

# IN-PERSON WORSHIP SERVICE

**INDOOR/LIVE STREAMED** 

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

YUCAIPA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

**December 31, 2022** 

Pastor Elijah Grekov Pastor Cliff Lim

#### ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL

9:30am - 10:30 am

**Opening Song** "There's Sunshine in My Soul Today" #470

Adult Lesson Study "All Things New" Curt Dolinsky & Richard Parker

**Special Feature** "Mission Spotlight"

**Organist: Dona Klein** 

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

#### PICK UP QUARTERLY IN CHURCH FOYER, CHURCH OFFICE, OR CALL TO HAVE IT MAILED.

#### **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

**Song Service** "In a Little While We're Going Home" #626

Welcome/Church Life Pastor Elijah Grekov

Prelude Dona Klein

**Hymn of Praise** "A Shelter in the Time of Storm" #528

Invocation Curt Dolinsky

Tithes & Offerings "Union Designated" Linda Villarreal

Special Music/Offertory Tabitha & Thomas Usery &

**Coleen Dolinsky** 

Children's Offering Special Music Mike Klein

Children's Story Judy O'Connor

Preparation for Prayer Pastor Elijah

Congregational Prayer Jeremy Lynch

**Prayer Response** 

Scripture Reading "Colossians 3:12-14" Darla Phares

Special Music Tabitha & Thomas Usery &

**Coleen Dolinsky** 

Sermon "What Keeps us Together" Pastor Cliff Lim &

Special Guest: Miclen LaiPang

Benediction Pastor Cliff

**Prayer Response** 

Postlude Dona Klein

Chorister: Namona Musonda Organist: Dona Klein 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 Tabitha & Thomas Usery, Coleen Dolinsky, and Mike Klein, and to our special guest Miclen LaiPang, for ministering to us through their gift of music today.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS TODAY

- **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. NOTE FROM THE TREASURER:** Please remember all church donations must be turned in or postmarked by midnight December 31, to be counted on this year's tax receipts.
- 3. CHRISTMAS OFFERING: This year's special offering is dedicated to
  - the completion of the patio project. Shades will make the patio more useable for outdoor activities during the summer months. We are thankful for your generous giving during these last weeks of the year. Please mark your Christmas Offering, "Patio Project."



**4. OFFERING TODAY** is for **Union Designated:** If you find yourself shopping for things you don't need, if you have luxuries that are beyond your means or are getting in debt to live a lifestyle that impresses others, then you may "loving the world."



If you find yourself giving excuses for not returning a faithful tithe and you are not giving any offerings to support God's work, that is a sign that you have the fever of materialism. Adventists believe that "the world is passing away" and that "the pride of life" begins to loosen its grip on us when we place God first by returning our tithes and offerings. Our offering today is for our local Union Conference. Let us support the Lord's vineyard in our local field.

5. 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. Come and join us this week as we continue with episodes 4 & 5 of the movie "Tell the World." Don't miss this opportunity to deepen your understanding of the beginnings of a message that will change the world!



The joy & blessings of this Sabbath conclude at 4:49 pm & begin again next Friday, January 6, 2023 at 4:53 pm

#### **NEXT WEEK**

- **6. 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.
- 7. SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS is 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) we are in need of <u>canned fruits & vegetables</u>, 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.
- 8. SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS IS OPEN: Wednesdays from noon-2pm.

#### Simple but Very Valuable

Because of its simplicity the parable of the sower has not been valued as it should be. From the natural

seed cast into the soil, Christ desires to lead our minds to the gospel seed, the sowing of which results in bringing man back to his loyalty to God. COL 33

Kindness

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!

9. PRAYER MEETING: Coleen Dolinsky will be leading out in our zoom prayer meeting each Wednesday at 6:30 pm. Join Zoom Meeting. <a href="https://zoom.us/j/4177957065?pwd=bTBwaTIOTVoxOVJ2cEPQR">https://zoom.us/j/4177957065?pwd=bTBwaTIOTVoxOVJ2cEPQR</a> WxDaGFGZz09 Meeting ID: 417 795 7065 Password: 070120

- 10. NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING is Local Church Budget.
- 11. CHURCH FELLOWSHIP MEAL: Join us next Sabbath, January 7, after the church service.

