

Welcome to Orange Cove Seventh-day Adventist Church

December 8, 2018

We extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting Orange Cove Church for the first time today. We invite you to fill out a visitor's card located in the seat in front of you and place it in the offertory plate during offering. We invite you to join us for Fellowship Lunch today following the service. Enjoy the service and we hope you will visit with us again!

Sabbath School.....10:00 a.m.

Worship Service.....11:05 a.m.

Order of Service

Welcome & Announcements

Scripture Reading:
Leviticus 25:25

Opening Prayer

Children Story

Song Service

Hymn #122 Hark! the Herald Angels Sing

Hymn #132 O Come, All Ye Faithful

Offering Prayer

Song of Meditation

Hymn #322 Nothing Between

Intercessory Prayer**

Morning Message

Elder Bennie Holton

"The Kinsman Redeemer"

Closing Song:

Hymn #337 Redeemed

Benediction

**Song after Intercessory Prayer Hymn #684

"Hear our prayer, O Lord, Hear our prayer, O Lord;
Incline Thine ear to us, and grant us Thy peace. Amen."

≈ Please be seated after the benediction deaconess will dismiss by rows ≈

≈ Please turn cell phones off or place on vibrate ≈
Be Reverent!

Please keep all conversation outside of the Sanctuary!
Please be aware of those around you - do not hinder their blessing!

Event & Announcements

Today's Loose Offering: Adventist Community Services
Today's Sunset 5:26

Response Cards: Members and regular attenders if your contact information has changed please update using the Response Cards. If you would like to be added to the OneCall (phone and email list) please fill out a Response Card.

Mark your Calendar.....

- Dec 08 Vespers 5:00 pm
Dec 09 Adventist Bookmobile at the Church 1:15-1:45 pm
Dec 13 Church Board Meeting 7:00 pm
Dec 16 Financial Workshop 12-3:00 pm
Dec 29 Youth Sabbath Service
Dec 31 New Year's Eve Vesper and Dinner at Sunset

New Year Eve Vespers and Dinner: Please RSVP for this event on December 31st and signup to bring a dish. Please see Emerson or a Social Committee member.

Financial Planning: Ever wonder where all your money go? Want to learn how to manage your debt? Come out to the FREE training "How to Increase Your Cash Flow and How to Manage Debt." Free Workbook and Lunch are provided. Training is on 16 Dec 18, lunch starts at 12:00pm and training starts at 12:30p.m. Please RSVP at TimEdnFLWFG@gmail.com or call 904.229.5680 so we can have the appropriate number of Workbooks and amount of Food.

Leadership Training: If you are an adult who works with kids, and you are looking for a training that will help you and other leaders to strategically organize and plan your ministry ... join us for a one day intensive - A New Kind of Leader training - in 2019! For dates/times/locations https://floridaconference.com/NKL

Community Christmas Dinner & Program 2018: The Palatka SDA Church will be hosting its first Community Christmas Dinner & Program on Thursday, December 20th, at the Price Martin Center in Palatka from 6-8 pm. Featured Musical Guest will be Charles Haugabrooks. Volunteers needed: Up/Decorating; Food Prep/Cooking, Serving-Cleanup/Breaking Down. If interested please call or email: Elizabeth Umphrey at umphreye@ymail.com. (386-983-1417)

Weekly Event:
In Home Bible Study @ Gene& Janet Halls 904-264-8143 Tuesdays 10 am
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7 pm
Food Pantry: Wed 4-6p and Fri 4-5

Future Events:
Women Convention - Caribe Royale Orlando Jan 4-6th
Men's Convention - Camp Kulaqua Mar 8-10th
Camp Meeting - Camp Kulaqua Apr 11-14th



Happy Birthday to the December Babies



Devotional Thought: The Needy, the Least, the Last

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Leave it to heaven to choose shepherds as the first recipients of the good news! That God would choose the lowly and the humble is a Lukan theme, highlighted from the very beginning of his gospel. There were two groups of people that were not allowed as witnesses in a court of law in the first century: shepherds and women.

Isn't it interesting that Luke mentions that the first witnesses of Jesus' birth were shepherds and the first witnesses of His resurrection were women? God reveals Himself to the needy, the least, the last, and the ones who are longing for something new. God reveals Himself to the unworthy, because the only thing that recommends us to God is our need.

