Church Life

Welcome to the West Covina Hills SDA Church Family!

We pray you will hear God speak to you through various ways and through His people. If you don't have a church home we would love to have you consider making us your church home. Guests and members please share with us your presence and any other information on the Communication Card in the pews and place them in the offering plate, thank you!





Please see a Deacon for assistance.

THIS WEEK AT WEST COVINA HILLS:

TODAY, —**December 13th**—"All is Well" - WCH Christmas program—10:45 a.m. Get Connected—5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, December 17th — No Bible Study meetings until January 7, 2015

Friday, December 19th—Prayer Warriors—7:30 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sabbath, December 20th—Speaker: Lew Gray—10:45 a.m.

Wednesday, December 24th—No Bible Study meetings until January 7, 2015

Thursday, December 25th—Christmas Day—church office is closed

Friday, December 26th—Prayer Warriors—7:30 p.m.

The flowers this week are in celebration of Rolly and Myrna Ticzon's anniversary. Congratulations to the two of you!! You didn't say how many years!

If you have changed your address since December 2013, and want to receive your tithe receipt/statement for the 2014 tax year, please be sure to put the new address on the tithe envelope and put a * next to it so the treasurer will know it is a change. You might also want to let the church office know if there has been any change to any of your contact information.

Last day to turn in tithes and offerings for 2014 tax year is December 31st—
1:00 p.m. to the office; 8:00 p.m. online.

Prayer Shawls/throws are available from Bonnie Wear, Lillian Patton or the church office for those who would like to take one to someone ill when visiting.

West Covina Hills Church Delegates to the 64th Southern California Conference Constituency Session to be held on Sunday, May 17, 2015:

| Richard Alamillo | Sam Ang | Corneliu Baciu |
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| Susan Benitez | Javier Castillo | Alex Garcia |
| Marisela Garcia | A. D. Hall—Chairperson | Chester Hickman |
| Guidel Rivera | Morris Sianturi | Harry Walker |
| Megan Walker | | |



December 2014 Adventurers



13—Caroling at Bridgecreek/Christmas Party 3:30 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

Pathfinders

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13—Homeless Feeding

20—Caroling at Bridgecreek/Christmas Party

Cheerful Giving! December 2014

Church Budget Monthly Goal:\$17,500.00Received to date in December:\$ 7,627.30Behind YTD as of November 30:\$ 2,639.93

Total Scholarship Need per Month: \$ 2,183.00 Lamb's Offering in December: \$ 489.00

Mark any special offerings on the tithe envelope. All loose offerings go toward Church Budget.

Ministry Leaders

Adventurers - Alma Castaneda Adventurers—Riris Huliselan

Children's S.S. Coordinator - Maria Botello

Church Clerk - Celeste Mercy

Community Services—Guidel "Guy" Rivera

Head Deacon - Guidel "Guy" Rivera **Head Deaconess -** Pauline Reid

Elder, Co-Head - Sam Ang Elder, Co-Head - Harry Walker

Evangelism/Personal Ministries - Harry Walker **Evangelism/Personal Ministries** - Sam Ang

Get Connected Ministry — Marisela Garcia

Greeters Ministry - Audree Luevano Health & Temperance Ministry - Corneliu Baciu

Health & Temperance Ministry—Sharon Tanghal

Health & Temperance Ministry—Jenne Walker

Home & School - Caroline Light
Interest Coordinator - Corneliu Baciu

Music Committee - Alan Beaumont

Music Committee—Casey Hughes

Music Committee—Gene Manners

Pathfinders - Sam Ang

Pathfinders - Genemar Porsona

Religious Liberty - Daniel Benitez

Risk Management

Sabbath School Secretary - Linda Barrett

Treasurer - Daniel Weston **Visitation** - Lupe Garcia

WCH School Board Chair - A. D. Hall

Wedding Coordinator—Marisela Garcia

Women's Ministry Leader - Mickie Hall

Youth - Nenad Didara

West Covina Hills Seventh-day Adventist Church

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West Covina Hills Seventh-day Adventist Church is now on Facebook

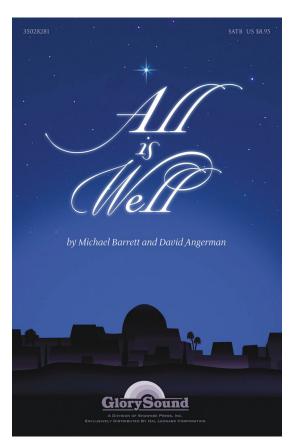
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WEST COVINA HILLS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH



DECEMBER 13, 2014

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

I Thessalonians 5:16-18

Mission Statement

"Christ's method alone will give true success in reaching the people. The Saviour mingled with men as one who desired their good. He showed His sympathy for them, ministered to their needs, and won their confidence. Then He bade them, 'Follow Me.'" MH p143

Sabbath School at 9:15 a.m.

