

COLTON SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

At Study

December 15, 2018

10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Lesson Study

10:00 - 10:40 a.m.

Senior Class Sanctuary Pastor Art Bell

Younger divisions meet in their respective classrooms

Beginners Division meets 10:00 – 10:50 a.m.

Mission Emphasis

10:45 - 11:00 a.m.

Opening Hymn "Because He Lives" 526

Welcome Chuck McConnell

Mission Story "Living By Faith" Chuck McConnell

The Colton SDA Church "Mission Statement"

To provide a grace-filled environment where a diversity of worshipers may experience the healing love of Jesus through the ministry of the Word, the community of prayer, the fellowship of God's family, and the opportunity to serve.

Welcome – We welcome each and every one of our visitors today, and we invite you to worship with us each Sabbath here at the Colton Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Worship Service Schedule

Today's Worship Service: Pastor John Choi, Christmas Program

Today's Offering: Local Church Budget

Next Week's Worship: Nestor Domingo

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*All unmarked donations from the main Worship Service offering go to Local Church Budget, unless otherwise announced. **Online Giving** – Now available through our church website, colton.adventistfaith.org.

Announcements

Christmas Party -- Enjoy the good cheer and fellowship of the Christmas season with your Colton SDA church family tonight, starting at 5:00 pm. There will be special fun activities for children, while the grown-ups will enjoy our famously hilarious "white elephant gift exchange". See Robbie if you have any questions.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS TREE OFFERING - I am excited to announce that the Colton Church Board has approved a major church makeover and renovation project set to begin in January 2019. We are calling this the COLTON R3 RENOVATION PROJECT. The Facilities Committee will be meeting soon to discuss the areas of the church that will need renovation. If you have ideas or suggestions regarding this project please contact myself or the head elder. Also, foreseeing that this project will come with a significant price tag, we are beginning a fund raising campaign starting with the Special Year End Christmas Tree Offering. I hope you are as excited as I am about restoring the house of God and will consider giving a special generous financial gift to make it happen! Pastor Choi.

Sunset Tonight Dec 15– 4:42 PM; Next Friday Evening Dec 21 – 4:45 PM

To Preserve The Spirit of Worship, please, silence all cell phones

Announcements (cont.)

Prayer Meeting - Join us on Wednesday evening at 7pm to study and pray together, this week Shirley Purucker will be leading out in the discussion.

Do you have a hobby, career, or passion to share with young people in our community? Loma Linda Academy will host the 2nd Annual Loma Linda Maker Faire on April 7, 2019. Can you provide educational, hands-on experiences for students in grades TK-12? Can you share health presentations, mission trip, and community service experiences? People and organizations skilled in Science, Technology, Engineering, Math, Service, and Art are invited! No booth charge for hands-on booths or presentations. Sponsorship opportunities are also available. For questions, email makerfaire@lla.org. Register today at www.lla.org/makerfaire.

Matthew is still serving abroad; he would love to hear from you at this address:

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Requesting Your Continued Financial Assistance and Generosity ...

Please give special consideration to:

- New Church Building Fund (code #112)
- Building Improvement (code #113)
- Evangelism (code #109)
- Health Ministries (code #82)
- Tuition Assistance (code #111)
- Community Services (code #119)
- Financial Aid/Benevolence Fund (code #96)
- Church Budget (code #126)

Future Events

Dec 15 (Sat)	5:00 PM	Christmas Party
Dec 19 (Wed)	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting
Dec 26 (Wed)		NO PRAYER MEETING
Jan 2 (Wed)		NO PRAYER MEETING

Happy Events

Dec 18	Happy Birthday	Nicole Aoytes
Dec 22	Happy Birthday	Armand Domingo
Dec 24	Happy Birthday	Shirley Purucker
Dec 27	Happy Anniversary	Nestor & Mary Lou Domingo
Dec 29	Happy Birthday	Laura Bauchert
Dec 30	Happy Birthday	Andrew Galvan

Colton Seventh-day Adventist Church
Christmas Program

Saturday, December 15, 2018

11:00 a.m.



The Greatest Story Ever Told

COLTON SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
At Worship

Angels From The Realms of Glory

Angels from the realms of glory,
Wing your flight o'er all the earth;
Ye, who sang creation's story,
Now proclaim Messiah's birth;
Come and worship, Come and worship,
Worship Christ, the newborn King.

Shepherds, in the field abiding,
Watching o'er your flocks by night,
God with man is now residing;
Yonder shines the Infant Light;
Come and worship, Come and worship,
Worship Christ, the newborn King.

Sages, leave your contemplations,
Brighter visions beam afar;
Seek the great Desire of nations;
Ye have seen His natal star;
Come and worship, Come and worship,
Worship Christ, the newborn King.

Saints, before the altar bending,
Watching long in hope and fear,
Suddenly the Lord, descending,
In His temple shall appear;
Come and worship, Come and worship,
Worship Christ, the newborn King.

Prelude		Jerry Johnson
Opening Hymn	<i>"Angels From The Realms of Glory"</i>	119
Invocation		Pastor John Choi
Announcements/Meet and Greet		Mary Lou Domingo Pastor John Choi
Offering Call	<i>Local Church Budget</i>	Mary Lemos
Call for Children's Offering		Mary Lou Domingo
Children's Story		Mary Lou Domingo
Prayer Song	<i>"O Come Let Us Adore Him"</i> <i>"O Come let us adore Him, O come let us adore Him, O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord"</i>	Praise Team
Garden of Prayer		Carlos Lemos
Prayer Response	<i>"For He Alone Is Worthy"</i> <i>"For He alone is worthy, For He alone is worthy, For He alone is worthy, Christ the Lord"</i>	Praise Team

**Christmas is a story. But it is unlike any
other Christmas story because this story is true.
Other stories may warm our hearts, but there
is only one story that can change our hearts.
and that is the story of the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ.**

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The Greatest Story Ever Told

The Christmas story in word and song

Scripture Reading

Matthew 2:4-6

Kristi Cruise

⁴ When he had called together all the people's chief priests and teachers of the law, he asked them where the Messiah was to be born.

⁵ "In Bethlehem in Judea," they replied, "for this is what the prophet has written:

⁶ "But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for out of you will come a ruler who will shepherd my people Israel.

"O Little Town of Bethlehem"

Kids in Song

"Mary Did You Know"

Celestial Signs

Scripture Reading

Luke 2:4-7

Henry Garci

⁴ So Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to Bethlehem the town of David, because he belonged to the house and line of David.

⁵ He went there to register with Mary, who was pledged to be married to him and was expecting a child.

⁶ While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born,

⁷ and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no guest room available for them.

"O Holy Night"

Nancy Irby, soloist

"Sweet Jesus"

Mixed Quartet

Scripture Reading

Luke 2:8-12

Kristen Elsasser

⁸ And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night.

⁹ An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified.

Scripture Reading (cont.) Luke 2:8-12

¹⁰ But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people.

¹¹ Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; He is the Messiah, the Lord.

¹² This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger."

"Noel"

Ladies' Sextet

"God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen"

Choir

Scripture Reading

Luke 2:13-16

Marshall Sedano

¹³ Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying,

¹⁴ "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests."

¹⁵ When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another,

"Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about."

¹⁶ So they hurried off and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby, who was lying in the manger.

"Echo Carol"

Men's Quartet

"Breath of Heaven"

Celestial Signs

Sermonette

The Greatest Story Ever Told

Pastor John Choi

"Still the Greatest Story Ever Told"

Mixed Octet

"Carol For the King"

Choir

Benediction

Pastor John Choi

Postlude

Jerry Johnson