  Don't forget to bring your favorite dish to share.



12. ADVENTURER MEETING: Sabbath, January 7, at 1:30 pm in the Earliteen room.

#### **GENERAL**

- **13. THE 2023 CHURCH OFFERING SCHEDULE BOOKMARKS** are available in the "free literature rack" in the foyer.
- **14. SENIORS' MINISTRY: 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."
- **15. 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**



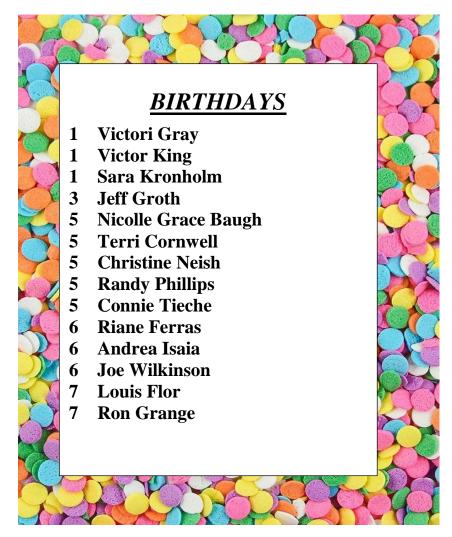
**Larson**. "Carry one another's burdens; in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2

- **16. 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.
- **17. 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 Dec.	\$ 14,510
TUITION AID: needed monthly	\$2,100
Tuition Aid: received in <b>Dec.</b>	\$2,780
CHRISTMAS OFFERING – Patio	\$4,825

**18. 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.

#### 19. JANUARY CELEBRATIONS:



### **Activities Outside Of Yucaipa Church**

**20. MICLEN LAIPANG IN CONCERT:** Saturday, January 7, 2023 at 7 pm, at Campus Hill Seventh-day Adventist Church, 11057 Hill Drive, Loma Linda. Tickets available on iTickets.com or by phone at (614) 414-6899. All reserved seating.

Violinist Miclen LaiPang is quickly establishing himself as one of the most exciting and versatile artists of his generation and has earned global recognition as a soloist, chamber musician, and concertmaster.

#### **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

#### **JANUARY**

4	Pathfinder Meeting – 6:25 pm
7	Friendship Sabbath
7	Church Fellowship Potluck
7	Adventurer Club – 1:30 pm
7	Pathfinder Sabbath Meeting
8	Pathfinder Outreach
14	Sabbath Hike at Wildwood Canyon State Park - 2 pm
18	Pathfinder Meeting
21	Prison Ministry Sabbath
21	Family Ministry Scavenger Hunt 4 – 8 pm
27	Youth/YA Vespers Mt. Rubidoux 6 – 9 pm
28	Children's Outreach

#### **FEBRUARY**

1	Pathfinder Meeting – 6:25 pm
4	Family Ministry Kid's Church – 10:50 am
4	Friendship Sabbath
4	Church Fellowship Potluck
4	Adventurer Club – 1:30 pm
4	Pathfinder Sabbath Meeting
5	Pathfinder Bike-a-thon
15	Pathfinder Meeting
17-25	"All About Jesus" Seminar
25	Children's Outreach

#### **MARCH**

1	Pathfinder Meeting – 6:25 pm
3	Pathfinder Sabbath Practice (Sanctuary)
4	Friendship Sabbath
4	Family Ministry Kid's Church – 10:50 am
4	Church Fellowship Potluck
4	Adventurer Club – 1:30 pm
4	Pathfinder Sabbath Meeting
5	Pathfinder Honor's Day 8:30 am – 4 pm
15	Pathfinder Meeting

## **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!

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

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Head Deaconess – Gloria Pohren

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

Prayer Chain – Loretta Moog – <u>lmoog2@juno.com</u>

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