Adults may attend any of these classes:

| Class #1 (Sanctuary) | "To Know God" | Harry Walker |
|--|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Class #2 (Training Room) | "His-story Class" | Adolfo Garcia |
| Class #3 (Library) | "Open Discussion" | Mildred Williams |
| Class #4 (Sanctuary) | "Contemporary Application" | Rotating Teachers |
| Class #5 (Pastor's Office) | "New Believers" | Lew Gray |
| Class #6 (Choir Room) | "Young Adults" | Sam Ang/Chris Ostos |
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Sabbath School Quarterlies: If you are in need of the Sabbath School Quarterly you can go on-line at www.ssnet.org, select "current lesson."

www.BibleInfo.com

Children/Youth may attend any of these classes:

| Beginners | (Ages Birth-3) | Robyne Gray |
|--------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| Kindergarten | (Ages 3-5) | Isabel York |
| Primary 1 | (Grades 1-2) | Maria Botello |
| Primary 2 | (Grades 3-4) | Melanie Rumbaoa |
| Juniors | (Grades 5-6) | Richard Alamillo |
| Earliteens | (Grades 7-8) | Jennifer Walker |
| Youth | (Grades 9-12) | Susan Benitez/Tony York |

www.kidsbibleinfo.com

Participants Today

| P.A. | Daniel Benitez/Sam Darnell |
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| Church Chorister(s) | Marilyn Villiers, Choir |
| Organist | |
| Church Pianist/keyboard | |
| Ushers and Deacons-Leader | Luis Garcia |
| Greeters 9-10 a.m. | Linda Barrett |
| Concierges greeters 9-10 a.m. | Bonnie Wear |
| Greeters 10-11 a.m. | Sarah Nwosu |
| Concierges greeters 10-11 a.m. | Renee Davis and Jeannette Hughes |
| Worship Coordinator (s) | Al Acevedo |
| Sabbath School Secretary | Lidia Baciu/Marilena Fox |

West Covina Hills School News

DATES TO REMEMBER:

December/January:

22—January 5—Christmas Vacation (no school)

Please continue your prayers for our school

We thank the WCH church family for all their continued support.

West Covina Hills SDA School Office: 626-859-5005
Principal: Angel Nair Fax: 626-859-5724

Website: www.wchas.adventistfaith.org

Follow us on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/WCHASchool

Sunset Time

This week– 4:44 Next week– 4:46

Our Church at Worship

10:45 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements Roberta Rivera

Hymn of Praise #136 "Good Christians, Now Rejoice" Marilyn Villiers, Choir

Prayer Christian Botello
Prayer Response #566 "Father, We Thank Thee" Marilyn Villiers, Choir

Tithes & OfferingAdventist Community ServicesChristian BotelloOffertory#118 "The First Noel"Marilyn Villiers, Choir

Children's Story
Lambs Offering #141"What Child Is This?"

Alan Beaumont
Marilyn Villiers, Choir

*** West Covina Hills Christmas Program "All is Well"

Angels' Proclamation Lead Angels

"Prepare Ye the Way"

Choir, Shepherds, Mary and Joseph

"He Became Poor"/"Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne"
Soloists: Gene Manners and Erlando Nepomuceno

"O Savior of our Fallen Race" Choir, Wise Men
Duet: Casey Hughes and Jenne Walker

"O Holy Night"

Hands of Praise

Gifts for Jesus "Here I Am to Worship"/"O Come All Ye Faithful" Choir (Congregation bring gifts)

"Light of the Stable" Choir, Lead Angels, Lil" Angels

Benediction Lew Gray

Postlude "Joy to the World" Choir

Thank you for placing your mobile phone and pagers on silent mode!

Prayer and Praise

Please pray for: Amy Bauzon, Steven Balderas, Jennipher Campbell, Esther Chow, Richard Dizon, Bradley Greaves, Betsy Hirayama, Kathy Ann Jenny, Johnson family, Jasminka Knecht, Jose Moya, Esther Ramos, Phil Sampson, Roosevelt Sampson, Virginia Shull, Jill Korolsky-Smith, Avadine Stutler, Nancy (Duran) Willie, and for those who are currently serving our country: Danny Castillo, Eric Castillo, Jason Corless, Greg Ramirez, Scott Robert son, Brendon Roller, and TJ Wear.

Homebound Members: For information regarding homebound members call the church office at (626) 915-7819.

"Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn" Romans 12:15

Choir Director: Gene Manners

Accompanists: Edwin and Alyssa Rumbaoa

Chorister: Marilyn Villiers

Narration: Gered Porsona

Music: West Covina Hills Choir, Gene Manners, Erland Nepomuceno, "Hands of Praise"

Mary & Joseph: Morris and Carolyn Sianturi

Lead Angels: Arturo Sanguio, Monique Palaad, Nicole Tena, Gabriel Tena

Lil' Angels: West Covina Hills Children

Shepherds: Christian Botello, Ryan Castaneda, Kuda Gwasira

Wise Men: Al Acevedo, German Botello, Tasi Garcia

Audio/Visual: Daniel Benitez and West Covina Hills AV ministry team



Health Tips Tips for Healthy Living

Health Nugget

Building a Better Brain

One Bite at a Time!

Nutrition has a powerful effect on the structure, function, metabolism, and genetics of the brain. That means that positive dietary choices impact mood, memory, learning, and stress-sensitivity, as well as overall physical function.

Good nutrition is the foundation of a brain-building lifestyle that includes daily exercise; refreshing sleep and planned periods of relaxation; strong social ties; stress management; internal positive attitudes; and a spiritual connection with God.

Build Your Brain with:

2. Choose Healthful Fats

F-A-T is not spelled B-A-D! Healthy fats:

- **Helps** cells become more flexible, permeable, resilient
- Improves brain health; they also have a calming effect and aid in depression
- **Supplies** powerful antioxidants and flavonoids to fight cell damage, inflammation, and cancer
- Provides energy, insulation and heat conservation
- Transports important fat-soluble vitamins and health-boosting plant phytochemicals

Choose 30—70 grams per day. Sources: nuts, seeds, olives, avocados, olive oil, canola oil, soy oil Omega-3 fats are found in flax seed, walnuts, soy.