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**Sabbath School Classes**  
 9:30-10:25 am

Ages 0 thru 5	Meeting Rm 3
Ages 6 thru 10	Meeting Rm 6
Ages 11 thru 14	Meeting Rm 4
Ages 15 thru 18	Room right of platform
Ages 18 +	Room left of platform
Adult	Meeting Rm 1 & 2

**Outline of Worship Service**

- 11:00 am
- Praise Songs
- Worship Host's Greeting
- Children's Corner
- Praise Songs
- Gifts of Worship
- Prayer
- Worship Message
- Prayer of Dedication
- Postlude
- Fellowship & Social Time

**Sunset Calendar**

	Friday	Saturday
Aug 3	8:12p / Aug 4	8:11p
Aug 10	8:07p / Aug 11	8:06p
Aug 17	8:01p / Aug 18	8:00p
Aug 24	7:54p / Aug 25	7:53p
Aug 31	7:47p / Sept 1	7:46p

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- Naples Adventist Christian School**
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Connecting People to Christ



**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Biggest Year Yet for NACS!**



Biggest year yet for NACS! School starts August 20th: Our Naples Adventist Christian School will be starting in just a few weeks with Class Registration scheduled for the 16th. This year is already promising to be a banner year for NACS. The Florida Conference Education Department has authorized NACS to add an additional teacher. This is a huge step forward for our school, and will guarantee an excellent teacher-to-student ratio. With only two grade levels per teacher, our classrooms will be focused and excel in quality education.

But the addition of a new teacher is not the only thing happening this year. Very soon construction will begin to add more classroom space by the addition of a modular structure on the west side of the building. This will be a huge improvement and allow our school to continue to grow. Under the leadership of Mary Ann Rule, our school board chairperson, Laura Carlisle, our former school treasurer, and Audrey Wainwright, our principal, the project will greatly enhance what the school can offer. Watch for more details about this much needed school expansion project.

Over the spring months, the school board (in consultation with the Florida Conference Education Department) hired three new teachers. Each of the new teachers has a widely diverse background in elementary education and will be all set to go in the next couple of weeks. Each of the new teachers comes highly recommended, and during the school board interview process showed the NACS board the skills and knowledge we will need here for our students.

If you need to enroll your child in NACS, please contact the school as soon as possible. You can reach the school at (239) 261-6227. Don't delay! Classes are filling up fast.

**Ministry Faire**

Ministry Faire was a huge success for our church family. We want to thank all of those who made it happen and those who did sign-up to enter into the church's ministry. It is really appreciated, and all who participate will be blessed.

If you haven't had a chance to get involved with one of our growing ministries here at Naples Adventist Church, be sure to see Pastor Bill or Danielle Krivda. You won't be sorry. It's an excellent way to get to know people and to find your place in Christ's ministry to others.

**East Naples Community Concert**



East Naples Community Concert is scheduled for Saturday afternoon, August 25th at 4:00 p.m. We're delighted to host this year's local church community benefit concert. Pastor Bill is a member of the East Naples ministerial group, and the group asked him if our church could host the event this year. We're happy to do so, and we welcome our fellow Christian believers to come and enjoy an afternoon of music, praise, and fellowship with us.

Each of the participating churches will bring a sample of musical talent in their church to the concert. This will provide a wide variety of music from classical, gospel, traditional, and contemporary selections. This year, our own Common Cause and Impact I will be adding to their musical selections at the afternoon concert.

This year's selected charity that will benefit from a freewill offering is *Grace Place*. They have been doing outstanding work in our greater community for those in need for many years now. They will have a representative who will make a short presentation about their work. All are invited. A reception will follow.

**Holy Land Tour**



The details are now available for our upcoming Holy Land Tour. The tour will be next year from Tuesday, April 23rd to Tuesday, May 7th. Our tour will not only include so many, many places in Israel itself, but will also include going to Petra in Jordan. There will be an excursion out onto Lake Galilee, a trip to Capernaum (the place where Peter's mother lived), and a special Sabbath in Jerusalem. This once-in-a-lifetime-trip will highlight so much of the Bible, and will make Scripture come alive for each. If you're interested in going, please see Pastor Bill right away. He is developing a list of participants and he has a lot of details about the trip that you would need to know. The first deposit (\$500) for the trip will be due September 15th.

