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Mandarin SDA Church

*Celebrating Grace One Person at a Time*

## Welcome to Our Worship Service

### Children's Story

*Lord I Lift Your Name on High*

### Family Prayer Time

*Holy is the Lord*

### Offering

### Ministry Spotlight

*God of this City*

### Message

*"Got Jesus?"*

Pastor Juan Rodriguez

### Jacksonville Mandarin Goal #1

(As voted on October 24, 2009)

***To remain focused on the Great Commission Jesus has given, and become a 21st century missionary where we live, work, and play.***

- By continuing to teach and preach the importance of being mission minded and allowing God's Spirit to take possession of our hearts and church so that wherever we are, we are reflecting God's love.
- By being committed to being empowered and equipped to follow God's mission for our lives.
- Through ministry fairs, and spiritual gift surveys, we will discover how God has gifted us to intentionally live out His commission.
- By continuing to embrace the Biblical truths as taught by the Seventh-day Adventist Church and create new ways to share those beliefs to our family, friends, co-workers, and community.
- By creating intentional programs for the community through socials, parties, and special events.
- This objective is ongoing.

## Our Church Family Finances

February Tithes Returned: \$ 37,655.19

Monthly Church Budget: \$ 19,055.00

Received Toward Feb. Budget: \$ 13,484.40

Needed to Meet Feb. Budget: \$ **5,570.60**

### ***MSDA Budgeted Line Items:***

Building & Grounds	\$1,300	Transportation	\$ 250
Copier Expense	\$ 320	Jr. High, Sr. High, Yng Adult	\$ 300(\$100ea)
Electric	\$1,700	JAA	\$6,700
Insurance	\$2,250	Sabbath School Materials	\$ 480
Church Employees	\$3,500	Multimedia	\$ 380
Office & Kitchen Supplies	\$ 500	Christmas Program	\$ 200
Telephone & Internet	\$ 500	Evangelism	\$ 375
Pastor's Ministry/Misc. Fund	\$ 50	Social Events	\$ 100
Pathfinders	\$ 100	Communion Supplies	\$ 50

A/C Units Giving to Date: \$63,540.11      Balance for A/C Units: \$18,459.89

*Thank you for your faithful giving.*



## Elders of the Month

Jacque Flottman      262-6189

Jeff Schultz      519-6906

## Church Staff

Pastor: Juan M. Rodriguez

Head Elder: Britt Hissong

Head Deacon: Bill Michelin

Head Deaconess: Hermya Smith

Church Clerk: Linda Rowe

Church Growth: Sandra McDaniel

JAA Principal: Richard Butterfield

Worship Minister: Robert Graham Jr.

Treasurer: Charlie Bolton

Admin. Assistant: Odalys Rodriguez

## Church Office & Health Food Store

Regular Office Hours:      Tues. - Thurs.      8:00am - 3:00pm  
Mon. & Fri.      CLOSED

Health Food Store Hours:      Tues. - Thurs.      8:00am - 3:00pm  
Wed.      7:30 - 8:30pm

For more information, contact Ivy Brooks at 737-9462.  
The Health Food Store accepts cash or checks only.



## Sunset Calendar

03/06 6:28pm

03/12 6:32pm

03/13 6:32pm

## Offering Schedule

The offering schedule listed below follows the Florida Conference emphasis. Please mark your tithe envelope accordingly. All loose offerings are applied to the local church funds.

March

6 Church Budget

13 Adventist World Radio

20 Church Budget

27 Florida Advance

## Announcements

### Congratulations

To Jennifer Kaufmann & Joshua Whidden. Jennifer & Josh were married February 27 in a small family wedding at Ribault Club, Ft. George Island. May God greatly bless their union.

### Pathfinders & Parents

The March campout will be postponed due to a conflict with another event. The new date has yet to be determined. Stay posted to the weekly MSDA program for updates.

### Chef Julio

Orange Cove SDA Church will be hosting a two-day seminar with Chef Julio Barillas. He will be answering questions about the benefits of a balanced vegetarian lifestyle. The sessions will equip you with practical knowledge to obtain optimal wellness and longevity. The event will take place TODAY, March 6 from 4-7pm and Sunday, March 7 from 10am - 1pm.

A 4 week vegetarian cooking school will begin on Tuesday March 9 and conclude on March 30. Sessions will take place from 6:30-8:00pm.

For more information, call 269-2607.

### Oakwood University Choir

Dynamic Praise Choir from O.U. is coming to town on Friday, March 12 and will be performing a FREE concert at Ephesus SDA Church at 7:00pm. Invite your friends and family. You don't want to miss this gospel event.

### Bridal Shower

Please join us for a Bridal Shower in honor of Lindsay Schultz on Saturday, March 20 at 7:00pm at the Kaufmanns located at 11909 Hood Landing. Parking is limited. Please carpool if possible. RSVP to Cindy at 262-6803 or cdkdog@yahoo.com. Please bring an hors d'oeuvre.

Lindsay is registered at Bed, Bath, and Beyond, and Target.

### Baby Shower

Please join us for a Baby Shower for Angela Barnhart Gomez on Sunday, March 21 at 1:00pm at the MSDA Church Fellowship Hall. RSVP by March 7 by calling 269-1151. Angela is registered at Babies R Us.

We will be playing a Diaper/Wipe raffle game. Bring diapers or wipes and have the chance to win a great gift! You may enter as many times as you would like per package of diapers or wipes.

