

SABBATH SCHOOL

9:30 A.M.

Song Service		Gary Strunk
Opening Song	<i>"Christ for the World We Sing"</i>	#370
Welcome and Prayer		Peggy Tomat
Special Feature	<i>"China's Stock Rising"</i>	Robert Vieira
Lesson Study	<i>"Conflict & Crisis: The Judges"</i>	Lesson Groups

Organist: Dona Klein

Adult Sabbath School Lesson Groups

Sanctuary Front Center — Peggy Tomat

Board Room — Dan Buckendahl

Overflow Room — Ardyce Fowler

Fellowship Hall — Gary Strunk

Elders' Room — Joyce Hopp

Pathfinder's Room — Michael Magie

Music Room — "Refocus your Marriage"

Community Service Room -- Class for Beginners
Elders Ken Cox & Curtis Bradford

Children's/Youth Divisions

Cradle Roll: (North Patio) Ages 0 - 3

Kindergarten: (North-East Patio) Ages 4 - 6

Primary: (East Patio) Ages 7 - 9

Juniors: (East Patio) Ages 10 - 12

Earliteens: (Family Ministries Room) Grades 7 - 8

Youth: Revive (South Patio) Youth Center, Grades 9 - 12

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Material & Information to be printed in the Church bulletin needs to be in office by **Wednesday noon each week!** Leave the information with Linda Hill, the secretary. Office: 797-1375 or email her at yucaipasecretary@gmail.com.



YUCAIPA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

January 23, 2016

Pastor Elijah Grekov
Pastor Christine Wallington
Pastor Jamison Wallington

WORSHIP SERVICE

10:40 A.M.

Song Service		Gary Strunk
Welcome/Church Life		Pastor Elijah Grekov
Prelude		
Hymn of Praise	<i>"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"</i>	#469
Invocation		Ethelyn Glassford
Tithes & Offering	<i>"Religious Liberty"</i>	Linda Hill
Special Music		Tim Chapman, Tabitha Usery, & Gary McLarty
Children's Offering & Story		Pastor Jamison Wallington
Preparation for Prayer		Pastor Christine Wallington
Congregational Prayer		Ron Neish
Prayer Response		
Scripture Reading	<i>"John 15:18-21; 16:2-3"</i>	Eiddelyn Glassford
Special Music		Tim Chapman & Gary McLarty
Sermon	<i>"Conflict & Conscience"</i>	Pastor Elijah
Hymn of Response	<i>"The Glory Song"</i>	#435
Benediction		Pastor Elijah
Prayer Response		
Postlude		
Elders of the Month: Ron Neish/Jennifer Lidar Organist: Dona Klein		

WELCOME

TO OUR GUESTS, WE ARE DELIGHTED that you are worshiping with us today. We consider it a privilege to share this time together praising and giving thanks to God. If you are visiting and are making your home in this community we extend to you a hearty invitation to make this your church home. Please, complete the Guest Registration card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.

WELCOME TO ROB AND DENA VIEIRA are doing our Sabbath School special feature this morning. They have been serving as self-supporting missionary workers in China since 2010, and have been in China a total of nine years. They are working as English teachers in this communist closed country. Through friendship evangelism and small-group Bible study, they are bringing individuals to the knowledge of God with the goal of making disciples and planting a home fellowship church. Joining them in the last few years in this endeavor are their fellow missionary workers: daughter Penelope, 6 years old, daughter Abigail, 5, and son Wesley, 3. They are committed to being in China as long as God keeps the door open."

ANNOUNCEMENTS TODAY

Today's Message: "**Conflict & Conscience**"
John 15:18-21; 16:2-3

Suffering for Jesus' sake is part of the Christians' present destiny. Persecution is not limited to one period in history. It is both local and universal. It may come from different sources and in different forms. It may be triggered by the witness of God's people. Persecution is not a "strange thing" (1 Pet 4:12) and must be expected.

How the followers of Christ can respond to persecution?

Accept suffering as a natural ingredient of discipleship (Rev 14:4). Turn to God in prayer (Rev 6:10). Trust God's plan of salvation. Patiently hold on to what you have. Seek the good of your enemies by being faithful witness through life, word and serving. Rely on the loving care of Jesus (Rev 1:5-7) and his promise to help his people to persevere (Rev 2:10, and to limit burdens so that they become bearable (Rev 2:24; 3:10). Keep in mind that persecution is not the end. The hope of eternal life is realized in the resurrection at the Soon Coming of Jesus.

In the meantime, take a stand for truth. Love, care for, and support those that are suffering.



