

declared far in advance of their discovery!

“Who hath measured the waters in the hollow of His hand, and meted out heaven with the span?” “Mine hand also hath laid the foundation of the earth, and My right hand hath spanned the heavens.” - By Ernest Lloyd, *Signs of the Times*, November 12, 1918.

“I asked God for water, He gave me an ocean, I asked God for a flower, He gave me a garden, I asked God for a friend, He gave me You!”

“If God brings you to it, He will bring you through it.”

Happy moments, praise God.  
Difficult moments, seek God.  
Quiet moments, worship God.  
Painful moments, trust God.  
Every moment, thank God.  
Author(s) - unknown

## LAUGHTER IS GOOD MEDICINE.....

While teaching an adult Sabbath School class, I decided it was time to be up-to-date and innovative. I needed to try something new for our class. We were studying one of the Old Testament books. I found an overhead projector and tried to teach myself how to use it. Then I wrote an outline on an overhead transparency to display for the class. When Sabbath morning came, I had the projector all set up. At the right moment in the lesson, I flipped on the overhead. The beau-

tiful outline flashed on the wall for all to see.

To emphasize a significant spiritual truth in the passage, I grabbed one of the special markers, walked over and started writing in bold letters on the outline. The class burst out laughing.

Why are they laughing? I thought to myself. This is a crucial point! Then it hit me. I was writing on the wall. - Source: *Laugh & Lift*

## PRAYER GARDEN

### Remember in Prayer

#### Londa Raines

Recovery from surgery

#### Frank & Lola Martinez

Frank is recovering from surgery

#### Bette & Ed Stanton

Ed has cancer

#### Fern Pyke's Family

For the loss of their mother/grandmother

#### Carter Armev

Jessica Armev's 4 year-old son is having respiratory problems

#### Jan Griffone

Cancer Treatment

#### Kaarsten Lang

Recovery from Surgery

#### Jim Perry

Recovery from more surgery.

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### ICE SKATING TONIGHT!

Come join in the fun tonight at the Bellingham Sportsplex from 8:45-10:15 p.m. Cost (which includes your skate rental) is \$4.00 per person or \$12 for families of 3+ members.

Snacks will be sold by the Cascade Eagles Pathfinder club.

### APRIL POTLUCK

Mark your calendars! The Church potluck scheduled for April 17th will be held at Lake Padden. Bring your favorite dish, walking shoes, bikes, frisbees, etc. and plan for an afternoon of relaxation. Lake Padden is a wonderful place to enjoy all of the beauty that God has given us. More details to follow later.

### CONCERT OF PRAYER

You are invited to an Easter Concert of Praise & Prayer. Our sister churches will be joining us at the NCSDA Church for an Easter Celebration, Friday, April 2, 7:00 p.m.

### ENERGETIC MISSIONARIES NEEDED

Mission trip to the remote Alaskan bush village of Bethel, May 28 to June 4.

Team members needed to assist with VBS, church remodel projects

and local evangelism. Great cultural experience and make a difference for eternity! **Contact Pam Wallenfelsz** for more info. [kpwall@msn.com](mailto:kpwall@msn.com) 770-6916

### THANK YOU

On Monday the 8<sup>th</sup> grade class wired \$5,242.00 to Sebastian Tirtirau at the Pilgrim Society. He will be leaving on March 13 to install the new well in the Kalahari Desert, paid for by our class.

We could not have done this without the support of all of you who filled M&M tubes, wrote checks, and delivered cash. Thank you for making our goal a reality. We know that God will be able to use this gift for His work.

We are continuing to accept filled quarter containers which we will give to ADRA to support their work in Haiti. If you are still working on yours, please return it as soon as possible.

Thanks—Matthew Lee

### SUNSHINE BAND

The Sunshine Band will be going to the Life Care Center in Sedro-Woolley TODAY, March 13th. The program will begin at 2:30 p.m.

### JOAN HILDE'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP

While Joan is out of town the Study Group will take turns meeting at each other's homes. Below is the schedule:

March 15 Dorene Tolf  
March 22 Cindy Hartley  
March 29 Helen Haberly

### THANK YOU

The Turner and Topham families wish to thank everyone for the food, cards, prayers and flowers received after the loss of their mother/grandmother, Fern Pyke.

