

# IN-PERSON WORSHIP SERVICE

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SABBATH SCHOOL: 9:30 am WORSHIP SERVICE: 10:45 am

YUCAIPA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

**December 3, 2022** 

Pastor Elijah Grekov Pastor Cliff Lim

# ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL

9:30am - 10:30 am

**Opening Song** "Come Christians, Join to Sing"

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**Adult Lesson Study** 

"The Fires of Hell"

**Gary McLarty** 

Chorister: Gary McLarty

Pianist: Shirley Bristol Organist: Judy Northrop

Mission Offering and Sabbath School Expense can be given online or mailed or brought to church.

# **Adult Sabbath School Lesson Groups**

9:30 am

Sanctuary - In Person & Streaming online
Board Room - Pastor's Class
Fellowship Hall - Paul Gavaza
Overflow Room - Young Adults/Young Professionals
Round Table Discussion Class
Music Room - Joyce Hopp

# Children's/Youth Divisions

9:30 am - 10:30 am

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: (Earliteen Room) Grades 7 - 8

Youth: 9:45 am in the Youth Center

## **WORSHIP SERVICE**

10:45 am

Prelude Judy Northrop

Welcome/Church Life Pastor Elijah Grekov

**Hymn of Praise** "To God Be the Glory" #341

Invocation Ruth Moses

Tithes & Offering "Local Church Budget" Jill Richards

Offertory Anisa Urban & Miss Tanguay

**Welcome New Members** David & Kailin Marlow

Preparation for Prayer Pastor Elijah

Congregational Prayer Calvin Moses

**Prayer Response** 

Scripture Reading Quaid Hernandez

# **Mesa Grande Academy Program**



"In Times Like These"
Director: Alissa Tanguay

**Hymn of Response** "Come Thou Fount" #334

Benediction Maverick Benyola

**Prayer Response** 

Postlude "Festive Bell Flourish" Carson Westphal, student conductor

Pianist: Shirley Bristol Organist: Judy Northrop Elders: Dave Larson & Jeremy McLarty **TO OUR FAMILY & GUESTS, WE ARE DELIGHTED** that you are worshiping with us either in person or online today. May God continue to bless each one of you.

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK, Mesa Grande Academy Choir, Chorale and Bells, under the direction of Alissa Tanguay, for ministering to us through their gift of music today.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS TODAY

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH TODAY

FAMILY MINISTRY CHILDREN'S CHURCH: If you have



children 0-12 we invite them to join us at 10:50 am in the Youth Chapel for Kids' Church! Come and see how God will provide! See you there!

We kindly ask that parents drop off and pick up their children. Children will not be dismissed to go find their parent so please go directly to pick up your children after church. Thank you!

"We wait in hope for the Lord: He is our shield. In Him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in His Holy name"

Psalm 33:20-21

- **1. STREAMING OUR CHURCH SERVICE ON YOUTUBE:** To join us, go to our website at <a href="www:yucaipasda.org">www:yucaipasda.org</a> and click on the YouTube link or on the streaming link on our front page. If you missed a sermon or would like to see it again, go to "YouTube" and search for <a href="yucaipasdamedia">yucaipasdamedia</a>. If you are not able to get our streaming service and would like a DVD, please contact the church office, and we will make you a copy of our service.
- **2. SECOND READING MEMBERSHIP:** The following membership changes have been recommended by the Church Board.

## To Yucaipa Church

David K Marlow from Georgia Cumberland Academy Church Kailin Zhong Marlow from Georgia Cumberland Academy Church 3. OFFERING TODAY is for Local Church Budget. Today, we live in a generation that is constantly urging us to use our resources without thinking and planning. Commercials and viral advertising appeal



to our senses. Many base spending on what they see, hear, touch, smell, and taste. The result is an unhealthy spending pattern leading to some dire consequences. The Master-Consultant, Owner, and Provider of all resources provides valuable insights to avoid the pitfalls of unwise spending. This week, as we worship with our tithe and regular offerings let us place God and His instructions on the forefront of our lives.

- 4. CHURCH FELLOWSHIP MEAL: Please join us after the church service for delicious food and fellowship. Bring your favorite dish to share.
- 5. ADVENTURER MEETING: Today, December 3, at 1:30 pm in the Earliteen room.



**6. VESPERS TONIGHT AT 4 PM!** Each Sabbath evening the Yucaipa church family gathers to share fellowship, Bible study and worship as we close the Sabbath hours together. This week we will begin with part one of the movie "Tell the World- Reluctant Preacher." Come join us



tonight and enjoy the fellowship and deepen your understanding of the beginning of a message that will change the world.

