

## Serving Today

**Elder In-Charge:** Andrew Wallace

**Deacons:** Bert Mercara, Roger Saulo, Roger Bello, Sr.,  
Art Albino, Philip Salagan, Rolly Dela Cruz

**Deaconesses/Greeters:** Lolit Malangyaon & Lourdes Saulo

**Treasury:** Josue Abalorio

## Speakers for August

**August 04** Jemima Orillosa

**August 11** Ronilo Masangcay

**August 18** Ramon Baldovino

**August 25** Ernie Carcellar [EndItNow Emphasis Sabbath]

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## Sunset Almanac

**Tonight** (August 25, 2018)—7:48 pm

**Next Friday** (August 31, 2018)—7:39 pm

**Next Sabbath** (September 01, 2018)—7:38 pm

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## Our Mission Statement

The Filipino-American Capital Seventh-day Adventist Church exists to  
GO WITH JESUS IN MAKING DISCIPLES OF ALL AGES.

## Pastor's Note

### SMALL THINGS, GREAT GOD

*by Ramon V. Baldovino*

One of the world's remarkable artists could put his entire life's work on the tips of your fingers. His name is Nikolai Syadrisky, and he is a microminiature sculptor.

What do microminiature sculptors create? Mr. Syadrisky has poised three gold camels inside the eye of a needle—along with a pyramid and a palm tree, writes Howard Witt. He has inserted a flea-sized red rose inside a hollowed out human hair, as if in a vase. On the flat edge of a cut human hair, he has balanced two tiny, working padlocks, complete with keys. He has copied a six-hundred-note musical score on a chrysanthemum leaf the size of a grain of rice.

Microminiature artists must overcome huge obstacles. One sneeze or cough, and months of work can disappear. Static electricity—the spark that comes when you walk on the rug in winter and touch something—is another challenge. "When I was working on the oasis scene," says Syadrisky, "I lost two camels because of static electricity. An electrical surge is like a giant catastrophe for these miniatures."

To carve a chess set balanced on the head of a pin or an electric motor smaller than the belly of an ant, Syadrisky must wear thick, Coke-bottle like glasses and peer through a microscope.

There are only five other microminiature artists in the world.

How difficult it is to work with little things! It is through God's perfect control of far smaller details in creation—molecules and atoms and DNA—that he reveals his unimaginable power. (From *Craig Brian Larson and Leadership Journal*)



## FILIPINO-AMERICAN CAPITAL SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

*August 25, 2018*

## ENDITNOW EMPHASIS SABBATH

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## SABBATH SCHOOL | 09:30 AM

<b>Singspiration</b>	Oliver & Matthew Masangcay— <i>Music Leader(s)</i> Rhymiel Prudente— <i>Pianist</i>
<b>Opening Song</b>	Selected Opening Hymn/Song
<b>Opening Prayer</b>	Noel Lisay
<b>Welcome Remarks</b>	Frenell Nepomuceno
<b>Special Music</b>	Jahns Chavez
<b>Mission 360° Spotlight</b>	“God Found Me” Adventist Mission
<b>Closing Song</b>	Selected Closing Hymn/Song
<b>Closing Prayer</b>	Jerry Celestial
<b>Lesson In Review</b>	by Class
	<i>English 1 Adult Class</i> —Samson Dah
	<i>English 2 Adult Class</i> —Nick Salomon
	<i>Tagalog Class</i> —Elmer Punzalan
	<i>Fellowship Hall Class</i> —Pastor Ramon Baldovino
	<i>Young Adults’ Class</i> —L. Lacson/K. Paradero/S. Albino/C. Baldovino
	<i>Youth Class</i> —R. Masangcay/M. Masangcay/D. Wallace
	<i>Primary/Juniors’ Class</i> —S. Cogasi/J. Dalida/J. Dumaop
	<i>Cradle Roll/Kindergarten Class</i> —L. Alinsod/S. Virtudazo/M. Gomez

### “The Jerusalem Council”

“We believe it is through the grace of our Lord Jesus that we are saved, just as they are.”

(Acts 15:11, NIV)

## CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSES

### As We Come To You In Prayer

Now, Dear Lord, as we pray, Take our hearts and minds far away,  
From the press of the world all around, To Your throne where grace does abound.  
May our lives be transformed by Your love, May our souls be refreshed from above.  
At this moment, let people everywhere, Join us now as we come to You in prayer.

### Almighty Father

Almighty Father, hear our prayer, and bless all souls that wait before Thee. AMEN.

