

Happy
Father's
Day

June 20, 2021

SAC Lunch
Saturday After Church
June 5



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Newsletter

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Good News...
Eclipse Reminder...

By Pastor Ken Studer

On May 26th this year a lunar eclipse was visible from South America, North America, Asia, Australia, Antarctica, the Pacific Ocean, the Indian Ocean and a few other isolated places.

A lunar eclipse takes place when the Earth comes between the Sun and the Moon, which blocks the Sun's rays from directly reaching the Moon when the three objects are aligned. A lunar total eclipse only occurs during a full Moon.

For those who were fortunate enough to witness this total lunar eclipse, the moon appeared to almost disappear. The eclipse lasted about 90 minutes. Observers saw the moon get darker and darker and eventually turn blood red.

Today we understand the science behind the eclipse. But for thousands of years, the average person considered this phenomenon a supernatural apocalyptic event.

The prophet Joel said, *The sun will be turned into darkness, And the moon into blood, Before the great and awesome day of the Lord comes (2:31).*

For generations people thought that eclipses were a sign of the end of the world. They did not understand that it was just a natural occurrence.

Joel's prediction is about "The Day of the Lord." "The Day of the Lord" actually comes twice. In Acts we are told that Pentecost was a fulfillment of this prophecy. *But this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel. Acts 2:16. KJV*

The Apostle Paul tells us that the "Day of the Lord" is in the future. He indicates that the "Day of the Lord" is the Day of the 2nd coming of Jesus. *For you yourselves know full well that the "Day of the Lord" is coming just like a thief in the night.*

1 Thessalonians 5:2 NASB

The point is that eclipses are not a sign of the end of the world. The world's moral depravity and its deepening rejection of God is a much better indicator of Jesus' coming. The eclipse is a reminder that Jesus is coming again. And that's Good News.



Is temporarily suspended. Watch for announcements to discover when it will resume.

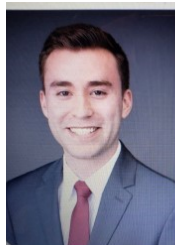
OCC Receives Grant

The B.S. Foundation in Orange has awarded Orange Coast Church a \$5,000 grant for our music ministry. The money is to be used to pay La Sierra University student musicians to perform at OCC to enhance our worship services. The grant is for 1 year.

Many thanks to Dr. Dean Anderson for recommending OCC.

Graduations

Congratulations to all OCC students who are graduating this summer. The church office has received notice of only one graduate. Please let us know if there are others. Dr. Alex Kryger will graduate from the U. of California San Francisco Dental School on June 5.



June Worship Schedule

This month Pastor Ken will be our speaker each week except on the 12th when Jeff Horne will preach. There will be a Father's Day emphasis on the 19th.

06-05 Pastor Ken: Universal Charger

06-12 Guest Speaker: Jeff Horne

06-19 Pastor Ken: Father's Day Emphasis

06-26 Pastor Ken: Awestruck

June Birthdays

Owen Strampello	June 01	Kyimg Ryoung Lee	June 19
Ken Toghia	June 01	Liliani Liem	June 19
Victoria Chavez	June 03	Cameron Lee	June 20
Christian Chung	June 03	Eric Pai	June 20
Chrisandra Thunig	June 04	Kevin Oberkramer	June 21
Davon Harper	June 05	Morris Fostrey	June 22
Suzanne Frey	June 06	Shadah Graham	June 22
Beferly Koester	June 07	Isabelle Thompson	June 22
Julian Strampello	June 08	Daniel Eppler	June 23
Benedicta Nasralla	June 09	Catherine Hong	June 23
Brent H. Coeur-Barron	June 11	Channy Hiersche	June 24
Drew Kryger	June 11	Valerie Horne	June 24
Gabriela Giles	June 12	Michelle Machiri	June 24
Gabby Reece	June 12	Shila Russell	June 24
Daniel Varela	June 12	Daniel Evans	June 25
Kyle Conrad	June 13	Laura John Kim	June 25
Rachel Cordis	June 13	Nuch Ngantung	June 25
Courtney Grimes	June 13	Daniel Davila	June 26
Zenziwe Matshe	June 13	Daniel A. Ginat	June 26
Jane Lee	June 14	Brian Byfield	June 27
Carlos Rubi	June 14	Robert Lee	June 27
Kim Sims	June 14	Allie Pai	June 27
Jeremy Horne	June 15	Nyasha Bryant	June 28
Jacob Kim	June 15	Hannah Jones	June 28
Gierry Rosario	June 15	Janice Merkel	June 28
Gustavo Suarez	June 15	Michael Watung	June 28
Carol Suelzle	June 15	Jacqueline Sagala	June 29
Robert Homer	June 17	Trent Currie	June 30
Elise Newen	June 17	Jackson Moore	June 30
Barbara Studer	June 17	Parirajan Ravindran	June 30
Ellie King	June 19		