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# A GREAT THIRST

Have you noticed that it's only when water is limited or you are unable to have any, that you suddenly develop a GREAT THIRST. All you can think about is a quenching drink. I had such an experience last week. In preparation for some tests, I was instructed to not drink any liquids the 12 hours before the tests were to begin. You're right. Water was all I could think about—just one drink! And, yet, when water is available to

me in many locations, I have to remind myself to drink. So, did we come thirsty today as we entered this House of Prayer—thirsty for the Living Water? Our prayer for all is that our thirst will be quenched by the Giver of the Water of Life. "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be filled" (Matthew 5:6).

-Sharon Terrell

#### **FALL LEAVES**

God uses even the leaves in autumn to show us His beauty (Photo taken by Amber Sarno, student, BFA in Graphic Design).



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# THE MOST COMPLICATED TIME PIECE OF ALL

#### BY DWIGHT K. NELSON

ighty years ago two wealthy friends, New York banker Henry Graves Jr and Ohio automaker James Packard, both watch collectors, were in a friendly race to see who could come up with the world's most complicated watch. But Graves clearly won the bet when he commissioned Swiss watchmaker Patek Phillipe to design what became known as the Supercomplication—a 1.5 inch thick gold pocket watch that took eight years to craft.

Complicated? Are you kidding! "Among the watch's features are a double face, perpetual calendar, phases of the moon, a chronograph that can time two simultane-

ous events, Westminster chimes, and indications for the time of sunset and sunrise and the night sky over New York's Central Park as seen from Graves' home on Fifth

Avenue" (http://nypost.com/2014/11/1/pocket-watch-clocks-in-at-nearly-24m-at-auction/). Cost to Graves—\$13,000 (no small sum in 1933).

This Tuesday the Supercomplication went on the auction block at Sotheby's in Geneva. For fifteen dramatic minutes five bidders competed to possess it. When the dust settled, the Supercomplication became the most expensive time piece in history, sold to an anonymous bidder for \$23,983,140. At that price you can be safe in predicting the new owner won't be

carrying it around in his pocket for show and tell!

Supercomplication. Not an inappropriate name for a time-keeping device. After all, what is more complicated than our human attempt to "keep time?" Nobody has yet been able to keep very much of it, have they?

Supercomplicated time is how some regard an ancient prophecy in Daniel 8:14. "Two-thousand three-hundred evenings and mornings," the Hebrew reads. A slice of prophetic time that scholars calculate to span from ancient Babylon to our own age of history. And when the timepiece of divine prophecy struck the prophesied

hour, these scholars are certain the human race was ushered into the divine endgame strategy of "cleansing the sanctuary," a celestial judgment (see Daniel 7:10)

in which the dark records of the Rebel's long war against the Kingdom will be eventually purged.

Thus Daniel's cryptic prophecy lends compelling to Revelation's declaration that the hour of God's judgment has come (Revelation 14:7). Which means there is nothing complicated about the urgent intent of Holy Scripture to remind its third millennial readers we live in the predicted endtime of moral cleansing. Business as usual long ago vanished. "Now is the time of God's favor, now is the day

# THE ENDGAME HAS ARRIVED. IT REALLY IS CLEANSING TIME.



of salvation" (2 Corinthians 6:2). It is cleansing time.

But is that so complicated a thought? Didn't the death of Christ on the cross open a fountain of spiritual cleansing for all who seek His purifying grace (Zechariah 12:10/13:1)? Hasn't the moral cleansing of His children ever been God's passionate vision and promise? And for a generation living at a time when more and more believe the sudden demise of earth as we know it is a credible possibility, is it so complicated to believe it is imperative we take

seriously Christ's offer of "a special work of purification, of putting away of sin" NOW?

"Galaxy Three." Watch the final three episodes. The King, the Rebel, the loyalists, the war. And you and me. Because it is no longer "long ago and far away." The endgame has arrived. It really is cleansing time. ■

You can follow Pastor Dwight's blog at www.pmchurch.tv/blog.



#### BY MAYELIN LORA-WILLIAMS

nutritious and well-balanced diet, along with physical activity, is the foundation of good health. It's easier than you think to start! Take small steps to improve your nutrition and move towards a healthier you.

#### **BUILD A HEALTHY PLATE**

Before you eat, think about what goes on your plate. Add more vegetables, fruits, whole grains, low-fat dairy products, and lean protein foods. These foods have the nutrients that you need without adding too many calories.

- Make half your plate fruits and vegetables: Eat a colorful plate—including vegetables and fruits in your main dishes, side dishes, and desserts.
- Switch to skim or 1% milk: They have the same amount of essential nutrients, but less fat and calories.
- Make at least half your grains whole: Choose 100% whole grain cereals, breads, crackers, rice, and pasta.
- <u>Vary your protein food choices:</u> Eat more plant protein such as beans, chickpeas, tofu, leafy greens, guinoa, and hemp.
- <u>Read the labels:</u> Choose the foods with the highest nutritional value.

