



IN-PERSON **WORSHIP SERVICE**

INDOOR/LIVE & STREAMED

SABBATH SCHOOL: 9:30 am

WORSHIP SERVICE: 10:45 am

YUCAIPA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

April 22, 2023

**Pastor Elijah Grekov
Pastor Cliff Lim**

ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL

9:30am – 10:30 am

Opening Song *“Oh Jesus, I Have Promised”* **#331**

Adult Lesson Study *“Fear God and Give Glory to Him”* **Jennifer Lidar**

Special Feature *“Comfort for the Day Seminar”*

Chorister: Praise Team

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: (Youth Center) Grades 7 - 8

Youth: 9:45 am in the Youth Center

WORSHIP SERVICE

10:45 am

Prelude		Dona Klein
Welcome/Church Life		Pastor Cliff Lim
Hymn of Praise	<i>"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"</i>	#469
Invocation		Christine Wilson
Tithes & Offering	<i>"SECC K-12 Scholarship Fund"</i>	Dan Wilson
Special Music/Offertory		Cai'lene Salas
Children's Offering & Story		Judy O'Connor
Scripture Reading	<i>"Luke 24:13-16"</i>	Taffy Gavaza
Lifting Hearts in Praise		Praise Team
Congregational Prayer		Paul Gavaza
Prayer Response		
Sermon	<i>"When God Comes Near"</i>	Pastor Cliff
Hymn of Response	<i>"In the Garden"</i>	#487
Benediction		Pastor Cliff
Postlude		Dona Klein

Out of reverence to the Worship Service and respect for our musicians, please remain seated until the end of the Postlude.

Chorister: Christi Mracek & Dani LaBore
Organist: Dona Klein
Elders: Paul Gavaza & Todd McFarland



The joy & blessings of this Sabbath conclude at 7:24 pm & begin again next Friday, 28, 2023 at 7:29 pm.

TO OUR FAMILY & GUESTS, WE ARE DELIGHTED that you are worshipping with us either in person or online today. May God continue to bless each one of you.

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK Dona Klein (Organist), Praise Team (Sabbath School Chorister & Special Music), Christi Mracek & Dani LaBore (Worship Service Chorister), and Cai'lene Salas (Offertory Music), for ministering to us through their gift of music today.



ANNOUNCEMENTS TODAY

- 1. FROM THE LIBRARY:** PRAYER is a most important part of the spiritual life. The church library has 43 books on prayer available for check-out. You will find ways to deepen your communion with God.



- 2. STREAMING OUR CHURCH SERVICE ON YOUTUBE:** To join us, go to our website at www.yucaipasda.org 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 yucaipasdamedia. 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.

- 3. OFFERING TODAY** is for **SECC K-12 Scholarship Fund**. The K-12 Scholarship is a Southeastern California Conference offering used to subsidize scholarships for worthy students in Transitional Kindergarten through 12th grade level in local SECC church schools and academies. Thank you for your prayers, and your faithful commitment to the training of our young ones. Your offerings are expressions of this devotion, which will enable greater numbers of our conference's youth and children to attend one of SECC's eighteen schools.



- 4. VESPERS TONIGHT AT 5 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 tonight as we continue our study of the Seven Trumpets of Revelation and how they are being fulfilled today!



NEXT WEEK

5. **ZOOM CHURCH BOARD MEETING:** Tuesday, April 25, at 7 pm.
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 over 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 canned fruits & 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. Your donations have been greatly needed and appreciated.
8. **SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS IS OPEN:** Wednesdays from noon-2pm.



Work That Is Pleasing to God
It is not the length of time we labor but our willingness and fidelity in the work that makes it acceptable to God. In all our service a full surrender of self is demanded. The smallest duty done in sincerity and self-forgetfulness is more pleasing to God than the greatest work when marred with self-seeking. He looks to see how much of the spirit of Christ we cherish, and how much of the likeness of Christ our work reveals. He regards more the love and faithfulness with which we work than the amount we do. COL 402



9. **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=bTBwaTIOTVoxOVJ2cEPQRWxwDaGFGZz09> Meeting ID: 417 795 7065 Password: 070120
10. **NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING** is for Local Church Budget.

11. **POTLUCK NEXT SABBATH:** Please bring your favorite dish to share with your family and our guests and stay for the 1:30 pm, "Real Help for Grieving Hearts" seminar.



GENERAL

12. **THE TUITION AID FORMS FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR FOR GRADES K-12** at an Adventist School are available to be picked up at the office or in the foyer. Please fill out, have all signatures, and turn into office or give to a pastor by Sabbath, June 17, 2023. The Finance Committee will meet the following Tuesday to review all forms so names can be sent to the schools before registration.
13. **TUITION AID:** We have **22 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	\$19,400
Combined Budget: received in April	\$16,797
TUITION AID: needed monthly	\$2,210
Tuition Aid: received in April	\$2,587

14. **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 small or large is of great help to your church. Any special offering needs to be placed in a tithe envelope and MARKED for that offering.
15. **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 lmoog2@juno.com or call the church office. Please keep Loretta updated on any progress, changes, and answers to prayer.
16. **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



17. **FAMILY MINISTRY KID'S CHURCH** Join us on Sabbath, **May 6**, at **10:50 am** in the Youth Chapel. Bring your friends to join the fun and special program.



