

We welcome all of our **guests** who have come to worship with us today. If you are a guest, please take time to fill out the information below, tear at the perforation, and turn in to the prayer box or offering basket.

Welcome!

We are honored to have you worship with us today.

Date

Name

Email Address

Phone

Address

How did you hear about us?

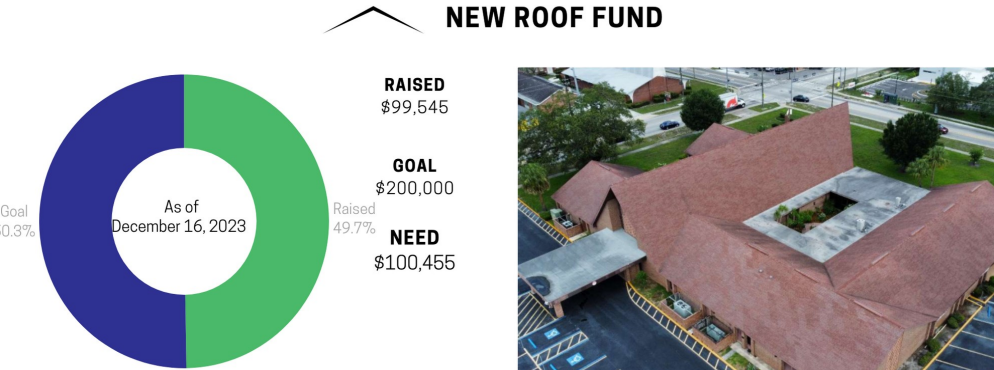
Please send me more information on:

- ☐ Church School
- ☐ Bible Studies
- ☐ Children’s Ministries
- ☐ Membership Transfer
- ☐ Baptism
- ☐ Youth Ministries
- ☐ Life Groups
- ☐ Pastoral Visit

OUR VISION: CONNECTIONS

CONNECTING with God through inspiring worship
CONNECTING with one another through holistic small groups
CONNECTING with our community by equipping and empowering other to

Prayer List: Earl Inniss; Mike and Dorine McKinnon; Pat Feree; Beth Syl-vester; Loa Nguyen; Maydel Dumenigo, Peter &Paris Dumenigo; Daniel Fritz; Marlice Cooper; Everard Smith; Irina Matthews’s family and friends; Eve, Nathan, Natalyah; Felix Frazer, Rita Evens, Arlette Mason, Ria Gas-kalla, Fran Downes, Jesse Ziemba, David Austin, Karen Canto, Jack Hicks, Erica Trew, Britaney, Bob Sullivan, David Hess, Diana Marshall, Susie Brady;



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Tithes and Offering



MOHNEY CONCERTS

An Inspirational Concert



January 20
Saturday at 2:00 p.m.
Tampa First SDA Church



Combined Budget					
Rec’d MTD	CB Monthly Budget	Needed for December	YTD CB Received	YTD Budget	Difference
\$22,076	\$29,864	-\$7,788	\$345,744	\$358,368	-\$12,624

Pastor Dan Catangay

December 23, 2023

MERRY CHRISTMAS



TAMPA FIRST SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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Lead Pastor—Jeff Crain • sdapastorjeff@gmail.com

announcements

Equilla Johnson from Bethesda SDA Church, Amityville, NY
Earl J. Benjamin from Westside Community SDA Church, Tampa, FL

Deacons' meeting today, Dec 23, in
the Library after church for a 10 minute
meeting.

Come and usher in Christmas with us
with a Candlelight Christmas Eve
Vespers at 5 PM on Dec. 24. Light
refreshments will follow.

Last time to shop at the Vegetarian Food Store is December 24, after the Candlelight Christmas Eve Program.



Church & Worship Calendar

Dec. 24: Candlelight Christmas Eve, 5 PM

Vegetarian Food Store open after program

Jan. 6: Communion and Friendship Sabbath

Jan. 20: Jennifer LaMountain In Concert, 2 PM

If you do not wish to be photographed or to appear on the live feed or recording, please be seated in the balcony area. By remaining on the ground floor in the Sanctuary, you are giving Tampa First your consent to video record or photograph your picture, likeness, voice, and statements.

Youth White Elephant Party will be on December 30th at 6:00pm in Graham Hall! To participate in the White Elephant gift exchange, please bring a gift worth a minimum of \$10. There will also be games and activities to help us celebrate the season!

As we celebrate this Christmas
Season, we express our deep appreciation for the generous donations that provided our new Christmas Tree.

We are only \$455 away from
making our goal! Our goal is to raise 50% of the funds needed for the new roof. We have 2 Sabbaths left before 2024. $\$455 \div 2 \text{ Sabbaths} = \227.50 . $\$227.50 \div \text{an average of 200 attending adults} \approx \1.14 per adult for the next 2 sabbaths to make goal. We need \$200k to get a new roof. The church roof is badly worn and needs to be replaced before the rainy season. The cost of roofing supplies increases in February/ March. We would like to start the new roof project in January 2024. Thank you to everyone for your generous donations!

**Song Service
Sabbath School
Worship**

December 23, 2023

9:45 - 10:00
10:00 - 11:05
11:15 - 12:30

TAMPA FIRST CHURCH LIFE
Pastors Jeff Crain & Dan Catangay

Introit for Christmas Day/Rise Up, Shepherd, and Follow
Michael Arnold

CHILDREN'S STORY

Pastor Jeff

ISAIAH 9:6-7

Michael, Karen & Moritz Arnold

The Midnight Clear, Joy to the World, Prayer Song
Michael Haines, Christopher Combie & Joseph Martin

PRAYER & GIVING
Subhakar Medidi

Christmas Hallelujah

Sara Maggiacomo, Louise Mitchell & Pam Stoner

MESSAGE

"The Kingdom is Here"
Pastor Dan Catangay

Birthday of a King
Joy Alexander

CLOSING PRAYER

Dan Catangay

From Heaven Above to Earth I Come
Michael Arnold

Worship Leader: Michael Haines; **Piano/Organ:** Michael Arnold; **Music Minister:** Christopher Combie; **Prayer Song:** *Jesus, Name Above All Names*; **Broadcast Audio:** Anthony Schlinsog; **Main Audio:** Vaughn Bailey; **Cameras:** Keanu DeLeon; **Visuals:** Ben Fonseca

PRAYER Request

Please complete the information below and bring to the Prayer Box (by the piano) during Worship of Praise.

Date

Your Name & Phone Number:

Person(s) needing on-going prayer: (Please print)

- ☐ Salvation
- ☐ Physical Healing
- ☐ Peace, Patience
- ☐ Employment
- ☐ Relationships
- ☐ Holy Boldness
- ☐ Other
- ☐ Finances
- ☐ Deeper commitment
- ☐ Emotional Healing
- ☐ Guidance
- ☐ Family Member(s)
- ☐ Encouragement

☐ **Check box and clearly print the name(s) below,** if you would like to add name(s) to the bulletin :

☐ Please call me regarding prayer request

PRAISE REPORT: