



# **WORSHIP SERVICE**

**LIVE & STREAMED**

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

**YUCAIPA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
35225 Avenue E, Yucaipa, CA 92399

**February 17, 2024**

Pastor Elijah Grekov  
Pastor Cliff Lim

## **ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL**

**9:30am – 10:30 am**

**Opening Song**     *“When We All Get to Heaven”*     **#633**

**Adult Lesson**     *“Your Mercy Reaches Unto the Heavens”*     **Richard Parker**

**Chorister:** Namona Musonda  
**Pianist:** Dorothy Wareham     **Organist:** Gerald Wareham

**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

Music Meditation	<i>"Celebration of Love"</i>	composed by Dorothy Wareham
Welcome/Church Life		Pastor Cliff Lim
Prelude	<i>"Grace Greater Than Our Sin"</i>	- by Towner
Hymn of Praise	<i>"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"</i>	#21
Invocation		Kathryn McFarland
Tithes & Offering	<i>"Local Church Budget"</i>	Jill Richards
Special Music/Offertory	<i>"Open My Eyes"</i>	arr. by Mike Klein
Children's Offering & Story		David Camarena
Preparation for Prayer		Pastor Cliff
Congregational Prayer		Jenna Wilson
Prayer Response		
Scripture Reading	<i>"Revelation 21:4"</i>	Kara Musonda
Special Music	<i>"I Surrender All"</i>	arr. by Mike Klein
Sermon	<i>"Infusing Grace in Our Unfinished Story"</i>	Pastor Cliff
Hymn of Response	<i>"At the Cross"</i>	#163
Benediction		Pastor Cliff
Prayer Response		
Postlude	<i>"Postlude on Old Hundredth"</i>	- by Fred Bock

**Chorister: Namona Musonda**

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

**Elders: Robert & Dorcas Usery**



*The joy & blessings of this Sabbath conclude at 5:33 pm & begin again  
next Friday, February 23, at 5:39 pm*

**STREAMING OUR CHURCH SERVICE ON YOUTUBE:** To join us, go to our website at [www.yucaipasda.org](http://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](http://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.

**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, Namona Musonda** (chorister), **Dorothy Wareham** (piano), **Gerald Wareham** (organ), **Mike Klein** (special music), for ministering to us through their gift of music today.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO SELECT THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE:** We are starting the nominating committee process. Please use the provided form to suggest seven names that you think would best represent the church. Thank you.



- OFFERING TODAY** is for **Local Church Budget**. What are you grateful for today? When you look back over your past week, is there a moment or interaction that you can thank God for?

I encourage you to take a moment to thank God for whatever is filling your heart with gratitude at this moment. At this moment, I am very grateful for the word of God; specifically, Hebrews chapter 11, sometimes referred to as "The Faith Chapter." As we all face different challenges in different seasons of our lives, it is incredibly refreshing to be reminded of God's faithfulness. Today, as we return our offering, let us return to God our tithes and offerings from a heart overflowing with gratitude.



- VESPERS TONIGHT AT 4PM!** – Tonight we are continuing our video series on the Biblical Sanctuary as presented by Dr. David Shin. Tonight's topic is The Day of Atonement. Discussion and questions will follow the 30 minute video. Come be blessed by the Bible study and join the family fellowship as we close the Sabbath hours together.



## NEXT WEEK

4. **THE DESIRE OF AGES STUDY GROUP:** Come join us in person every **Wednesday morning from 10 to 11:15 am in the Fellowship Hall.** We are studying the book, **The Desire of Ages.** Any questions, call Betty Smith.
5. **SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS is now giving food to over 70 families every week 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.** There is a box in the foyer to place your donation each Sabbath. Bring what you can and it will be shared. **Your donations have been greatly needed and appreciated.**
6. **SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS IS USING OVER 200 PLASTIC GROCERY BAGS A WEEK.** Please bring in your plastic grocery bags folded in half. Thank you!
7. **SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS IS OPEN:** Wednesdays from noon-2 pm.



