

November 25, 2023

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP

At this church you will hear English, Spanish and even Tagoli (Phillippine) spoken here. Better than that you will hear God's Word spoken here; usually from the New Living Translation. You may even hear God's still small voice!

CHURCH AT STUDY

General Membership	Fellowship Hall	Lead: Marvin Robertson, Patrick Morrison, Ray Pichette Randy Reimer, Leo Oliveira,	
		Sharon & Tony Rivera	
General Membership	Worship Center	Lead: Edwin Aguayo, Sr., Rosely	
Multicultural	SS Wing, Room 5	Octaviano, Elliott Aguayo Lead: Ronald Schuttig, Robin Geslani, Nerie Osorio, Laurel Nelson, Dwight Bedasse	
Spanish	SS Wing, Room 7	Lead: Gil Pina, Andres Sequera, Mercedes Cruz, Anna Cordero	
Portuguese	Choir Room	Lead: Leo Oliveria	
General Membership Youth	SS Wing, Room 8 SS Wing, Room 4	Lead - Maira Ontiveros, Ricardo Barriffe, Jenny Davis, Justin Evans, Chris Medina, Leo Oliveira, Chris Sobers Lead - Suzanne White, Dwight	
		Bedasse, Ed Aguayo, Jr.	
		Ricardo Barriffe	
Juniors/Earliteen	SS Wing, Room 6	Lead - Dawn McLendon, Larry	
Primary	SS Wing, Room 2	McLendon, Jason & Nicole Newmyer, Stephen & Jamie Herr, Jay & Natali Gamez Lead - Deborah Moretta Smyrna Jackson, Susie Reyna, Taisha	
Kindergarten	SS Wing, Room 3	Sobers, Janelll & Michael Solari Lead - Melanie Barriffe, Jen Aguayo, Elizabeth Heinrich, Heidi Medina, Taisha Sobers	
Beginners	SS Wing Room 1	Lead - Cindy Higgins, Jen Aguayo, Kari Aguayo, Jane Morrison	

CHURCH AT WORSHIP

November 25, 2023 *8:45 a.m. and **11:15 a.m.

East Pasco Church Life - Ray Pichette

*Prelude - Ruth Hartsock **Prelude - Choir

Hymn of Praise #1 Praise to the Lord

*Worship in Giving - George Carpenter **Worship in Giving - Scott Cameron Florida Advance

**Children's Story - Yvonne Pichette

Casting Call Skit for Wise Men

Worship in Praise - Marcellino Team Worship Theme Song - Open My Eyes That I May See

*Worship in Prayer - George Carpenter **Worship in Prayer - Scott Cameron

> *Worship in Music - Virtual **Worship in Music - Choir

Worship in Word - Ray Pichette What is Truth? John 17:17;18

Hymn of Consecration #229 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (vs. 1,2,4)

*Postlude - Ruth Hartsock
**Postlude - Choir

Elder in Charge: Scott Cameron Worship Coordinator: Scott Cameron

Deacon in Charge: Fred Neal Musician: Ruth Hartsock

PRAYER AND PRAISE

Prayer Requests:

Family of Leopoldo Ojeda Creighton Reimer

Your praise and prayer requests may be sent to the church at: epsdachurch@tampabay.rr.com, by calling 813.782.2000, or by going to our church website (eastpascoadventist.com) and using the Prayer Request Form.

AT A GLANCE									
TODAY	Nov 25	8:45 a.m. and 11:15 a.m	. Speaker: Ray Pichette						
		10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Sabbath School						
SUNDAY	Nov 26	10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Pathfinder Drum Corps - FH						
		7:00 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous CR-4						
MONDAY	Nov 27								
TUESDAY	Nov 28	Church Office Closed							
WEDNESDAY Nov 29		10:00 a.m. Admin Staff Meeting							
		1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Food Store Open						
		2:00 p.m.	Bible Study - FH						
		7:00 p.m.	Bible Study - FH						
		7:00 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous CR - 4						
		7:00 p.m.	Al-Anon (Serenity) CR - 8						
THURSDAY	Nov 30	6:00 p.m.	Men's Small Group - FH						
		7:00 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous CR - 4						
FRIDAY	Dec 1	10:00 a.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous - FH						
		11:30 a.m.	Overeaters Anonymous CR - 4						
		7:30 p.m.	Church Choir Rehearsal - CR						
		Church Office Closed							
SABBATH	Dec 2	8:45 a.m. and 11:15 a.m.	Speaker: Jesse Benton						

PROFILES OF GENEROSITY								
Church Budget Last Week:		<u>Budgeted</u>	Received		(Under)			
Church Budget (Operating)	\$	5,183	\$ 9,107	\$	3,924			
Fiscal Year to Date: Church Budget (Operating)	\$	108,845	\$ 121,305	\$	12,460			
EPAA Student Aid /Lamb's Offering		Weekly <u>Goal</u>	Amount <u>Received</u>	Stil	Needed (<u>Under</u>)			
Last Week	\$	350	\$ 654	\$	304			
Year to Date For bulletin on: 11/25/2023	\$	7,350	\$ 10,543	\$	3,193			

THE CHURCH INFORMED

Gifts for Jesus - It is that time of year again. In 2010, our Sabbath School began the Gifts for Jesus project to meet the needs of indviduals in our community who need assistance. We partnered with the Samaritan Project as the best way to serve our Zephyrhills community. This year the greatest unmet need seems to be the same as last year, which was assistance for rent and/or utilities to keep people in their homes. Thanks to the generosity of our congegation, a number of people where able to avoid homelessness. The Zephyrhills sketch in the foyer will have a house added for each \$100.00 donated. You are invited to be a part of this project. Jeanie Robertson

Felíz Sábado y bienvenidos a la Iglesia Adventista de East Pasco!