# CUT BACK ON FOODS HIGH IN SOLID FATS, ADDED SUGAR AND SALT

Foods high in solid fats, added sugars and salt are detrimental to your health.

- <u>Limit foods and drinks with added sugars</u>: Drink water instead of sugary drinks. Choose fruits instead of desserts loaded with sugar.
- <u>Look out for salt—it all adds up:</u> When shopping, compare the sodium levels between foods in the market. Instead of salt, season your food with herbs and spices.

• Eat fewer foods that are high in solid fats: Use healthy oils such as extra-virgin olive oil, canola oil, walnut oil, and grape-seed oil. Make cakes, cookies, ice cream, pizza, and cheese an occasional, special food choice.

# EAT THE RIGHT AMOUNT OF CALORIES FOR YOU

Calories are personalized—everyone has their specific amounts. Eat according to your activity level, age, and gender.

- <u>Enjoy your food, but eat less:</u> Know your calorie limit; make sure there is not a positive balance in your calorie intake.
- <u>Cook more meals at home</u>: Cooking at home allows you to control the quality of foods that you eat and serve to your family.
- When eating out, choose the best options: Choose dishes that include vegetables, fruits and whole grains.

#### **BE PHYSICALLY ACTIVE**

Choose physical activities that you and your family will enjoy. Spend at least 30 minutes of physical activity per day. Each minute adds up, and health benefits increase as you spend more time being active.

Eating healthy shouldn't be complicated; let's make it easy and simple. Make small, slow changes in your eating habits and physical activity patterns. Remember, you are what you eat, so don't be fast, cheap, easy or fake. God gave you a beautiful body to take care of. Love your body because it is the most amazing gift that you will ever receive.

Mayelin Lora-Williams is a graduate Nutrition & Wellness student.

# **WE WORSHIP**

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**Opening Voluntary** 

Compassion • Jason Krug

Introit

Come, Thou Almighty King • Felice de Giardini

**Call to Worship** 

Sharon Terrell

We come seeking the face of the Lord.

Let us gather together and wait for God.

God will be for us a shelter and a stronghold.

**Doxology** Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow • 2

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**Go!** Telescope Series • Meet Tabitha Umali with Rodlie Ortiz

**Children's Story**O Worship the King • Kevin McChesney

**Scripture** Hebrews 10:19-23 *NIV* • Bryan & Becky von Dorpowski

Therefore, brothers and sisters, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, his body, and since we have a great priest over the house of God,

let us draw near to God with a sincere heart and with the full assurance that faith brings, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water.

Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful.

**Sermon** "Galaxy Three: From Flower Girl to Bride" • Dwight K. Nelson

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**Hymn of Commitment**Nothing Between • 322

**Benediction** 

Closing Voluntary Rise Up, O Church of God • Seth Bingham

PRESIDING PASTOR: Sharon Terrell; ORGANIST: Kenneth Logan WORSHIP IN MUSIC: Andrews Academy Handbell Ensemble; Byron Graves, director

# **MUSIC ALIVE**

**POETIC DEPTHS** 

Worship the King, All-Glorious Above," arranged for handbells, has profound depths of meaning in the poetic unfolding of its text (hymn no. 83). First are the powerful names for God, reflecting both His transcendence and His immanence—King, Shield, Friend . . . how many are in this hymn? There are striking *images*—for example, referring to God's bountiful

care: "It breathes in the air, it shines in the light." Third, there are telling references to God's attributes—wonderful love, might, grace... how many appear here? Writer Kenneth Osbeck comments that "all combine to describe with literary eloquence and spiritual warmth the majesty and praise-worthiness of our God." In sum, he says, "It has few equals in expressive lyrics in the exaltation of the Almighty."

# **WE STUDY**

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Rachel Sauer Song Service

Welcome Kryzia Abacan (Master's in Communication)

Darley Magno (B.S. Bio Pre-Med) Scripture & Prayer

Mission Spotlight John Debulgado (B.A. in Theology)

Offertory Twinkle Diya (B.S. in Speech-Pathology and Audiology) Adagio • Johann Sebastian Bach

"Taming the Tongue" • Classes Bible Study

Make Me a Blessing Theme Song

> Make me a blessing; make me a blessing. Out of my life may Jesus shine. Make me a blessing; O Savior, I pray. Make me a blessing; to someone today.

