FILIPINO SABBATH SCHOOL 9:00 - 10:40 AM

Singspiration Ellie Legaspi Opening Hymn No. 385 Scripture Reading Sally Fetalino Prayer Nita Jaurigue Special Music AJ Pastor Nap Castillo Welcome Elder Eben Aguirre Promotional By classes Lesson Study Pianist Nory Jean Parreno

SABBATH SCHOOL 9:15 AM - 10:40 AM

Song Service Aileen Thompson Opening Song No. 528

A Shelter in the Time of Storm

Welcome & Prayer Esther Voss

Precious Lord

Mission Feature Mission 360

The Long Necks - Myanmar

Lesson Study By Classes

The Second Missionary Journey

Pianist Lita Gensolin

SPECIAL PRAYER NEED

Eleanor Stocks	Santa Montalvo	Rose Graham
Ana García	Pedraza-Martinez Family	Ned Halvorsen
Nida Roquiz	Bill, Scott & Mark Sager	Gene Stutz
Brenda Sweeting	Paul & Joyce New	Gene Mende
Kathie Foll	Bob & Linda Catron	Carla Brown
Rose Seagle	Ron & Dotty Goodall	Myrna Wright
Dolor Mitra	Geri Barker-Davis	Teresa Mariano
	Ida Search	

PASTORAL INFORMATION

JP O'Connor (626) 251-6078

avonparkpastor@gmail.com

Robert Hines (407) 454-1454

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AS OF TODAY

we will have a **Pastor On-Call** for each day. This is the weekly schedule:

Sunday Pastor Steven Sigamani
Monday Pastor Robert Hines
Tuesday Pastor JP O'Connor
Wednesday Pastor Steven Sigamani
Thursday Pastor JP O'Connor
Friday Pastor Robert Hines
Sabbath Pastor JP O'Connor

AVON PARK

September 1, 2018

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WORSHIP SERVICE 10:50 AM

WELCOME & FELLOWSHIP

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

PRAISE & ADORATION

Hymn of Praise

Call to Worship

†Opening Hymn

Turn your eyes upon Jesus

No. 294

†Invocation

Mavis Sager

Children's Corner

Sam & Jessie Freire

(Lambs' offering taken after story)

Sharing of Gifts Lita Gensolin

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 Dan Kelly
*Prayer Response Organ
Scripture Reading Tom Seifert

II Chronicles 33:10-13

Worship in Music Clarence Liburd Sermon Pastor JP O'Connor

"Life Sketches, Part I A New Beginning"

†Closing Hymn No. 340 †Benediction Pastor JP O'Connor Postlude 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.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sabbath, September 1

9:15a Song Service & S.S Sanctuary & Chape	9:15a	Song Service	& S.S	Sanctuary	& Chape
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- 9:40 New Believers' Class Until 10:40am
- 10:30 Church Library Open Until 11:00am
- 10:50 Worship Service Pastor JP O'Connor
- 12:30p Fellowship/Dinner Potluck

Sunday, September 2

- 2:00p Pathfinders Club Meeting Until 4pm
- 7:00 Social Committee Meeting

Monday, September 3 – HOLIDAY – Office Closed

- 5:20p Prison Ministries to APCI Work Camp
- 6:00 Bereavement Seminar

Tuesday, September 4 - Church Office Closed

7:00a Granary Super Tuesday, 20% Disc. - Until 7pm

- 9:00 Community Services Stores Until 12:00pm
- 6:30p Elders Meeting Junior Room

Wednesday, September 5 - Church Office Open

- 10:00a Delivered Meals
- 10:00 Church Library Open Until 12:00pm
- 6:00p Bible Marking Class Pastor Robert's Office
- 6:00 WMA Transitioning Committee Junior Room
- 7:00 Prayer Meeting Pastor Robert Hines

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

- 9:00a Community Services Stores Until 12:00pm
- 5:20p Prison Ministries to APCI Main Unit
- 7:00 Study Group at Jim Armstrong's home
- 7:30 Study Group by Ralph Rodríguez