### **Unity-The Evidence of Discipleship**

It is the will of God that union and brotherly love should exist among His people...while we are not to sacrifice one principle of truth, it should be our constant aim to reach this state of unity. This is the evidence of our discipleship. Said Jesus, "By this shall all men know that ye are My disciples, if ye have love one to another" (John 13:35).

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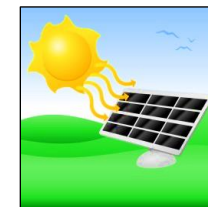
*Remember "one soul audience" watch for someone who is in need of food or clothing and bring them to Sowing Seeds of Kindness thereby making a friend for Jesus!*



8. **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=bTBwaTIOTVoxOVJ2cEPQRWxDaGFZz09> Meeting ID: 417 795 7065 Password: 070120
9. **NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING** is for **Conference-Wide Church & School Building Fund.**
10. **BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Materials & Information to be printed in the Church bulletin need to be in office by Wednesday noon each week.

## GENERAL

11. **SOLAR POWER PROJECT:** Thank you for your giving toward this new project. The solar panels will help our church to be more efficient and bring our electric bill down so that we will not have to continue to raise our church budget to pay our bills. With a total project cost of \$158,000 we still have quite a ways to go to pay for our solar power system. **Please mark your contributions, "Project, Solar" Thank you.**



12. **TUITION AID:** We have **23 students** that have applied for tuition assistance for the 2023-2024 school year in our SDA schools. Our Church Board changed to a sliding scale of tuition aid depending on grade level. Your consistent donations to this fund make it possible to help these young people attend our schools.



<b>COMBINED BUDGET:</b> monthly	<b>\$21,000</b>
Combined Budget: received in <b>February</b>	\$5,680
<b>TUITION AID:</b> needed monthly	<b>\$3,140</b>
Tuition Aid: received in <b>February</b>	\$947
<b>SOLAR PANELS PROJECT COST</b>	<b>\$158,000</b>
<b>Solar Project Raised so far</b>	\$21,800

13. **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.
14. **INTERNET PRAYER TEAM:** Our church Internet prayer team is offering 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](mailto:lmoog2@juno.com) or call the church office. Please keep Loretta updated on any progress, changes, and answers to prayer.
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. **ATTENTION ELDERS, DEACONS, AND DEACONESSSES, AND**



**THOSE INTERESTED** in connecting with members who have not been here for a while. There will be a special meeting on Sabbath, March 9 in the Overflow Room. Come learn how God is building relationships in our church family!

17. **SENIOR MINISTRIES STAFF MEETING:** Please mark your calendar for March 3, at 10:30 am to finalize our Senior Breakfast in April. We need all hands on deck and ready to participate! We started our tenure with a successful Senior Lunch let's end with an enjoyable Senior Breakfast. See you all there! Cinnia Easley & Judy O'Connor.



**Activities From Outside Of Yucaipa Church**



**WWU YOUNG ALUMNI DINNER**

Join young WWU alumni and friends (2013-2023) for a complimentary dinner with President John McVay and former WWU chaplain Paddy McCoy at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 23, in the Junior High Multipurpose Room at Loma Lina Academy, 10656 Anderson St., Loma Linda, Calif. Please RSVP today at [wallawalla.edu/rsvp](http://wallawalla.edu/rsvp).

**SABBATH WITH WWU PRESIDENT MCVAY AND LUNCH**

President John McVay will be leading the church service on Saturday, Feb. 24, at 11 a.m. at the Campus Hill SDA Church, 11057 Hill Dr., Loma Linda, Calif. Join other WWU alumni and friends for a group photo at the end of the service, followed by a complimentary lunch (WWU brings a dessert buffet!). RSVP today at [wallawalla.edu/rsvp](http://wallawalla.edu/rsvp).

