### 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!

We also have wireless services for the hearing impaired.



Please see a Deacon for assistance.

#### THIS WEEK AT WEST COVINA HILLS:

TODAY, Jan. 16th—Speaker: Adam Hicks—10:45 a.m.

5:30 p.m.—Get Connected

Monday, Jan. 18th—MLK Day—Church Office Closed

Wednesday, Jan. 20th— Bible Study—7:00 p.m.

Hebrew Class—7:00 p.m.

**Friday, Jan. 22nd** — Prayer Warriors—7:30 p.m.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Sabbath, Jan. 23rd—Speaker: Lew Gray—10:45 a.m. 4:00—5:30 p.m. Stop Smoking Program

5:30 p.m.—Get Connected

**Sunday, Jan. 24th**—Stop Smoking Program—2:00—3:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, Jan. 27th**— Bible Study—7:00 p.m. Hebrew Class—7:00 p.m.

**Friday, Jan. 29th** — Prayer Warriors—7:30 p.m.

**2016 Flower Chart:** If you would like to purchase flowers for a special occasion (birthday, anniversary, memorial, etc.), please send your request in to the church office. The cost is still \$45 per arrangement. We are taking requests for all Sabbaths in 2016. It will be on a first-come first-served basis. **If you want flowers next week, Jan. 23rd, call or send your email in right away!** 

(email: wchsdachurch@gmail.com)

#### **Nominating Committee: First Reading**

Greeters: Michael Lim, Rossini Lim, Ernesto Davis, Jo Davis

Apr 26-29 – Pathway to Health mega clinic – 3000 medical and nonmedical volunteers needed for this huge outreach. More than 10,000 Los Angeles area residents will receive free medical, dental, vision, surgical or other health treatments. More than 3,000 health professionals and nonmedical volunteers needed!



Sign up now at pathwaytohealthvolunteer.org

**Transfer Out: First Reading** 

Karina Mamora to Azure Hills SDA Church, Grand Terrace, CA



# January 2016 Adventurers

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23—Club Meeting

3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. 10:00 a.m.—Noon

**Pathfinders** 

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16—Club Meeting 17—Club Meeting

24—Club Meeting (snow day)

3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. 10:00 a.m.- Noon

#### Cheerful Giving! January 2016

Church Budget Monthly Goal:
Received to date in January:
Over for 2015:

\$ 4,562.84

\$ 7,073.95

Total Scholarship Need per Month:
Lambs' Offering in January:
\$ 620.25

Local Evangelism Goal:
\$\$ \$40,000.00

\$13,678.55

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

#### **Ministry Leaders**

Adventurers - Alma Castaneda

Adventurers—Riris Huliselan

Received to date:

Children's S.S. Coordinator - Maria Botello

Church Clerk - Celeste Mercy 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 Sabbath School Secretary - Linda Barrett

Treasurer - Debbie Ang

WCH School Board Chair - A. D. Hall Wedding Coordinator—Marisela Garcia Women's Ministry Leader - Mickie Hall

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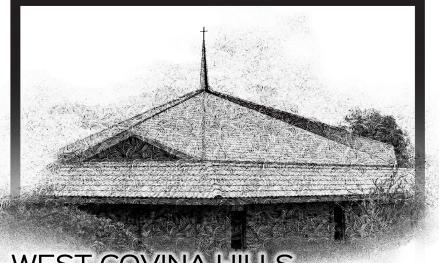
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# WEST COVINA HILLS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

2016 CREATION HEALTH: The year of wholeness

Spiritual, Physical, Mental, Emotional, Financial and Family



# JANUARY 16, 2016

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:

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
Church Chorister(s)	Megan Walker
Organist	
Church Pianist/keyboard	Edwin Rumbaoa
Ushers and Deacons-Leader	Morris Sianturi
Greeters 9-10 a.m.	Eddie Luevano
Concierges greeters 9-10 a.m	Audree Luevano
Greeters 10-11 a.m.	Olga Lederer
Concierges greeters 10-11 a.m.	Bonnie Wear and Marie Maranan
Worship Coordinator (s)	Al Acevedo
Sabbath School Secretary	Rose Carson/Linda Barrett

#### **West Covina Hills School News**

**DATES TO REMEMBER:** 

January

18—No School—Martin Luther King, Jr. Day 31—Hawaiian Luau Fundraiser

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 Fax: 626-859-5724 Principal: Angel Nair

Website: www.wchas.adventistfaith.org

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



Offertory

#### **Sunset Time**

This week-5:07 Next week-5:13

Wi-Fi —wchsdachurch7

## Our Church at Worship

#### 10:35 a.m. **Song Service**

"Don't Forget the Sabbath"	388
"Thine is the Glory"	171
"Hark! 'Tis the Shepherd's Voice I Hear"	361

#### 10:45 a.m.

Prelude Edwin Rumbaoa

Roberta Rivera **Welcome & Announcements** 

Please place your communication card in the offering plate.

**Hymn of Praise** "Jesus Loves Me" 190 Megan Walker Chorister

Prayer Christian Botello

**Ministry Spotlight Tithes & Offering** Church Budget Richard Alamillo

Christian & Bianca Botello

Kirtley Family Music

Children's Story **Sharon Tanghal Lambs Offering** 

"More Than Wonderful"

Matthew 18:1-5 Maria Botello Scripture

**Special Music** "Find Us Faithful" Kirtley Family Music

Sermon "The Me I Want to Be in 2016" Adam Hicks

**Hymn of Dedication** "Jesus Loves the Little Children"

Chorister Megan Walker

Benediction Adam Hicks

**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, Liz Corless, Sarah Corless, Richard Dizon, Humberto Espinosa, Juanita Hamren, Melissa and Arlene Hernandez, Betsy Hirayama, Kathy Ann Jenny, Johnson family, Timothy Kim, Jasminka Knecht, David Limongan, Brenden Markert-Green, Esther Ramos, Roosevelt Sampson, Virginia Shull, Jill Korolsky-Smith, Daisy Supit 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

#### Jesus Loves the Little Children

Jesus loves the little children All the children of the world Red and vellow, black and white they're precious in his sight Jesus loves the little children of the world

Jesus cares for all the children All the children of the world Black and yellow, red and white They're all precious in His sight Jesus cares for the children of the world



#### Health Nugget



If cutting back on sugar is one of your New Year's resolutions, don't think that swilling reduced-calorie sodas such as Coca-Cola Life or Pepsi True will do much for your strategy. Sure, they're lower in sugar than regular soda, which packs about 10 teaspoons into a 12-ounce can—but they still contain about 6 teaspoons. That's the daily limit for women,, according to the American Heart Association; for men, it's 9 teaspoons.

So what's different? Coke Life and Pepsi True are sweetened with a mixture of sugar and stevia, a no-calorie sweetener from plant leaves. Though the green cans may lead you to think these drinks are better for you, don't lose sight of the fact that no soda is a healthy choice. Some studies show that just one can of regular soda per day is enough to raise your risk of heart disease, type 2 diabetes, and obesity. As for stevia, "it's probably safe, but we'd like to see more research," says Michael F. Jacobson, Ph.D., executive director of the Center for Science in the Public Interest. And most colas have artificial caramel coloring. Some types contain 4-Mel, a potential carcinogen, but you can't tell that from the label. So we recommend limiting food and drinks with caramel color. We didn't test Coke Life or Pepsi True for 4- Mel.

We did taste-test them, and our trained testers and untrained staffers said they preferred regular Coke and Pepsi.