Friday, September 7 - Church Office Closed

- 7:00 Adult Teachers Meeting FH
- 7:00 Worship Rehearsal for Special Music & AV
- 7:00 Youth Bible Study Youth Room

Sabbath, September 8

- 9:15a Song Service & S.S. Sanctuary & Chapel
- 9:40 New Believers' Class Until 10:40am
- 10:30 Church Library Open Until 11:00am
- 10:50 Worship Service Pastor JP O'Connor
- 12:30p Fellowship/Dinner Potluck
- 2:00 2018-20 Church Officers Training Until 4pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

*Sept. 9	ABC Bookmobile in Parking Lot
Sept. 13	Women's Ministries Night Out – FH 7pm
Sept. 14	Youth Vespers – 7-9pm
Sept. 16	Pathfinders Pizza Honor – FH 2-6pm
Sept. 17	WMA Finance & Board Meeting
Sept. 21	Pathfinder Induction – Chapel 7pm
Sept. 22	Pathfinder Movie Night – FH 7pm
Sept. 29-30	Pathfinder Drill Training – Pine Lake Retreat
Sept. 30	WMA Walk-A-Thon
October 6	Communion Service

^{*}See Bulletin Board for details on these events

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.

BIBLE WORKER

We are very pleased to inform you that the Business Meeting has approved the raising of funds and hiring of a Bible worker. A Bible worker will significantly increase our ability to impact our community, and thus is a crucial piece of our church growth strategy. In order for us to hire a Bible worker we first need to raise \$20,000 - \$40,000. Please consider contributing to this by making a donation to the church and reference the check/payment as 'Bible worker'. For more information please speak to one of your pastors. Thank you!

VOLUNTEER NEEDED FOR

"Super Tuesday" at the Heartland Granary this coming Tuesday, Sept. 4. Involves stocking and carrying out groceries, morning or afternoon. Please call Alan Harmon on or before Sept. 3 at (863) 991-0106. Thanks a lot for your help!

OCTOBER GREETERS

Sign-up schedules are at the Guest Ministries window. Please come by today to reserve your Sabbath, your time, and your location. Thank you very much! *Carole Seifert*

POTLUCK COORDINATORS MEETING

immediately after Potluck on September 8. If you have any questions, please contact Judy Ewing, 803-420-6060

AUDIOVISUAL TEAM

will greatly appreciate your help. Please submit **ALL** Hymn numbers, videos, or special music to AV no later than Friday night practice at 7:00pm. If brought to AV on Sabbath morning, it will be up to the discretion of the team members if it can be done on such short notice, as they are very busy. Thank you very much for your help and support of your Audiovisual Team.

COUPLES' RETREAT

The annual Couples' Retreat is October 5-7 and will be held at Camp Kulaqua. For more information please see the bulletin board, speak to Judy Smith (407) 644 5000, or visit the Camp Kulaqua website.

RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

Now is the time to say "thank you!" for all the gifts that have poured for this worthy cause. Last year (2017) we gave \$4,365. However this year (2018) the total is... \$5,282! This is excellent, thank you so much! *Religious Liberty Coordinator - Pastor John B. Oddie*

Local Church Budget August 2018

Church Budget Goal	\$192,750.25
Church Budget Received	\$181,954.47
Church Budget (Shortage)	\$(10.795.78)

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Presents:

Life Sketches

A sermon series by JP O'Connor

Saturday, September 1 "A New Beginning"

How does Jesus use Broadway musicals and a punk rocker to turn Pastor JP from drugs and suicide to a new life in Christ?

Saturday, September 8 "The Calling"

Pastor JP shares his own journey towards full time ministry. How do you know if God is calling you?

Saturday, September 15 "Hardship and Strength"

We have all had our share of difficulty. Pastor JP and Ani share how the challenges they have faced have made them stronger!

Saturday, September 22 "Better Things to Come"

God sometimes will ask us to do uncomfortable things but if we trust Him, we will see His mighty hand work on our behalf!

Each Saturday morning at 10:50

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