### SPRUCED UP THRIFT SHOP

The Thrift Shop is in need of your donations. So as your cleaning out your closets and attics this spring remember that we want and need your Stuff!! You can drop your donations off at the Thrift Shop or put them in the large box in the Coat Closet just off the Foyer at NCSDA Church.

If you need help with some large items or have questions, contact Pastor Ira or Laneta Penninger.



### WOMEN'S TEA

This year's Women's Tea, originally scheduled for March 14th has been rescheduled for April 18th. The speaker this year is a very special lady, Arlene Doden. The cost is \$10 per person.

If you can help with this very special event, either hosting one of the tables or whipping up some of the wonderful delicacies for the Tea please contact Sally Turner. "Many hands make light work".

### GOLF ANYONE? SAVE THE DATE!

July 11, 2010  
for the 1st Annual

### Dennis Carman Memorial Golf Tournament for SAS

We need golfers, hole sponsors, and volunteers. Any questions please call 360-391-3914 or email to [skidrick@comcast.net](mailto:skidrick@comcast.net).

### BUTTONS NEEDED

The Adventurer Club 4th grade class is working on a Button Award. If you have any garment buttons to contribute to their collection, please call Dana Schafer (854-7919) or put some in her mailbox.



### ALL ABOUT JESUS

Edmonds Adventist Church will host Pastor Lee Venden for an "All About Jesus Seminar" on March 12-20. Tangible, practical suggestions on

how to develop or deepen a meaningful friendship with Jesus will be discussed in separate presentations on the evenings of March 12 and March 15-19 at 6:30 pm and on Sabbaths, March 13 & 20, beginning at 9:30 am.

A light supper will be provided at 5:30 p.m. prior to each of the evening presentations.

For more information, visit [www.allaboutjesusseminars.org](http://www.allaboutjesusseminars.org) or call the church office at (425) 771-5302.

### VISITATION DAY

April 21st—Special day planned for all K-8th grade students at SAS. If you know of any new prospective students we should invite to this special day, please give names and contact information to Tiffani Holbrook or Doug White

### ACADEMY DAY

April 7th—Special day planned for all 9th -12th grade students at SAA. If you know of any new prospective students we should invite to this special day, please give names and contact information to Tiffani Holbrook or Doug White.

### NEW BIBLE STUDY GROUP

Denice and Ozzie Grant are hosting a Bible Study at their home, 840 Grandview, Burlington, on Monday nights from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Call Denice for directions or more information at 707-5909.

### THOUGHTS.....

The famous astronomer Athanasius Kircher, having an acquaintance who denied the existence of a supreme Being, took the following method to convince him of his error, upon his own principles. Expecting him upon a visit, he procured a handsome globe of the starry heavens, which he placed in a corner of the room where it could not escape his friend's observation. The latter seized the first occasion to ask where it came from and to whom it belonged.

"Not to me," said Kircher, "nor was it ever made by any person, but came here by mere chance."

"That," replied his skeptical friend, "is impossible. You surely jest."

Kircher then took occasion to reason with his friend upon his atheistic principles. "You will not," said he, "believe that this small body originated by mere chance; yet you would contend that those heavenly bodies of which this is only a faint and diminutive resemblance, came into existence without order and design."

By this chain of reasoning, his friend was at first confounded, next convinced, and ultimately he joined in "a cordial acknowledgment of the absurdity of denying the existence of a God."

So eminent an astronomer as General Mitchel, who understood the voices in which the heavens declare the glory of God, who read with delight the word of God embodied in worlds, and who fed upon the written Word of God as his daily bread, declared, "We find an aptness and propriety in all these astronomical illustrations, which are not weakened, but amazingly strengthened, when viewed in the clear light of our present knowledge."

Herschel says, "All human discoveries seem to be made only for the purpose of confirming more strongly the truths that come from on high and that are contained in the Sacred Writings."

The common authorship of the worlds and the Word becomes a necessary conclusion. Would that men sought more diligently in the Word for the scientific truths there