January 16, 2016

Song Leader - Julio Roman  
Pianist - Laetitia Demarest

Sermonette - David LeMarr  
Sermon - David Jackson

Please silence cell phones

2 Peter 1:10-11  Therefore, brethren, be even more diligent to make your call and election sure, for if you do these things you will never stumble; for so an entrance will be supplied to you abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Sunset tonight is 5:11 pm  
Sunset Friday, January 22 is 5:18 pm
Church News

In this week’s *In Accord*, treasurer Britton Taylor gives a review of the activities in the Allen office and an encouraging update on the finances of the Church. He also gives a behind-the-scenes look at the process used in setting the Church’s budget for 2016. View at http://members.cogwa.org/news/in-accord/

Upcoming Events

**FI Online Webinar**  -  every Wednesday at 9pm EST  [http://foundationinstitute.org/online](http://foundationinstitute.org/online)  

**Friday Night Live**  -  3rd Friday night of the month at 8pm  -  Teen/Young Adult webcast bible study  [http://members.cogwa.org/fnl/](http://members.cogwa.org/fnl/)

**Virginia Beach Weekend**  -  Jan 15-17

**International Potluck**  -  February 6, Claret Hall

**Young Adult Leadership Weekend**  -  Feb 12

**Ladies’ Tea**  -  Sunday Feb 14

Upcoming Sabbath Services

Sabbath services start at 1:30pm, and will be held at Claret Hall through January.

**Important:** Do not connect any electronic device to Claret Hall’s WiFi during church services. This interferes with the ability to have a strong connection for the webcast.

Announcements

The first Sabbath in February we will have an International Potluck. Please bring a dish from the country of your heritage! If you have a mixture of cultures in your background, choose one that people either don’t know about, or one that you’d like to highlight.

Last night, Jan 15, Dave Myers presented “Teach Your Children Well...Well, What?” at the latest Friday Night Live bible study. The replay is available.

Me? Teach my child about God and His Way? How am i supposed to do that? While we parents know that God gives us the responsible to teach our children the truth, actually doing it can be quite a challenge. We can easily feel lost and overwhelmed by this vital task.

A large portion of our young adults in the Church have young children at home and are looking for help in guiding these young lives - which is why the Church of God, a Worldwide Association, recently launched Encourage, Equip & Inspire, a Resource Manual for Parents and gave a free copy to hundreds of families at the 2015 Feast of Tabernacles. Several hundred more have downloaded the digital version.

What exactly is the parents’ manual? What are the principles that underlie it? How am I supposed to use it? What’s in it, and how is it organized? How do I get started? In this session we will answer these questions, as well as discuss the companion EEI website, upcoming additions to the manual, the Facebook community we’d like you to participate in, and picture/video additions. During this session, you will have the opportunity to interact with us via our live online polls.

Don’t have children at home right now? There are still many reasons to join us: You may one day have children; one day you may become responsible for children; you may wish to help and support friends who have young children; in the World Tomorrow your job swill be to teach!

Today, we need to be out of the hall by 5:00pm. Please start gathering your belongings at 4:45pm to exit the hall.