

NO FILIPINO SABBATH SCHOOL TODAY

Please join the Sanctuary Sabbath
School Program. Thanks!



AVON PARK CHURCH

OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS

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Sabbath, March 2, 2019

WORSHIP SERVICE 10:50 AM

SABBATH SCHOOL 9:15 AM – 10:40 AM

Song Service	Abel & Lilian Ventura
Opening Song	No. 590
	<i>Trust and Obey</i>
Welcome & Prayer	Mona Petrovich
	<i>Sabbath Allegiance over Compromise</i>
Mission Feature	Mission 360
	<i>Raising the Bar</i>
Lesson Study	By Classes
	<i>Satan and His Allies</i>
Pianist	Elinor Wells
HYMN SING	Bill & Pat Kirstein

SPECIAL PRAYER NEED

Doris Lander	Megan Bedell	Rhodie Imperio
Ana Garcia	Billie Jean Potter	Ned Halvorsen
Nida Roquiz	Sager Family	John Osborne
Ron Goodall	Paul & Joyce New	Morris Maxwell
Kathie Foll	Bob & Linda Catron	Carla Brown
Rose Seagle	Sunday Edemidiong	Richard Scull
Dolor Mitra	Geri Barker-Davis	Teresa Mariano
Judi Henderson	Ron & Ida Search	Montalvo Family
Rose Graham	Melissa Turner	Gene Stutz

PASTORAL INFORMATION

J.P. O'Connor	(626) 251-6078 avonparkpastor@gmail.com
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PASTOR ON CALL SCHEDULE

Sunday	Pastor Steven Sigamani
Monday	Pastor Robert Hines
Tuesday	Pastor J.P. O'Connor
Wednesday	Pastor Steven Sigamani
Thursday	Pastor J.P. O'Connor
Friday	Pastor Robert Hines
Sabbath	Pastor J.P. O'Connor

Sunset Today – 6:27

Next Friday – 6:31

WELCOME & FELLOWSHIP

Welcome Daniel Montero
†Family of God Children's Praise Team
(Please greet those closest to you and sit down)

PRAISE & ADORATION

Praise Songs Children's Praise Team
Call to Worship Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus
†Invocation Jephthe Alcindor
†Opening Hymn No. 422
Children's Story Diane Cooper
Sharing of Gifts Ardwin Alcindor

Local Church Budget

**Loose offering each week is for the church
budget. Please place the offering of the day
in a tithe envelope and mark as such.**

Offertory of Praise Organ

WORD AND WITNESS

*Intercessory Prayer NAPS Volunteer
Prayer Response Organ
Scripture Reading Ardwin & Naderly Alcindor
Psalms 34:18

Worship in Music Walter Kirst
Sermon Pastor J.P. O'Connor

"When God Feels Far Away"

†Closing Hymn No. 473
†Benediction Pastor J.P. O'Connor
Postlude Organ

Organist Lowell Mills
Presiding Elder Daniel Montero
Presiding Deacon: Nehemias Cruz, III
Audio/Visual Team 1: Edgar Alido: Team Lead

Please remain seated and the deacons will usher you out.
Thank you for **silencing** your cell phone while in the
sanctuary.

† Congregation Stand

* Congregation Kneel

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sabbath, March 2

- 8:30a Directory Photos - Photo Studio
- 9:15 Song Service & S.S. – Sanctuary & Chapel
- 9:45 Spanish SS Class – Family Room
- 10:30 Church Library Open – Until 11:00am
- 10:50 Worship Service – Pastor JP O'Connor
- 12:30p Fellowship/Dinner Potluck – Team 3
- 12:30 Directory Photos - Photo Studio
- 3:00 Memorial Service for Debbie Madden - Chapel
- 4:00 Children's Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room
- 4:00 Sabbath School Council Meeting – Jr. Room
- 4:30 Directory Photos - Photo Studio
- 4:30 Men's Chorus Rehearsal - Chapel
- 5:30 Vespers – AWR Philippines II – Sanctuary
- 6:30 Vespers – NAPS – Sanctuary (See Announcement)

Sunday, March 3

- 10:00a Group Exercise Class – Family Room
- 10:00 Basketball Game – WMA Gym
- 2:00p Pathfinder Club & Staff Meeting – Larsen House

Monday, March 4 – Church Office Closed

- 5:20p Prison Ministries to APCI Work Camp
- 6:30 Elders Meeting – Junior Room
- 7:00 Men's Chorus Rehearsal – Choir Room

Tuesday, March 5 - Church Office Closed

- 7:00a Granary Super Tuesday 20% Discount – Until 7pm
- 9:00 Community Services Stores – Until 2:00pm
- 6:00p Bell Choir Rehearsal – Choir Rm.

