Welcome!

We are delighted to have you join us for Family Celebration Sabbath 2012! Families are the fabric of the church and society. We invite you to unite with us as "Families Reaching Up" in worship and seeking guidance and strength from God. Our featured speakers, Delbert and Susan Baker, will share their expertise and passion for strengthening families.

May you encounter God’s goodness and love in the fellowship and worship that awaits. Broken, the worship team led by Alicia Boling and Arnaldo Contreras, invites you to bring God praise and to experience His presence. As a courtesy, we kindly ask that you turn your cell phone off during our services throughout the weekend. Know that we are here to be of service, so please do not hesitate to let us know if we can be of help or support.

A special welcome to our Doctoral, Masters, and Graduate Certificate Students on campus for summer classes. Greetings to the variety of professionals and educators who are passionate about our families in the church and greater community. May you find refreshment and reminders of God’s grace throughout this time.

Activities at a Glance

Friday, July 20

12:00 pm AdventSource Reception Commons
8:00 pm Worship Chapel
  “Families Accepting Loss” Delbert and Susan Baker

Saturday, July 21

9:45 am Sabbath School Program Option Chapel
11:00 am Worship Chapel
  “Families Managing Loss” Delbert and Susan Baker

3:00 pm Seminar Seminary N150
  “Families Leveraging Loss” Delbert and Susan Baker
Delbert and Susan Baker have been married for thirty-six years in a partnership that has experienced the joys and challenges of being a public ministering couple. They often do team presentations that focus on increasing life and health balance, self-development, and spirituality. Delbert is certified as a Life and Leadership Coach and as an Emotional Intelligence Trainer. He currently serves as a Vice President at the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists and Susan is the Director of the Doctor of Physical Therapy program at the University of Maryland in Baltimore.

Delbert began his ministry as a pastor in the Alleghany West Conference. He graduated from Oakwood University (BS, Theology) and Andrews Theological Seminary (MDiv). He holds a PhD from Howard University in Organizational Communication. After ten years of pastoring, he became the editor of Message Magazine at the Review and Herald Publishing Association; and then appointed Special Assistant to the President at Loma Linda University.

Susan did her undergraduate work at Oakwood University and graduated from Loma Linda University with a BS in physical therapy. She then returned to Loma Linda to receive a master's degree and the Doctor of Science degree. She has practiced physical therapy in all types of clinical settings, been a physical therapy manager and developed a specialty in geriatrics.

The invitation to serve at Oakwood University took the couple back to the institution that they love. Delbert was the 10th president of Oakwood and served in that position for fourteen years. Susan was the Director of the Allied Health program and an associate professor in the Department of Chemistry. Their time at Oakwood was blessed with significant advancement of institutional success indicators, such as enrollment growth, fundraising, faculty and staff development, and student outcomes. Delbert and Susan have contributed to their professions through research, scholarly publications and presentations. Delbert has authored several books, and Susan did her under graduate and graduate work at Oakwood University and received her degree from Loma Linda University with a BS in physical therapy. She then returned to

The University of Maryland to accept an appointment in the Department of Communication. While there, she became the Interim Dean of the Department of Communication, and then was appointed to the position of the Dean of the School of Communication at the University of Maryland. She holds a PhD from Howard University in Communication (BS, MA). He graduated from Oakwood University (BS, MA, PhD). He holds a PhD from Andrews University in Organic Communication (BS, MA). They both have been a part of the church and have been involved in a number of local and national ministries. They have led seminars and workshops on topics such as leadership, communication, and personal development. They have also authored several books and articles on these topics. Delbert and Susan have been married for thirty-six years in a partnership that has been blessed by the Lord and their three sons: David, Benjamin and Jonathan.

The couple's life philosophies are compatible—Delbert believes in service to humanity, the consistent pursuit of excellence, and the challenge of self-development. Susan's goal is to live an authentic, reflective life filled with good works. Both love Jesus Christ and are committed to doing His will.

Family Celebration Sabbath, July 20

Worship, 8:00 pm
Welcome
Introductions
Prayer
Praise and Worship
“Families Accepting Loss”
Benediction

Chapel
David Sedlacek
Willie and Elaine Oliver
Pamela Consuegra
“Broken”
Delbert and Susan Baker
Claudio Consuegra

Family Celebration Sabbath, July 21

Option: Seminary Sabbath School Program, 9:45 am
Chapel

David & Beverly Sedlacek, 2011
“Celebration of Love” speakers
Family Celebration Sabbath, July 21
Worship, 11:00 am
Chapel

Welcome and Introductions
Willie and Elaine Oliver, Claudio and Pamela Consuegra, Ron Flowers

Praise & Worship
"Broken"

Prayer
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Dedication & Acknowledgment Service
Graduate Certificate Recipient Dedication
David Sedlacek
AAFLP Youngberg
Claudio and Pamela Consuegra
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Claudio and Pamela Consuegra
NAD Distinguished Service Award
Claudio and Pamela Consuegra
GC FM Arthur and Maude Spalding Distinguished Service Medallion
Willie and Elaine Oliver

