

## **SABBATH SCHOOL**

**9:15 A.M.**

**Song Service** **Diana Giraldo**

**Lesson Study**    *"Jesus Mingled with People"*    **Lesson Groups**

**10:25 A.M. IN SANCTUARY**

**Welcome and Prayer** **Tricia Page**

**Special Feature**    *"Full Circle Ministry"*    **David Machado**

**Pianist: Dorothy Wareham    Organist: Gerald Wareham**

### **Adult Sabbath School Lesson Groups**

**Sanctuary Front Center** — Doug Lafferty/Roscoe Benjamin  
**Board Room** — Dan Buckendahl  
**Overflow Room** — Ardyce Fowler  
**Fellowship Hall** — Gary Strunk  
**Elders' Room** — Joyce Hopp  
**Music Room** — Michael Magie

### **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](mailto:yucaipasecretary@gmail.com).



**YUCAIPA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
**August 6, 2016**

**Pastor Elijah Grekov**

# WORSHIP SERVICE

10:45 A.M.

Song Service		Praise Team
Welcome/Church Life		Pastor Elijah Grekov
Prelude	<i>"At the Dawn"</i>	Dorothy Wareham
Hymn of Praise	<i>"Jesus the Very Thought of Thee"</i>	#516
	<i>"More About Jesus"</i>	#245
Invocation		Gavin Machain
Tithes & Offering	<i>"Local Church Budget"</i>	Douglas Lafferty
Special Music		LeAnne Page
Children's Offering & Story		Kodi Humpal
Preparation for Prayer		Pastor Elijah
Congregational Prayer		Stephaine Griffin
Prayer Response		
Scripture Reading	<i>"Mark 3: 7-12"</i>	Kate Machain
	<i>"Matthew 16: 13 – 17"</i>	
Special Music		LeAnne & RaLene Page
Sermon	<i>"Will the Real Jesus Please Stand Up?"</i>	Elder Robert Roth
Hymn of Response	<i>"O How I Love Jesus"</i>	#248
Benediction		Elder Roth
Postlude	<i>"Toccata in d"</i>	J S Bach

Elders of the Month: Douglas Lafferty/Richard Parker  
Pianist: Dorothy Wareham Organist: Gerald Wareham

TO OUR GUESTS, WE ARE DELIGHTED that you are worshipping 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: Local Church Budget.** Thank you so much for making and exceeding our goal for last month. Your continuing support makes it possible for our ministries to function. School is starting this month so please remember our Tuition Aid which is separate from local church budget.
- 2. SECOND READING MEMBERSHIP:** The following membership changes have been recommended by the Church Board  
To Yucaipa Church  
Jay Emery from Pam Springs SDA Church  
DeLora Emery from Palm Springs SDA Church  
Jayde Emery from Palm Springs SDA Church  
From Yucaipa Church  
Alice Gerrans to White House SDA Church, TN  
New Appointments  
Sylvia Williams – Deaconess  
Brenda Roman - Greeter  
Yvonne Wren & Rich Ferras Children's Story Coordinators
- 3. ASSOCIATE PASTOR SURVEY:** If you did not turn one in last week, there is, at the back of the bulletin, a survey for you to fill out to help our search committee know what qualities are important to you in our new Associate Pastor. Please take a few minutes to fill it out and either put it in the offering plate or turn it in to Pastor Elijah or the office.
- 4. MEMBERS OF THE SEARCH COMMITTEE FOR OUR ASSOCIATE PASTOR:** Your board chose the following members to serve on this committee.

Pastor Elijah Grekov – Chairman  
Christine Neish – Secretary  
Dave Larson                      Jake Knight  
Michelle Spencer                Robert Usery  
Paul Gavaza                      Tricia Page  
Douglas Lafferty                Roscoe Benjamin

5. **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.
6. **FELLOWSHIP BUFFET:** Today in Fellowship Hall.
7. **FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING:** We will meet right after potluck today. It is important that you attend.
8. **ELDER CARE MUSIC MINISTRY:** Today at 3:00pm at the "*Cedar Mountain*" facility (formerly Braswell's Hampton Manor) on 4th. Street (behind Stater Brothers).
9. **SABBATH EVENING VESPERS** at 6:45 pm will be the study of the Book of Romans with Gary Strunk preceded by a special musical program 15 minutes before the meeting begins. Come early and get your seat and enjoy the music.

