#### <u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u>

**WELCOME** to all our guests and friends this week. If you are searching for a church home, we cordially invite you to make the Ft. Lupton Seventh-day Adventist Church your church home.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL today after church. Please join us.

**VIDEO** today after the Fellowship Meal. We'll be showing a new Amazing Facts video – "Kingdoms in Time" which "takes viewers on a journey spanning thousands of years, with a fresh and exciting take on Bible prophecy that will win hearts for the kingdom of God."

**ADRA FEED HUNGRY CHILDREN PROJECT** this year. Drop your spare change in the donation box hanging in the foyer. \$106.44 has been received through the end of December. Next Sabbath we'll announce our ADRA project for 2019.

**NEXT WEEK**: Pastor Nathaniel Gamble will have the worship service. Brent Balmer will have the lesson study. The offering will be for Religious Liberty. Loose offering goes to Local Church Expense.

**CHURCH BOARD MEETING**: The next regular board meeting will be Sunday, 2/10/2019, at 5:00 p.m. at the church.

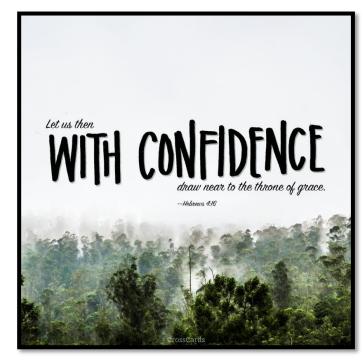
	Budget	Received	Still Needed for January	Balance 1/18/2019
	\$1,900	\$1,022.85	\$877.15	
Expense				\$3,389.55
Evangelism		\$50.50		\$2,224.87
Parking Lot		\$50.50		\$19,426.14

**SECOND READING:** Transfer Phillip & Cheryl Esparza's membership to Chapel Haven church.

**LIBERTY OFFERING:** Next Sabbath, January 26th, is the Liberty offering. Consider subscribing or donating subscriptions. We will have a special brochure at that time. Checks should be payable to our church.

**FAMILY NEEDS:** One of the families who were staying at the Miracle House have moved into an apartment this week and have nothing. See the insert in your bulletins and if you can help, arrange to drop off the items you have at the time and address indicated on the insert.

# *Welcome* Fort Lupton Seventh-day Adventist Church



## Pastor Nathaniel Gamble 1/19/2019

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### War Room 9:30 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.

### **Our Church at Study** 10:00 A.M. - 10:50 A.M.

Superintendent Program Teacher Lesson Study:

Martin Pope Martin Pope Jesus' Messages to the Seven Churches

Kindergarten/Primary: Wanda Balmer Junior/Earliteen: Karen Fernandez

#### **Pastor's Notes**

Last week we briefly reflected on Exodus 28:36, which was God's command that a golden plate be made for the high priest to wear with his turban, and on that plate was to be engraved the inscription: "holiness to the Lord." This week we look at the obedience of God's people in fulfilling this command. Exodus 39:30 contains the description of Israel constructing the golden plate: "They made the plate, the sacred emblem, out of pure gold and engraved on it, like an inscription on a seal: holy to the Lord" (NIV). In the Hebrew of this verse, the word "holy" shows up two times: in the word "sacred" and in the word "holy" of the inscription - and this passage draws our attention to two facts about holiness. First, some Bible versions translate the word for "plate" as "golden crown." The reason for this is that this word is tricky, especially when you combine it with the word holy: did the high priest wear a golden plate at the base of the forehead, over the turban, which was considered holy; or did the high priest actually wear a crown over the turban, which was crafted from a plate of gold and designated as sanctified by God? While these are interesting questions, they are not salvation issues; the point which the text is making about this golden headpiece is that it is holy - not because gold is intrinsically holy, but because God has blessed this headpiece and set it apart for the high priest to wear in the sanctuary service. Second, and related to the first point, this passage reiterates that God is the source of holiness. Ultimately, this passage emphasizes that the Old Testament high priest is holy because God made him holy - because God set him apart for a special work: to represent the true high priest who was coming. Jesus, the Godman, is the true high priest, and he is the one who is himself holy because he is the God who makes his people holy. Sometimes Christians are tempted to think that they need to make themselves holy before they can come into God's presence. The truth is that the Bible repeatedly identifies God as the one who makes us holy. We have a holy high priest, Jesus Christ, who continues to make us holy so that we can serve and worship God. In light of this, let us worship God with a heart that is confident of his goodness and holiness.

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#### **Our Church at Worship** 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

## **Musical Selections** Welcome/ Announcements Karen Fernandez **Worship in Praise** Lexi Contreras **Our Children at Worship** Storyteller: Video **Call to Worship** 767 "The Body of Christ" Martin Pope **Pastor Nathaniel Gamble** Worship in Stewardship Local Church Budget John Fernandez Worship in Song # 249 "Praise Him! Praise Him!" Worship in Prayer Martin Pope "Surely the Presence" Worship in the Word John Fernandez Hebrews 3:6 Karen Fernandez Pastor Nathaniel Gamble "Confidence as Christ's House" # 412 "Cover With His Life!" Speaker "God Be With You" # 65

Sundown Today 5:02 PM

Interlude

Songs & Praises

Evangelism Offering

**Responsive Reading** 

Invocation

Call for Offering

**Offertory Prayer** 

**Opening Hymn** 

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Scripture

Sermon

**Special Music** 

Closing Hymn

**Benediction** 

Postlude

Next Friday 5:09 PM