Scripture
Jin Ah Park

Introduction of Speakers
Willie and Elaine Oliver

Special Music
Sabine Rene
"Families Leveraging Loss"
Delbert and Susan Baker

Special Music
Alicia Boling
"Families Leveraging Loss"
Delbert and Susan Baker

Benediction
David Sedlacek

Seminary and Q & A, 3:00 pm
Seminary N150

Welcome and Prayer
David Sedlacek

"Families Leveraging Loss"
Delbert and Susan Baker

"Families Leveraging Loss"

Special Music
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Seminarian Call to Dedication and Acknowledgment of Speakers
Graduate Certificate recipients

Graduate Certificate Candidates
Family Life Education
Anna Cho
Summer Cronin
Elsira Ferreira
Sang Hee Han
Philip Lee
Soo Jin Lee
Lenworth Sealey

Children’s Ministries Leadership Certification Recipients
Teresa Best
Juliana Favela
Kristina Freed
Marianela Garcia
Kasper Haughton
Jungah Heo
Michael Liu
Carmen Mendoza
Andrea Nagy
Jin Ah Park
Raul Souza
Pattiejean was born in Southampton, Bermuda. She studied general education and family studies at Los Angeles Community College, Newbold College, Lake Michigan College, Andrews University, and Oakwood University. She has a B.A. Liberal Arts degree and a B.Sc. Behavioral Science degree from Atlantic Union College. She also studied social work at Ryerson University, Toronto, and psychology at Alabama A & M University.

Jeffrey was born in Birmingham, England, of Jamaican parents. He has diplomas in Theology, Counseling, Education, and French from Newbold College, Herbert Gray College, Oxford University, and the Adventist University of France. He has a BA Theology degree from Washington Adventist University, and a Master of Divinity and Ph.D. degree from Andrews University in Religious Education, specializing in family life education and counseling.

Pattiejean has worked as a qualified administrative assistant, bank clerk, reference credit clerk, and Long Term Care Facility Nurse certified by the State of Michigan Department of Public Health. She is a certified Vegetarian Cuisine Instructor for the Adventist Health Network and serves as Family Ministries Assistant and Director of Ministerial Spouses for the Bermuda Conference.

Jeffrey has worked as a school counselor for University College Birmingham and a relationships counselor for National Relate (U.K.). He has pastored in England, Canada, and the United States, been a professor at Newbold College and Oakwood University, and received a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Family Studies from Andrews University. Jeffrey has worked as a school counselor for University College and served as the assistant director of the Bermuda Conference.

Pattiejean is the author of What On Earth Am I Doing? Leadership Lessons For Clergy Spouses and Jeffrey is the author of Single and Gifted: Making the Most of Your Singleness. Together they have authored Total Marriage: A Guide to Successful Marriage and A Guide To Parenting: On The Winning Team With Your Children. They are qualified facilitators with Prepare/Enrich Premarital Counseling and Marriage Enrichment and received Marriage Commitment Leadership Certification from John and Millie Youngberg, their mentors in family life education. Jeffrey is also a Certified Family Life Educator with the National Council on Family Relations.

The Browns have been blessed with two young adult children, Kristle, a psychology graduate of Oakwood University and Jamel, a communications senior at La Sierra University. They have been privileged to preach, teach, and conduct seminars in Austria, Bahamas, Barbados, Belgium, Bermuda, Canada, Costa Rica, Egypt, England, and have taught at Andrews University and Northern Caribbean University, and the family has been active in ministry in South Africa, Zimbabwe, and India.
Upcoming Family Life Events

Prepare/Enrich Certification Workshop
Sunday, July 22, 9:00 am – 4:30 pm, Seminary S120

The PREPARE/ENRICH Certification Workshop is one day and designed to help facilitators learn how to use the PREPARE/ENRICH Program with premarital and married couples. Topics for couples covering in the PREPARE/ENRICH Program include communication, conflict resolution, family of origin, finances, sexuality, spiritual beliefs, and many more.

Don and Sue Murray have been seminar directors for Life Innovations for more than twenty years. Join them as they offer you this important tool for use in your career. The workshop will also include other relevant resources for premarital and marital enrichment and counseling.

Cost: Discounted rate for enrolled graduate students $125.00
Spouses may attend (sharing materials) for $35.00
Professionals $170.00
Payable by check or cash

To Register: Don or Sue Murray, 269.470.6877
solutionseekers@sbcglobal.net
Words of Thanks

Praise Team: "Broken" band members—Alicia Boling, Armando Contreras, Earl Esdaile, Sabine Kene, Kitty Rivas, and Dale Simpson

Seminars: Miroslav Danihelov and Raul Souza

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Dr. David Sedlacek, professor of family life and discipleship
Dr. Jane Thayer, professor emerita of religious education
Dr. Allan Walshe, chair – discipleship & religious education
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