Wednesday, March 6 - Church Office Open

- 10:00a Delivered Meals
- 10:00 Church Library Open – Until 12:00pm
- 12:00p Fellowship Potluck – FH
- 6:00 Prayer Meeting – Elder Bing Alabata

Thursday, March 7 – Church Office Open

- 9:00a Community Services Stores - Until 2:00pm
- 5:20 Prison Ministries to APCI Main Unit
- 7:00 Study Group at Armstrong's home
- 7:00 Study Group at Aristarco's home by Ralph Rodriguez

Friday, March 8 - Church Office Closed

- 7:00p Adult Teachers Meeting – Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 Church Choir Rehearsal - Chapel
- 7:00 Worship Rehearsal for Special Music and A/V

Sabbath, March 9 (DST begins tonight)

- 9:15 Song Service & S.S. – Sanctuary & Chapel
- 9:45 Spanish SS Class – Family Room
- 10:30 Church Library Open – Until 11:00am
- 10:50 Worship Service – Pastor JP O'Connor
- 12:30p Fellowship/Dinner Potluck – Team 4
- 12:30 Directory Photos - Photo Studio
- 4:00 Children's Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room
- 4:30 Men's Chorus Rehearsal - Chapel

I WILL BE ON VACATION MARCH 13-21

Those that provide information for the bulletin, please send info for the March 16 and 23 bulletins by March 12. Thanks a lot for your help! *Gladys Gómez*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Thank you so much for joining us in our worship services at Avon Park Church! Please take a moment to fill out the beige card in the back of the pew to help us get to know you better. You may place it in the offering plate. **We extend to you, a heartfelt WELCOME and invite you to stay for Potluck!** Today Hopkins, Montalvo, Henderson (Team 3) are our coordinators. Next Sabbath, Butendieck, Mills, Pauls (Team 4) will be our coordinators.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mar. 2-10	WMA Spring Break
Mar. 10	Daylight Savings Time begins
Mar. 30	Communion
Mar. 30	Men's Chorus Vespers
Mar. 31	Work Bee - 9:00am-2:00pm

CHILDREN'S CHOIR WILL MEET THIS AFTERNOON

at 4:00pm in the choir room. All children of our church are invited to be part. If you need more information, please contact Ani O'Connor at (626)695-7731 or through email: pertapollerita@gmail.com

JOHN THURBER'S MEMORIAL SERVICE WILL BE

today at 4:45pm Eastern time. You can watch it live streamed. Type the name "College View Seventh-day Adventist Church" in the search box on your FB page to find it that way.

"I LISTEN TO YOUR BROADCAST VERY

Patiently and carefully," read the letter from and AWR listener in Asia. **"I was stone hearted, but after listening to your word, there has been a change in my life. Please pray for me."** By generously supporting the AWR annual offering next week, you will be a partner in bringing God's love to those who need it most. For a closer look at AWR, to [YouTube.com/awrweb](https://www.youtube.com/awrweb) or [Facebook.com/awr360](https://www.facebook.com/awr360).