Marriage in Focus

9:30am Sabbath mornings in the Music Room

January 2 – February 6

1. **OFFERING OF THE DAY:** Religious Liberty is a North American Division (NAD) offering used to send LIBERTY magazine to local, state, and national civic leaders. It is used as follows: 10% to the Religious Liberty Legislation Fund. 10% to the NAD unions for Religious Liberty campaign expenses. Salaries related to producing and marketing LIBERTY magazine. Special national legislation contacts. Advertising in the media to address special religious liberty issues. Other uses as voted by the NAD Public Affairs and Religious Liberty Committee. This offering needs to be placed in an envelope and marked Religious Liberty.
2. **HEALTH MINISTRY COMMITTEE MEETING** – Today in the Fellowship Hall at 1 pm.
3. **FRANK PETROV FUNERAL:** Today, January 23 at 3 pm at Desert Hot Springs Church.

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@ The Larson's

When: Saturday Night January 23rd @ 5pm
Where: The Larson's House
What: Worship, Food & Games
Who: Earliteen, Youth, Young Adult & Families

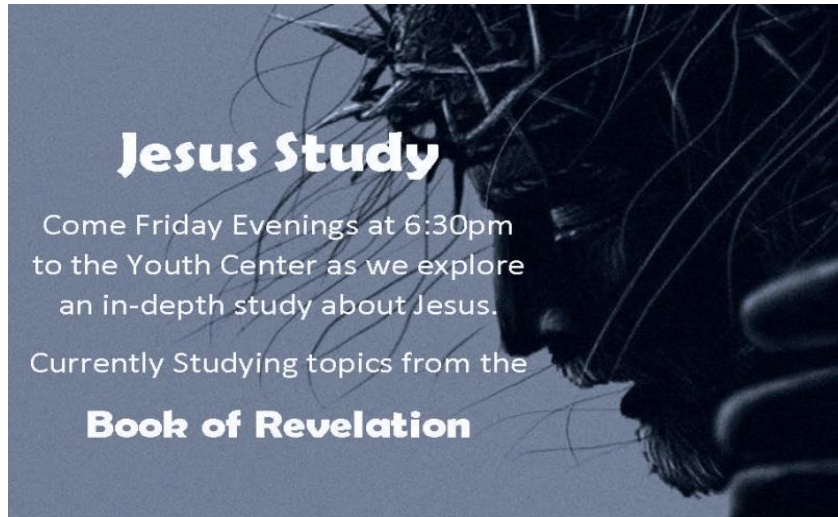
NEXT WEEK

5. **SENIORS' TRIP TO LIVING DESERT:** Sunday, **January 24** leaving church at 9 am. Entrance Cost: \$14.00 Seniors. You can bring your own lunch or buy at the Café. Bring jacket and wear walking shoes or purchase ticket on the tram for \$6.00. Butterfly exhibit is \$3.00.
6. **YUCAIPA CHURCH COMMUNITY SERVICES:** is up and running. Sowing Seeds of Kindness report: Last Tuesday 29 people were served. There were 20 food items available for each person. Most of the people visited "The Clothes Closet". Karen Lafferty and Linda Villarreal prayed with individuals and families as they left. We are making many new friends in the community who are in need. The day brought many smiles and blessings to all of us. Thank you for your continued prayers and financial support. We are looking for people with fruit trees that we could pick 2 boxes of fruit a week to give out on Tuesday mornings. Also needed are spaghetti and spaghetti sauce, apple sauce, and brown paper bags from grocery stores. Please call Karen Lafferty at 661-331-1219 if you can help. Food can be left in the foyer or church office.
7. **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** Tuesday evenings from **6:30 - 7:30 pm**, as we examine the life of Christ as told in the Gospel of Mark. To join, please call **Stephanie Griffin: 909-557-4273**.
8. **CHURCH BOARD MEETING:** Tuesday, January 26 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall.

9. **WEDNESDAY MORNING GROUP** - Studying new book: **Thoughts From the Mount of Blessings** by Ellen White. Books will be provided for each student. We meet from **10:30 to 12 noon** in the Overflow Room. All are encouraged to join and share your thoughts on the subject that will be covered. A different class member will be leading each chapter with class participation.

10. **WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING:** 6 pm – 7 pm in the Youth Center.

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12. **PATHFINDER SABBATH:** January 30

UPCOMING EVENTS

13. **CHILDREN’S CHURCH:** February 6 in the Youth Center.

14. **PATHFINDER PICNIC IN THE PARK:** February 6 after church.

15. **YOUTH/YOUNG ADULT EVENING ACTIVITY:** February 6.

16. **PATHFINDER VALENTINE DINNER FUNDRAISER:** February 7.

GENERAL

17. **INTERNET PRAYER TEAM:** Our church Internet prayer team is willing to pray for both short and long term requests. Should you have a request or a praise, please place it in the prayer request box in the church foyer, or e-mail it to Deanne Joseph dgiJoseph400@yahoo.com ALL REQUESTS WILL BE HANDLED CONFIDENTIALLY.

PRAYER WORKS

"And whatsoever ye shall ask I my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son." **John 14:13**

"Oh, educate the soul to believe the promises of God. Would He make such promises if He did not love us? We are His purchased property; bought at an infinite price"

From a sermon given by EGW, September 10, 1892

18. **SABBATH SCHOOL & CHURCH SERVICE DVDS:** are available at the Personal Ministry desk in the foyer. Please sign up on the sheet at the desk. If you cannot wait, it will be available for you next week. These are free but if you would like to contribute to this ministry, place your donation in a tithe envelope and mark it DVD.

