

SABBATH SCHOOL

9:30 A.M.

Song Service		Judy Northrop
Opening Song	<i>"All To Jesus I Surrender"</i>	# 309
Welcome and Prayer		George Groth
Special Feature	<i>"The Tree"</i>	George Groth
Lesson Study Groups	<i>"The Ministry Begins"</i>	Lesson

Organist: Calvin Moses

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
Community Service Room -- Bible 101
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

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YUCAIPA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
APRIL 9, 2016

Pastor Elijah Grekov
Pastor Christine Wallington

WORSHIP SERVICE

10:40 A.M.

Song Service		Judy Northrop
Welcome/Church Life		Pastor Elijah Grekov
Prelude	<i>“Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy” – setting</i>	J. Linker
Hymn of Praise	<i>“Live Out Thy Life Within Me”</i>	# 316 1,2, 4
Invocation		Lonny Shattuck
Tithes & Offering	<i>“Christian Record Services World Budget”</i>	Jon Carlson
Special Music		Jan Larson
Children’s Offering & Story		
Preparation for Prayer		Pastor Elijah
Congregational Prayer		Dallas Bobst
Prayer Response		
Scripture Reading	<i>“Matthew 25:1-13”</i>	Joshua Rotaru
Special Music		Jan Larson
Sermon	<i>“Preparing For The Master’s Appearing”</i>	Pastor Elijah
Hymn of Response	<i>“We Know Not The Hour”</i>	# 604
Benediction		Pastor Elijah
Prayer Response		
Postlude	<i>“All Now Sing Forth in Praise”</i>	E. Broughton

Elders of the Month: Jon Carlson/Ralph De la Ossa
Organist: Calvin Moses

WELCOME

TO OUR GUESTS, WE ARE DELIGHTED that you are worshiping with us today. 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY

1. **OFFERING OF THE DAY:** Christian Record Services/World Budget. This offering is used to help people who are blind or visually impaired receive free reading services, Bibles, & Spirit of Prophecy books. Money from public donations cannot be used toward Adventist-specific materials so this offering is very important to be able to distribute materials.
2. **FREE BOOKS:** The closet with books for you to take home will be open in the foyer on the first Sabbath of the month. These are books that have been donated to the church. Stop by and take what you will read.
3. **VESPERS TONIGHT:** starts at 6:16 pm with music and following a study on the Book of Romans by Gary Strunk.

NEXT WEEK

4. **SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS:** Meet every **Tuesday** from 9 am – 1 pm. a change took place in your life, and kindness and compassion became part of your nature. What you did by caring for the underprivileged was as pleasing to my Father as if you had done it for me." Matt. 25:40 (CW). We are in need of volunteers who are able to grocery shop, pick up medications or take someone to the doctors. call [951-381-0913](tel:951-381-0913).
5. **WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY:** **Tuesday** evenings from **6:00 - 7:00 pm**, as we examine the life of Christ as told in the Gospel of Mark. To join, please call **Stephanie Griffin: 909-557-4273**.
6. **WEDNESDAY MORNING GROUP** – Studying **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.

7. **WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING & BIBLE STUDY: 6-7 P.M.**

8. **SABBATH EVENING VESPERS: Book of Romans** - see insert

GENERAL

9. **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 djoseph400@yahoo.com
ALL REQUESTS WILL BE HANDLED CONFIDENTIALLY.

PRAYER WORKS	
"Watch and pray, lest ye enter into temptation. The spirit truly is ready, but the flesh is weak." <i>Mark 14:38</i>	
"We are here in the world of doubt and skepticism. The law of God is made void, unbelief seems to be in the very air we breathe; and to resist all these influences, and battle successfully against the powers of darkness, requires strong faith and earnest prayers."	
<i>The Bible Echo September 24, 1894</i>	

COMBINED BUDGET: monthly goal	\$14,500
COMBINED BUDGET: received in April	\$ 2,503
Tuition Aid: needed each month	\$ 2,300
Tuition Aid: received in March.	\$ 321

10. **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.

11. **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.

