FILIPINO SABBATH SCHOOL 9:00 - 10:40 AM

Singspiration	Eliel Fiedacan
Opening Hymn	No. 422
Welcome	Gerry Aggabao
Special Music	Instrumental
Promotional Talk & Prayer	Fred Niere
Lesson Study	By Classes
Pianist	Shirley Fiedacan

SABBATH SCHOOL 9:15 AM - 10:40 AM

7.13 AM - 10.40 A	11//1
Song Service	Aileen Thompson
Opening Song	No. 111
It Took a Miracl	le
Welcome & Prayer	Esther Voss
The Christmas Miracle	
Mission Feature	Mission 360
Kulturlounge	
Lesson Study	By Classes
The Most Convincing Proof	
Pianist	Clawy Jumamil

SPECIAL PRAYER NEED

Morris Maxwell	John Osborne	Judi Henderson
Ana García	Billie Jean Potter	Ned Halvorsen
Nida Roquiz	Bill, Mark & Beth Sager	Gene Stutz
Brenda Sweeting	Paul & Joyce New	Gene Mende
Kathie Foll	Bob & Linda Catron	Carla Brown
Rose Seagle	Ron Goodall	Myrna Wright
Dolor Mitra	Geri Barker-Davis	Teresa Mariano
Amalia Rodriguez	Ron & Ida Search	Richard Scull
Gwyn Zesch	Montalvo Family	Rose Graham
	Sunday Edemidiong	

PASTORAL INFORMATION

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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

AVON PARK

December 1, 2018

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WORSHIP SERVICE 10:50 AM

WELCOME & FELLOWSHIP

Welcome Mavis Sager *†Family of God* Johnson Praise Team (Please greet those closest to you and sit down)

PRAISE & ADORATION

Hymn of Praise	Johnson Praise Team
Call to Worship	Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus
*Invocation	Mavis Sager
†Opening Hymn	No. 25
Children's Story	Anibel O'Connor
(Lambs' offering taken after story)	
Sharing of Gifts	Donnie Hopkins
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	George W. Brown
*Prayer Response	Organ
Scripture Reading	Ellie Hatch
	Mark 2:14
Worship in Music	Mya St. Louis
Sermon	Pastor J.P. O'Connor
"How to Witness Part III - The Ask"	

How to Witness, Part III – The Ask

<pre>†Closing Hymn †Benediction Postlude</pre>	No. 373 Pastor J.P. O'Connor Organ
Organist	Lowell Mills
Presiding Elder	Mavis Sager
Presiding Deacon:	Ralson Temana
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

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sabbath, December 1

- 9:15a 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 J.P. O'Connor 12:30p Fellowship/Dinner Potluck - Team 3
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- 7:00 WMA Christmas Band Concert WMA Gym7:00 Wintley Phipps Concert Lake Placid

Sunday, December 2

2:00p Pathfinder Club Meeting – Larsen House – Until 5pm
5:00 Pathfinder Staff Meeting – Larsen House

<u>Monday, December 3 – Church Office Closed</u>

- 5:20p Prison Ministries to APCI Work Camp
- 6:00 Bereavement Support Seminar Primary Rm.
- 6:30 Personnel Committee Meeting Pr JP's Office

Tuesday, December 4 - Church Office Closed

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

Wednesday, December 5 - Church Office Open

- 10:00a Delivered Meals
- 10:00 Church Library Open Until 12:00pm
- 12:00p Fellowship Potluck FH
- 5:00 Bible Marking Class Pastor Robert's Office

6:00 Prayer Meeting – Pastor Steven Sigamani

<u>Thursday, December 6 – Church Office Open</u>

- 9:00a Community Services Stores Until 2:00pm
- 5:20p 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

7:00 Worship Rehearsal for Special Music and A/V

Friday, December 7 - Church Office Closed

Pathfinder Club Camp Out – Freire's House NO Adult Teachers Meeting

7:00 WMA Christmas Choral Concert - Sanctuary

<u>Sabbath, December 8</u>

Pathfinder Club Camp Out – Freire's House

- 9:15a 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 J.P. O'Connor
- 12:30p Fellowship/Dinner Potluck Team 4
- 4:00 Ridge Area Church Christmas Choir Festival
- 5:00 Prayer Ministries Meeting Family Room

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec. 9 Youth Christmas Party - OYC at 5:00 -7:00pm Dec. 10 WMA Finance and Board Church Business Meeting – Chapel at 7:00pm Dec. 12 Alzheimer's Support Group - Primary Rm., 4pm Dec. 13 Dec. 14 Youth Vespers – OYC at 7:00pm Avon Park Spanish Church Christmas Cantata Dec. 14 Dec. 15 Children's Christmas Musical - 2:30-5:30pm Dec. 16 Pathfinder Club & Staff Meeting – 2-6pm Dec. 22 Christmas Cantata - Sanctuary - 5pm Dec. 24-Jan. 4 WMA Christmas Vacation Dec. 26-27 Holiday - Church Office Closed Dec. 29 Communion Jan. 2-3 Church Office Closed Jan. 7 WMA Classes Resume Jan. 10 Sabbath School Training Seminar - 2:00pm

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.