### **NEXT WEEK**

10. **MEMBER CARE COMMITTEE:** meets on Monday, **August 8 at 7 pm** in the Board Room.
11. **SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS:** Mission statement is "To live our lives through Jesus Christ and serve others as He did." We continue to serve between 60 and 70 families each week with food and clothing. We all serve with donated hours, prayers, and finances. Thank you for your continued support. Community Services is open from 9 – 12 pm every Tuesday.
12. **SEARCH COMMITTEE:** meets on Tuesday, **August 9, at 7 pm** in the Board Room.
13. **WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY:** starts again on **August 2** from 6:15-7:15 pm. We'll be studying the book of Colossians each Tuesday evening. For more info or to join, please call **Stephanie Griffin: 909-557-4273**.
14. **WEDNESDAY MORNING GROUP** – Studying **End Day Events** by Ellen White. Books will be provided for each student. We meet from **10:30 to 12 noon** in the Overflow Room.
15. **WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING & BIBLE STUDY: 6-7 P.M.**
16. **BATHROOM RENOVATION COMMITTEE:** meets on Thursday, **August 11 at 7 pm**.

17. **ALL ORGANISTS AND PIANISTS** please meet near the organ for a short organizational meeting, **Sabbath, Aug 13**, following the church service. Thank you. Shirley Bristol
18. **SABBATH EVENING VESPERS** at 6:37 pm will be the study of the Book of Romans with Gary Strunk preceded by a special musical program 15 minutes before the meeting begins. Come early and get your seat and enjoy the music.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

19. **PATHFINDER/ADVENTRER CLUBS:** registration, **August 14**.
20. **CAMP MORNING STAR:** Mark your calendars to spend Sabbath evening and Sunday morning with your church at Camp Morning Star on **August 20 & 21**. More info coming soon.
21. **A CHURCH BELL CHOIR** is being formed, and the group plans to begin practicing in late August. If you are interested in participating in this group, please contact me (C 951-990-6452) Thank you. Shirley Bristol
22. **LABOR DAY PICNIC AT THE NEISHS:** will be Sabbath after church on **September 3**.

### **GENERAL**

23. **KAREN LAFFERTY** would like to express her thanks for all the prayers and cards she received.
24. **GORDON GOODE'S:** memorial service will be on Friday, **August 19** at 3:00 pm at the Banning SDA Church.
25. **MESA GRAND ACADEMY REGISTRATION:** will be **August 21**. K-8<sup>th</sup> grand begins from 1 pm – 5 pm; 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grades from 1 pm – 3pm; and 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> grades from 3 – 5 pm. New families are encouraged to come register any of those times. Come join the fun on our academic campus! For information, call the office at 909-795-1112 ext 221.
26. **REQUEST FROM THE MINISTERIAL MAGAZINE EDITOR:** We need to build a team of volunteer translators. Our goal is simple but bold: to make the lead article of our journal each month available on our website to tens of thousands of Christian leaders around the world who do not speak English. If you have a second or even third language that you could translate our articles into please contact [translation@ministrymagazine.org](mailto:translation@ministrymagazine.org).

**27. TUITION AID FORMS:** As a church member if you need help with tuition aid this coming school year at our Adventist Academy please pick up a tuition aid form in the lobby or church office and turn it immediately if you want to be approved before school starts.

**28. CHILDREN'S OFFERING:** is going to help with tuition aid for our 23 students in Adventist schools. Thank you for your support.

**29. 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](http://yucaipasda.adventistfaith.org)

<b>COMBINED BUDGET:</b> monthly goal	\$14,500
<b>COMBINED BUDGET:</b> received in July	\$16,453
<b>VBX Received in July</b>	\$ 678
<b>Tuition Aid:</b> received in July	\$ 1,546

**30. 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.

**31. NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING: Joint Universities Offering.** Andrews University, Loma Linda University and Oakwood University is a General Conference offering for the support of these three educational institutions.

**32. 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.

#### PRAYER WORKS“

It is God's purpose that men entrusted with responsibility should counsel and pray together in Christian unity. In unity there is life, a power that can be obtained in no other way. There will be a vast power in the church when the energies of the members are untied under the control of the Spirit. Then will God be able to work mightily through His people for the conversion of sinners.”

Testimonies for the Church, Vol 7, p. 236

**33. 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 [dgjoseph400@yahoo.com](mailto:dgjoseph400@yahoo.com) ALL REQUESTS WILL BE HANDLED CONFIDENTIALLY.