12. **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

13. **NEXT WEEK’S OFFERING: Local Church Budget.**

14. **TUITION AID:** Please continue to remember our 23 students that we help with their tuition cost each month so they can attend our Adventist Schools.

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
- “The Book of Romans” – Sabbath Vespers – 1 hr before sundown

APRIL

- 9 Book of Romans – 6:16 pm
- 15-17 Pathfinder Campout
- 16 Seniors’ Potluck
- 16 Book of Romans – 6:22 pm
- 17 Seniors’ Outing to Ramona Pageant
- 19 Finance Committee Meeting – 7 pm**
- 20 Adventurer/Pathfinder Clubs
- 21 School Board
- 23 Youth Event: Hiking at Joshua Tree
- 23 Book of Roman – 6:27 pm
- 24 Pathfinder Multi-Club Sports/Family Day
- 26-29 Pathway to Health – LA
- 26 Church Board Meeting – 7 pm**
- 28 VOP - “Shadow Empire Presented by Shawn Boonstra 7pm
- 29 VOP - “Shadow Empire Presented by Shawn Boonstra 7pm
- 30 VOP - “Shadow Empire Presented by Shawn Boonstra 11am
- 30 VOP - “Shadow Empire Presented by Shawn Boonstra 6:30p
- 29-May1 Adventurer Club Joshua Tree Campout

MAY

- 4 Adventurer/Pathfinder Clubs
- 6 Healthy Life Series
- 7 Elder Care Ministry
- 7 Healthy Life Series
- 13 Healthy Life Series
- 14 Healthy Life Series
- 15 Cooking School
- 15 Adventurer Club Bike Safety
- 15 Pathfinder Fair

UPCOMING EVENTS

15. RAMONA PAGEANT in Hemet on **April 17**. Seniors' Fellowship will be sponsoring a trip to the Ramona Bowl to see the Ramona Pageant. The van will be leaving the church at 2 p.m. for those who need rides. This will allow time to walk around before the pageant which starts at 3:30 pm. The play will last until approximately 6:30 p.m. There is a signup sheet in the lobby for both tickets and for those needing rides. Once again, we have already bought 20 tickets so those with their money in to Karen Lafferty first will get the tickets.

16. YOUTH HIKING TRIP to Joshua Tree, **April 23rd**.

17. "SHADOW EMPIRE" - VOICE OF PROPHECY PRESENTATION by Shawn Boonstra, **April 28-30**. One man, Constantine, ignited a global movement that forever affected the relationship between church and state. Discover the consequences of a church driven by the government, and explore what it means for our lives in America today. Featuring stunning new on-location video from countries such as Turkey, Italy and Serbia, and stunning insights from Scripture. Please share the card with someone.

NON YUCAIPA CHURCH ACTIVITIES

18. THURSDAY MORNING MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST: Thursday mornings at **7:30 am** at the Sun Lakes Clubhouse in Beaumont. The group was started 10 years ago by Doctor Fred Lloyd. For more info contact Pete at 909-855-0592

19. YUCAIPA VALLEY RETIREES FELLOWSHIP is scheduled for Tuesday, **April 5th**. The potluck will be at noon in the Fellowship Hall of the Calimesa Church. Please join us and bring your favorite choice of an entrée, vegetable, salad, or dessert. After lunch Dick Schaefer, Loma Linda University historian and author will give his presentation, "The Legacy, as a 110-year history in pictures."

20. WIT - the play - will be performed at Damazo Amphitheater, 7:30 pm Saturdays, **April 9 & 16**, and 3:00 pm Sundays (April 10 and 17). This story of a stage-4 cancer patient is told with a profundity and humor that are transformative for both patient and audience. Admission is free. Staged by Wright-Huffman Productions; sponsored by the LLU School of Religion's Humanities Program. [\(909\)558-1000 x46283](tel:(909)558-1000)

21. REDLANDS ADVENTIST ACADEMY ALUMNI WEEKEND: April 16 Alumni vs. Student Volleyball/Basketball games in the gym at 8:15 pm April 17 will be the Annual RAA Gold Tournament at Oak Valley Golf Club in Beaumont. For more info contact the school at 793-1000.