IT'S A NEW YEAR – AN IDEAL TIME TO THINK

of your legacy. What will yours be to your loved ones, friends, and the Lord's work? Take advantage of our free estate planning service for members of the Florida Conference through the Florida Conference Association Development and Planned Giving Department. Call us for more information at 407-644-5000, ext. 2241 or email us at planned.giving@floridaconference.com.
Gloria Becker

Local Church Budget February 2019

Church Budget Goal	\$51,868.00
Church Budget Received	\$43,147.82
Church Budget Blessings	\$(8,720.18)

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March 2, 2019

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE

Prevention of Starvation (NAPS) is a non-profit, volunteer, SDA relief ministry made up of college students and graduates who God has led to travel nationally and internationally to places such as Brazil, Guyana, Costa Rica, Sudan, and Haiti doing medical relief, children's programs, and evangelism. The primary goal of **NAPS** is to go into the world preventing spiritual, emotional, and physical starvation. They will be at our church today and will do a second Vespers at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary. This presentation will be an opportunity to inform us of the work that God is using Adventist youth to accomplish around the globe. For more information about NAPS and the work they have done, please visit their website at www.napsglobal.org.

DORIS LANDER FELL AND WILL APPRECIATE

your prayers and visits. She is at Fairway Pines, Room C-211. She hurt her femur.

CHURCH DIRECTORY PHOTOGRAPHS

Our crew is taking pictures in the old Earliteen room. If you don't want us to take your picture, please email a photo of your family that is a close up and does not have sunglasses on any members, preferably a 5 x 7 one. dtamos@gmail.com. The scheduled hours are: Sabbath, 8:30-9:30am; 12:30-1:30pm; before Vespers, if one is scheduled. We are taking **A's to Z's** to be photographed today. **Thank you for your cooperation!**

OUR SINCERE CONDOLENCES TO

Karl Janetzko and family on the passing of his dearly beloved mother, Gisela Janetzko. A Memorial Service will be held in the near future.

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The family of Debbie (Vanderbilt) Madden. A Memorial Service will be held at our church today at 3:00pm in the Chapel. All are invited to attend. *Frostproof Church*

YOU ARE INVITED TO FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday at Noon in the F.H. Menu is: Pancit, fried rice, toss salad, dessert. Everyone is Welcome. *Delivered Meals Team*

PASTOR J.P. O'CONNOR

Will still be working on his MA Degree and will be in classes out of town **March 3-7**. If you need a pastor during those days, please call Pastor Robert or Pastor Steven. Thanks! *Gladys Gómez*

BACKPACKING TRIP

Is planned for March 14-17. It is now shorter than originally planned and will be a great introduction for the novice backpacker. For more information, please contact Robert Hines or register online at <https://avonparkchurch.eventbrite.com>

DEAR CHURCH FAMILY

Thank you does not begin to express the appreciation of Community Services for your help this past weekend! God is good! The Rankin's were very appreciative of our service to them in getting the furniture out, and also to Toni Wert and Carmen Montalvo in packing the kitchen things and cleaning up the kitchen area. Come visit "Your Community Services"! We always try to brighten your day spending time with you! Oh, and we have a great Library too! Again, thanks from all of us at Community Services! *Mavis Sager, Director*

FASTING FOR ANI

We are inviting those who are able to join us in a 6 am to 6 pm food fast on Wednesday, March 6. If you are unable to fast from food then please fast from something else of your choice. Please focus your prayers on Ani's healing and join us at Prayer Meeting for a special time of prayer. *Pastor Robert*

MARCH IS OUR LAST MONTH FOR OUR

Religious Liberty campaign... Only four Sabbaths left to reach our goal of \$6,000. We are almost half way there! That's great! But we need everybody to give generously this month to reach it, only four Sabbaths left! I know that Avon Park Church can do it!! *John Oddie*

WORKBEE ON MARCH 31 FROM 9AM TO 2PM

As well as the normal cleaning and tidying, we will focus on maximizing our storage by disposing of items that have no current use. Please assist by diligently sorting through your storage areas and eliminating items into the trash containers behind the Larsen House.

40TH ANNIVERSARY

Our church building will be 40 years old in April. We will be having a weekend of praise and celebration, April 26-28. We are wanting photographs from the past 40 years for new display boards. Please bring them to Pastor Robert to be scanned.

MICHIGAN BOARDING ACADEMIES REUNION

for Adelpian, Cedar Lake, Grand Ledge, and Great Lakes Adventist Academy alumni will be held Sabbath, March 9, 1:00 p.m. in the Florida Living Retirement Community Dining Hall, 600 Edgehill Place, Apopka. Free lunch provided.