

WELCOME

Have you ever wished something “just wasn’t”? It’s one thing to wish it wasn’t, but it’s quite another to deny it. Consider the Indianapolis Speedway. It’s not an uncommon thing to watch the annual Indy 500 and see a wreck. Some of more spectacular than others, but inevitably someone will be bumped, blow a tire, lose control, and slid into the wall.

“You don’t go look at where it happened,” said Scott Goodyear, a 3-time winner of the Indy 500. “You don’t watch the films of it on television. You don’t deal with it. You pretend it never happened.” In fact, the Speedway operation itself encourages this approach. As soon as the track closes the day of an accident, a crew heads out to paint over the spot where the car hit the wall.

Through the years, a driver has never been pronounced dead at the race track. A trip to the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Racing Museum, located inside the 2.5-mile oval, has no memorial to the 40 drivers who have lost their lives here. Nowhere is there even a mention.

Denial is a hard thing. Self-denial is even harder. But it is one of the first things that has to happen when we choose to follow Jesus, for Jesus invites us to “deny ourself and take up our cross and follow Him.” (Matt 16:24 ESV Paraphrased)

BIBLE READING

challenge

What if we started this year with a commitment to read all the way through the Bible? Can you imagine? Genesis to Revelation over the next 360 Days? Each week in the “THIS WEEK” section of the bulletin, you’ll notice some Bible texts in **GREEN**. If you will read those verses each day, by December 31, 2020, you will have read cover to cover through the entire Bible. You’ll notice a balance in the daily reading from Old and New Testaments. This is because there are some chapters that are heavy reading, and we want to balance it out. Are you up for the challenge? Let’s do this one together!

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Springdale Adventist Fellowship Presents

the Gospel According to

GENESIS

11:00am Worship

JANUARY 11, 2019

WE WORSHIP WITH SINGING

Praise Team

BAPTISM | Jacquelyn Sanborn

WELCOME TO SAF | Pastor Benjamin Orian

WE WORSHIP BY GIVING | Mike Colburn

Springdale Adventist Fellowship Ministries

The offerings given this week are used to support the mission and outreach ministries of this church. Our ministries include community outreach, health awareness programs, youth and children's ministries, Christian education, and more. Our goal each month is \$8,064.00. Thank you for your faithful support of our mission.

MUSIC FEATURE | Siena Orian

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE | Dominic Orian

After the story, the children will come around collecting an offering. This offering is used to support the worthy students of Springdale Adventist School.

WE WORSHIP IN PRAYER | Fayrl Boykin

THE MESSAGE | Pastor Benjamin Orian
“Beginnings”

THE LORD'S SUPPER

» THIS WEEK

@ Springdale Adventist Fellowship & School

SUNDAY JANUARY 19

3pm Memorial for James Payne

Genesis 42-43; Matthew 21

MONDAY JANUARY 20

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY

8am SAS Classes Resumes

Genesis 44; Matthew 22

TUESDAY JANUARY 21

6:30pm Finance Committee

Genesis 45; Matthew 23

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 22

6:30pm Prayer Meeting, Pathfinders, Adventurers

Genesis 46; Matthew 24-25

THURSDAY JANUARY 23

Genesis 47; Matthew 26

FRIDAY JANUARY 24

5:34pm Sabbath Begins

Genesis 48; Matthew 27

SABBATH JANUARY 25

9a The Well (first service)

10a Sabbath School & Bible Study

11a Worship Service (second service)

Fellowship Lunch (provided) following 2nd Service

2pm Diabetes Undone - Health Seminar

5:35pm Sabbath Ends

Genesis 49-50; Matthew 28

To see our full calendar of events, ministries, and programs, visit our website at www.gosaf.com.

INSPIRE

» NEWS NOTES

FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

Everyone is invited to join us for our fellowship luncheon today following second service.

DIABETES UNDONE SEMINAR | CONTINUES TODAY, 2:00pm

Diabetes Undone seminar continues this afternoon from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM. Learn how to prevent, reverse and manage diabetes and related health problems. Presented by Dr. Heidi Agesilas along with other medical professional speakers. Series continues January 25.

JAIMIE JORGE CONCERT

Through his forceful, expressive mastery of the violin, Jaime Jorge has delighted audiences around the globe. Having dedicated his talents to sharing the love of God through sacred and classical concerts and special appearances the world over, SAF is pleased to announce that Jaime Jorge: The Healing Music Concert Tour is coming to SAF, Sabbath, January 25, at 9am and 11am. You won't want to miss this special concert. Plan to bring a guest!

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Memorial service for Anne Payne's son, James Payne will be held in the church tomorrow, 3:00pm, followed by a potluck supper.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

BULLETIN SECRETARY: The Bulletin Secretary position is open immediate! Please speak with Pastor Ben ASAP if you would be willing to produce and print the bulletin each week.

SABBATH SCHOOL TEACHERS: One of the important ministries of the church is to our children and youth. We have a need for individuals willing to teach in our children's Sabbath School divisions. If you would be willing to consider this, please talk to Pastor Ben or Suzi Bennett today.

SPRINGDALE ADVENTIST SCHOOL

SAS needs a new playground. We are now actively fundraising for this new structure that is fun, exciting and representative of a great school. A picture of the new playground may be seen on the bulletin board in the hallway off of the foyer. If you would like to make a contribution or pledge, please mark your tax-deductible gift "SAS Playground." The kids of SAS and SAF thank you.

CONNECT

» SERMON SERIES

The Gospel According to Genesis

They say history repeats itself. The Bible proves it. Everything you need to know about humanity is chronicled in colorful detail. Why do we do the things we do? Why do we choose the things we choose? Why do we prefer the forbidden fruit instead of the way of obedience? Genesis tells the story. It's the story of man running away. And God chasing after him to save him. It's the story of the Gospel of Jesus. And it can all be found in Genesis.

Feb 01	"Saved by Fig Leaves"
Feb 08	"God Won't Fit in My Box"
Feb 22	"The Cross in the Ark"
Feb 29	"Go For Yourself"
Mar 07	"How Sodom and Gomorrah Got Grace"
Mar 21	"An Impossible Situation"
Mar 28	"Stairway to Heaven"
Apr 11	"Numbered With the Transgressors"

PREACHING SCHEDULE

Jan 25	Jaime Jorge Concert	
Feb 01	Pastor Orian	"Saved By Fig Leaves"
Feb 08	Pastor Orian	"God Won't Fit in My Box"



March 29 - April 1, 2020

Experience Creation and Bible history at the life-size, Noah's Ark! Walk through the ark and see how the animals might have been arranged. See the living quarters and how much space there was! SAF and SAS are co-sponsoring a trip for families to experience Bible stories in a way you've never imagined. If interested, talk to Pastor Ben to reserve your seats!

IMPACT