

# Church Newsletter

## Organ Dedication and Concert

The Ukiah Seventh-day Adventist Church proudly presents the Organ Dedication Concert on Sabbath, September 9, 2017, at 1390 Laurel Avenue. The order of events for the day includes:

Worship Service - 11:00 am  
 Potluck Luncheon - 1:00 pm at  
 Ukiah Junior Academy  
 180 Stipp Lane, Ukiah  
 Organ Dedication Concert - 4:00 pm

At this service to dedicate our beautiful Rodgers organ, we will be blessed with a special sacred concert presented by internationally renowned organist Dan Miller. In fact, he is coming here directly from an international organ concert and classes in China on his way back home!

He comes with a vast background of music, having served as a church organist since the age of fifteen and has served at numerous churches around the country through the years. Currently he is the organist for St. Matthew Lutheran Church and a guest organist for Bethel Congregational Church, both in Beaverton, Oregon, and as guest organist for Rose City Park United Methodist Church in Portland, as well as a guest organist at many other churches nationwide.

Mr. Miller holds a Church Music Diploma from Moody Bible Institute. He majored in organ performance at the American Conservatory of Music, holds a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from Florida Atlantic University and a Master of Music degree in Organ Performance from Winthrop University. Additionally, he has numerous organ CD recordings. He is in his 18th year at Rodgers Instruments US LLC, one of the world's leading organ builders, in Hillsboro, Oregon, as Rodgers Artist and Tonal Professional. He also is an Adjunct Professor of Organ at George Fox University in Newberg, Oregon.



Dan Miller, internationally renowned organist, will appear in concert at our church for our organ dedication on September 9.

## Outdoor Church

September 23 is the Sabbath selected for Ukiah Church's annual Outdoor Church at Lake Mendocino, Pomo B. We hope you will join together that day at the lake! Please bring a lawn chair or blanket to sit on and food to share at the potluck following the service. Watch your church bulletin as more information becomes available.

## First Friday Monthly Vespers

Don't forget to add First Friday to your calendar! This monthly vespers, hosted by Adventist Health Ukiah Valley, is an opportunity to minister to the community with worship and a soup supper. It happens on the first Friday of every month in the Glenn Miller conference room of the hospital, starting at 5:30 p.m. However, the next vespers will be on September 8 instead because the first Friday this month is a holiday weekend. For more information contact Natalie Barahona.

## Coming Events

October 6-8 and October 13-15, 2017 will be "From Overwhelmed to Overcomer," the Northern California Christian Women's Retreat, and will be held at Leoni Meadows Retreat Center for these two weekends. Information and registration forms are available on the hall bulletin board by the church office.

October 7, 2017 -- Guest speaker, Elder Grant Agadjanian, a converted atheist and who now works with Muslims, will be here. More information coming.

October 27 & 28 -- Voice of Prophecy presents "A Pale Horse Rides," the untold story of the 1,200 years between Constantine and Martin Luther nailing the 95 theses to the castle church door. Join us for this exciting series! Watch for further information on the hall bulletin board by the church office.

## AMEN Health Clinic

As the Ukiah AMEN Health Clinic dates of October 17-20, 2017, approach next month, volunteer help continues to be needed. Clinic hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. for set-up day, the 17th. (Also help will be needed for taking down on the afternoon of the 20th.) Volunteers are needed for medical and dental personnel as well as non-medical helpers.

Much help is still needed in the following areas: Kitchen/cooking meals, dentists and dental assistants and hygienists, dental TX areas, sound engineers, in child care and plant maintenance.

Additionally, there is a need for a few toys for the children we will be babysitting during the AMEN Clinic. They need to be clean, durable and willing to be parted with if necessary. Even if returnable, they may not come back in the same condition. Please contact Ester Ballard or Deb Attaway if you can help with this.

Of importance to note, volunteers in all areas MUST be registered to be involved and allowed to help for insurance purposes and to know how many meals to plan for. If you have not registered yet, please do so right away. Go to the church website at [ukiahda.com](http://ukiahda.com) and select AMEN and follow the directions or call 707-695-0432.

