

January 2, 2021

SABBATH SCHOOL - 9:30 AM

Opening Song *"Children of the Heavenly Father"* #101
Lesson Study

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP - 10:30 AM

Prelude Darren Anderson
Hymn Sing Chuck Stark
Welcome Jeff Arthur
Hymn of Preparation *"Lord, In the Morning"* #39
Call to Worship #866 Sylvia Fagal

CHURCH AT WORSHIP - 11:00 AM

Introit
Hymn of Praise* *"Sing to the Great Jehovah's Praise"* #105
Prayer[†] Jeff Arthur
Offering Appeal *Local Combined Budget* Ted Quinty
Doxology* #694
Scripture *Psalms 143:8* Luke Arthur
Ministry in Music Carolyn Harden & Bethany Peterson
Sermon *"Reset (2): Trust in Times of Crisis"* Pastor Erbes
Hymn of Response* *"Trust and Obey"* #590
Closing Prayer* Pastor Erbes
Closing Response* *"We Have This Hope"* #214
Postlude Darren Anderson

*congregation please stand

[†]congregation please kneel

Thank you for being here with us today! We pray that you will be drawn by Jesus' love to come again. As we reverently gather before the throne of grace, we seek the Holy Spirit's power to make us like Jesus and to be a blessing to others.

New Nominations—First Reading:

Kimberly Jiang as Cradle Roll Sabbath School assistant
Clara Peredo as Primary Sabbath School leader
Lynette Quinty as Primary Sabbath School assistant
Larry White as Primary Sabbath School assistant

After the church service, please remain reverently in your seats until you are dismissed from the sanctuary, and then exit quietly to the outside.

This week's offering is for the Local Combined Budget. Instead of collecting the offering during the church service, we have provided a box near the sanctuary door where you may leave your offering; or you may give online via our church website, www.fairplainadventist.org.

Next week's offering is for Michigan Advance Partners.

The elder on call next week is Rob Zdor. His phone number is 471-6696.

Prayer meeting is on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. here at the church. All who are able are welcome to attend.

Linda Cuchinski's brother Steven passed away last Tuesday. Please keep the family in prayer, and show your support through cards and phone calls.

Bulletin information should be sent by Wednesday noon to Valerie Anderson at bulletin@fairplainadventist.org or 471-7303.

Sabbath ends tonight at 5:25 p.m. and begins again next Friday at 5:31 p.m.

Recounting His Blessings

“Let us open our hearts to Jesus with all the simplicity that a child would tell his earthly parents his perplexities and the things that trouble him. Thus we can restrain evil not only in ourselves but in others. Practice consecration to God daily; then there will be no danger in the life of service to God. We want gratitude brought into our life, words, and works. Every word, every thought of complaining indulged in, is a reflection upon God, a dishonor to His name. We want our hearts attuned to His praise, full of thankfulness, talking of His love, our hearts softened and subdued by the grace of Christ, full of sweetness and peace and fragrance. We shall be patient, kind, tenderhearted, pitiful, courteous, even when dealing with those who are disagreeable. Oh, how many precious blessings we lose because we esteem self altogether too highly and have so little esteem for others.” The Upward Look, p. 237.

Seeking His Aid

Linda Cuchinski and her family	Bob & Edith Costie	Pauline Maxwell
Those involved with Bible studies	Carmella Rutkowske	Betty Street

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