## Calendar at a Glance

### WEEKLY

Community Services – Tuesdays – 9am – 12pm

Women's Evening Bible Study – Tuesdays – 6:15pm – 7:15pm

Wednesday Mornings' Study Group– 10:30am

Prayer Meeting – Wednesday evenings – 6 pm

Sabbath Vespers – 1 hour before sundown

### AUGUST

- 6 All Church Potluck
- 6 Potluck Committee Meeting – Right after potluck
- 6 Elder Care Ministry – 3 pm
- 8 Member Care Committee – 7 pm
- 9 Search Committee – 7 pm
- 11 Bathroom Renovation Committee – 7 pm
- 13 Organist/Pianist Meeting – right after church
- 14 Pathfinder/Adventurer Clubs Registration Pool Party
- 16 Finance Committee Meeting – 7 pm**
- 18 School Board
- 20 Senior Potluck
- 19 – 21 Camp Morning Star
- 23 Church Board Meeting – 7 pm**
- 28 Pathfinder/Adventurer Clubs Registration Pool Party

### SEPTEMBER

- 3 Potluck at Neishs
- 3 Elder Care – 3pm
- 7 Pathfinder/Adventurer Meetings
- 9-11 SECC Pathfinder Leadership
- 15 School Board
- 16-18 Pathfinder Campout
- 17 Senior Potluck
- 20 Finance Committee – 7 pm**
- 21 Pathfinder/Adventurer Club Meetings
- 27 Church Board – 7 pm**
- 30 – Sept 2 SECC Teen Institute

### OCTOBER

- 1 All Church Potluck
- 1 Elder Care Ministry – 3 pm
- 3 In Pursuit of Excellence
- 4 In Pursuit of Excellence
- 10 In Pursuit of Excellence
- 11 In Pursuit of Excellence
- 14 Pathfinder Desert Hot Springs Trip
- 15 Senior Potluck
- 17 In Pursuit of Excellence
- 18 In Pursuit of Excellence

## 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!

Church Office –909- 797-1375/Fax: 909-797-2705  
35225 Avenue “E”, Yucaipa, CA 92399

Church Mailing: P.O. Box 1099  
Yucaipa, CA 92399-1099

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

Senior Pastor  
Pastor Elijah Grekov, 909-795-6965  
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Linda Hill, (909) 797-0487  
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Prayer Coordinator – Stephanie Griffin: 909-557-4273

Community Service – Sandy Bradford: 951-381-0913

Head Elder – Christine Neish: 909-797-2300  
Head Deacon – Dave Rodman: 951-712-1962  
Head Deaconess – Gloria Pohren: 909-797-1714

Homepage: [yucaipasda.adventistfaith.org](http://yucaipasda.adventistfaith.org)

The joy & blessings of the Sabbath conclude at 7:45 pm  
& begin again next Friday 8/12, at 7:37 pm.



Rome was the capitol of the empire. Whatever happened in the church and to the church at Rome affected churches throughout the empire. For example the church at Rome was made up largely of Gentile converts who had formerly been sun worshipers. So it was easier for them to adopt Sunday as a day of celebration in place of Saturday which was a day of ill omen according to Astrology which was also strong in Rome. And it helped them avoid being viewed as Jews who were hated by many.

Therefore the letter to the Romans, the Roman believers, became a major treatise with the potential of affecting all Christian churches. And so it has. But it has been misinterpreted by those who want to misinterpret it. Our task is to interpret it more accurately. And so we do every Sabbath evening one hour before sunset. Be sure you're in the pews to close the Sabbath in worship with music, with Bible study, and with sharing with serious students of Scripture

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. Study begins at 6:45 p.m. and ends at 7:45 p.m. Come early to get a good seat.

# Youth and Family Ministries Associate Pastor Congregational Survey

We will appreciate your help as we work to identify our new **Associate Pastor for Youth and Family Ministries**. Your opinion is important so please rate the qualities you feel are essential by circling your rating.

	Not important			Very important	
	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Preaching and Worship</b>					
1. Sermons are well researched	1	2	3	4	5
2. Sermons are Christ-centered	1	2	3	4	5
3. Sermons stay within a 35 minute limit	1	2	3	4	5
4. Sermons are relevant to congregation's needs	1	2	3	4	5
5. Interesting sermon delivery	1	2	3	4	5
6. Worship service is creative	1	2	3	4	5
7. Worship service is enjoyable	1	2	3	4	5
Other:					
<b>Visitation and Administration</b>					
8. Visits members	1	2	3	4	5
9. Encourages congregation to visit each other	1	2	3	4	5
10. Plans church events in advance	1	2	3	4	5
11. Enables congregation to set up its own goals	1	2	3	4	5
12. Trains and equips leaders	1	2	3	4	5
13. Assists church in taking ownership of programs	1	2	3	4	5
Other:					
<b>Youth and Family Ministries (Youth, Young Adults, Families)</b>					
14. Supports local church school	1	2	3	4	5
15. Utilizes youth in all aspects of church life	1	2	3	4	5
16. Supports Pathfinders/ Adventurers	1	2	3	4	5
17. Supports Sabbath School programs	1	2	3	4	5