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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Regular office hours are from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00p.m., Tuesday through Thursday. Pastoral appointments are available as needed.

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**The joy & blessings of the Sabbath conclude at 7:04 pm
& begin again next Friday, 4/2, at 7:09 pm.**




At the time of writing the epistle, Paul was about to return to Palestine, bearing from the churches in Macedonia and Achaia a contribution for the poor among the Christians in Jerusalem. He intended, after completing this mission, to visit Rome, and from there travel on to Spain. As yet he had never been able to visit the Christian church in the capital city of the Roman Empire, though he had often desired to do so. But now he believed that he had completed his missionary labor in Asia and Greece, and was eager to move westward to strengthen the work in Italy and to introduce Christianity to Spain.

We will enjoy a thorough exposition of Paul's marvelous letter to the Romans and to us **every Sabbath afternoon starting, by popular demand, one hour before sunset**, preceded by mood music by Dona Klein &/or guest musicians.

This is a great way to close the Sabbath, to spring into a new week, and to learn the words of God. AND this is a great place to invite friends to learn what the Bible teaches about nearly every major question in life. That's how thorough the Book of Romans is.

Elder Strunk will be leading most of the studies. Today music begins 6:01 p.m., Study 6:16 p.m. and ends at 7:16 p.m. Come early to get a good seat.



Youth Hiking Trip

April 23, 2016

Join us! All Earliteen, Youth, Collegiate and Young Adult families and friends, we will enjoy a Sabbath afternoon hike at Joshua Tree. Entrance this day will be free. Please bring your own sack lunch and supplies as we will be leaving after church.

For more info contact please
Lorrie Humpal

Yucaipa SDA Church
Church Ministries Questionnaire

Being part of a church family can be a very rewarding experience. Many of the rewards come from personal involvement. You'll find that the more you put into your membership, the more you will receive in return. This questionnaire will help our Nominating Committee know where you would like to use your gifts in service to this church. What a blessing you will receive as you reach out to bless others. Please answer "yes" when someone calls about an opportunity for you to serve in a volunteer ministry of our church.

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____

Areas of Interest

SABBATH SCHOOL

- Children's S.S. Coordinator
- Cradle Roll
- Kindergarten
- Primary
- Juniors
- Earliteen
- Youth
- Pianist:
Division _____
- Young Adults
- Adult S. S. Coordinator
- Adult Superintendents
- Adult S.S. Teacher
- Feature Presentations
- Mission Reports
- S. S. Secretary

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

- Children's Story
- VBS
- Children's Church
- Pathfinders Club
- Adventurers Club
- Eager Beavers Club
- Kits 4 Your Active Kids
- Family Fun Nights

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEES

- Social Committee
- Greeters
- Fellowship Dinners
- Clean-up for Fellowship Dinners
- Flowers
- Agape Feast
- Wedding Coordinator

LEADERSHIP MINISTRIES

- Elder
- Finance Committee
- School Board
- Deacon/Deaconess
- Usher

Place in Offering Plate

PERSONAL MINISTRIES

- Outreach Ministry
- Religious Liberty
- Health Ministry
- Prayer Ministry
- Member Care Ministry
- Seniors' Ministry
- Women's Ministry
- Men's Ministry
- Family Ministry
- Young Adult Ministry
- Elder Care Ministry
- Grief Ministry
- Deaf Ministry
- Discover Bible School

BIBLE STUDY MINISTRIES

- Small Groups
- Individual
- Mid-Week Bible Study

SERVICE ORIENTED MINISTRIES

- Audio/Visual Team
- Mailings Team
- Workbees
- Landscaping
- Decorating Team
- News Reporter
- Community Service Ministry
- Treasurer's Assistants
- Safety Committee
- Disaster Committee
- Communications Team
- Library Team
- Personal Ministry Desk
- Telephoning Team

MUSIC MINISTRIES

- Instrument: _____
- Soloist
- Organist
- Church Pianist
- Choristers