

SABBATH SCHOOL

9:15 A.M.

Song Service **Rich Ferras**

Lesson Study *“The Wrath of Elihu”* **Lesson Groups**

10:25 A.M. IN SANCTUARY

Welcome and Prayer **Trisha Chapman**

Special Feature *“The Promise Way”* **Pete Villarreal &
Linda Villarreal**

Pianist: Donalea Strunk Organist: Judy Northrop

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

The joy & blessings of the Sabbath conclude at 4:40 pm
& begin again next Friday 12/9, at 4:40 pm.



YUCAIPA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

December 3, 2016

Pastor Elijah Grekov

WORSHIP SERVICE

10:45 A.M.

Song Service		Praise Team
Welcome/Church Life		Pastor Elijah Grekov
Prelude		
Hymn of Praise	<i>"Come Thou Long Expected Jesus"</i>	#204
Invocation		Mike Easley
Tithes & Offering	<i>"Local Church Budget"</i>	Cinnea Easley
Special Music	<i>"Anywhere with Jesus"</i>	Dr. Bianca Acosta & Luis Acosta
Children's Offering & Story		Kodi Humpal
Preparation for Prayer		Pastor Elijah
Congregational Prayer		Ardyce Fowler
Prayer Response		
Scripture Reading	<i>"Psalm 37:1-9"</i>	Emma Spencer
Special Music	<i>"Open My Eyes That I May See"</i>	Dr. Bianca Acosta & Luis Acosta
	<i>"Jesus is All the World to Me"</i>	Felicia Woodson-Acosta
Sermon	<i>"The Spiritual Discipline of Waiting"</i>	Pastor Elijah
Special Music	<i>"I'll Tell It"</i>	Felicia Woodson-Acosta
Benediction		Pastor Elijah
Postlude		

Elders of the Month: Ardyce Fowler/Chuck Allgaier
Pianist: Donalea Strunk Organist: Judy Northrop

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.

FLORAL DISPLAY IN FOYER AND PLATFORM today are given in celebration of Julia and Travis Goodner's 54th Wedding Anniversary. Your church family wishes you the very best.

ANNOUNCEMENTS **TODAY**

- 1. OFFERING OF THE DAY: Local Church Budget.** This church family has been very supportive over the past year. We, on the Finance Committee and Church Board, wish to express our thanks for making it possible to pay our bills and keep the mission of this church moving forward.
- 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. FELLOWSHIP BUFFET:** Today in Fellowship Hall.
- 4. ELDER CARE MUSIC MINISTRY:** Today at 3:00pm at the "*Cedar Mountain*" facility (formerly Braswell's Hampton Manor) on 4th. Street (behind Stater Brothers).
- 5. SABBATH VESPERS:** In our vespers study of the Book of Hebrews, we now move into the heart of the letter where it says, "Now this is the main point of such things we are saying..." Then we are introduced to the New Covenant that many do not understand. And more importantly we are taken into the heavenly sanctuary where many have gotten confused thinking that Jesus entered the Most Holy Place of the heavenly sanctuary at His ascension. He didn't. But can you explain why? Don't miss the next few vespers starting one hour before sunset each Sabbath eve. after enjoying 15 minutes of music.



NEXT WEEK

6. **SEARCH COMMITTEE:** to meet at 7 pm on Monday, Dec. 5.
7. **SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS:** As we approach this Christmas Season we are also coming close to our one year anniversary of giving food and clothing to our community. We have received more blessings than we could possibly have given. A big thank you goes to Mike Klein and Loma Linda Market for supplying us so many healthy food products this whole year. We also thank you, the church family, for making this ministry possible. God always blesses us when we are willing to bless others. We will be open this Tuesday, Dec 6, and again on Dec.20 from 9 am – 1 pm.
8. **WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY: WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY:** continues from 6:16 pm – 7:15 pm on Tuesday evenings. For more info or to join, please call **Stephanie Griffin: 909-557-4273.**
9. **WEDNESDAY MORNING GROUP** – Studying End Days Events by Ellen White. Books will be provided for each student. We meet from **10:30 to 12 noon** in the Overflow Room.
10. **WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING & BIBLE STUDY: 6-7 P.M.**
11. **PATHFINDERS:** meet on Wednesday evening in the Pathfinder room at **6:25 pm.** Class A uniform.
12. **ADVENTURERS:** meet on Wednesday evening in Earliteen/Adventurer Room at **6:30 pm**
13. **SABBATH EVENING VESPERS NEXT WEEK** at 3:40 pm will be the study of the Book of Hebrews 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

14. **YOUTH SOCIAL:** On **Dec. 17, at 6:30 pm** the church family is invited to join the youth for music and lots of fun. There will be a bake sale to raise funds for the Youth Department. See Flyer

Senior Activities

RIVERSIDE MISSION INN. A guided tour of the historic Riverside Mission Inn on Monday, **December 19.** The Inn will be decorated for Christmas and the tour will take us into areas not open to the general public. You will also have the option, at additional cost, to take a horse drawn carriage ride through downtown Riverside. The cost is \$17.00 and 30 tickets are available. The bus is available for 10 people and will leave at 2:30. Please have your money in to the office by **Thursday, Dec. 7.**



PAGEANT OF OUR LORD. We will, again, be going to the



Pageant of our Lord - Living Art Experience in Rolling Hills Estates. Renowned works of religious art are depicted in a real life setting by people.....it is simply stunning and unbelievable. A full orchestra and choir will also play and sing. The date is Sunday, **April 9,**

at 3:00. The cost is \$20 for adults and \$15 for kids 6-12. Please have your money in to the office by **January 7.** The bus will be available for 10 people and will leave the church at 12:30. **Note to the whole church**....the seniors are sponsoring this event, but would like to open it up to anyone in the church who would like to join us for a wonderful, memorable experience. Please consider joining us.