FROM Luke: Salvation for All by Elizabeth Viera Talbot, p. 12



Bible Quiz
Children of the Bible

Match the question with the answer on the right.

Who was the widow who met baby Yeshua at the Temple?

How old was Josiah when he became King?

What were the names of Joseph's two sons?

Who was Jacob's youngest son?

At the feeding of the 5000, a young boy provided what food?

When Samuel was called by YHWH as a child, who did he think was calling?

What was David doing when Samuel called to anoint him King?

How many sons did Noah have?

Which child was born into the tribe of Levi, and adopted by Pharaoh's daughter?

What young man was sold into slavery by his brothers?

- 1. Moses
2. Benjamin
3. Five barley loaves & two small fish
4. Joseph
5. Taking care of sheep
6. Anna
7. Three - Shem, Ham, and Japheth
8. Eight
9. Ephraim & Manasseh
10. Eli



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Treasurer's Corner

Thanks for your contribution. Offering given to support the church should be marked on the tithe envelope "church budget." Please do not fill in the last two lines on the Tithe Envelope Leave blank everything after the heading "Below Line For Treasurer Use" Thank you.

Online Giving: Please go to www.orangecovesda.org. Click on the "Online Giving" link.

Treasurer email ocsdatreasurer@gmail.com

Nov Budget	Rec'd: \$3,782.08	Negative: \$1,217.92
<i>Church Budget</i> \$5000.00	Amount received	<i>Amount needed:</i>
Dec 01	\$801.80	\$4,198.2
Dec 08	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dec 15	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dec 22	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dec 29	\$0.00	\$0.00

Orange Cove Core Values: To Be a Mature Disciple...

- Refresh:** Be "Refreshed" by the baptism of the Holy Spirit moment by moment. "For John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized by the Holy Spirit not many days from now." Acts 1:5. Jesus dwells in the hearts of His Children through His Spirit. By asking Him, after receiving forgiveness, the Holy Spirit comes and lives in us—His holy temples.
- Abide:** Jesus said, "I am the Vine, you are the branches. He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me, you can do nothing." John 15:5. It is through the Word that Christ abides in His followers. Spending time alone with God before the day starts in Bible study, prayer and meditation gives Divine power and strength through the Spirit to those who do it.
- Share:** The example of the early Christian Church in Acts 2 demonstrates how God intended for believers to meet together in church (large groups) and homes (small groups). Meeting together & sharing, ingrains the truth of God's Word and the teachings of Jesus in the believers' lives.
- Give:** God invites all His disciples to give of their time and their means to further His Kingdom. "Do not lay up for yourselves treasure on earth . . . lay up for yourselves treasure in heaven." Matt 6:19. Giving allows a disciple to participate in God's Holy Nature and neutralize the selfish tendencies within his or her sinful nature.
- Mentor:** The great controversy between good and evil is fierce and complex. God ordained believers to encourage, support and care for one another in close, "family-like," relationships. Every disciple should be mentored by a more mature, experienced disciple and should, in turn, mentor a less experienced younger disciple than themselves. This process solidifies the experience of each disciple.



Orange Cove SDA Church

"Adopting people into God's family of Grace, One person at a time."

Pastor André Van Heerden

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Sabbath School - 10:00 am

Please ask a greeter to assist you in choosing and/or locating a class

View or download Sabbath School Lessons at

<http://ssnet.org/study-guides/>

Adult Class	Sanctuary
Young Adult & Youth Class	Youth Room – Fellowship Hall
Seeker Study Discussion Group	Fellowship Hall Main Area
Primary	Portable
Kindergarten	Fellowship Hall 2 nd Room
Junior Class	Fellowship Hall 3 rd Room
Cradle Roll	Fellowship Hall 6 th Room
Early Teen	Mother's Room (In Church Lobby)



Tim St. Onges; Norris Family, Mrs. Bush,
John Ramey, Shirley & Joe Sanders



Florida Conference Prayer Lines:

7:00 AM - Short Devotional - 30 minutes
~ English every Tuesday- dial (641) 552-9445
access code 810-337#

~ Spanish every Wednesday- dial (515) 739-1524
access code 141-386#

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"My House Shall Be Called a House of Prayer." Isaiah 57:6



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