

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. **Thank you for wearing your mask inside the building and remember to social distance.**

PRAYER MEETING is on Zoom every Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m.

ADRA FEED HUNGRY CHILDREN PROJECT this year. Drop your spare change in the donation box hanging in the foyer or write a check and place it in an offering envelope indicating it is for ADRA Project. \$160.21 has been received through the end of February.

NEXT WEEK: Al Lopez will have the worship service. The offering will be for Adventist World Radio. **Loose offering goes to Local Church Expense and undesignated offerings in envelopes go to Insurance.**

CHURCH BOARD MEETING: The next regular board meeting will be Friday, 3/12/2021 at 9:00 a.m. at the church.

| February | Budget | Received | Still Needed | Balance 3/5/2021 |
|---------------|---------|------------|--------------|---------------------|
| | \$1,400 | \$1,294 | -\$106 | |
| Expense | | | | \$1,888.73 |
| Evangelism | -- | \$50 | -- | \$711.96 |
| | | | | Goal: |
| Insurance | | \$6,241.11 | \$245.30 | \$6,486.41 |
| Building Fund | | \$0 | | \$927.85 |

CHURCH MISSION PROJECT: If you wish to donate to our mission project, Hope at Miracle House, mark your gift as HOPE.

LA VIDA MISSION: We are collecting paper towels, toilet paper and oatmeal over the next year. Take your donations to the cradle roll room.

TUITION ASSISTANCE: If you wish to donate to help with Campion tuition, mark the gift on your offering envelope as TUITION.

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK: Happy Birthday Friday to Wanda Balmer and David Pavlacky!

KEEP GOD'S HOUSE CLEAN: When you leave the sanctuary, please do not leave trash/bottles/etc. in the pews. Use the Clorox/Lysol wipe and wipe down the back of the pew in front of you and the arm of your pew. Take trash with you and put in the trash can at the end of the table outside the sanctuary door.
Thank you very much!

Welcome Fort Lupton Seventh-day Adventist Church



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3/6/2021

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Pastor's Notes

Throughout 2021, I think it will be good for us to spend time together looking at God's character in the Letter to the Romans. Romans has a lot to say about who God shows himself to be and how God demonstrates his character to us, and this material can be very encouraging as we live the Christian life. And right at the beginning of Romans, we find the first place where God shows himself to us. In Romans 1:18-19, we find it stated: "For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men who suppress the truth in unrighteousness, because that which is known about God is evident within them; for God made it evident in them" (NASB). How is it helpful for us to get to know God by understanding divine wrath and "that which is known about God?" According to Romans 1:20-23, God has already shown us that we are a priority to him. God has demonstrated his "eternal power and divine nature" by creating us and everything else (verse 20), so that we can know and understand several truths about God: that God is worthy of us glorifying and thanking him for taking care of us and giving us life (verse 21), that it is the better part of wisdom to know the One who made us (verse 22), and that God has made us in his glorious image because he loves us (verse 23). Of course, we have reacted to these truths by turning away from God and darkening our hearts (verse 21), acting foolishly and as if God is unimportant (verse 22), and focusing our attention on creatures rather than the Creator (verse 23). So God's response to our reaction is divine wrath - a wrath that is defined by God giving us what we want: "Therefore God gave them over in the lusts of their hearts to impurity" (verse 24); "for this reason God gave them over to degrading passions" (verse 25); "God gave them over to a depraved mind" (verse 28). What God shows us about himself is that his power, nature, and wrath are primarily concerned with taking care of us, even to the point of letting us turn away from him and have that which breaks his heart - if this is really what we want. Friends, God is self-secure enough to show us his love without expecting us to love him back. Why don't we respond to that love by appreciating God and getting to know him better? God bless.

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

Superintendent Program Martin Pope
Teacher Martin Pope
Lesson Study: Doing the Unthinkable

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

Welcome/ Announcements Karen Fernandez

Worship in Praise

Praise Song Karen Fernandez

Call to Worship

Responsive Reading 781 Martin Pope
The Resurrection of God's People

Worship in Prayer

Pastoral Prayer Martin Pope

Worship in Stewardship

Call for Offering *Local Church Budget* Brent Balmer

Worship in Song

Opening Hymn # 213
"Jesus Is Coming Again"

Worship in the Word

Scripture Matthew 24:14 Brent Balmer

Special Music "The King Is Coming" Illustrated Video
Heritage Singers

Sermon Al Lopez
"Christ's Return"

Benediction Al Lopez

Closing Hymn # 626
"In a Little While We're Going Home"

Sundown Today 5:57 PM

Next Friday 6:04 PM