Please see Karen or Doug Lafferty for more information on either or both of these events. 530-283-1937

GENERAL

15. MESA GRANDE MUSIC GROUPS appearing at Barnes and Noble in Redlands on Sat. night, Dec. 10, from 6:00-7:30 p.m. Come enjoy the music and support the fundraiser for books in Mrs. Heinrich's classroom.

16. THE MGA MUSIC DEPARTMENT announces its Christmas performances:

Dec. 12 - academy concert at Yucaipa SDA Church - 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 14 - elementary concert at Yucaipa SDA Church - 7:15 p.m.

Dec. 17 - academy bells at Calimesa Christmas Parade - 6:00 p.m.

Please invite your friends and join us for some joyous holiday music!

Questions? - call the school office at 909-795-1112.

17. FIRST READING MEMBERSHIP: The following membership changes have been recommended by the Church Board:

To Yucaipa Church

Dolly Parker from Goldendale SDA Church, WA

From Yucaipa Church

Martha Perilla to Riverside Kansas SDA Church

Lenette Drake to Loma Linda University SDA Church

Christine Wallington to Costa Mesa SDA Church

Jamison Wallingotn to Costa Mesa SDA Church

New Appointments

Greeter: Gladi Boecker

18. PERSONAL MINISTRIES: This is the fund that pays for the books and Glow Tracts in the foyer for members to pass out. The funds for this account have almost been depleted. Please consider this offering when you make your monthly donations, especially if you share this literature with your friends and those you meet.

19. 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

20. 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.

21. WANT TO HELP MGA GET EQUIPMENT WITH NO COST TO YOU? Collect EDUCATION BOX TOPS, LOMA LINDA AND WORTHINGTON FOOD LABELS AND CAMPBELL SOUP LABELS: Please save these labels and put them in the special container at the Personal Ministry Window or give to Karen Lafferty. She will make sure they get to Mesa Grande Academy

22. 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 ALL REQUESTS WILL BE HANDLED CONFIDENTIALLY.

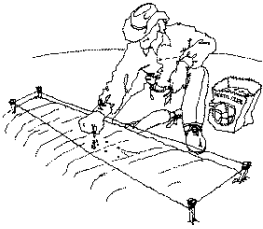
COMBINED BUDGET: monthly goal	\$14,500
COMBINED BUDGET: received in Nov.	\$18,387
Tuition Aid Monthly need	\$ 1,800
Tuition Aid: received in Nov.	\$ 1,776

23. 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.

24. NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING: Adventist Community Services is the non-profit, humanitarian agency for the Seventh-day Adventist Church that works within the United States and Bermuda through more than 1,100 localities and upholds the beliefs of the World Seventh-day Adventist Church organization. Adventist Community Services (ACS) provides such services as Disaster Response, Adventist Crisis Care Network (ACCN), Tutoring and Mentoring Programs, Elder Care Ministries, and Community Development/Urban Ministry/Inner City Ministries. Thank you for your support.

NON YUCAIPA CHURCH EVENTS

Monthly Garden Class



Topic: *Ideal fruit varieties for this area and how to plant and care for them.*

Who: Robert Peterson

When: 12/5/16 Monday at 6:00-7:30pm

Where: Victoria SDA church

1860 S. Mountain View Ave Loma Linda

Need more info: Contact Tom at 909-556-8801

JOIN US FOR A FREE CONCERT FEATURING VOCAL ARTISTS LAUDAT AND MUSICAL GUESTS

Sunday, **December 4**, 2016

2:00 PM

First Presbyterian Church
100 Cajon Street, Redlands, CA
Free-will offering to benefit the
Healthy Neighborhoods Project

25. YUCAIPA VALLEY RETIREES FELLOWSHIP: The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, January 3rd, 2017. No meeting in December.

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
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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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Head Deaconess – Gloria Pohren: 909-797-1714

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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.

Calendar at a Glance

WEEKLY

Women's Evening Bible Study – Tuesdays – 5:45pm – 6:30pm

Wednesday Mornings' Study Group– 10:30am

Prayer Meeting – Wednesday evenings – 6 pm (Canceled Dec 21 & 28)

Prayer of Faith Seminar – Sabbath – 2:30 pm – 4 pm

Sabbath Vespers – 1 hour before sundown

DECEMBER

- 3 Church Potluck
- 3 Elder Care Ministry – 3 pm
- 5 Search Committee – 7 pm
- 6 Community Service 9 – 12 pm
- 7 Adventurer/Pathfinder Club Meetings
- 10 Mesa Grande Choirs Church Service
- 11 Pathfinder multi-club activity
- 12 MGA Christmas Concert - Academy
- 14 MGA Christmas Concert – Elementary
- 14 Adventurer/Pathfinder Club Meeting
- 16 Pathfinders
- 17 Senior Potluck
- 17 Pathfinder Meeting – After Church
- 17 Adventurer Meeting 4 pm
- 17 Social for church sponsored by Youth 6:30 pm
- 18 Pathfinder Christmas Party
- 19 Senior Trip to Mission Inn
- 24 Christmas Program
- 30 Agape Feast

JANUARY

- 4 Adventurer/Pathfinder Club Meetings
- 7 Church Potluck
- 17 Finance Committee Meeting**
- 18 Adventurer/Pathfinder Meetings**
- 19 School Board
- 21 Pathfinder Sabbath
- 22 Pathfinder Teen Swim Check
- 24 Church Board Meeting**
- 27 Honor the Sabbath
- 28 Church Leadership Conference – at our church
- 28 Calimesa Women's Retreat

YOUTH INVITE THE CHURCH FAMILY TO JOIN THEM AT