	Not important			Very important	
	1	2	3	4	5
18. Develops, organizes, and leads activities for youth and young adults	1	2	3	4	5
19. Fosters family ministry programs	1	2	3	4	5
20. Supports children's ministries	1	2	3	4	5
Other:					
<b>Evangelism</b>					
21. Follows up on baptismal candidates	1	2	3	4	5
22. Promotes community outreach	1	2	3	4	5
23. Gives Bible studies	1	2	3	4	5
24. Inspires church to reach out	1	2	3	4	5
Other:					
<b>Professional Activities</b>					
25. Has a weekly schedule	1	2	3	4	5
26. Is available to church members	1	2	3	4	5
27. Cooperates with local community functions	1	2	3	4	5
28. Meets with local clergy groups	1	2	3	4	5
29. Plans special events (musicals, seminars)	1	2	3	4	5
30. Spouse is active in church	1	2	3	4	5
31. Has regular church office hours	1	2	3	4	5
32. Spends time with family	1	2	3	4	5
33. Seeks feedback	1	2	3	4	5
Other:					

How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

I usually attend Sabbath worship: (circle one response)

_____ weekly	_____ 2-3 times a month
_____ at least once a month	_____ 1-4 times a quarter
_____ 1-3 times a year	_____ hardly ever or never

*Thank you.*



# YUCAIPA EAGLES PATHFINDERS

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## ADVENTURERS REGISTRATION



### REGISTRATION POOL PARTY!!

*Sunday, August 14, 2016 from 1-5 pm.*

*Rader Home - 36567 Primrose Dr., Yucaipa, CA 92399*

**Come and join us for a fun registration party!!  
Don't miss out on a fun filled year of  
Pathfinding and Adventuring!!**

#### PATHFINDER AND ADVENTURER REGISTRATION:

*Pathfinder Age Requirement: 10 or older and at least in 5<sup>th</sup> grade.*

*Adventurer Age Requirement: 4-9*

#### **Questions?**

*Lisa Rader and Ed Rader (Pathfinder Directors) - 909-936-9356*

*Bart Van Kooten (Adventurer Director) - 909-790-6440*

#### **Needs:**

**SCHOLARSHIPS:** Praise God, our clubs are growing by leaps and bounds! As such, it has been decided we'll need to charge for registration, events and uniforms. To prevent any Pathfinder or Adventurer from missing out, please donate to our clubs so we can offer scholarships to those who would otherwise be unable to pay. Place your money into a tithe envelope and mark it "Pathfinders or Adventurers."

**PRAYER PARTNERS:** Please pray for Pathfinder and Adventurer members and staff for God's Hand over all they do and to guide them in each of their personal lives.

If you wish to help in other areas, call or come to registration and let us know what you're able to help with. May God bless, and guide you in your decisions.

## Children's Coloring Picture



**Tentative Program:**

**Sabbath:**

4:00 p. m — Check in for Cabins  
5:30 p. m. — Supper & Vespers Program  
8:00 p. m. — Swimming  
pool/Hiking/Bedtime

**Sunday:**

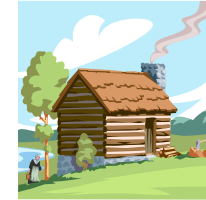
8:00 a. m. — Breakfast/ Worship  
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.—Canoeing at Jenks  
Lake

The activities and the food are sponsored by the church. Your donations will be greatly appreciated; please mark them for “*Special Programs Fund*”. The sign up sheet is in the foyer. If you’ll take a minute to let us know how many are coming, it will be very helpful.

*Special Thanks to Pat Baker!*

There is no charge for the use of the camp—

**CHURCH FAMILY RETREAT**  
AT  
**“CAMP MORNING STAR”**



**Friday:  
Youth Overnight Camping**

**Sabbath Evening: All Church  
Supper & Program-5:30 p.m.**

**Sunday: 8 am—12 pm  
Breakfast & Canoeing at the Lake**

*Bring a sleeping bag and personal hygiene items for  
overnight staying*

**Canoeing at Jenks Lake-Sunday**

*Friends are Welcomed*



*Yucaipa Adventist Church 909-797-1375  
Cabin reservation upon arrival at the site  
(Details and the map on the back!)*

***Camp Morning Star ★***

28 Miles above Redlands  
on Hwy. 38

