# Connecting People to Christ





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#### Sabbath School Classes

9:30-10:25 am

Beginner	Meeting Rm 3
Pre-K/Kindergarten	Meeting Rm 6
Primary	Meeting Rm 5
Middle School	Meeting Rm 4
High School/Collegiate	Meeting Rm 7
	(right @ platform)
Adult	Sanctuary, Rear Right
Open Circle	Family Training Rm
Adult/French	Meeting Rm 8
	(left @ platform)
Adult/Women	Meeting Rm 2

#### **Outline of Worship Service**

11:00 am Worship Host's Greeting Children's Corner **Praise Songs** 

Prayer Garden Gifts of Worship Worship in Song Worship Message

Prayer of Dedication Closing Song

Farewell

Fellowship & Social Time

#### Sunset Calendar

Friday		Saturday	
May 6	8:01p / May	7	8:02p
May 13	8:05p / May	14	8:06p
May 20	8:09p / May	21	8:09p
May 27	8:13p / May	28	8:13p
June 3	8:16p / June	4	8:16p

#### Visit Us Online

#### Naples SDA Church

www.NaplesSDAChurch.org www.Facebook.com/NaplesSDAChurch www.NaplesSDAChurch.Sermon.TV www.AdventistGiving.org/?OrgID=ANTBKQ www.Pinterest.com/BestNplsChurch www.Lavec.org

#### Naples Adventist Christian School www.NaplesACS.org

www.Facebook.com/NaplesACS

**Naples Pathfinders Facebook** 

www.Facebook.com/NaplesPathfinders

Common Cause Facebook

www.Facebook.com/CommonCausePraiseBand

# Announcements

# **Lunch with Friends** May 7



Each month we hold a special opportunity to get to know one another better. And what could be better than while having a great meal? If you are new to the church, or perhaps you just want an opportunity to meet a new friend, our monthly lunch is a great opportunity for you! You are invited to stay for dinner after church the first Sabbath of each month. This is a time to connect with your church family, so bring a vegetarian dish with plenty to share. Find a new friend over a delicious meal!

# We Are Called to Serve: Breakfast in the Park



Breakfast in the Park is more than just providing a good meal, it's about showing love and compassion to those that need it the most. Lives are being transformed, hearts are turning to Christ, and souls are being won for God's Kingdom! It is God's mission in full action! If you haven't come out to serve yet, what are you waiting for? Breakfast in the park is held each Sunday morning at 9:30am at the East Naples Community Park located at 3500 Thomasson Drive. A wide range of volunteers are needed. Come out and serve those of our community that need it most! Great experiences are happening each week. Conat 239-537-8748 rhbd@earthlink.net for more details.

# **NACS Seeking Part-Time Music Teacher**

Do you love to teach students the beauty found in music? NACS is seeking a parttime music teacher for the 2016-2017 school year. Must have a degree in Music Interested applicants should Education. send their resume to

subrinaminnisnacs@gmail.com.

# Want to Impact Lives and Show God's Love?



our Buddies give you a break!

Connecting through service. Buddy Break will be held May 13 from 6:30-9:30. Please email BuddyBreakNaples@gmail.com or contact Michelle Crombie directly at 239-272-8031 to register for training and any additional information. Spread the word to families of special needs children. This is a free respite program offered just for them! Donations are always accepted to help offset craft/project supplies, volunteer items, sport/game equipment and administration supplies.

# Sabbath School Lessons Online Resources

Looking for a convenient way to always have your Sabbath School lesson with you while helping the church to save a little extra money? There's a solution! Your Sabbath School lesson can be found online!! Below are the links to a couple of great sites and options. Plus, there are apps for all your smart phones as well. Download the apps today!!

http://ssnet.org/daily-lessons/ http://www.absg.adventist.org/

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## **Upcoming Events:**

May I @ 9a Breakfast in the Park May I @ 10a Family Fun Day May 4 @ 7p Prayer Meeting May 6 @ 7p