18. **ELDER RON NEISH'S MEMORIAL SERVICE** will be Sabbath afternoon, May 6, at 1:30 pm, at Yucaipa SDA Church. Reception will follow in the Church Patio area.



19. **SENIOR MINISTRIES STAFF MEETING:** Sunday,



May 7, from 11 to noon in the Board Room. PLEASE, make every effort to be there on time.

THE JUNE 11TH SENIOR BREAKFAST IS POSTPONED due to conflicting graduation dates for so many families. We will let you know when a new date is chosen for your special breakfast.

20. **MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**



21. **JUST FOR SENIORS:** Sunday, May 21, Dr. Gary McLarty will present a Health class addressing a subject important to a senior's well-being. The class will be held in the Fellowship Hall from 1 to 2 pm. This is a perfect time to bring a senior guest. We look forward to seeing you then!



22. **GRADUATION FOR 2023 IS COMING UP:** The Staff would like to know who is graduating, from where, and with what degree. Please turn into the office by Sabbath, May 27.

2023 GRADUATES



Lauren Tomas
Aiden McFarland
Ian Machain

Masters Occupational Therapy
12th Grade
8th Grade

LLU
Gorman Center
LLA

April Celebrations

Anniversary

29 Benito & Sandra Dominguez

Birthdays

22 Melody Morera
24 Gladi Boecker, Blanca Hildalgo
25 Sharon Anderson-Sexton, Odyssea Barro,
Linda Grange, Wency Tagaro
27 Ralph De La Ossa, Bob Schaefer, Pete Villarreal
28 Miriam Barboza, Kirsten Lidar,
Debra McElmuney, Dan Mracek, William Pitt,
Mark Thompson, Jill Wall

Activities Outside Of Yucaipa Church

23. PINE SPRINGS RANCH: SUMMER IS AROUND THE CORNER

AND WE ARE GETTING READY FOR CAMP! We have new specialty classes for your campers this year like, Ukulele, Sign Language, Astronomy, and many more! One class that we are really excited about is Social Survival! Social Survival is a class specifically for those on the autism spectrum. This speech therapist led program will use your child's love of video games and teach them lifelong social skills. We are also excited to showcase this year's theme, "Rooted" which highlights the bible text found in Jeremiah 17:7-8. We invite you and your family to come to camp to connect and root yourself in the everlasting goodness of God! (see flyer in the foyer)

24. EIGHT CHOIRS WITH 200 VOICES WILL SHOWCASE THIS

SABBATH AT CAMPUS HILL SDA CHURCH as one of the highlights of the Fine Arts Festival on-going from April 1 - June 4. The Loma Linda University Fine Arts Festival features five weeks of exhibits, concerts, workshops and recitals scattered across the campus of Loma Linda University as it celebrates 50 years of music, art and writing excellence. Come enjoy the festivities and be inspired! We'd love to see you on Sat, April 22, 4:00 pm — 8 choirs, 200 voices. (see flyer in the foyer)

Come near
to
God!
and He will
come
to you. James 4:8a

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 – 5 pm in Sanctuary

APRIL

25	Church Board Meeting - 7 pm
28 - 30	Pathfinder Club Spring Campout
28	Grief Recovery Seminar – 6:30-8:30 pm
29	Grief Recovery Seminar – 11 am
29	Church Fellowship Potluck
29	Grief Recovery Seminar – 1:30 -- 5 pm
30	Grief Recovery Seminar – 10-12 pm (Lunch included)

MAY

3	Pathfinder Meeting
6	Friendship Sabbath
6	Family Ministry Kid's Church – 10:50 am
6	Church Fellowship Potluck
6	Ron Neish's Memorial Service – 1:30 pm
6	Adventurer Club – 1:30 pm
6	Pathfinder Meeting/Outreach
7	Senior Ministry Staff Meeting in Board Room – 11 am
13	Mother's Day Sabbath
13	Sabbath Afternoon Hike – 2 pm
13	Church Social Event in Patio – 6 pm
17	Pathfinder Meeting
20	Pathfinder Investiture
21	Senior Health Class in Fellowship Hall – 1 to 2 pm
21	SECC Pathfinder Fair
21	Adventures Conference Club Ministries Fair

JUNE

1	MGA 8 th Grade Graduation
3	Friendship Sabbath
3	Family Ministry Kid's Church – 10:50 am
3	Church Fellowship Potluck
3	Adventurer Club – 1:30 pm
10	Sabbath Afternoon Hike – 2 pm
24	Adventurer Investiture

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
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Yucaipa, CA 92399-1099
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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.

