

# studying together: sabbath school

**Bible study groups begin at 9:30am and meet in a variety of locations (see map below).** You're invited to attend any of the groups (there's a wide variety of topics being studied).

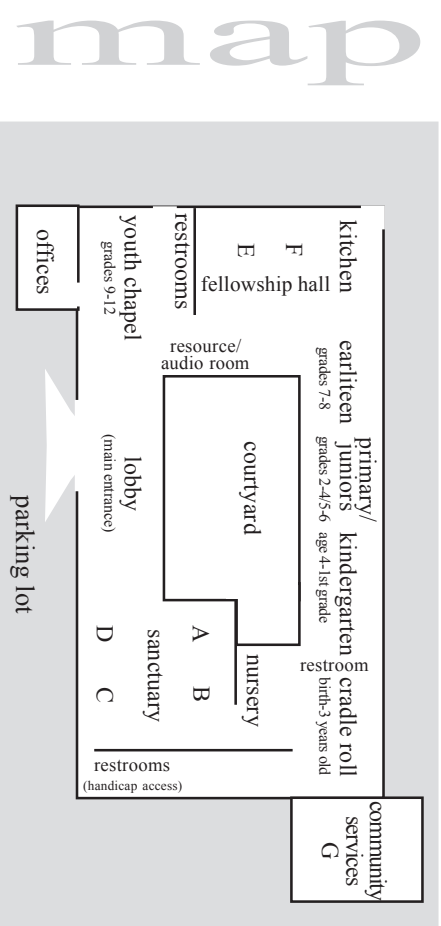
**Children's classes** meet in the east wing of our facility (except for the teens who meet in the Youth Chapel) and provide a great opportunity for your child to learn more about Jesus in a warm and safe environment.

**An offering** is taken during our study time and supports various mission projects as well as providing study materials for all age groups on Sabbath mornings.

## study group locations

*Whether you're a member or a guest, you're invited to attend any of the study groups:*

- **Adult Quarterly:** *The Christian Life*—takes a look at both aspects of our faith: doctrine and experience by focusing on 13 essential themes and 13 essential teachings over the next three months. (A: *Left rear of Sanctuary—Teacher: Norman Herron/Cahmar Nielsen; C: Right front of Sanctuary—Teacher: Mike Wood*)
- **Bible Basics:** This small group takes a look at the basics of Christian Beliefs. (D: *Led by Jim Frytzer in the right rear of the Sanctuary*)
- **Living & Learning Verse by Verse:** Come join us for a lively discussion as we study the book of Matthew. (E: *Led by John & Carolyn Radometkin/Jim Brewster in Fellowship Room #1*)
- **Hispanic Class:** Continuaremos cada sábado, las reuniones en español estaremos aprendiendo a “Cómo compartir el amor de Jesús” (F: *Liderada por Norberto Liemur en Fellowship Hall #2*)



# for your information

**APRIL'S NEWSLETTER** is available in the lobby. Pick up your copy today!

**FELLOWSHIP LUNCH IS TODAY.** Join us for a meal hosted by the Kahler Team. Everyone is welcome! *We ask that you be seated until called to the buffet line.*

**ELDERS' MEETING** this Tuesday @ 7:00pm at the church.

**CHURCH COMMUNITY WORKBEE** at the Bernhard Museum, 291 Auburn-Folsom Road Sunday, April 19 from 8am-noon. We will join the Auburn Rotary Club so come on down and bring your gardening tools and gloves to help move plants and prepare garden beds at this historic setting. Pizza will be provided at 12:30pm. **Please sign-up on the sheet provided in the lobby.**

**HOMESCHOOLING** families are asked to call the church office. We would like to be able to contact you when there are activities of interest for homeschooled families.

**CAN YOU HELP?** We still have people waiting to receive their Bibles and study guides. Can you spare some time and help Stan & Norberto to make deliveries? Contact Norberto @ 530-308-3328 or Stan @ 916-789-7756.

**IRON MEN:** Our exploration of the book *The Silence of Adam*, by Larry Crabb continues this Monday at 6:45pm at the church. Also, just a reminder that on the last Sunday of the month we meet for breakfast at Sweet Pea's in Auburn @ 7:30am.

**MESA GRANDE ACADEMY** Choir/Drama/Handbells Concert Touring group will be here on Sabbath, April 18. You will not want to miss this concert beginning @ 2:00pm!!

**PLEASE REMEMBER** Gyndee Holm and family in your prayers as they are grieving the loss of her father, Elder Bruce Johnston, who passed away this last Monday. A Memorial Service will be held today in Medford Oregon. Donations may be sent to support NPUC Mega Voice Mission, his special project — solar powered audio Bibles, @ NPUC, 5709 N. 20th St., Ridgefield, WA 98642.

**SECRET SISTER REVEAL PARTY** It's been a wonderful time enjoying each other as Sister's in Christ through the Auburn Church Secret Sister Program. Join us for a fun evening of stories and gift giving as we share in revealing Secret Sisters. Friday, May 8 at 5:30 p.m. We'll meet in the Fellowship Hall and start with a light supper, then over tea and desserts we can let the secrets out! Please bring a nice last gift to give to your Secret Sister and a Thank you card or gift for your revealed Secret Sister. If you can't attend please contact Diana Crisp @ 530-300-0339.