## Upcoming Events

- Aug 1-3 NACS Teachers Report to School
- Aug 3-5 Single Parent Retreat 2018
- Aug 5 @ 10a Free Community Breakfast
- Aug 6-9 NACS NAD Teacher's Convention
- Aug 7 @:7p Church Board Meeting
- Aug 16 NACS Registration Night
- Aug 18 @ 11a NACS Teacher Dedication
- Aug 20 NACS First Day of School
- Aug 25 @ 4p Community Concert
- Aug 27-31 NACS Dibels Testing
- Aug 28 NACS Board Meeting
- Aug 31 @ 6:30p Buddy Break



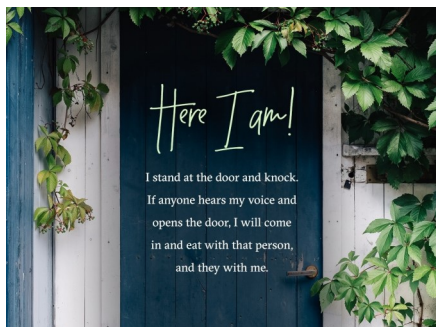
## Naples Adventist Christian School News

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

Summer at the school is a time for preparation, planning, projects and big news!

- Our building project is now out of planning and into production. We are so blessed to engage with the same general contractor and civil engineer that oversaw the building renovation 10 years ago. Plans are being drawn and preliminary meetings with the city for permitting are taking place. We will be placing a hurricane force rated modular building on the west side of the school, which will have two rooms large enough for classrooms and a center multi-purpose area for a lunch room, get-togethers, and light PE in inclement weather. We are hoping the building will be ready in January for the second semester.
- We are expanding! For years we have had four classrooms, some with three grades. This year, with the Florida Conference Education Department, we have expanded to five classrooms! We are now structured as follows with the following teachers:  
 Kindergarten—Mrs. Audrey Wainwright (Principal/Teacher)  
 1st/2nd grade—Ms. Hope Jones  
 3rd/4th grade—Ms. Annelise Perry  
 5th/6th grade—Mrs. Kezia Lansiquot  
 7th/8th grade—Ms. Jessica Catron
- We have been awarded a STEM (Science Technology Engineering Math) grant of \$10,000 to offer a robotics experience at the school. This award is only granted to three Conference schools and we are blessed to be one!

The first day of school is August 20th and we are diligently getting ready and excited to welcome the students to a fresh new school year! We love guests, so please let us know if you would like to stop by and see the great things happening.



Church Elders		
Kendall Chaffee	Lynda Courtright	Gamal Rivera
Sharon Foster	Dennis Mosby	Martin Nestares

Offering Schedule
August 4: Local Church Budget / August 11: World Budget / August 18: Local Church Budget / August 25: Local Conference Advance

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### “What is Christian Stewardship?”

**And who and what are involved in Christian Stewardship?** A good definition is vital to a clear understanding of the subject matter. So let us define Christian stewardship. Stewardship is not a synonym for money... It is a relationship. A relationship between God, the Creator, and the human, the created being. Random House Dictionary defines a *steward* as “a person who is entrusted to take charge or manage property and finance, or administers anything as the agent of others.” The second word, “Christian” is a simple word. It comes from the Greek word *Christianos*, “a follower of Christ.” It was used first in Antioch of Syria to describe the disciples of Jesus Christ. So a Christian steward is a person who is a follower of Jesus Christ, who has been entrusted by God to manage, oversee, take charge or to care for what God has entrusted to him or her. The answer to the second question is: God and human kind, based on a mutual relationship between them. God’s ownership and our role as caretakers includes every aspect of our life on earth. It is both a blessing and a responsibility. We work together with God. We are stewards of our lives. Since we live within time and space, we are also stewards of our time and our environment. We were created in God’s image. This image is what we are and finds expression in every aspect of our being. We are, therefore, stewards of our bodies, of our spiritual life, of our mental and intellectual capacities, and of our social being.