

The Family Communique'

Sabbath - April 16, 2016

If you have ordered and paid for your set of Thunder in the Holyland DVD's they have arrived and are available to be signed out and picked up at the Welcome Desk. Questions? Pastor Michael Halfhill at 402-318-1856 or mhalfhill@gmail.com

If you would like to purchase DVD set(s) of Thunder in the Holy Land Bible Study series, please contact Pastor Michael Halfhill, and he will make the order for you. Or sign up at the Welcome Desk. Questions? Pastor Michael Halfhill at 402-318-1856 or mhalfhill@gmail.com

Come for great afternoon of Missions! Roger & Charlene Binder will be sharing pictures/videos and special stories of their recent evangelistic trip to India, Sabbath afternoon, April 16 following the potluck (approximately 2:00pm) in the upstairs multipurpose room.

Union College Fine Arts will present its Spring Concert on Sunday, April 17, at 2pm in the Don Love Atrium on the campus of Union College. It will include music from the Unionaires, UC Singers, Concert Winds, UC Chamber Orchestra and the UC Handbell Ensemble.

REVO is a student fundraising event put together entirely by the Union College student body to bring the Lincoln community together for a cause worth talking about. On April 17 from 11:00am-3:00pm Union will be hosting an outdoor children's carnival, the proceeds from which will go to benefit the American Cancer Society. We would like to invite you to support however you are able, through prayers, donations, or simply by stopping by with friends and family. We're excited to put on this event, and we extend our invitation to you, our family in the community. Elissa Lombard elissalombard@gmail.com

The Recreare Ensemble, conducted by Enrique Quezada-Llanes, will present Beethoven's First Symphony and other works, alongside soprano Marissa Carlson and baritone Cesar Pestana on Wednesday, April 20 at 7:30pm in the Engel Recital Hall (Union College campus). The Recreare Ensemble is a student-led ensemble. Admission is free. Come and support!

Union College Division of Fine Arts, Spring Vespers will feature Enrique Sandoval, Chilean classical guitarist on Friday, April 22 at 8pm in the College View Church sanctuary. Others performing with him will be Daniel Martinez, flamenco classical guitarist; Brent Shaw, organist; the Unionaires and a string quartet comprised of Jim McClelland II, Laurel McClelland, Kian Mapp and Jordan Bissell.

Discover Bible School is now available for those of you who have a Bible interest person that would rather receive Bible lessons through the mail. Contact Rich Jacobs 402-483-0390.

The Next Friday Night Vespers will be on May 13 at 7pm in the Sanctuary. It will be a blessed way to begin the Sabbath hours. Plan now to join us! More information: ppvespers@gmail.com

Singles Potluck is the fourth Sabbath of each month at 1:30pm in the College View Church Fellowship Hall in the Basement. Contact: Ron Clutter, ronclutter@yahoo.com

The College View Men's Chorus is in the running to sing the National Anthem at the Cornhusker State Games this summer. But they need your vote! The video with the most likes and shares by midnight on May 1 will earn the right to perform at the Opening Ceremonies on July 15 at Seacrest Field. All you have to do to vote is go to the Cornhusker State Games Facebook page and Like and Share the CVC Men's Chorus video from that page. Here is the link: <https://www.facebook.com/cornhuskerstategames/posts/1194012437316280?fref=nf&pnref=story>

Golf Fellowship: Pastor Ray Daniel has formed a Lincoln chapter of his "Whole In One Golf Fellowship" which he operated in Massachusetts for 20 years. The Fellowship enjoys frequent outings during the golf season. No membership fees. All genders, ages, level of play. Notified of outings via e-mail and text message. Info on display in the foyer. REDSOXPASTOR@aol.com

Sarah Hardy hopes to go on a Mission Trip to the Philippines with Maria Johnson and others. She is asking for assistance with funding. She needs to raise \$1,000.00. **Please mark your calendar and join Sarah, her family and friends as they serve a Spaghetti Feed Fundraiser Dinner for your enjoyment on Sunday, April 24, from 5:00-7:00pm at the Piedmont Park Fellowship Hall!** Sarah would be thrilled to make good progress or meet her \$1,000.00 goal with your help!

The Philippines Mission Trip Team's objectives are:

To lift Jesus up before our brothers and sisters in Calintaan & surrounding fishing villages. They were just devastated a week before Christmas & now needing our help more than ever.

Help provide medical/dental service to the villages. To do Church & school reconstruction/rebuilding

To serve by providing the following: VBS, feeding programs & health seminars.

To help all mission participants grow spiritually and understand that "you are either a missionary...or a mission field".

Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone." Mark 15:15. When we are called & inspired to go into service for the Lord, we hope and pray to respond in faith, love, and humility. This coming May 8-24, I will be bringing five young ladies from Lincoln (2 from our congregation) with me to serve Calintaan & Northern Cebu, Philippines. A group of AMEN (Adventist Medical Evangelism Network) USA & Philippine volunteers who share the same passion of service will be joining us. Calintaan is a small fishing village with not much except dirt roads and small boats as means of transportation. We were invited to serve medical/dental last year & the need now has intensified after the devastation of the category three typhoon a week before last Christmas. The small school that not only served the village kids, but also as the town's meeting hall & storm shelter, is now without a roof and windows. We were planning to do minor repairs before but God has other plans. The need of this trip is great but we serve the most powerful, gracious and merciful God who supplies everything we need. We will be conducting free medical/dental/optometry/health seminars, VBS, & feeding programs for the local people & children. We are not expecting to solve every problem, fight poverty or cure every disease, but to bring relief, great news and hope. If anyone is called & willing to help us, please consider donating to this cause. We have set up a tax-deductible fundraiser account with Piedmont SDA church (4801 A Street Lincoln, NE 68510) under "Maria Johnson Philippines Mission Trip 2016." Questions: (mariasonj@yahoo.com) or text 402-540-8637. God bless and Thank you. Maria Johnson/Nurse

A Vision for Prayer



All are invited!

May 20-22, 2016 | Allon Chapel SDA Church | 2301 Y Street Lincoln, NE 68503

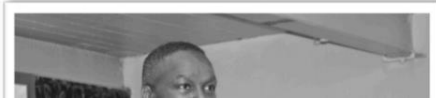
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Friday – 20 May 2016

- 7:00PM – *The Importance of Prayer in "My" Life*

Sabbath – 21 May 2016

- 9:30AM – *Sabbath School*
- 11:00AM – *Worship Service*
- 5:30PM – *The House of Prayer Experience – The Process*
- 7:00PM – *Book Signing Event*



Sunday – 22 May 2016

- 10:00AM – *Implementing a House of Prayer – The Canvas*

Our guest presenter, Dr. Hugh Wesley Carrington, is the author of the new book, *Inevitable and Imminent: On Becoming a House of Prayer – The Process*. He draws on his experience in sociology and business to outline the process of how a church can transition from simply being a 'church' to become a 'house of prayer.' For the church (spiritual and departmental leaders, members) that wants to make prayer a priority and have optimal power for ministry, *Inevitable and Imminent* is a must read that will guide you through a biblically informed process. In a very realistic approach, Dr. Carrington provides church leadership with the necessary tools to assist their church in achieving God's goal for His last-day church – finishing the work