

## Welcome!

Our speaker this morning is James Winegardner, Senior Pastor at Keene Seventh-day Adventist Church.

**If you desire to unite with our church family** by transfer or baptism, or wish to speak to a pastor, please fill out the "Welcome" card in the pew and drop it in the offering, or email [secretary@keenechurch.com](mailto:secretary@keenechurch.com).

## Prayer requests (New names in bold)

Mary Ann Hodges, Anonymus, Sharon Barnes, Mark Brooks, Jim Devlin, Ida English, Willadean Estell, Michael Hamilton, Bobby Hodges, Claressa McBrown, Gabriel Nolasco, Frank Peterson, Rusty Rowan, Cindy Shirley, Shirley Shirley, Cathy Siems, Karen Smith, Richard Trumper, Barbara Voth, Richard Williams. (**Requests appear for six months. To remain longer, please call the church.**) **Prayer requests:** [prayer@keenechurch.com](mailto:prayer@keenechurch.com).

**Today's pulpit flowers** are provided by the Southwestern Region Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, who will hold their constituency meeting at our church this Saturday night and Sunday.

## Our church

**Visitors, we're glad you're here!** Thank you for blessing our church family with your presence and participation this morning. Come back soon!

**Keene Community Food Bank is happening today!** Come to the Annex at noon to volunteer or at 1pm to receive food. See you there!

## Life Groups (see board near Welcome Desk for details)

9/21 - The Professor Says...in Room 104 at 4pm with Dr. Campbell

9/22 - Kayaking at 5:30 pm (meet in church parking lot)

9/22 - Gardening Group - 7pm at the Annex

9/24 - Grief Support Group with Sonia Vergel - 7:30pm in Room 106

9/25 – Trivial Pursuit, 8pm, Annex

**The Professor Says...** Please mark your calendars for September 21, October 19 and November 2nd at 4pm in Room 104. These are the dates professors from SWAU will be presenting a topic and discussion on various topics. Dr. Campbell will be presenting in September, Dr. Rico in October and Dr. Azevedo in November. Please check the poster at the Welcome Desk for full information.

**Wednesday night Bible study** - Pastor James Winegardner will lead in the Chapel at 7pm.

**Church Board Meeting** We will be having church board this Tuesday at 7pm. We will be meeting at the Annex this month.

**Game Night** Grab a friend/family and bring a game and a snack to the Annex for a game night on Sept 28 at 7pm.

**It is time to ADOPT A COLLEGE STUDENT for the 2019-2020 school year!** Are you willing to open your home to one or more college students over the next school year, be adoptive parents, and provide a warm meal and kind words? Please email [maryellenwinegardner@gmail.com](mailto:maryellenwinegardner@gmail.com) if you are willing.

**May the Force Be with You** Pastor Rick will be teaching a mobile phone technology class for Seniors called "May the Force be With You" at the East Cleburne Community Center at 602 Olive St, Cleburne, TX 76031. The six-week class will begin on October 4 at 10am at the Library. If you missed the class in August in Keene, come join us in Cleburne! This class is a repeat of the class taught in Keene.

**Oct. 11-13 Church campout, Lake Whitney State Park!** Enjoy nature, fellowship, and worship on the lake shore. If you don't camp, you can still join us Sabbath for worship, potluck and smores on Saturday night. \$24 per night per site + \$5 per day per person over 13. Reservations or cancellations required by Sept. 27 to Veronique, [vcwiist00@gmail.com](mailto:vcwiist00@gmail.com).

**Missing Camels** Two stuffed animal camels are missing from the children's division. If you have seen them, please bring them to the two-year-old sabbath school room.

**Kids Eat Free This Fall** We've expanded our Kid's Eat Free Program to support children from three schools at Keene ISD. We are currently delivering 35 bags a week to qualified children who need food each week. Thank you for your continued donations of kid-friendly food to the church each week! It is making a difference in our children's lives!

**A New Life Bible School** – *"I've been able to stay very busy in ministries with the few other Adventist believers here. I pray every morning for the Lord to use me to shine His light to others."* – Student

## Our schools

### Keene Adventist Elementary School

- **Family Fun Fest** is September 29, 11am to 3pm at Elisa Carver Park, Keene. Enjoy food, games, prizes, bounce houses and much more! Open to the community! (In case of bad weather, we will move to the Chisholm Trail Academy Gym.)

### Chisholm Trail Academy

- **CTA Garage Sale** the Senior class is having a garage sale in the CTA parking lot on Sunday, October 13, from 8am-1pm. If you would like to rent a parking space for \$10 a space to sell your own items, you may contact Mrs. Hall at 817-229-4998. If you would like to donate items for the sale you may contact Mrs. Hall.

## Southwestern Adventist University

- **International Food/Missions Fair** November 3rd from 2-6pm SWAU will host their Annual International Food and Missions Fair in the gymnasium. Lots of wonderful international food will be available to purchase and the money will go to a great cause! Come eat, fellowship with the community, students and learn more about your local and international mission organizations.

## Our community

**Carter BloodCare mobile unit** will be in our upper parking lot on October 5 from 8:30 am to 1pm. Thank you for your faithful blood gifts that help sustain our community's life and health!

**Norse Church – the oldest standing Seventh-day Adventist church in Texas**—invites you to its annual Sabbath celebration on October 12, 9:30 am in Clifton. Pastor Jerrod Songy will preach. Forever His and the Bosque River Band will provide music, there'll be baptisms, and a fellowship potluck with fresh cobbler to follow. Bring lawn chairs! To join the morning 30-minute horseback trail ride to Norse Church contact Yddo Ortiz, 817-517-4650. For directions see the poster at the church office.

## Sabbath School classes

**Love in Action:** Above parents' room, Russ Weaver

**Young at Heart:** Room 104, Gathering Place, Earl West

**Connections:** Room 106, Gathering Place, Mary Ellen Winegardner

**Fellowship Hall 1:** Spanish Class (F Porras, B Morales, C Ramirez)

**Fellowship Hall 2:** English 1 (Becker, Johnston, Kilgore, Konrad, Spalding)

**Fellowship Hall 3:** English 2 (Baker, Gomez, Morales)

**Filipino:** Room 103: Eclar, Fernando, Fabriga, Dumpasan, Mabaquiao, Guarin

**Gathering Place Room 107:** Vernelda Bischoff

**Chapel Sabbath School:** Roger Mikesell, Superintendent

**Keene Church Annex:** Place of Grace, [www.placeofgrace.org](http://www.placeofgrace.org)

**Office Conference Room:** Christian Evans, Tony Zbaraschuk

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