I hope and pray that you enjoyed your Thanksgiving day, with reflections on how each of us has been blessed in our lives. Even those who are going through special difficulties are remembered by God, and my prayer is that you are filled with God’s peace as you daily trust in God’s care.

Tomorrow we begin the next few weeks with some remarkable special guests and worship opportunities at Historic Manhattan Seventh-day Adventist Church, and I hope you will join us for each of these special opportunities to be inspired by God. We will also be collecting a special Thanksgiving offering dedicated to help our friends in the Philippines, who continue to suffer from the typhoon and earthquake aftermath.

Let me first share with you a great music video that my good friend Anthony Nunziata has just produced. Anthony Nunziata along with his brother William have been featured performers on TV and have been the featured artists at important venues all over NYC and around the nation. Their voices are outstanding, and their respective performances cover what is known as The Great American Song Book.
Recording Artist Anthony Nunziata will be our featured guest musician tomorrow morning, Saturday, Nov. 30, 2013, and you will not want to miss this outstanding opportunity to hear one of the most up and coming talents in New York City.

His latest video was shot in New York City, and the featured song is *The Lord's Prayer*. As you view this video, I hope it inspires you as it did me. The great news I have to share is that Anthony Nunziata, by special arrangement, will be singing live and in person at the worship service tomorrow, Saturday, November 30, 2013 at the 11:30 a.m. worship service at Historic Manhattan Seventh-day Adventist Church, 232 West 11th Street, NYC., just 1.5 blocks west of Seventh Ave. South, in the West Village.

Anthony Nunziata helped us at a Memorial Service remembering the events of September 11, and his appearance with his partner, Will Nunziata, and other talented New York City musicians made that night special. We look forward to having Anthony with us once again, joined by his musical arranger and pianist.

If you want to purchase "The Lord's Prayer" video, just click on this link for *iTunes* or on *Amazon*. Click on this link to read more about Anthony Nunziata.

Join us at the worship service on Saturday, November 30, 2013 at 11:30 a.m. and invite your friends to this inspiring service. During this service, we will be collecting a special offering for the people of the Philippines, who are recovering from the massive and devastating effect of the Super Typhoon, Haiyan. At the writing of this newsletter, over 5,000 individuals are confirmed dead. Our prayers are with the people of the Philippines.

Hebrew Scholar, Richard Elofer from Paris, France to be featured speaker on Saturday, December 7, at 11:30 a.m. and on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, December 4-6, at 7:00 p.m.

An outstanding Biblical presentation will be made by Hebrew Scholar, Richard Elofer in a series of seminars starting on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday evenings (Dec. 4-6) at 7:00 p.m., and on Saturday morning, Dec. 7, 2013 at 11:30 a.m. and in an afternoon seminar that same day at 2:30 p.m.

This REACH-NYC special presentation will be held at Historic Manhattan Seventh-day Adventist Church, 232 West 11th Street, NYC, just 1.5 blocks west of Seventh Ave. South, in the West Village of New York City. Be sure to plan to attend this important Biblical series to get Hebrew Scholars insight into the Bible.

Invite your Jewish friends to each of these important and fact filled seminars. Everyone from all faith traditions will enjoy these series of meetings that Richard Elofer will be having. Be sure to be there, and place these dates on your calendar.

Here is a short Bio of Richard Elofer:

Richard Elofer was born in Casablanca, Morocco, from a Jewish family. He was raised in the Jewish faith and was proud of his heritage. Richard Elofer's family decided to immigrate to France when he was 8 year old. His father contributed to establish the synagogue of the town of Villejuif, in the suburb of Paris. This "synagogue planting" action of his father demonstrates the degree of involvement of his family in Judaism.
Richard Elofer became Bar-Mitsva when he was twelve in father's synagogue, it is also there that he received his course of Talmud Torah in order to be prepared for the Bar-Mitzva, and it is also there that he received his first rabbinical Bible course.

It is a custom to offer a Rabbinical Bible for the Bar Mitsva, thus receiving his first full rabbinical Bible, he started to read it intensively. This reading and some encounters changed radically his life and at the age of nineteen decided to accept in his heart Yeshua (Jesus) as the Messiah of Israel and his Savior and joined the Seventh-day Adventist Church of Paris.

When he was twenty he decided to work as a pastor and went to study at the "Adventiste Université du Salève" in France earn his first theological degree and started to work as a pastor. His first seventeen years of ministry (1979-1996) led him to various ministries in France. Then he received a call to be the President of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Israel. He worked in Israel for fifteen years (1997-2012). While working in Israel, the General Conference of the Seventh-day Adventists, asked Richard Elofer, in 2000 to be part time director of the World Jewish Adventist Friendship Center, a Global Mission Center dedicated to train ministers and leaders for Jewish ministry, and also to plant Jewish-Adventist congregations among Jews. In 2012 Richard Elofer moved back to France and became the full time director of the World Jewish Adventist Friendship Center.

He completed his education earning a MA in Global Leadership (MAGL) (2008) and a Doctorate of Intercultural Studies (D.I.S.) at Fuller Seminary (2012).

Richard Elofer is married to Liliane, they have three children: Rachel, accountant in England, Raphael currently engineer in computer science in Edinburgh, Scotland, and Johann, dentist in Paris.

Pastor Ted Wilson to speak at
Historic Manhattan Seventh-day
Adventist Church, on Saturday,
December 14, 2013, at 11:30 a.m.

Pastor Ted Wilson returns to New York City and the pulpit of Historic Manhattan Seventh-day Adventist Church, in a special program featuring special musical guests, who will be sharing the Gospel with all those in attendance.

Pastor Ted Wilson, who serves as president of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, has a special place for New York City in his heart, and has explored the importance of sharing the loving message of Jesus Christ with those living in large metropolitan areas of the world. Recently returning from trips around the globe, Pastor Wilson is making this special Christmas visit to New York City, and is making a special stop at Historic Manhattan Seventh-day Adventist Church, 232 West 11th Street, NYC, located just 1.5 blocks west of Seventh Ave. South.

Make plans to join us on Saturday, December 14, and be sure to arrive early for a good seat.

We look forward to seeing you for the next few weeks at Historic Manhattan Seventh-day Adventist Church.

May God bless you with peace and a calm spirit.

Best regards - Tony Romeo, Pastor
Cafe Reach will NOT be open tonight, due to the holiday, but will resume next Friday night, Dec. 6, at 6:30 p.m.

A thoughtful discussion for young professionals and thinkers or all ages, who want to think out of the box and out of the pew. Join us at 6:30 p.m.

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