of My Soul” by John Wesley. (Review & Herald, Dec. 13 1906, 10)

Ellen herself wrote about the spiritual counsel Pastor Levi Stockman gave. “My views of the Father were changed. I now looked upon Him as a kind and tender parent, rather than a stern tyrant compelling men to a blind obedience. My heart went out towards Him in a deep and fervent love.” (Life Sketches Original Manuscript, 43)



Ellen G. White (Seated in the middle) with her family at Elmshaven August 24, 1913



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.

Contact: Joel Rubert | (714) 785-6840 | jerubertjd@gmail.com