# 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, July 25th—Speaker:** Lew Gray—10:45 a.m.

Get Connected – 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, July 26th—Thursday, July 30th—Everest! - VBS—6:00—8:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, July 29th** — **NO** Bible Study or Hebrew class this week

Friday, July 31st—Prayer Warriors—7:30 p.m.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**Sabbath, August 1st** —**Speaker:** Lew Gray -10:45 a.m.

Get Connected—6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 5th— Bible Study—7:00 p.m.

Hebrew Class—7:00 p.m.

**Friday, August 7th**— Prayer Warriors —7:30 p.m.

This week's flowers are celebrating two wedding anniversaries. Morris and Carolyn Sianturi and Todd and Connie Jeffrey! Happy anniversary to both couples! (We also heard Todd just had a birthday).

**2015 VBS—Everest!** Sunday, July 26—Thursday, July 30th 6:00—8:30 p.m. \$15/child or \$30/family Registration forms available in the fover and online. There is still time to register!

Ariel Samantha Tanghal was born on July 8, 2015 @ 6lbs 5oz. 18 3/4" long to Oliver, Sharon and Leia Tanghal. Congratulations!! Can't wait to meet Ariel!

#### 2015 Camp Cedar Falls Schedule:

Water skiing, wake boarding, water week, sports, horsemanship, swimming, balloon art, optical illusion, art classes, guitar lessons, ceramics, beginning backpacking, teen leadership training; special four-day camp and more.

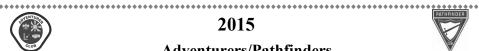
7/26-8/2-Junior 4 (ages 10-12);

8/2-8/9 Tween (ages 12-16).

Weekly Cost: \$250; Download the detailed brochure from

www.campcedarfalls.net or call: 818-546-8439. After June 18, call the camp

directly, 909-794-2911



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# Adventurers/Pathfinders

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### **Cheerful Giving! July2015**

**Church Budget Monthly Goal:** \$16,500.00 Received to date in July: \$ 9,847.32 Short YTD as of June 30: \$12,920.45 **Total Scholarship Need per Month:** \$ 2,183.00

\$ 747.74 Lamb's Offering in June:

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 Men's Ministry— James Dawson

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 -

Cross Trainer:

# West Covina Hills Seventh-day Adventist Church

3536 East Temple Way, West Covina, CA 91791

Church Office Hours: Mon.--Thurs. 9:00-1:00; Fri.-Closed

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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 WELCOMES YOU

# 2015 THE YEAR OF PERSONAL EVANGELISM



JULY 25, 2015

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

"Prayer is the key in the hand of faith to unlock heaven's storehouse, where are treasured the boundless resources of Omnipotence." SC, pp. 94,95

#### **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

The bulletin is available on our website.

# 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"	<b>Rotating Teachers</b>
Class #5 (Pastor's Office)	"New Believers"	Lew Gray
Class #6 (Choir Room)	"Young Adults"	Sam Ang/Chris Ostos

**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:

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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	<b>(</b> Grades 9-12)	Susan Benitez/Tony York

# www.kidsbibleinfo.com

# **Participants Today**

P.A.	Daniel Benitez/Sam Darnell
Church Chorister(s)	Gene Manners
Organist	Edwin Rumbaoa
Church Pianist/keyboard	Melanie Rumbaoa
Ushers and Deacons-Leader	Luis Garcia
Greeters 9-10 a.m.	Edward Luevano
Concierges greeters 9-10 a.m.	Audree Luevano
Greeters 10-11 a.m.	Bonnie Wear
Concierges greeters 10-11 a.m.	Udee Nwosu and Olga Lederer
Worship Coordinator (s)	Al Acevedo
Sabbath School Secretary	Aunda Muraviov/Lidia Baciu

# **West Covina Hills School News**

DATES TO REMEMBER: August

9-Work Bee -9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

12- Registration for 2015/2016—2:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

18—First day of school

#### Please continue your prayers for our school

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

West Covina Hills SDA SchoolOffice: 626-859-5005Principal: Angel NairFax: 626-859-5724

 $\textbf{Website:}\ \underline{www.wchas.adventistfaith.org}$ 

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



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This week- 8:01 Next week- 7:56

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# Our Church at Worship

# Song Service 10:35 a.m.

Leader: Gene Manners

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"	262
"Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"	462
"Never Part Again"	449

10:45 a.m.

Prelude Edwin Rumbaoa

Welcome & Announcements Marisela Garcia

Please place your communication card in the offering plate.

Hymn of Praise "Praise Him!, Praise Him!" 249
Chorister Gene Manners

Prayer Pauline Reid

Tithes & Offering Conference Disaster Relief Richard Alamillo
Offertory

Children's Story Lew Gray Lambs Offering

Scripture Mark 1:40-45 Maria Botello

Special Music "Look at the World" WCH Choir

Sermon "Create a Better Present" Lew Gray

Video

**Hymn of Dedication** "I Would Be Like Jesus" 311 **Chorister** Gene Manners

**Benediction** Lew Gray

Postlude Edwin Rumbaoa

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

#### Prayer and Praise

Please pray for: Amy Bauzon, Jennipher Campbell, Esther Chow, Sarah Corless, Richard Dizon, Humberto Espinosa, Bradley Greaves, Melissa and Arlene Hernandez, Betsy Hirayama, Kathy Ann Jenny, Johnson family, Jasminka Knecht, David Limongan, Rick Mathis, Erma Moya, Jose Moya, Esther Ramos, Elizabeth Rivera, Phil Sampson, Roosevelt Sampson, Virginia Shull, Jill Korolsky-Smith, and for those who are currently serving our country: Danny Castillo, Eric Castillo, Jason Corless, Greg Ramirez, Scott Robertson, 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

#### THEME OF WORSHIP

Shine as lights in the world, holding fast the word of life.

Philippians 2:15-16

Prior to the American Civil War (1861-1865), fugitive slaves found freedom by following the Underground Railroad, a term for the secret routes from the South to the North and the abolitionists who helped them along the way. Slaves would travel at night for many miles, keeping on track by following the light of the "Drinking Gourd." This was a code name for the collection of stars known as the Big Dipper, which points to the North Star. Some believe the fugitives also used encoded directions in the lyrics of the song "Follow the Drinking Gourd" to keep them from getting lost as they traveled.

Both the abolitionists and the "drinking gourd" served as points of light directing the slaves to freedom. The apostle Paul says that believers are to shine as "lights in the world" to show the way to those seeking God's truth, redemption, and spiritual liberation (Phil. 2:15).

We live in a dark world that desperately needs to see the light of Jesus Christ. Our calling is to shine forth God's truth so that others can be directed to the One who redeems and is the path to liberty and life. We point the way to Jesus, the One who is the way, the truth, and the life (John 14:6).

Dennis Fisher, Our Daily Bread







**New Enrollment for the FOK Cooking Course** 



We're pleased to announce that the next seating of the Forks Over Knives Online Cooking Course is now open. **The course begins September 9th.** 

https://forksoverknives.rouxbe.com/cooking-courses/fok/syllabus