Senior Pastor
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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

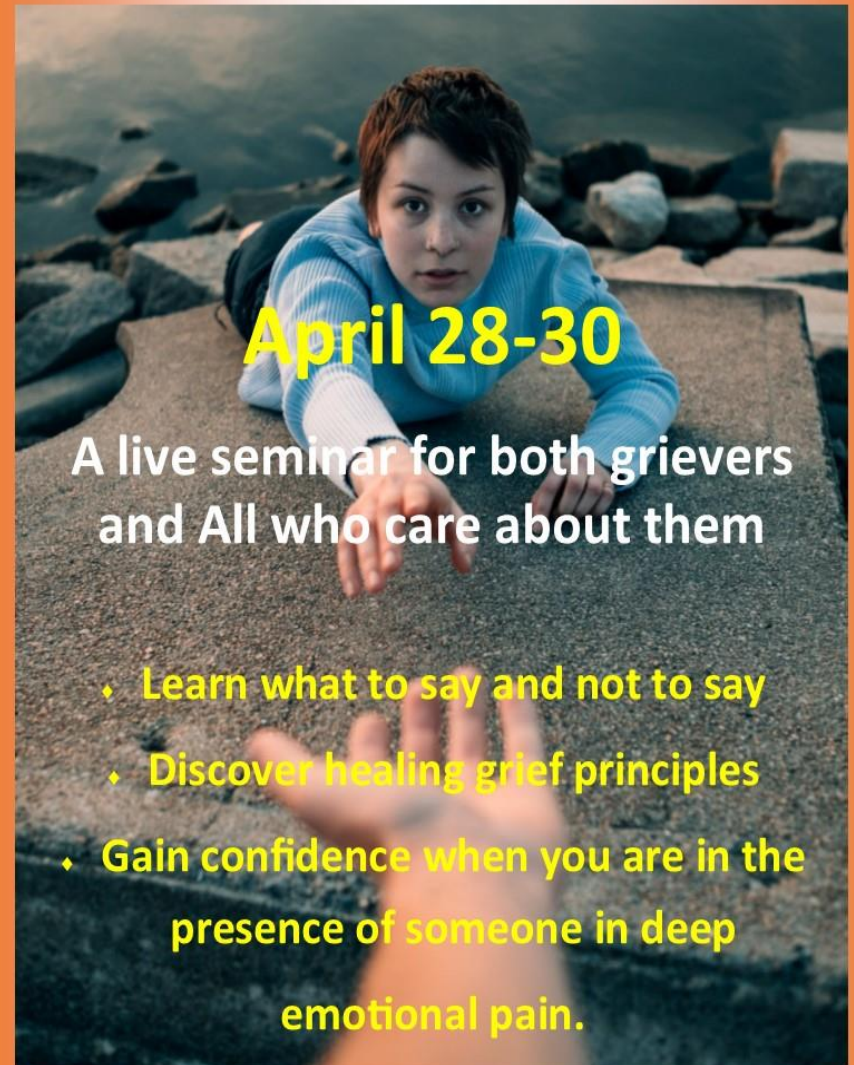
Personal Ministries Desk 10:25 to 10:45 am and 15 minutes after church

Prayer Chain – Loretta Moog – lmoog2@juno.com

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

Real Help for Grieving Hearts

A weekend seminar that facilitates the much needed conversations about healthy healing grief and how to support those who are experiencing losses of ALL types.



April 28-30

**A live seminar for both griever
and All who care about them**

- ♦ **Learn what to say and not to say**
- ♦ **Discover healing grief principles**
- ♦ **Gain confidence when you are in the presence of someone in deep emotional pain.**

Presenters: Steve & Karen Nicola

International speakers, grief educators, grief coaches
and a couple who has grown into healing through
multiple losses, grief and trauma.



Real Help for Grieving Hearts is highly interactive training

"Steve and Karen presented the seminar with amazing insights and abilities . . . Thankfully, I learned it is possible to replace awkwardness with confidence, and grow in the ability to come along side the grieving." J.B. Brookings, OR

April 28 Friday 6:30-8:30 p.m.

April 29 Saturday 11:00 am – 5:00 p.m. (Lunch Included)

April 30 Sunday 10:00 - 12:00 (Lunch Included)

**Yucaipa SDA Church
35225 Ave. E Yucaipa CA
909-797-1375**

Sabbath Afternoon Hike



**Sabbath, May 13 at 2pm
Wildwood Canyon State
Park**

**12241 Canyon Drive
Yucaipa, CA 92399**

KIDS CHURCH

MAY 6, 2023

**11:15A RIGHT AFTER CHILDREN'S
OFFERING WE WILL GO TO THE
YOUTH ROOM**

