

# September—October, 2023

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<b>Church Use Weekly</b> (please schedule additional through church office; BRC= Bethel Romanian Church): <b>Sundays</b> 8:00-1:00 & 5:00-8:30 BRC Worship Services (church) <b>Monday</b> s 7:00 Redeemed Singers Practice (sanctuary) <b>Tuesday</b> s: Committees as scheduled (FH); BRC Bible Study (chapel) <b>Wednesday</b> s: Prayer Meeting (chapel) <b>Thursday</b> s 6:30-9:30 BRC programs (Church) <b>Friday</b> s 6:00-9:00 BRC Youth (FH); 7:00 Praise Team Practice (Sanctuary)			<b>Location Abbreviations</b> FH = Fellowship Hall CAES = Caldwell Adventist Elementary—2317 Wisconsin Ave CAES gym = entrance on S Ohio Ave GSAA = Gem State Adventist Academy—16115 S Montana Ave			23 11:15— Pastor Matthew   Sunset ~ 7:44pm
24 <b>3:00p</b> — Campechano Memorial in our church	25 <b>5:30-7:30pm</b> Community Services  <b>7:00p</b> —CAES Board	26 <b>10:00-12:30</b> Community Services	27	28	29 <b>6:00p</b> —Youth Ignite <b>7:00p</b> —Praise Team Sunset ~ 7:33pm	30 11:15— Pastor Lou  <b>3:30p</b> —Sign Language Choir (FH)
Oct 01 <b>1:00p</b> —Baby Shower for Ashley Day (FH)	02 <b>5:30-7:30pm</b> Community Services	03 <b>10:00-12:30</b> Community Services	04	05	06 <b>7:00p</b> —Praise Team Sunset ~ 7:20pm	07 11:15— Pastor Lou Communion



Please fill out a Connect Card according to your needs today.  
**Visitors, we especially would love to know you were here!**  
 All are invited to share prayer requests & praises, contact updates, etc.!  
*Prayer requests are prayed over during the week by church staff, and if you request it, shared to the prayer team.*  
**Place cards in the offering box in the back.**

## Secret Sisters!

You have one more week to shower your sister with some LOVE!

**SEPTEMBER 30** will be the final Sabbath.

Plan to join us **OCTOBER 11** in the Fellowship Hall for the "reveal party." Be sure to bring a final gift for your sister and include your name!

Watch for details!



## Our Offerings

**Main offering September 23: Idaho Conference Advance**  
*This monthly offering is divided between our elementary schools, Gem State Adventist Academy, and Camp Ida-Haven, making the children and youth of our conference the direct recipients.*

**Children's offering: VBS Fund**  
*Offerings are received throughout the year in order that we can plan a VBS program each summer. This is an important and amazing outreach to a large group of children in our community!*

**Tithes and offerings can be placed in a tithe envelope found in the seatback pockets and dropped in the offering box in the back.**

**Looking Ahead:** September 30 offerings will be for Church Budget (main) and Children's Missions Fund (children's).

## For Your Information

**Memorial Services**—For those who knew Alfredo Campechano, his memorial service will be here in our church tomorrow, September 24, at 3:00. And mark your calendars for October 8 at 2:00 for a memorial service for Paul Ricchiuti here in our church.

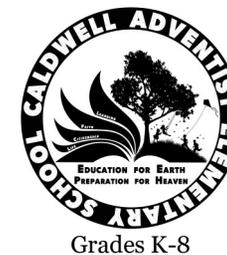
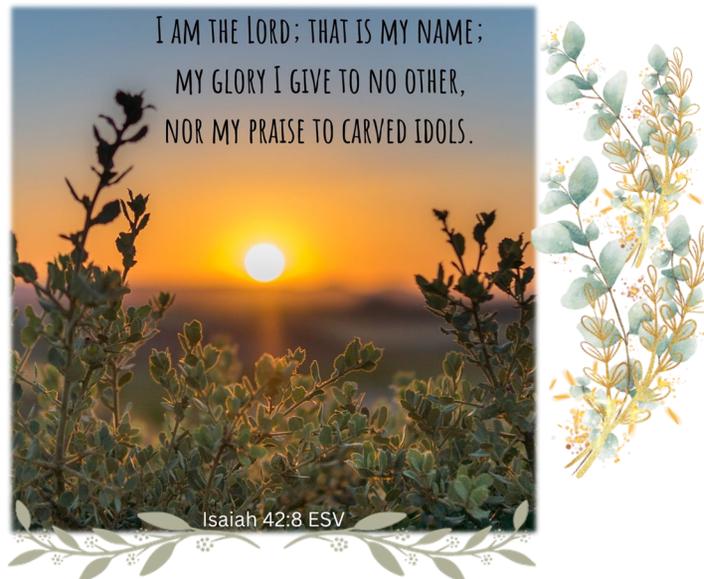
**Secret Sisters**—Be sure to note that September 30 will be the conclusion of our current Secret Sister program, and to mark your calendars for October 11 when we will have our “reveal party.” Watch for more details.

**You're Invited**—Join Lois for a 2-year memorial picnic potluck to remember Marvin Moore. Wednesday, September 27 at 1:00 on the lawn by the lake at Pacific Press. Come share memories, encourage each other and look forward to Jesus 2nd coming when all the dead in Christ will be resurrected. Talk to Lois if you have questions.

**Sign Language Choir**—If you are interested in learning to sing with sign language, Donna Shelly is beginning a choir on September 30 that will meet from 3:30-4:30 in the Fellowship Hall. Anyone ages 10 and up is welcome (younger with a parent). Contact Donna for more info.

**Blood Drive**—Note that there will be a blood drive at GSAA on October 17. If you want a larger-print flyer to take with you for yourself or to share with someone, they are available in the lobby. Please register for an appointment and support this great cause, organized by one of the seniors as part of her Senior Project.

**Next Sabbath**—In Matthew 7:7 Jesus says, “Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.” Is Jesus’ point here that we have been given the debit card of the Heavenly bank so that we can live in prosperity while we wait for his second coming? Many have read, believed, and taught such ideology. But is that the context? Or have we completely missed the point, thereby missing out on the greater blessing? Join us next Sabbath as Pastor Lou shares the message of “Good, Good, Father.”



Stay connected with our elementary school!

- website: MyCAES.org
- call: 208-459-4313

Upcoming Events:

- October 9-13:** Week of Prayer with Nitz Salazar
- October 14:** 4th and 5th graders at Nampa Church
- October 15:** Autumn Fest from 2:00-3:30. All are invited!

Stay connected with our academy!



- website: GemState.org
  - Call: 208-459-1627
  - Facebook: Gem State Adventist Academy
  - Instagram: Gem State Academy
- Grades 9-12



**Gem State Blood Drive!**

**October 17, 2023**  
**1 - 6pm**

Gem State Adventist Academy Gym  
16115 S Montana Ave  
Caldwell, ID 83607

Your participation and support is appreciated!



For an appointment, please visit [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org)  
Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).