## WELCOME

## **FAMILY**

Thomas Edison invented the microphone, the phonograph, the incandescent light, the storage battery, talking movies, and more than 1000 other things. December 1914 he had worked for 10 years on a storage battery. This had greatly strained his finances. This particular evening spontaneous combustion had broken out in the film room. Within minutes all the packing compounds, celluloid for records and film, and other flammable goods were in flames. Fire companies from eight surrounding towns arrived, but the heat was so intense and the water pressure so low that the attempt to douse the flames was futile. Everything was destroyed.

It has been estimated that Edison lost more than \$1 million worth of equipment, and the records of much of his work in that fire. He was insured for only \$238,000 because his building was concrete and thought to be fireproof. At age 67, would his spirit be broken?

Edison's son, Charles saw the glow of the fire and had been searching for his father. When Charles found him, he noted that his dad was just watching the fire calmly. "My heart ached for him," said Charles. He was 67 and everything he had and had worked on and for was going up in smoke--literally." But when Edison saw Charles, he told him to find his mother, because as he put it, "She's never going to see anything else like this as long as she lives."

The fire didn't stop Edison. Three weeks after the fire, he delivered the first phonograph. It is said that the morning after the fire, as he walked through the ruins and ashes he said, "There is value in disaster. All our mistakes are burned up and we can start anew."

I'm glad that in Jesus we can start anew. Our mistakes are forgotten, and our future is reset. Welcome to Worship.

#### PREACHING SCHEDULE & UPCOMING TOPICS

Mar 21 YOUTH SABBATH

Mar 28 Pastor Orian "How Sodom & Gomorrah Found Grace"

Apr 04 Faryl Boykin

**Apr 11** Pastor Orian "An Impossible Situation" (Easter Wknd)



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#### **ELDER OF THE DAY:**

Larry Holliman

#### **ELDER NEXT WEEK:**

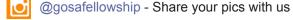
Faryl Boykin

# >>> SAF **SOCIAL**

#### Connect and continue the conversation with us socially...













11:00am Worship

March 07, 2020

#### WE WORSHIP WITH SINGING

Praise Team

#### **WELCOME TO SAF**

Pastor Benjamin Orian

#### WE WORSHIP BY GIVING || SAF MINISTRIES BUDGET

The offerings given this week are used to support the mission and outreach ministries of the SAF. 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**

Sunshine & Florine

#### **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Silvia 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

Larry Holliman

#### THE MESSAGE

"How Sodom and Gomorrah Found Grace"
Pastor Benjamin Orian







## THIS WEEK

@ Springdale Adventist Fellowship & School

SABBATH TODAY

Deuteronomy 1-4
The Well (first service)

10a Sabbath School & Bible Study11a Worship Service (second service)

6:17p Sabbath Ends

9a

SUNDAY MARCH 08

**Deuteronomy 5-8** 

Daylight Savings Time Begins. Clocks Forward 1 Hour!

MONDAY MARCH 09

**Deuteronomy 9-12** 

8am-3pm SAS Office Open 6pm Elders' Meeting 7pm SAF Board Meeting

TUESDAY MARCH 10

**Deuteronomy 13-15** 

8am-3pm SAS Office Open

WEDNESDAY MARCH 11

**Deuteronomy 16-19** 

8am-3pm SAS Office Open

6:30pm REUNITE Wednesday, Pathfinders, Adventurers

THURSDAY MARCH 12

**Deuteronomy 20-23** 

8am-3pm SAS Office Open

FRIDAY MARCH 13

**Deuteronomy 24-27** 

8am-12pm SAS Office Open 7:23pm Sabbath Begins

SABBATH MARCH 14

**Deuteronomy 28-30** 

9a The Well (first service)

Sabbath School & Bible StudyWorship Service (second service)

7:24pm Sabbath Ends

## NEWS **NOTES**

#### POTLUCK LUNCHEON || FOLLOWING 2ND SERVICE

Everyone is invited to join us for a potluck luncheon in the gymnasium immediately following second service.

#### TIME TO SPRING FORWARD || TONIGHT!!!

Don't forget to set your clocks forward one hour tonight!

#### YOUTH SABBATH || MARCH 23 - 2ND SERVICE

Beginning in March, the youth and children of SAF will lead the worship time during second service on the third Sabbath of each month. Our children are not the church of tomorrow, they are here today. It's their church too. It's going to be a fun and engaging worship time, so plan to be there and to bring a friend!

BECOMING A STUDENT OF THE WORD || Wednesday, 6:30pm

Bible study ontinues Wednesday evening at 6:30pm in the church sanctuary.

#### SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER || NEXT SABBATH @SAF

We are happy to welcome Elder Rick Dye, Conference President for Arkansas-Louisiana Conference to the pulpit of our church next Sabbath, for both services. You are sure to be blessed as he speaks from God's Word.

#### HIStory :: JESUS, RELIGION, AND LIFE | APRIL 5 - 11

We're thinking outside the box on this one. What if we fit an entire evangelistic campagin into one week? And what if, instead of focussing on beasts and dragons, we focused on Jesus? And what if you brought a friend? 7 Nights. 14 Presentations and Round-table Discussion. All About Jesus and HiStory.

#### SAS KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP || MARCH 19

This event gives families of incoming kindergartners an opportunity to learn about our classroom and curriculum at SAS. Come check us out see the SAS Advantage for yourself!

#### ARK ENCOUNTER TRIP POSTPONED

We are postponing the Ark Encounter Trip that had been scheduled for March 29 - April 1. As soon as we are able, we will reschedule the trip and once again advertise it. We apologize for the inconvenience.

## >>> 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. (Upcoming topics can be found on other side of bulletin on the WELCOME page.)

# KIDS KORNER

There are 25 names of Old Testament books hidden forward, backward, up, down, and diagonal in the puzzle below. Can you find them?

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