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 Amazing Facts "Storacles of Prophecy" series.

ADRA FEED HUNGRY CHILDREN PROJECT this year. Drop your spare change in the donation box hanging in the foyer. \$256.41 has been received through the end of February. Money is sent when \$100 has been received.

NEXT WEEK: Pastor Nathaniel Gamble will have the worship service. Sandy Akins will have the lesson study. The offering will be for Local Church Budget. Loose and undesignated offering goes to Local Church Expense. Online giving is now available at by clicking on the Online Giving link at the church website (see Karen for more information).

CHURCH BOARD MEETING: The next regular board meeting will be Sunday, 4/5/2020 at 4:00 p.m. at the church.

March	Budget	Received	Still Needed	Balance 3/13/2020
	\$1,400	\$395	\$1,005	
Expense				\$3,339.37
Evangelism		\$18.50		\$969.96
Insurance		\$60	\$6,175.70	Goal: \$6,235.70
Building Fund		\$0		\$767.85
Repair/Air		\$3,087.07	\$912.93	Goal: \$4,000

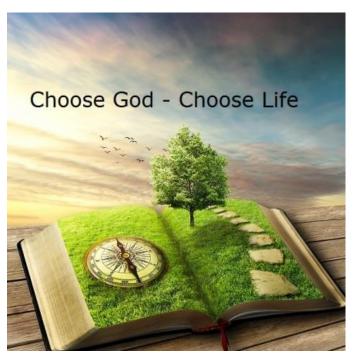
INSURANCE: The insurance bill for 2020 has been paid. The amount shown above reflects the amount we need to collect to pay insurance in 2021. We had sufficient donations to pay 2020 and start on 2021!

AIR CONDITIONING: Our most urgent need now is the Air Condition repair. We are going to need approximately \$912.93 to complete the work. Please keep this in your prayers and give as the Spirit guides.

LA VIDA MISSION: Every November La Vida Mission has a drive to collect supplies that are needed to keep them functioning and providing services. We would like to focus on collecting two or three of the many things they need. Please indicate your top three choices (number them 1 for top choice, etc) on the insert included with the bulletin, fold and place your vote in the offering plate. Next week, we'll let everyone know the results and will provide a collection box in the foyer shortly thereafter for gathering the donated items until the November pick up date, to be announced later.

KEEP GOD'S HOUSE CLEAN: When you leave the sanctuary, please do not leave trash/bottles/etc.in the pews. Take them with you and put them where they belong. Thank you very much!

Welcome Fort Lupton Seventh-day Adventist Church



Pastor Nathaniel Gamble 3/14/2020

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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 **Dennis Dunkin** Teacher **Dennis Dunkin** Lesson Study: From Battle to Victory

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

Pastor's Notes

Ellen draws our attention to a necessary lesson about sin: be honest with yourself and open with God about your sin. In "Steps to Christ," she states that each person must honestly face their sin and decide whether or not they want to cling to their own evaluation of how sinful sin really is and how holy God's law really is (21; 1977 edition). Adam and Eve apparently thought that partaking of the fruit of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil wouldn't result in disaster; however, the results of their disobedience demonstrate that they were wrong in their estimation of sin and evaluation of God's law (19-20). In a similar vein, many people today fail to recognize that "every act of transgression, every neglect or rejection of the grace of Christ, is reacting upon yourself" (20). Though most believe they have time enough to always choose the good after pursuing a path of wickedness, the truth is that each sinful habit they indulge and every wasted opportunity which the Holy Spirit gives them to respond to Jesus only reaps a continual harvest of a life that is lived farther and farther away from God and his love (20). Jesus can and does liberate us from our sin and its power over our lives (21); yet, the longer we trivialize our need of God's redeeming power in our lives and deceive ourselves into thinking there is enough time for us to turn to God, the more numb we become to the Holy Spirit and the gospel, and thus the more dangerous the situation becomes for us (20). But Ellen provides an interesting solution to this dilemma: "Study God's word prayerfully. That word presents before you, in the law of God and the life of Christ, the great principles of holiness" (21). According to Ellen, we only come to take sin seriously as we let God tell us in the Bible how to take sin seriously; and we only find ourselves paying attention to the promptings of the Holy Spirit as we let God teach us through the Bible how to listen to the Holy Spirit. Friends, if you have not made good use of the opportunities which God has given you to depart from sin and come to Jesus, do not be discouraged. Instead, why not begin this very day to pay more attention to what God lovingly says about you in the Bible and less time focused on yourself or your sin? God bless.

Pastor: Nathaniel Gamble (303) 857-2311 Head Elder: Martin Pope (720) 220-8404 Rocky Mountain Conference of SDA (303) 733-3771 Adventist Book Center (303) 722-1101 (800) 254-9687

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

Musical Selections

Interlude

Welcome/ Announcements		Karen Fernandez
Songs & Praises	Worship in Praise	Karen Fernandez
Evangelism Offering	Our Children at Worship	Storyteller: Video
Responsive Reading Invocation	Call to Worship 802 Guidance	Susan Watson Al Lopez
Call for Offering Offertory Prayer	Worship in Stewardship Adventist World Radio	John Fernandez John Fernandez
Opening Hymn	Worship in Song "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me"	# 551
Pastoral Prayer	Worship in Prayer "Surely the Presence"	Dennis Dunkin
Scripture	Worship in the Word Genesis 13:9	John Fernandez
Special Music	Gaither Vocal Band "Hear My Song, Lord"	Video
Sermon	"The Choices We Make"	Al Lopez
Closing Hymn	"He Leadeth Me"	# 537
Benediction Postlude	"God Be With You"	Al Lopez # 65
Sundown Today 7:06 PM		Next Friday 7:12 PM