"Make Me a Blessing," Ira Bishop Wilson ©1924, Renewed 1952 Word Music, LLC; Used by Permission. CCLI License #392652

**Benediction** Rachel Sauer

> ORGANIST: Kenneth Logan OFFERTORY: Andrew Brown, piano

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# **WE PRAISE**

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#### As We Begin

O Worship the King • Kevin McChesney

#### Hello

#### Celebrate & Praise

Kondwani Sumani, Dingani Hauya, Colleen Christy Kubiak with Rodlie Ortiz

#### **Ordination of Elders**

Lori Covrig, Richard Davisson, Brandon von Dorpowski, Nick Wolfer, Dillon Zimmerman

#### **Prayer**

Sharon Terrell

#### Go!

Telescope Series • Meet Tabitha Umali with Rodlie Ortiz

#### **Worship in Music**

Come, Thou Almighty King • Frederick Gramann

#### Sermon

"Galaxy Three: From Flower Girl to Bride" • Dwight K. Nelson

# Connect Card, Tithes, & Offerings

#### **Closing Hymn**

Nothing Between • 322

#### As We Depart

Rise Up, O Church of God • Seth Bingham

WORSHIP DIRECTOR: José Bourget; ORGANIST: Kenneth Logan
PLATFORM MANAGER: Lauren Knott; MUSIC DIRECTOR/PIANO: Ilana Cady
VOCAL DIRECTOR: Jonathan Dominique; ACOUSTIC GUITAR: Josh Ahn; BASS GUITAR: Sam Lewin
CAJON: Zachary Takahashi; CELLO: Yewon Kim; VOCALS: Debbie Weithers, Lisa Jardine, Myrna Constantine
WORSHIP IN MUSIC: Andrews Academy Handbell Ensemble; Byron Graves, director

# PIONEER PEOPLE

**SUNSET TODAY** • 5:26 **SUNSET NEXT FRIDAY** • 5:20

**SUBMIT** announcements by emailing <u>bulletin@pmchurch.tv</u> or by going to <u>www.pmchurch.org</u> and click on "submit a bulletin announcement." Requests must be received Monday by 5 PM for consideration.

# WEEK AT A GLANCE

# | SATURDAY |

#### **JOURNEY CONCERT**

5:30 PM • PMC Sanctuary

# | SUNDAY |

#### **SCRAPBOOKING TOGETHER**

1:30 to 7 PM • PMC Commons

# | WEDNESDAY |

#### **HOUSE OF PRAYER**

7:00 PM • Youth Chapel

# | FRIDAY |

#### **UNIVERSITY VESPERS**

7:30 PM • PMC Sanctuary

# PIONEER PULPIT

| 11 • 22 |

#### **DWIGHT K. NELSON**

"Galaxy Three: Intergalactic Rescue"

| 11 • 29 |

**RODLIE ORTIZ** 

# **PMC Family Vespers**

We will not meet this evening; instead we are joining the Journey concert.

# **Reception for Rowena**

TODAY • 4:00 TO 6:00 PM CHAN SHUN HALL, WHIRLPOOL RM

Join us for a reception in honor of Rowena Futcher. She will be moving to Texas to be near her daughter, Beverly.

# A Revelation of Worship

TODAY • 5:00 PM
THE SEMINARY CHAPEL

A musical and dramatic reenactment of Revelation 4-5 directed by Chloe Lewis and sponsored by Dr. Paul B. Petersen, AU Religion Department.

# **Journey Concert**

TODAY • 5:30 PM PMC SANCTUARY

Journey is presenting a concert including songs from their second album "Journey Reunion Live." A love offering will be collected to support this ministry.

#### **Charles & Julie Reid Concert**

TODAY • 7:00 PM

HOWARD PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Charles and Julie Reid will share an evening of love songs. Tickets are available at the box office (888.467.6442).

# Scrapbooking Together

TOMORROW • 1:30 TO 7 PM PMC COMMONS

Bring your card/scrapbook projects and a snack and join us for an afternoon of fun. We provide chocolate and prizes.

# Thanksgiving Food Drive

The PMC Evergreen Pathfinders will be picking up filled bags tomorrow afternoon. Food collected will be used in preparing Thanksgiving boxes on November 22. You will also have an opportunity to bring food donations to church as part of the Thanksgiving service on Sabbath, **November 22.** Help distribute the Thanksgiving boxes next week.

# Mommy & Me

We will meet November 18 and December 2 then take a break for the Christmas season and resume on January 6. Join us in the Nursery at 10 AM for playtime, songs, and crafts with your 0-5-year-old.

# Free Health and Fitness Lifestyle Seminar

NOVEMBER 18 • 7:00 TO 8:15 PM NFIGHBOR TO NFIGHBOR

This week's topic is on Crisis: Triumph over Tragedy. We will meet in the conference room (in the front of the building).

# SuperHealth Fair

NOVEMBER 23 • 10 AM TO 1 PM RMES GYMNASIUM

Come to this year's SuperHealth Fair! There will be the following FREE screenings for the whole family: dental, speech and language, hearing, blood sugar, and blood pressure!