**THANK YOU** for your wonderful support of Community Services! As the weather warms, we request that you either hold onto your winter items until next fall or donate them to another charity that has more storage room than we have. What we need now is like-new spring and summer clothing. We can always use more blankets and linens for families, and back packs, sleeping bags, tents, and tarps for the homeless—as well as money to purchase other needed items. Thank you for your generosity, for without that we would be unable to help the increasing numbers of needy people in our area.

**RECOVERY IN COMMUNITY:** The Twelve Step path to recovery has been shown to be one of the most effective ever devised to support recovery from addictive behavior. The Auburn church makes space available on Saturday mornings for this life-changing program as a community service. Begins at 9:15am in Community Services, Room # G. (see map to left). Call @ 823-0345 for information.

**WORSHIP SERVICE RECORDINGS** are available in the Resource Center following today's service. CD's are \$3.00.

**CHECK THE BULLETIN BOARD** for additional information on area events and items of interest.

## church projects

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| <b>General Building Fund</b> | <b>Balance</b>    | <b>\$8,341.01</b> |
| <b>Hispanic Ministries</b>   | <b>Balance</b>    | <b>\$5,673.00</b> |
| <b>Goal</b>                  | <b>\$7,000.00</b> |                   |

*The General Building Fund supports the upgrades and improvements to our facility. Please place your contribution in a tithing envelope and notate under "building program."*

map

# church calendar

## financial report

*2008-09 fiscal year:  
as of April 4-week 40*

**church family budget**  
*received: \$112,285.39*  
*needed: \$115,969.23*

(funds not specifically marked are applied to the offering of the day)

**student assistance fund**  
*received: \$26,247.91*  
*needed: \$31,000.00*

## church staff

Dan Appel, senior pastor (530)392-3428  
David Cartoon, associate pastor (530)852-4770  
Dick McDaniel, head elder (916)645-9811  
Kathy Brewster, church clerk (530)887-1655  
Joanne Pierson, office assistant (530)885-4232  
Vic Anderson, principal (phaa) (530)885-9447  
Kendall Porco, community services (530)823-0345  
Trim Barr & Don Dyer, Jr., head deacons  
Susan Exceell, head deaconess  
Jim Brewster, finance committee chairman  
Rodney Wehrle, treasurer  
Dan Knapp, audio/visual

**church office** (530) 885-4232  
**office hours: monday-thursday, 9am-2pm**  
**bulletin deadline: wednesday @ 2pm**  
**church e-mail: aubstda@ascendance.net**

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| 12   | sunday    | 19  |
| Men's Basketball 5pm @ PHAA  |           | Men's Basketball 5pm @ PHAA   |
| 13   | monday    | 20  |
| PHAA Finance & Board Meeting @ 6/7pm   |           |   |
| 14   | tuesday   | 21  |
| Community Services 9:00am-1:00pm<br>Elder's Meeting @ 7pm<br>Men's Basketball 7pm @ PHAA |           | Community Service 9:00am-1:00pm<br>Finance Committee 6pm<br>Church Board 7pm<br>Men's Basketball 7pm @ PHAA |
| 15   | wednesday | 22  |
| PHAA Vege Food Store 3-4 pm  |           | PHAA Vege Food Store 3-4 pm   |
| 16   | thursday  | 23  |
| PHAA Vege Food Store 12-1 pm   |           | PHAA Vege Food Store 12-1 pm  |
| 17   | friday    | 24  |
| PHAA Vege Food Store 12-1 pm   |           | PHAA Vege Food Store 12-1 pm  |
| 18   | sabbath   | 25  |
| 9:30-10:30am Sabbath School 10:45am Worship<br>Dave Caron                                |           | 9:30-10:30am Sabbath School 10:45am Worship<br>Dan Appel  |
| 2pm-Concert-Mesa Grande Academy Choir/ Drama   |           |   |
| 7:43pm Sabbath ends  |           | 7:50pm Sabbath ends   |



## worship service welcome

**April 11, 2009**  
10:45am-12:15pm

**Welcome/Announcements** Dan Appel

**Singing Together**

**Children's Story** Jeff Pierson

**Giving Back to God** Dick McDaniel  
*Christian Record Services*

**Prayer\*** Mas Masumbuko

**Message in Music\*** Nicole Toppel

**Today's Message** Dan Appel  
*So Why Am I Here Anyway?*

*\* Please wait during this time to enter the sanctuary*

Next week's offering is for the *Auburn Church Budget* which helps support all the ministries here at Auburn.

*Elder in charge:* Mike Wood  
*Deacons in charge:* Don Dyer, Irwin Staples  
*Organist:* Patricia Loye

To get the most out of worship today we recommend you:

1. *Be respectful to others worship experience*, by kindly turning off or silencing your cell phone.

2. *Use the Welcome Card located in front of you as you sit down.* It will help us become better acquainted and allow you to request information. Just check the appropriate boxes.

3. *Please don't feel obligated to participate in the offering.* The offering is intended for members and regular attenders who consider Auburn their church home. As our guest, we ask only that you place your Welcome Card in the offering basket when it is handed to you.

4. *There is Child Care during the Worship time for ages 5 and under.* It is located in the Cradle Roll room. Go out the left side door in the Sanctuary, up the stairs and to the right. We also have a story during our worship service especially for the older children.

5. *Hearing assistance* is available. Please ask at the sound booth for an amplifier.

*a light... cannot be hidden*