NEW CHRISTIAN MEN'S CLUB BEGINNING

Purpose: for men to socialize and encourage one another. Please contact Jonathan Mercill (863)446-0556 for more information and schedule of events.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Please remember Secret Sisters. Pick up your secret sister's name from the box on Women's Ministries table. May leave gifts on the table in hallway. Don't forget to check! Amanda Sager

I WANT TO EXPRESS MY SINCERE

thanks and heartfelt appreciation to all those who assisted and participated in the Memorial Service for William (Bill) Peters. He was a wonderful husband for 3 ¹/₂ years. I will miss his hand and the many ways he helped me! Heaven will be wonderful! Blessings to all! *Darlene Rouse-Peters*

THE FAMILY OF HARRY BENNETT

wishes to thank everyone who supported them in so many ways through their recent loss. *Harry Bennett, Jr.*

ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICES

Offering will be collected next Sabbath. Your offering will help Adventist Community Services continue to transform communities and people's lives in practical ways. ACS accomplishes this through programs for youth, seniors and their caregivers, urban dwellers, and more. For information or to donate go to communityservices.org.

A CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING

Will be held on December 12 at 7:00pm in the Chapel right after Prayer Meeting. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend.

YOU ARE INVITED TO FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday at Noon in the F.H. Menu is: Soup, cornbread, tossed salad, cake. Everyone welcome! *Delivered Meals Team*

Local Church Budget November 2018	
Church Budget Goal	\$273,581.00
Church Budget Received	\$263,694.90
Church Budget (Shortage)	\$(9,886.10)

ANNOUNCEMENTS December 1, 2018

ATTENTION DEPARTMENT LEADERS

that provide schedules. I will need you to please work on your schedules for the first quarter of 2019 and turn them in by December 18. Thanks a lot for all you do for our church! Please email to: <u>avonparksda@gmail.com</u>. or you can leave a copy in my office. *Gladys Gómez*

FREE SDA VHS FILMS

Available in the Foyer of the church today. These are great for personal enjoyment and also for sharing. Courtesy of the Community Services and Library. *Karen Grob*

ALL ADULTS WHO WORK WITH KIDS/TEENS

You will want to read this! Have you ever wished you could lead and love kids/teens better? Have you ever wished you could be better coordinated as a church team to reach kids/families in your church and community? Have you ever felt that there has to be a way to improve how we minister to our kids/families? Then you will want to check out a training coming to local churches in 2019 at eight different locations across the Florida Conference. To learn more about "A New Kind of Leader" training happening February-April 2019 around our conference, please go to the following website: www.floridaconference.com/NKL. Start praying about who you will attend with and who are the leaders that could partner with you to impact kids/teens lives forever! Pedro Pérez, FL. Conference Pathfinder and Adventurer Leader

MEN'S CHORUS WILL BEGIN

Again Monday, January 7, 2019. New voices with choral experience are welcome to join. Please contact Karen Grob (863)201-9295 by December 2, 2018.

JANUARY GREETERS

Please stop today at Guest Ministries Window to schedule your dates and times. Thank you! *Sue Kaarlela*

COMMUNITY SERVICES FURNITURE STORE

will have a Super Sale tomorrow from 12 noon to 4:00pm. Christmas items will be "Buy 1, Get 1 Free" We need volunteers. Please contact the Furniture Store.

THE PATHFINDER EAGLES

annual yard sale is on January 18 & 21, 2019 from 7:00am to 3:00pm. Proceeds are for cost of Osh Kosh Camporee 2019. Sellable items may be dropped off at the Chu residence. Contact Cynthia Chu 443-6470. Donations are tax deductible. Thank you!

PLEASE NOTE THAT WORSHIP REHEARSAL

this coming week will be on **Thursday, December 6 at 7:00pm**, rather than Friday. This is due to our WMA Christmas Choral Concert that will take place on Friday at 7:00pm in the Sanctuary. Come and also invite your neighbors, Friends and Family! Thanks very much for understanding! *Gladys Gómez and A/V Team*

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER - 1ST READING OUT Gail Tyrell Lake Placid

PLEASE SEND A CHRISTMAS CARD

to this address when you do your cards: A Recovering American Soldier, c/o Walter Reed Medical Center, 8901 Rockville Pike, Bethesda MD 20889. *Mavis Sager*

ATTENTION TO THOSE THAT PROVIDE

Information for the Bulletin. The Church Office will be closed on Dec. 26 & 27 and Jan. 2 & 3. I will need you to please give me the information for the bulletins for Dec. 29 and Jan. 5 by Dec. 18, since I will need to print those two bulletins by December 20. Will greatly appreciate your help. *Gladys Gómez*

KING OF KINGS CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

tells the Nativity Story with a twist! Presented by Breath of Life Telecast on December 25, 2018. Watch it on ABC TV. See Bulletin Board for complete information, go to www.breathoflife.tv or call (256) 929-6460.

WE THANK THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE

for the Christmas decorations that have been lovingly accomplished with small and large acts of kindness.

Cindy Alsabrook Sam Cantine Bill Coldren Judy Ewing Beth Hyde Gladys Gómez Marilyn Justesen Susie Lagabon Jhezer Marasigan Carmen Montalvo Maya Montalvo Marccus Palsgrove Michael Palsgrove Patty Palsgrove Juan Perez Toni Ross Mavis Sager Dulce Tangunan Remy Tortal Ford Turner

A beautiful tree was put in the Foyer. For those who would like to contribute towards the "Gift for Jesus" offering, you will find little white envelopes on the table nearby where you can put your donation and hang it on the Christmas Tree. There is a card provided in the envelope where you can put your personal information for tax purposes. Thank you very much!