In preparation for the AMEN clinic, there are health presentations for our church family and community friends. These are held at 3:00 p.m. Sabbath afternoons following the potluck at UJA. The last two to be presented are: "The Counterfeit Reality—high tech addictions—gaming and pornography" and "How to Escape the Pleasure Trap—why we're bored by the Bible and have no time to read it."

## Men's Convention

Coming late this month, September 29-October 1 is the 2017 Men's Convention "Chosen For Action" on board the Aircraft Carrier USS Hornet. See the hall bulletin board poster at the church for further information. To sign up call or text Pastor Williams or call the church office.

## School News

✓ The Fourth Annual Glenn Miller Memorial Golf Tournament is now arriving on Friday, September 15. The tournament is a fund raiser, supporting student scholarships, for Ukiah Junior Academy and is in memory of Dr. Glenn Miller who was a long-time supporter of Christian education. Registration is at 7:00 a.m. with the tournament beginning at 8:00am at the Ukiah Valley Golf Course, 599 Park Boulevard. Parents are invited to participate as a player, a sponsor of the event, or as a volunteer. For more details and information, you may call Steve Miller, 707-391-1749.

✓ Ukiah Natural Foods Co-op will donate 5% of your purchases to our school during their "Give Back to Schools Week," September 18-24. Just tell your cashier you choose Ukiah Junior Academy--it costs you nothing!

## Fellowship Lunch Schedule

September 2	Sonrise Service/Dale & Barbara Morrison
September 9	ALL CHURCH POTLUCK at UJA
September 16	UJA Staff/Home & School/Eric Stubbert & Team
September 23	OUTDOOR CHURCH at Lake Mendocino/Social Committee/GeoffRice & Team
September 30	Gabriel Barraza & Spanish Congregation

At all potlucks members are asked to bring 6 generous servings for themselves and each person with them.

Information deadline for the October newsletter: September 26, 2017. Contact Glenda Merklin by email (preferred) at [gsmerklin@yahoo.com](mailto:gsmerklin@yahoo.com) or by text at 909-786-7617.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>September 2017</h1>						
					1 First Friday Monthly Vespers NEXT Friday instead because of holiday weekend  Sunset 7:45 pm	2 Sunrise Srv 8:30 am "All Sing" 10:55am-Marty Robbins  Sunset 7:43 pm
3	4 <i>Labor Day</i>  No school at UJA	5	6 Community Service Center 9-11:45am  Revelation Now Part 2 - 7:00 pm	7 Veggie Food Store 2:30-4:30 pm	8 First Friday Vespers at Glenn Miller Conf Rm at AHUV, 5:30 pm  Sunset 7:34 pm	9 Sunrise Srv 8:30 am Tim Eberhardt 10:55am-Eric Williams Organ Dedication & Concert, 4:00 pm Sunset 7:32 pm
10	11	12	13 Community Service Center 9-11:45 am  Revelation Now Part 2 - 7:00 pm	14 Veggie Food Store 2:30-4:30 pm	15 4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Glenn Miller Memorial Golf Tournament, Ukiah Valley Golf Course, 8 am (Register at 7 am)  Sunset 7:22 pm	16 Sunrise Srv 8:30am Steve Fox 10:55am-Eric Williams  Sunset 7:21 pm
17	18 <i>Give Back To School Week 2017</i> at Ukiah Natural Foods Co-op begins, running through the 24 <sup>th</sup> (see article)	19	20 Community Service Center 9-11:45 am  Revelation Now Part 2 - 7:00 pm	21 Veggie Food Store 2:30-4:30 pm	22  Sunset 7:11 pm	23 NO Sunrise Service 10:55am--Eric Williams--Outdoor Church, Lake Mendocino, Pomo B  Sunset 7:09 pm
24	25	26	27 Community Service Center 9-11:45 am  Revelation Now Part 2 - 7:00 pm	28 Veggie Food Store 2:30-4:30 pm	29 UJA Cookie Dough Fund raiser ends  Men's Convention (29-Oct 1)  Sunset 7:00 pm	30 Sunrise Srv 8:30am  10:55am-Doug Barahona  Sunset 6:58 pm