The joy & blessings of this Sabbath conclude at 4:38 pm & begin again next Friday, December 9, at 4:38 pm

# **NEXT WEEK**

7. SENIOR'S, JOIN US TOMORROW, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4,

**FROM 11 TO 12:30 PM.** We will pack homeless bags and finish off our time together with games and a snack. No activity in Jan. However we will have a staff meeting January 8, from 10:30 to 12 pm. If you would like to donate to this ministry, mark your tithe envelopes, "Seniors' Ministry".

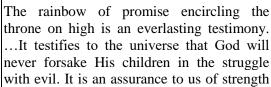


- 8. THE DESIRE OF AGES STUDY GROUP: Come join us in person every Wednesday morning at 10 am in the Fellowship Hall. We are studying the book, **The Desire of Ages**. Any questions, call Betty Smith.
- 9. SOWING **SEEDS** KINDNESS Wednesdays from noon-2pm, **NOW** GIVING FOOD TO 40 FAMILIES AND WE NEED YOUR HELP. Your financial support has kept our ministry going (and is still very much needed) but not all weeks are



we able to purchase the food we would like to give out. So we are starting a new challenge. We are in need of canned vegetables, such as corn, beets, peas, beans and also tomato sauce. There will be a box in the foyer to place your donation in each Sabbath. Bring what you can and it will be shared.

#### **Rainbow of Promise and Assurance**





and protection as long as the throne itself shall endure. The Ministry of Healing 94

Remember "one soul audience" watch for someone who is in need of food or clothing and bring them to Sowing Seeds of Kindness thereby making a friend for Jesus!

- 10. PRAYER MEETING: Coleen Dolinsky will be leading out in our zoom prayer meeting each Wednesday at 6:30 pm. Join Zoom Meeting. https://zoom.us/j/4177957065?pwd=bTBwaTIOTVoxOVJ2cEPQRW **xDaGFGZz09** Meeting ID: 417 795 7065 Password: 070120
- 11. NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING is for Adventist Community Services.
- 12. JOIN US NEXT SABBATH, DECEMBER 10, FOR A HIKE, sponsored by the Youth & Young Adults. Please meet in the parking lot of Wildwood Canyon State Park at 2 pm for a Sabbath afternoon hike. If you have any questions call pastor Cliff or Jeremy McLarty (See flver)



- **13. IVY PAPADAKIS' MEMORIAL SERVICE** will be at the Yucaipa Church on Sabbath afternoon, **December 10, at 3 pm** in the **Sanctuary**.
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14. YOUTH/YOUNG ADULTS VESPERS: Join us at the Wilson's home on Saturday, December 10, at 5 pm for Christmas Vespers. (See flyer)

# **GENERAL**

15. THANK YOU CHURCH FAMILY for nice words and gifts of appreciation. Serving God and His people is a blessing to us. Please know, we are always here to serve you and minister to you and your families in any way you feel we can. Pastoral Staff



16. CHRISTSMAS BAPTISM: Our traditional Christmas Baptism will

take place December 24. If you feel the call of the Holy Spirit to improve your relationship with God and commit or recommit your life to Jesus, through Baptism, please contact the pastors to help you prepare.



17. WE REGRET TO ANNOUNCE THAT GEORGE JACKSON passed away in October in Florida. Our sympathy and prayers go out to his wife Carmen.



- 18. BOOK DONATIONS: At the present time the church library is unable to accept any more book donations. We only accept Adventist and other Christian books, but NOT Adventist periodicals or other magazines. All other secular books are happily accepted at the Goodwill Book Store at Yucaipa Blvd. and Oak Glen Road.
- **19. 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 praise, e-mail it to Loretta Moog at <a href="mailto:lmoog2@juno.com">lmoog2@juno.com</a> or call the church office. Please keep Loretta updated on any progress, changes, and answers to prayer.
- **20. CHURCH FAMILY:** If you are in need of a ride to church, to the doctor, or need help with shopping, or perhaps a visit or prayer, Please contact the **church office**, **the pastors** or **Dave Larson**.



**21. TUITION AID:** We have **21 students** that have applied for tuition assistance for the 2022/2023 school year in our SDA schools. Your consistent donations to this fund make it possible to help these young people attend our schools.



