

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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.

BIBLE STUDY today after the Fellowship Meal. We're studying the Prophecies of Hope series from the Cracking the Prophetic Code evangelistic series we hosted in 2018.

ADRA HOMES FOR ORPHANS PROJECT this year. Drop your spare change in the donation box hanging in the foyer. \$58.87 has been received through the end of February.

NEXT WEEK: Pastor Nathaniel Gamble will have the worship service. Martin Pope will have the lesson study. The offering will be for Rocky Mountain Conference Advance. **Loose offering goes to Local Church Expense.**

CHURCH BOARD MEETING: The next regular board meeting will be Sunday, 4/14/2019 at 5:00 p.m. at the church.

	Budget	Received	Still Needed for March	Balance 3/15/2019
	\$1,900	\$1,204.85	\$695.15	
Expense				-\$1,405.71
Evangelism	--	\$50	--	\$2,894.52
Parking Lot	--	\$50	--	\$19,669.54

COMMUNION SERVICE: Our next communion and ordinance of humility services will be held next Sabbath, March 23rd. Please join us for this wonderful reminder of Jesus' life, death & resurrection. **There will be a practice and preparation meeting after church today.**

FOOD4FRIENDS: On Sabbath afternoon, March 30th, at 2:00 p.m. Hope @ Miracle House, Change 4 Change and the Fort Lupton Food and Clothing Bank will be handing out brown bag meals to community members in need. We'll head over to Koshio park at 1:30 p.m.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL MARCH 30TH: To ensure that we have time to eat and then drive over to the park for Food4Friends, we'll have Haystacks on Sabbath, March 30th. The sign-up list will be on the refrigerator.

WORK BEE: We will have a work bee on Sunday, May 19th. We need as many people as possible to help clean the church. Many hands make light work! We'll start at 8:00 a.m. and will have some refreshments on hand for those who join in!

BUDGET: We received and paid the insurance bill (\$5,661.38) for 2019. We are now in the red for church expense. Please keep this in your prayers and mind when giving.

Welcome Fort Lupton Seventh-day Adventist Church

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OF **THE LORD** IN THE LAND OF
THE LIVING. WAIT FOR THE
LORD; **BE STRONG AND TAKE**
HEART AND WAIT FOR THE
LORD *Psalm 27:13-14*

Pastor Nathaniel Gamble
3/16/2019

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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:

Sandy Akins
Sandy Akins
The Seven Last Plagues

Kindergarten/Primary: Wanda Balmer *Junior/Earlteen:* Karen Fernandez

Pastor's Notes

Psalms 60:6 presents an interesting, if slightly tricky, perspective on God's holiness. Psalm 60 is basically a believer's cry for God to remember his covenant with them; they have endured God's discipline (vv. 1-4), possibly for sinning and turning away from God (v. 10), but now they appeal to God to save them and rescue them from their enemies (v. 5) - precisely because they know that God is the God who saves and leads his people into safety, rest, and victory (vv. 9-12). But within this psalm, there is a reference to God's holiness. And it's this reference that poses a bit of a theological difficulty for us. The KJV translation of Psalm 60:6 states, "God hath spoken in his holiness; I will rejoice, I will divide Shechem, and mete out the valley of Succoth." The NIV translation of Psalm 60:6 exclaims, "God has spoken from his sanctuary: 'In triumph I will parcel out Shechem and measure off the Valley of Succoth.'" The parts about Shechem and Succoth are pretty much the same in both versions; the parts about God speaking are, to put it mildly, less so. Because "in his holiness" and "from his sanctuary" are very different thoughts, it can be tempting to think that either the KJV is superior to the NIV, or vice versa. In reality, however, both translations are saying basically the same thing. In the Old Testament, the word for "sanctuary" is the same word for "holiness": qadosh. The context of a Bible passage usually tells us what is being referred to and indicates whether or not a Bible writer is talking about God's holiness or God's sanctuary. Sometimes, however, the context doesn't help us at all and it can be tricky to tell which concept is actually being referred to in a particular Bible verse. But the reason it can be difficult for Bible translators to tell which concept is being referred to, is because the Bible often thinks of "sanctuary" and "holiness" as synonyms for each other (among others). No matter which translation we read, all the versions of Psalm 60:6 are saying the same thing: God speaks, and he truly speaks within the context of his holiness - which means that God's holiness is a sanctuary, or a safe place to be. We are invited each day to worship God in the knowledge that he speaks in the context of his holiness and from within the safety of his sanctuary - and that, consequently, we are safe and sound in the sanctuary that is God's holiness.

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Head Elder: Martin Pope
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Our Church at Worship
11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

Interlude

Musical Selections

Welcome/ Announcements

Karen Fernandez

Worship in Praise

Songs & Praises

Lexi Contreras

Our Children at Worship

Evangelism Offering

Storyteller: Pastor Nathaniel Gamble

Call to Worship

Responsive Reading
Invocation

746 - Signs of Christ's Coming

Martin Pope
Pastor Nathaniel Gamble

Worship in Stewardship

Call for Offering
Offertory Prayer

Local Church Budget

Local Church Budget
John Fernandez

Worship in Song

Opening Hymn

"We Have This Hope"

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Worship in Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

"Surely the Presence"

Martin Pope

Worship in the Word

Scripture

Hebrews 10:35-39

John Fernandez

Special Music

Karen Fernandez

Sermon

Pastor Nathaniel Gamble
"Confident Christians for Christ's Coming"

Pastor Nathaniel Gamble

Closing Hymn

"Jesus Is Coming Again!"

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Benediction
Postlude

"God Be With You"

Pastor Nathaniel Gamble
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Sundown Today 7:07 PM

Next Friday 7:13 PM