### Spring Into Service

Is the theme for our yearly Ministry Fair coming on March 27th. We'll have informational booths for each church ministry as well as the opportunity for you to sign-up to serve in the ministry or ministries which interest you.

We will also have inflatables & concessions.



## Announcements

### Acquire the Fire

Attention all Junior High, High School, and College students as well as Young Adults. Acquire the Fire is coming to Tampa on April 23 & 24. The cost will be \$120 per person. This includes registration, transportation, all of your meals, and 2 nights at the Embassy Suites Hotel.

Please sign-up with your youth/young adult leader:

Junior High: Odalys Rodriguez or Sandy Torres

High School: Paul & Tina Cherol or Elaine Relaford

Collegiate/Young Adult: Kristen Robinson

We only have **33** spots available and they are filling up fast so sign-up soon!

\*If you would like to sponsor a child to attend this special event, please make checks payable to MSDA Church for \$120. Please put "Acquire the Fire" in the Memo portion of the check

### Midweek Snack

If you are not receiving weekly inspirational thoughts from Pastor Juan and you are interested in receiving them, send your request for the Midweek Snack to [crisojnic@msn.com](mailto:crisojnic@msn.com).

### Men's Group

As men, we carry a heavy load. Needing a place to just share and let go of your burdens? Join us every Wednesday evening at 7:00pm at the home of Jeffrey Kirk. For more information and directions, please contact Jeffrey at 962-8457.

### The Adventists

This one-hour documentary film will air on most PBS stations the week of April 5th (check your local listings).

The film focuses on SDA's and explores the history and contemporary story of a faith group whose members are some of the healthiest and longest living people on the planet.

The Adventists DVD will be available beginning in March online from Journey Films and April 1 at various retail outlets.

## Transfer Requests

### First Reading:

Diane Cvercko wishes to transfer her membership to MSDA from Forest Lake SDA Church, Apopka, FL.

Kevin & Susan Lee wish to transfer their membership to MSDA from Orange Park SDA Church.

Arnold & Carolyn Bray wish to transfer their MSDA membership to Huntsville Central SDA Church, Huntsville, AL.

Jamie Martinez wishes to transfer his MSDA membership to Jacksonville Spanish SDA Church, Jacksonville, FL.

## Weekly Ministries

### Saturday Afternoons

**1:30pm**

**Prayer Warriors**

Leader: Winston Relaford 584-2773

**5:00pm**

**Children's Discipleship Classes**

Leader: Kristen Robinson 349-5147

**Adult Discipleship Classes**

Leader: Valerie Hayes 864-7479

**6:30pm**

**Youth Bible Study**

Leaders:

Tina Cherol 708-2390

Paul Gayle 886-2474

### Wednesdays

**6:00pm**

**Adventurer Club Mtg.**

Leaders:

Marina Anderson (817) 808-8824

Jennifer Hickman 890-1958

**6:30pm**

**Pathfinder Club Mtg.**

Leaders:

Shane & Betsy Greene 782-1369

Zaidilie Gutierrez 472-3028

Robert & Debbie Scheibe 262-2673

**7:00pm**

**Men's Group**

Leader: Jeffrey Kirk 962-8457

**7:00pm**

**The Gathering**

Leader: Hermya Smith 327-1119

### Thursdays

**7:00pm**

**Women's Bible Study**

Leader:

Ann Eakins 233-5906

Jacque Flottman 673-6120

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### March Events:

7 Youth Car Wash

8 JAA -

Noon Dismissal

9 7:00pm

JAA Board Mtg.

14 10am-2pm

JAA Academic

Fair - Required

School Day

14 Daylight Savings

Time Begins

16 7:00pm

Business

& Finance Mtg.

18 7:00pm

JAA Open House

20 7:00pm

Lindsay Schultz

Bridal Shower

21 1:00pm

Angela Gomez

Baby Shower

22-26 JAA - Spring Break

27 Ministry Fair

30 7:00pm

AdCom Mtg.



## Jacksonville Adventist Academy

### Contact Information:

Richard Butterfield, Principal  
4298 Livingston Rd., Jax, FL 32257

Phone: 268-2433 Fax: 268-7770

Principal's Cell: 304-5760

Website: [www.jaxaa.org](http://www.jaxaa.org)

Account Manager: Tina Cherol

Direct Line: 562-1183

E-mail: [treasurer@jaxaa.org](mailto:treasurer@jaxaa.org)

### Open House

Jacksonville Adventist Academy will be having an Open House & Registration on Thursday, March 18 at 7:00pm.

Everyone is welcome to attend, view our wonderful school, receive more information regarding next school year, and have the opportunity to register your child for the 2010-2011 school year.

We are already looking forward to an exciting new school year and we want you and your child to be a part of it!

### VPK Coming to JAA

JAA is currently in the approval/re-certification process for the voluntary Pre-K program. If you have a child who will be turning 4 years old by August 31 and are interested in FREE Pre-K, call JAA at 268-2433 to be placed on the waiting list.

### Position Available

JAA is looking for a Certified VPK Director. The candidate should possess a degree in Early Childhood Education. All applicants should contact Mrs. Duncan at the school number.

### Interested in Having Your Child at JAA?

Mr. Butterfield would love to speak with you. Contact him with your interest, and he will be glad to set up a time to meet with you at the school or at your home. Please see above for contact information.