COMBINED BUDGET: monthly	\$18,000
Combined Budget: received in Nov.	\$ 19,405
TUITION AID needed monthly	\$2,100
Tuition Aid: received in Nov.	\$ 2,354
UKRAINE OFFERING TO DATE	\$14,499

- **22. 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 your church.
- **23. DONATIONS FOR UKRAINE:** The General Conference has set up a fund for Ukraine. Emergency humanitarian assistance for Ukrainian refugees is provided by ADRA. You can make your check out to Yucaipa SDA Church and **mark Ukraine** on the envelope with the amount. We will forward it.
- 24. WORLD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY AT LA SIERRA UNIVERSITY is open every third Saturday of the month, 2-5 pm. Free Admission. For more info visit <a href="https://lasierra.edu/world-musiem-of-natural-history/">https://lasierra.edu/world-musiem-of-natural-history/</a>; call 951-785-2500, or email Advancement@lasierra.edu.

#### 25. DECEMBER CELEBRATIONS:

## **ANNIVERSARY**

3 Ed & Shirley Israel

## **BIRTHDAYS**

- 3 Kael Barro, Brandon Beames, Eric Friesen, & Wilma Hertlein
- 4 Andrew Estrada
- 5 Jay Emery, Samual Sainz, & Dan Wilson
- 6 Chuck Allgaier, Elisabeth Engblom, & Ryan Youngman
- 7 Junior Ibarra
- 8 Curtis Jordan & Tricia Page
- 9 Jean Thompson

# **Calendar at a Glance**

IN PERSON WEDNESDAY MORNING STUDY GROUP 10 am in the Fellowship Hall ZOOM WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING – 6:30 pm VESPERS SABBATH EVENING – 4 pm in Sanctuary

#### **DECEMBER**

- 3 Family Ministry Kid's Church 10:50 am
- 3 MGA Music Program
- **3** Church Fellowship Potluck
- 3 Adventurer Club 1:30 pm
- 4 Senior's Ministry Outreach 11am to 12:30 pm
- 7 Pathfinder Meeting 6:25 to 8 pm
- 10 Pathfinder Sabbath Meeting
- 10 Ivy Papadakis Memorial Service 3 pm
- 10 Sabbath Hike 2 pm
- 10 Youth/Young Adults: Christmas Vespers at the Wilson's
- 11 Pathfinder Christmas Party
- 16 Pathfinder Outreach Christmas Caroling
- 17 Adventurer Christmas Party
- 17 Youth/Young Adults: Christmas Party & Lock-in 6 pm
- **20** Finance Committee Meeting 7pm
- 21 Pathfinder Meeting 6:25 pm to 8 pm
- 24 Christmas Program/Baptism
- 27 Church Board Meeting 7 pm
- 30 Youth/Young Adults: New Year's Eve Hike 3 pm
- 30 Agape Communion Service 5:30 pm

# **Activities Outside Of Yucaipa Church**

**THE GARY BONNER SINGERS & ORCHESTRA:** Christmas Joy! Friday, December 16, at 7 pm & Saturday, December 17, at 4 pm.

- Buy tickets at iTickets.com or call (800) 965-9324
- Tickets not available at the door
- Calimesa Seventh-day Adventist Church
- See flyer in Foyer

LA SIERRA UNIVERSITY 75<sup>TH</sup> CANDLELIGHT CONCERTS: Friday, Dec. 2 at 7 pm, & Sabbath, Dec. 3, at 4 pm. Free general admission. For reserved tickets visit <a href="https://music-events.lasierra.edu/calendar/2022-2023-season">https://music-events.lasierra.edu/calendar/2022-2023-season</a>, or call 951-785-2036, or email: music@lasierra.edu.

# **DIRECTORY**

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 35225 Avenue "E", Yucaipa, CA 92399

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Homepage: <u>vucaipaca.adventistchurch.org</u>

Regular office hours are from 10:00 am until 3:00 pm, Tuesday through Thursday. Pastoral appointments are available as needed.

Senior Pastor Pastor Elijah Grekov Email: elijahgrekov@gmail.com

**Associate Pastor** 

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**Secretary** 

Gina Gomez; Email: <a href="mailto:yucaipasecretary@gmail.com">yucaipasecretary@gmail.com</a>

**Treasurer** 

Linda Hill; Email: yucaipatreasurer@gmail.com

Facility Manager – Robert Usery Head Elder – Dave Larson & Richard Parker Head Deacon – Dave Rodman Head Deaconess – Gloria Pohren

**Library Hours: Sabbath from 9-9:30 & 10:25 – 10:45 – Ruth Moses** 

Prayer Chain - Loretta Moog - lmoog2@juno.com

Sowing Seeds of Kindness/Community Service – Sandy Bradford Wednesdays from noon to 2 pm or by appointment

Personal Ministries Desk 10:25 to 10:45 am and 15 minutes after church





