

STAFWELCOME

“No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgment thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord, and their righteousness is of me, saith the Lord.”

Isaiah 54:17

Welcome to STAF! – A Place of New Beginnings

STAFSTUFF

- 10 TODAY**
10a Sabbath School
10: 55 a Worship Service
4:20 Sabbath Ends
- 12 MONDAY, December 12**
9a Bulletin and 1 Call Announcements Due
- 13 TUESDAY, December 13**
8a Vegetarian Food Store -12p
11a Study of the book of John-Zoom
- 14 WEDNESDAY, December 14**
6p CoolSTAF-Zoom
7p **Reunite**-In person
7p **Reunite**- Zoom
- 15 THURSDAY, December 15**
7:00p The Gathering
- 16 FRIDAY, December 16**
4:21p Sabbath begins
- 17 SABBATH, December 17**
10a Sabbath School
10:55a Worship Service
1p Expound Bible study-In person
4:21p Sabbath Ends




* See News & Events pages for more info

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SOUTH TACOMA ADVENTIST FELLOWSHIP 5 YEAR

Summary of our outreach goals for the next 3 years. Join us!

			
Youth	Missions	Attendance	Community
To provide outstanding children & youth ministries to teach, mentor, & prepare young people for Jesus' soon return.	To sponsor 2 international mission trips to build up, edify, and expand God's kingdom on Earth.	To grow to 500+ attending and involved in soul-winning and discipleship ministries.	To embrace diversity, reject racism, fight for the powerless, and break the cycle of poverty in our neighborhood.

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 Admin Hours: (see StafStuff)

STAFMESSENGER

December 10, 2022

A Place of Hope, Second Chances, and New Beginnings



A PLACE CALLED
 home

1

Women's Ministry

Women's Ministry will be hosting a Christmas party Sunday December 11. Time will be 12-2p. Please bring a gift of \$5 or less and a dozen of your favorite cookies for a cookie exchange. There will be soup and sandwiches for the meal. All ladies are welcome.

Devotionals

New 2023 devotionals are available. If you wish to order a devotional book that is on special please contact Marge Thompson.

2

Mark your calendars

December 17 the youth will be hosting potluck. If you wish to contribute please bring salad or a pasta dish. Following potluck the youth will be presenting a Christmas program at 2pm. All are welcome!

3

SUPPORT STAF we return our tithes & offerings

Today's offering focus is NAD: Adventist Communication services

Tithe does not pay STAF's expenses.

Ways to give: envelope in the pew
 online at www.stafonline.org

Monthly Goal: \$18,000

Received (MTD) \$5,176

Roof Fund: \$130,000

Received \$66,991



SHARESTAF

Connect and continue the conversation with us socially!

- SouthTacomaAdventist — check in and give us a like!
- @STAFonline — mention us with a picture post & feedback
- @stafonline — share your pics with us
- /stafonline — subscribe and share the Gospel
- South Tacoma Adventist — watch live and sermon archives

9:15 PRAYER TIME in Juniors' Classroom

SABBATH SCHOOL BIBLE STUDY CLASSES

Children and Youth have age-appropriate classes

ADULT CLASSES —

- Main Class— Sanctuary
- Quarterly Study — Seminar room
- Samoan Language — Prayer Chapel room
- Spanish Language — Parents' room

10:00

10:55 Welcome and Announcements

WORSHIP SERVICE

This Week's Elder: Ben Helu

Praise God With Music	Praise Team
Praise God With Gifts	Elder
Praise God With Prayer	Elder
Praise God With Our Children	Novari Feau
Praise God With Music	Praise Team
Praise God With The Word	Pr. Ruddy
Praise God With Music	Praise Team

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Be sure to check weekly for updates, news, and changes at our website: www.stafonline.org

- **Please direct all communications** to both the Pastor and Admin by email, or call the office and leave a message.
- **Calendar/Events** — contact Pr. Del Harrison
- **Membership Questions** — contact Marge
- **Tuition and all Money** — contact Jonnie

DECEMBER

- Maureen Bidwell 01
- David Scott 01
- Natalie Toia 07
- Seth Yankson 09
- Darrell Davis 11
- Richard Graham 12

BIRTHDAY

- Aliva Manatu 12
- Kose Filiga 15
- Jerrick Jr. Cruz 25
- Delbert Harrison 27
- Viora Friend 29
- Isaac Helu 30



HEARING DEVICES available at Audio-Visual.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

17	Pr. Derek Lane (SS Darrell Davis)
24	Pr. Mary Nell (SS Ken Thompson)

Livestream/Photos/Videos. By being at STAF, you and your children are likely to be shown on media. Please ask for a copy of our Media Policy or at our website.



Today's message can be made upon request on DVD following the worship service. Find it in the literature rack in the Foyer. If you can't be with us in person, you can always join the live stream at our website, app, or Roku channel.