Youth Bible Study @ Boothby's May 7 @ 12:45 Lunch with Friends May 7 @ 6p

**AFTERSHOCK Youth Ministry** May 8 @ 9a Breakfast in the Park May 9 @ 12:30p

NACS Early Release

May 10 @ 7p

Church Board Meeting May II @ 7p Prayer Meeting

May 12 @ 6p

NACS Kindergarten Graduation May 13 @ 11a NACS Awards Day May 13 @ 6:30p **Buddy Break** May 13 @ 7p

Youth Bible Study @ Boothby's May 15 @ 9a Breakfast in the Park May 17 @ 6:30p

NACS End of Year Wrap-Up Prayer Meeting May 18 @ 7p May 20 @ 8:30a NACS Pool Party May 20 @ 7p

Youth Bible Study @ Boothby's May 21

NACS 8th Grade Graduation May 22 @ 9a Breakfast in the Park May 25 @ 7p Prayer Meeting May 27 @ 7p

Youth Bible Study @ Boothby's May 28 @ 11a Youth Church May 29 @ 9a Breakfast in the Park

#### Stay Connected











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# **Church Directory**

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# Naples Adventist Christian School News

To stay connected with all the great NACS events & announcements visit our Facebook page!

We hope you were able to come to the Great Leader/Science Fair evening to enjoy seeing the projects and hear some of our students present their portrayal of their great leader. We discovered we have a few preachers in our student body. Thank you to all that participated, donated, and purchased items at our 1st yard sale and we netted \$700.00. Please mark your calendar for the upcoming graduations: Kindergarten, Thursday, May 12 @ 6:00-7:30pm and 8th grade, Saturday, May 21, time to be determined.

#### **Church Elders**

Kendall Chaffee	Shamid Cheriel	Lynda Courtright	Todd Fitts
Bill Fries	Sharon Foster	Dennis Mosby	

### Offering Schedule

In light of the Second Coming, God's mission mandate for the Naples Seventh-day Adventist Church is to connect people to Christ,

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be transformed into

May 7: Local Church Budget / May 14: Disaster & Famine Relief / May 21: Local Church Budget / May 28: Florida Advance

#### **Local Church Giving**

Our tithe reflects our faithfulness; our offerings reflect our gratefulness

	Monthly	MTD	YTD	YTD	YTD-Current
April 2016	Budget	Income	Budget	Income	Over/(Under)
Church Budget	10,901	7,065	41,959	32,671	(9,288)
NACS-Student Aid	1,000	70	3,849	1,633	(2,216)

# Stewardship Thoughts: Truths That Transform

The Priority of Planning - Years ago I first visited south Florida, I found it Ugly (Yes, that's ugly with a capital U!). All the swamps and huge bugs that never die were a real turn off. But when I experienced the plans Florida entrepreneurs such as Walt Disney and others envisioned and implemented I realized how Florida has transformed itself from swampland to a tourism and retirement hot spot. Excellent restaurants and entertainment coupled with relaxing sunset views, ocean beaches, palm trees, and year-round sunshine have coalesced to endear South Florida as a tropical paradise for me too. This past week as I drove through the swamps of "Alligator Alley" (connecting Naples and Miami) it hit me that our financial lives can be similarly transformed. It is possible to move from where we are now to Freed-Up Financial Living with some intentional planning, if those plans are committed to God. Provers 16:3 encourages us to "Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and He will establish your plans". Planning change in our lives is so much more hopefilled when God is part of it. Luke 14:28-29 highlights the importance of planning: "Suppose one of you wants to build a tower. Won't you first sit down and estimate the cost to see if you have enough money to complete it? For if you lay the foundation and are not able to finish it, everyone who sees it will ridicule you." Part of laying the foundation for a solid financial plan involves understanding how we are motivated with regard to money. The four most common emotional money motivations are freedom, security, power, and love. None of these are bad - unless they take priority over our dependence on God to help us plan and implement those plans. Knowing our financial motivations and understanding the spiritual and biblical basis for financial planning will equip us to implement plans for earning, giving, saving, spending and debt in our own lives and in the lives of those we serve.