# Retirees Holiday Luncheon

DECEMBER 3 • 11:30 AM TO 2 PM BERRIEN HIGH SCHOOL GYM

Berrien Springs Public Schools cordially invite the school district's senior citizens (60+) to their holiday luncheon. Vegetarian entrees will be available. Call 471.2891 by November 26 to make reservations.

# Adventist Retirees Christmas Banquet

DECEMBER 7 • 1:00 PM VILLAGE CHURCH FELLOWSHIP HALL

All Michiana retirees and pastors are invited to the annual ARM Christmas Banquet. Call 471.3133 by November 26 to make reservations.

#### God's Hands 4 Kids

Help make a difference in a foster child's life this Christmas. Donate stockings, stocking stuffers, or fill a stocking(s), indicate age and gender planned for (don't forget teens) and put in top of stocking. Bring to PMC by December 6 (donation bins are located in the PMC lower lobby, office reception area, or in the nursery through three-yearold Sabbath School rooms). For information on buying presents for a specific foster child, email godshands4kids@gmail.com.

# Mission Micro Loans

\$100 dollars can make a huge difference for a poor family. This December the PMC Youth Mission team will be going to Honduras. We will be initiating a small micro loan project designed to help families break the cycle of poverty. Donations can be made to PMC Youth Missions. Your prayer support for the 30+ team is vital. For more info contact Glenn Russell by email at glenn@andrews.edu.

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# **EXCEEDING OUR GOALS**

WITHOUT YOUR

YOUNG PEOPLE

**VERY LIKELY WOULD** 

NOT BE IN CHRISTIAN

**EDUCATION TODAY.** 

HELP, THESE 82

#### BY JIM FORD

hank you to everyone who sent us over the top last year giving to the Student Aid Fund. Your generosity ensures that many young people are able to be enrolled in a Christian school. Because we actu-

ally exceeded our goal last year, the committee that distributes funds stretched out and provided help beyond what we are usually able to do. We were able to help additional students this new school year.

Student The Committee met several

times during July and August to review applications and distribute funds. As of right now we have extended aid to 54 students at Ruth Murdoch Elementary School and 28 students at Andrews Academy. We have a few more names pending as this is written, so these numbers will likely increase.

Without your help, these 82 young people very likely would not be in Christian education today. Through your help they now have Bible class each day and prayer in the classrooms, and they learn from a creationist perspective on the origins of earth and life. Every dollar you give

> goes to help support these young people.

> Thank you for all you have done in the past and for what you will do between now and next June. We usually have a student or a parent say thank you to donors through these articles. Next time a testimony

will be included. May God bless you as you give to bless His little ones. ■

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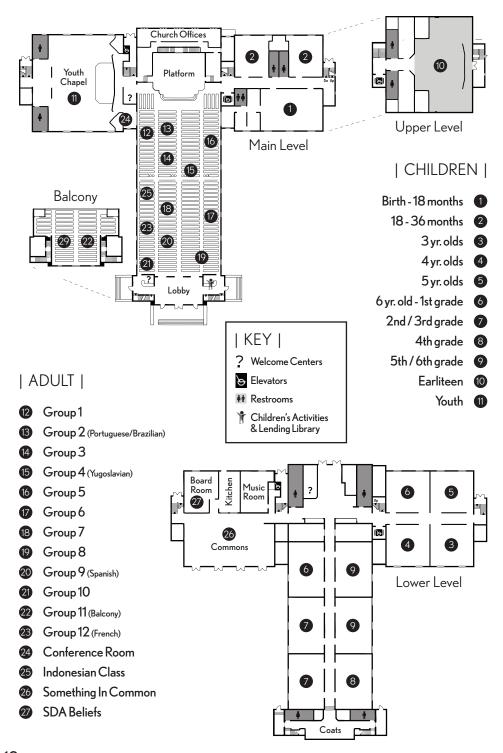
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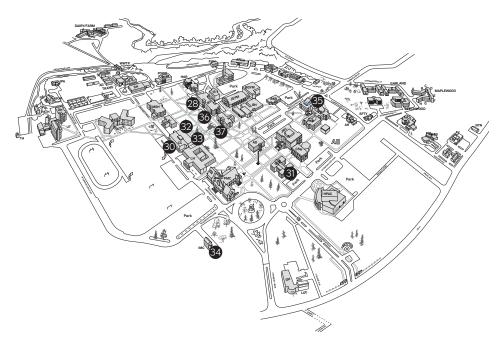
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2nd Annual Fundraiser for PMC Evergreen Pathfinder Club





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Orders placed by 4 p.m. Friday, November 21, will be available for pick-up at Pioneer Memorial Church 12 noon to 5 p.m. on Sunday, November 23.