COMBINED BUDGET: monthly goal	\$14,500
COMBINED BUDGET: received in Jan.	\$ 4,413
Tuition Aid: needed each month	\$ 2,300
Tuition Aid: received in Jan.	\$ 1,086

19. **ANY UNDESIGNATED MONEY:** in a tithe envelope, will go toward the offering appeal of the day. All loose offerings go to church budget. Your contribution, whether large or small is of great help to the church.

20. **ONLINE GIVING:** A service for members & friends – you may give your tithes & offerings online. Use credit/debit or checking account secure, confidential, & convenient. Log on to the Yucaipa Church secure Online Giving site from our home page: yucaipasda.adventistfaith.org

21. **NEXT WEEK’S OFFERING: Conference Wide Evangelism -** Specifically, the offering is to be used to help fund local churches evangelism efforts and to provide additional assistance for specific outreach projects and initiatives.

Calendar at a Glance

WEEKLY

Community Services – Tuesdays - 9am – 1pm
Women's Bible Study - Tuesday evenings – 6:30 pm
Wednesday Mornings' Study Group– 10:30 am
Prayer Meeting – Wednesday evenings – 6 pm

JANUARY

23 Refocus your Marriage – 9:30 am
23 Health Ministry Committee Meeting – 1:00 pm
24 Pathfinder Teen Swim Test
24 Seniors' Trip to Living Desert
26 Church Board Meeting – 7 pm
30 Refocus your Marriage – 9:30 am
30 Pathfinder/Adventurer Sabbath
30 Walking with God – 4:16 pm

FEBRUARY

3 Adventurer/Pathfinder Clubs – 6:30 pm
6 REFOCUS Marriage Seminar ends – 9:30 am
6 Children's Church in the Youth Center
6 Pathfinder Picnic in the Park
6 Elder Care Ministry
6 Walking with God – 4:22 pm
6 Youth/Young Adult evening activity
7 Pathfinder Valentine Dinner Fundraiser
12 Intergenerational Committee Meeting – 1 pm
13 Walking with God – 4:29 pm
16 Finance Committee Meeting – 5:30 pm
16 Church Board Meeting – 7 pm
17 Pathfinder Club Meeting – 6:25 pm
17 Adventurer Club Meeting
18 School Board Meeting
20 Seniors' Fellowship Potluck
20 Walking with God – 4:35 pm
21-26 Healthy Life: Scharffenberg Health Meetings – 7pm

MARCH

2 Adventurer/Pathfinder Clubs
5 MGA Choir Program
5 Children's Church
5 Elder Care Ministry
5 Walking with God – 4:47 pm
12 Walking with God – 4:53 pm
15 Finance Committee Meeting
16 Adventurer Sorenson Tour – 3:15 pm
16 Adventurer/Pathfinder Clubs
19 Seniors' Fellowship Potluck

DIRECTORY

The Pastoral Staff is here to serve you. Please call us when you or a loved one must go to the hospital or needs crisis counseling. We are here to help you!

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The joy & blessings of the Sabbath conclude at 5:08 pm
& begin again next Friday, 1/29, at 5:15 pm



What does it mean to *Walk with God*? Enoch walked with God, and walked right into heaven. Can we do the same? This series will explore together, the meaning of and the how to *Walk with God*.

Learning to Walk with God doesn't usually happen in a moment. It usually takes years. Yet it begins in a moment. We will explore those precious moments and the *Walk* that follows.

We begin here. If you do everything we cover in this series, your walk with God will never end. It will continue into heaven and onto the New Earth. Come, and enjoy the adventure of *Walking with God*.

The learning happens every Sabbath afternoon one hour before sunset beginning January 30, 4:16 pm in the sanctuary of the Yucaipa Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Learning to Walk with God is coordinated by Elder Gary Strunk.



You may have traveled thousands of miles on mission trips, or wished you could have. You've helped build churches, conducted evangelistic series & Vacation Bible Schools; participated in clinics, helped with crying children as their parents got the help they needed. And you've cleaned streets, handed out needed food and supplies to people in devastated areas. And you came home from those trips elated, with mission stories from your own personal viewpoint that touched hearts & spurred others to go & do likewise.

On April 26-29, 2016 you'll have a life-changing opportunity to go on a mission trip right here in Los Angeles! On those dates more than 10,000 people will line up for free medical, surgical, vision & dental care in downtown Los Angeles. **Whether you're a health professional or not**, you, along with 3,000 other Adventist volunteers coming from all parts of the U.S. & elsewhere, can have a part in the exciting mega-clinic being planned to treat them. Don't miss this chance to help thousands, right here! You'll be very grateful that you had a part in helping – and so will those whose lives you've touched.

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