**WWU ALUMNI DINNER WITH PRESIDENT MCVAY**

Join WWU alumni and friends for a complimentary dinner with a university update from John McVay on Saturday, Feb. 24, at 6:30 p.m. in the Junior High Multipurpose Room at Loma Lina Academy, 10656 Anderson St., Loma Linda, Calif. Please RSVP today at [wallawalla.edu/rsvp](http://wallawalla.edu/rsvp)

## **February Celebrations**



18 Jeff & Heather Groth



17 Kristina Chase  
17 Joyce Hopp  
17 Eric Stocker  
18 Ruby Ng  
19 Bonnie diGirolamo  
19 Evan Hernandez  
19 Jan McFarland  
20 Jonathan Hansen  
21 Randy Clegg  
21 Julia Goodner  
21 Edison Jaffery  
21 Christian Tomas  
21 Benjamin Van Kooten  
23 Diane Ferras  
23 Geradine Ekblad  
23 Loretta Moog  
23 Kyle Winchell



# Calendar at a Glance

**IN PERSON WEDNESDAY MORNING STUDY GROUP**

**10 am in the Fellowship Hall**

**SOWING SEEDS OF KINDNESS – 12 to 2 pm**

**ZOOM WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING – 6:30 pm**

**VESPERS SABBATH EVENING – 4 pm in the Sanctuary**

## FEBRUARY

- 17 Adventurer Event – 5:30 pm
- 20 Pathfinder Meeting
- 20 Finance Committee Meeting – 7 pm
- 27 Church Board Meeting – 7 pm

## MARCH

- 1 Pathfinder Practice
- 2 Pathfinder Sabbath
- 2 Friendship Sabbath
- 2 Church Fellowship Potluck
- 2 Adventurers Meeting – 1:30 pm
- 3 Senior Ministry Staff Meeting 10:30 am
- 3 Pathfinder Bike-a-thon
- 5 Pathfinder Meeting
- 1 Pathfinder Practice
- 9 Elders, Deacons, Deaconesses, Meeting after the service
- 10 Daylight Savings Time starts at 2 am
- 19 Pathfinder Meeting
- 19 Finance Committee Meeting – 7 pm
- 21-24 Pathfinder Teen River Trip
- 26 Church Board Meeting – 7 pm
- 30 Communion Sabbath

## APRIL

- 1 Pathfinder Meeting
- 6 Friendship Sabbath
- 6 Family Ministry Kid's Church – 10:50 am
- 6 Church Fellowship Potluck
- 6 Adventurers Meeting – 1:30 pm

# 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**

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

**Homepage: [yucaipaca.adventistchurch.org](http://yucaipaca.adventistchurch.org)**

**Regular office hours are from 10 am until 4 pm, Tuesday through Thursday. Pastoral appointments are available as needed.**

**Senior Pastor**  
**Pastor Elijah Grekov**  
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**Associate Pastor**  
**Pastor Clifford Lim; Email: [pastorcliff77@yahoo.com](mailto:pastorcliff77@yahoo.com)**

**Secretary**  
**Gina Gomez; Email: [yucaipasecretary@gmail.com](mailto:yucaipasecretary@gmail.com)**

**Treasurer**  
**Linda Hill; Email: [yucaipatreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:yucaipatreasurer@gmail.com)**

**Facility Manager –**  
**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 10:45am and 15 minutes after church**

**Prayer Chain – Loretta Moog – [lmoog2@juno.com](mailto:lmoog2@juno.com)**

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

# MESA GRANDE ACADEMY KINDERGARTEN SNEAK PEEK

**SUNDAY FEBRUARY 25**  
**3 PM**

- MEET OUR TEACHERS
- EXPERIENCE THE CLASSROOM
- ENJOY FUN PE, MUSIC AND ART ACTIVITIES
- LEARN ABOUT OUR CURRICULUM AND PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION
- ASK QUESTIONS



**SCAN THE QR CODE FOR MORE  
INFORMATION AND TO SIGN  
UP!**

## I Can Be a Peacemaker