### We Have This Hope

We have this hope that burns within our hearts,  
Hope in the coming of the Lord.  
We have this faith that Christ alone imparts,  
Faith in the promise of His word.  
We believe the time is here, When the nations far and near  
Shall awake, and shout and sing Hallelujah! Christ is King!  
We have this hope that burns within our hearts,  
Hope in the coming of the Lord.

## WORSHIP HOUR EXPERIENCE | 10:50 AM

<b>Praise, Songs &amp; Testimony</b>		Praise Team
<b>Church Life</b>		Presiding Elder
<b>Welcome To Worship</b>	“The Family of God”	Praise Team
<b>Introit</b>	“A Quiet Place”—SDAH 503	Pianist/(Organist)
<b>Call To Worship</b>		Presiding Elder
<b>†Hymn of Adoration</b>	“O Worship the Lord”	SDAH 006
<b>†Invocation</b>		Pastor Ernie Carcellar
<b>Worship In Giving</b>		Ken Paradero
	<i>Tithes</i> —God’s Sacred Portion	
	<i>Offerings</i> —One Offering Plan/Potomac Partners	
<b>Offertory Music</b>		Christian Dalida
<b>Children’s Time</b>		Jake Wernicke
<b>‡Pre-Prayer Song</b>	“As We Come To You In Prayer”	SDAH 671
<b>‡Pastoral Prayer</b>		Andrew Wallace
<b>‡Prayer Response</b>	“Almighty Father”	SDAH 693
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Psalms 23:1-6	Jasyl Dumaop
<b>Worship In Music</b>		Alyssa Lisay
<b>The Spoken Word</b>	GOD WITH US	Pastor Ernie Carcellar
<b>†Hymn of Consecration</b>	“All the Way”	SDAH 516
<b>†Benediction</b>		Pastor Ernie Carcellar
<b>†Congregational Response</b>	“We Have This Hope”	SDAH 214
<b>Postlude</b>		Pianist/(Organist)

### Others Who Serve...

Presiding Elder: Andrew Wallace  
Worship Coordinator: Mercy Lynn Dela Cruz  
Praise Team: Rock of Ages  
Pianist/(Organist): Carlyle Tagalog  
Instrumentalists: Volunteers Instrumental Ensemble

†Congregation remain STANDING at this time

‡Congregation remain KNEELING at this time

## CHURCH LIFE

**WE WELCOME YOU ALL** on this delightful Day of Rest as we praise, worship, glorify & honor God today! Our guest speaker for this Sabbath is Pastor Ernie Carcellar. May we hear Our Heavenly Father’s voice as we receive the Spoken Word today!

**COMING EVENTS** August 31-September 02—Annual Church Retreat

**CHURCH CAMPUS WILL BE CLOSED** next Sabbath, September 01, 2018 in light of the Annual Church Retreat. As a friendly reminder, no Church Services & Activities will be held in the campus next Sabbath. All Church Services & Activities will take place at Mount Aetna Camp & Retreat Center, 21905 Mount Aetna Rd., Hagerstown, MD 21742. Contact our Special Events Team Coordinator Marlene Dela Cruz (240.888.7504) for more information.

**PATHFINDER REGISTRATION** is now open for the 2018-2019 Pathfinder Year. Pathfinder is for children in 5th-12th grade. If you plan to have your Pathfinder go with us to Oshkosh in August 2019, they **MUST** go on at least one camping trip with us this year. Registration packets are at the greeters’ table, or please see Mervyn, JD, Lewelyn or Jennifer for more information.

**TREASURY REPORT** January-June, 2018 Church Budget: Offering Received—\$63,015.78; Actual Operating Expenses—\$65,272.93; **Net Operating Shortfall—(\$2,257.15)**

**AUGUST BIRTHDAY CELEBRANTS (Church Members & Friends)** Lydia Chavez, Mercy Lynn Dela Cruz, Howard Faigao, Zaida Masangcay, Larry Prudente, Roger Bello, Sr., David Barizo, Clelia Bertolo, Marvin Tanasan, Nora Pallasa, Arthur Albino. May the Lord bless you with long life, good health, a happy family and life-changing faith. (This list is by no means completed or fully-updated. Our Church Clerk, Joy Brondo, will be happy to receive any updated information. Please call/text her at 202.867.7913 or send in your updated entries to [clerks@filamcapsda.org](mailto:clerks@filamcapsda.org).)

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