Gracias por estar con nosotros para adorar a nuestro Dios. Para su conveniencia, tenemos una clase de Escuela Sabática en Español, y también traducimos el sermón durante el segundo servicio. Por favor pregunte a los ujieres a la entrada de la iglesia acerca de estos servicios, y con gusto le asistiremos para que disfrute su experiencia de Sábado de mañana.

- 1st and 2nd Time Guests We are so glad you chose to join us for worship today. I hope you were truly blessed by the whole worship experience. When you leave today be sure to stop by our Information Desk in the lobby because we have a special gift waiting for you. If there is anything we can do for you, please let us know. Thanks.
- **Prayer Point** God doesn't always give us answers, but He always gives us assurances. He promises a love that will never, never fail. We can hear it in His voice, and see it in His eyes. God knows what He is doing, and He's doing it for our best, so He gives us the calm assurance, look at my eyes not my hands. Prayer Ministries
- Pathfinder Club is having a Tupperware fundraiser. Please support us so we can go to camporee. twhappyfaces.com - then you can click on JOIN A PARTY. Then click the fundraiser and start shopping. Merry Lacson 813-389-0484.

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Just 2-a-Week - Please notice a change in our food sharing program. The Genesis Center of Zephyrhills food bank distributes the non-perishable food items we deliver to them.

EAST PASCO ADVENTIST ACADEMY

Stay connected - at epaacademy.org

December 2 Education Sabbath

December 21 Christmas Program at school gym

December 22 Noon Dismissal December 25-January 8 Christmas Break

NORTH TAMPA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Stay connected - with NTCA at www.northtampaca.com

North Tampa Christian Academy seeks substitute teachers for grades K-12th. Applicants must model Christ-like behavior, attitudes, and enjoy working with students. A background check will be required. Contact Smyrna Jackson at smyrna.jackson@northtampaca.com or 813-991-0801.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

EPAC Women's Ministries Team

Sharon Rivera, Ulrine Olivier, Taisha Sobers and Teresa Townsend

Florida Conference Women's Ministries - is back at Camp Kalaqua in 2024! February 9 - 11, 2024. "Experiencing God in Our Brokenness" - Keynote Speaker, DeeAnn Bragaw. For registration fees and retreat housing fees, please see the flyer in the foyer. Sharon Rivera Experiencias Con Dios En El Quebranto - 15-17 Marzo, 2024 - en Camp Kalaqua. Consulte el folleto en el vestibulo para escanear el codigo QR y obtener más información. Sharon Rivera.

MEN'S MINISTRIES

Florida Conference Men's Ministry Monthly Prayer Line - Join us on the first Sunday of every month at 9:00 a.m. for fellowship and prayer on the phone. Call 602-580-9825 and enter pin #3387009.

Men's Small Group Study - This study is being led by Pastor Leo. It's on Thursday at 6:00 p.m. Come and enjoy fellowship and the study of God's Word.

THE CHURCH INFORMED (CONTINUED)

Church Food Store - Just a reminder that the Food Store only accepts cash and checks. Thank you. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause our members.

Cell Phones - Remember to turn your cell phones off during worship hour. Thanks.

End-of-Year Calendars - Please do not throw away your end-of-year calendars. Leave them on the desk in the church foyer for me. With these calendars, I can complete my Christian Art Project. Ronald Schuttig

THE CHURCH INFORMED (CONTINUED)

Christmas Dinner - What an honor to celebrate Jesus! So our church is delighted to invite you to a delicious Christmas Dinner on December 3 at 4:30 p.m. at Sundance community venue in Zephyrhills. We can fellowship and praise our Lord together. Please sign up at the front desk by November 25. Tickets are \$25 per adult and \$12 per child. The Christmas Dinner is sponsored by the Social Committee. For more information, please call Vanessa Oliveira 815-558-7515.

Fellowship Luncheon - Please plan to bring food and enjoy fellowshiping on Sabbath, December 2, 2023, immediately following worship service.

Drama Club - If Jesus were born today, what would your best gift be to him? The Drama Club has partnered with Solo Moms for Christmas. We will be collecting new baby items such as furniture, diapers, etc. There are other children in need as well. A gift box will be in the foyer. For more information, please contact Natali Gamez 352-999-8303.

Mark Your Calendars - We will celebrate communion on Sabbath, December 9.

Wednesday Bible Study - Bible Study on Philippians at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. each Wednesday, presented by Pastor Leo.

Church Choir - Rehearsals are on Fridays at 7:30 p.m. Thank you. Deano Powell 813-469-3012.

7th & 8th Grade Class Trip to Washington, D.C. - EPAA 7th and 8th graders are selling cookie dough and other items to help raise money for their class trip to Washinton, D.C. Please see one of our students to purchase some cookie dough or other items. If you have questions, please contact Nirva Joseph. Thank you for all your help and support.

Membership Transfers - First Reading for Stephen Stephenson from East Pasco Adventist Church, Zephyrhills, Florida to Palmetto Adventist Church, Palmetto, FL. First Reading for Leanna Menelas from Sligo Adventist Church, Takoma Park, MD to East Pasco Adventist Church, Zephyrhills, FL. First Reading for Vivianne Menelas from Sligo Adventist Church, Takoma Park, MD to East Pasco Adventist Church, Zephyrhills, FL.

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