

## 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:

**April 1—3**— WCH Annual Church Retreat at Camp Cedar Falls  
**TODAY, April 2nd** - Speaker: Lew Gray—10:45 a.m.

**Wednesday, April 6th** - 7:00 p.m.—Bible Study  
7:00 p.m.—Hebrew Class

**Friday, April 8th** — 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

#### UPCOMING EVENTS:

**Sabbath, April 9th** - "Come Home: The Prodigal Son" —10:45 a.m.

**Wednesday, April 13th** - 7:00 p.m.—Bible Study  
7:00 p.m.—Hebrew Class

**Friday, April 15th** — 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

**NOTICE: West Covina Hills Adventist School Constituency meeting to be held on Saturday, April 16, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. in the WCH SDA Church**

**Flowers this week are** in celebration of Dave and Rose Carson's **40th** wedding anniversary!!! Congratulations to the two of you!!

**Flowers**—If you would like to purchase the flower arrangement on the platform for a special occasion (birthday, anniversary, memorial, etc.) on a specific Sabbath, please let the church office know. Most Sabbaths are available throughout the year. Orders will be taken on a first come, first served basis. The cost is still only \$45.00.

**Wednesday night Bible Study:** The Wednesday night Bible Study is finishing their study of the Gospel of Luke. If you have a specific book of the Bible or topic you would like to study, please let Harry Walker or the church office know. The next study will begin in June.

**Next Sabbath** is Christian Record Annual Day of Giving. Through your gift on April 9, you will bless people who are blind with Bibles and other reading material in braille, large print, or audio as well as other services and programs. To learn more about Christian Record Services for the Blind visit [www.CRSBday.org](http://www.CRSBday.org).

**"Come Home": The Story of the Prodigal Son:** Next week Sabbath, April 9<sup>th</sup>, there will be a dramatic presentation of the story of the Prodigal Son. Invite a friend to come witness one of the best known parables retold in a modern setting.



### April 2016 Adventurers



1—3 —Camping Trip to El Capitan  
24—WCHAS Spring Fair

10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

### Pathfinders

9—Club Meeting  
10—Honor  
16—Club Meeting  
17—Club Meeting  
24—Red Cross Blood Drive

3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.  
10:00 a.m.—Noon  
3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.  
10:00 a.m.—Noon  
10:00 a.m.— 4:00 p.m.

### Cheerful Giving! April 2016

<b>Church Budget Monthly Goal:</b>	<b>\$16,900.00</b>
Received to date in March:	\$15,875.28
Short YTD as of February 29:	(\$ 4,433.53)
<b>Total Scholarship Need per Month:</b>	<b>\$ 1,300.00</b>
Lambs' Offering in March:	\$ 1,034.92
<b>Local Evangelism Goal:</b>	<b>\$40,000.00</b>
Received to date:	\$27,235.69

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  
**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

### 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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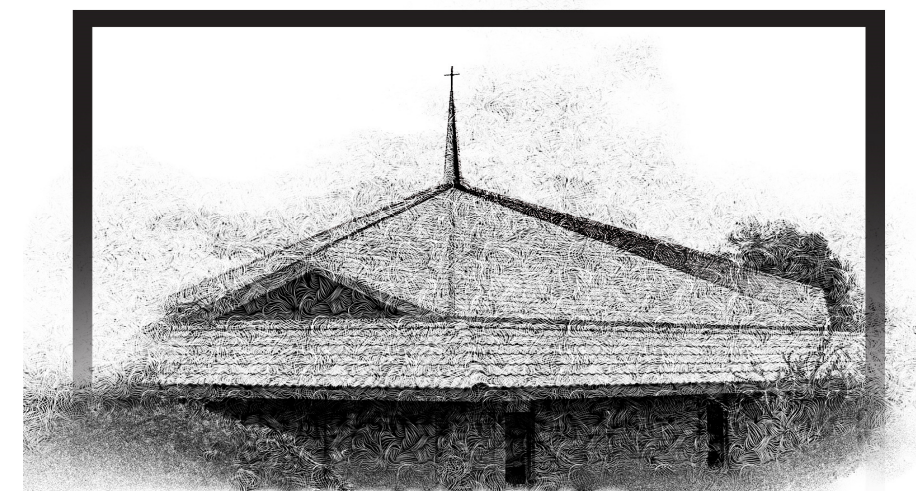
**Practicum Workers**

Rachel Minor

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Natalie Tapia

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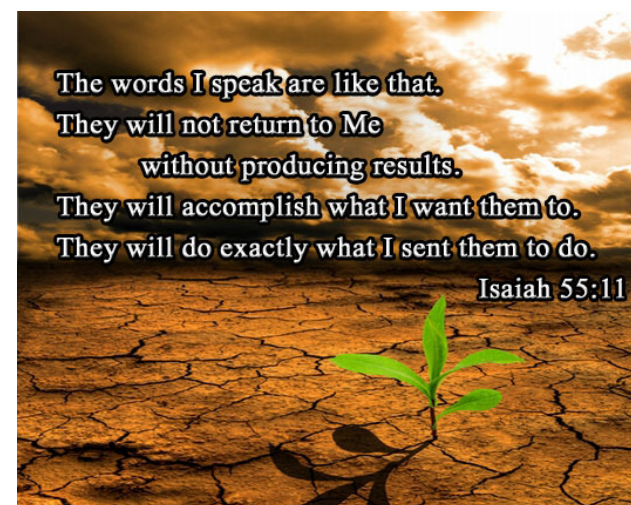
## WEST COVINA HILLS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

2016

CREATION HEALTH:

THE YEAR OF WHOLENESS

*Spiritual, Physical, Mental, Emotional, Financial and Family*



The words I speak are like that.

They will not return to Me

without producing results.

They will accomplish what I want them to.

They will do exactly what I sent them to do.

Isaiah 55:11

## APRIL 2, 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"	Rotating Teachers
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](http://www.ssnet.org), select "current lesson."

[www.BibleInfo.com](http://www.BibleInfo.com)

**Children/Youth may attend any of these classes:**

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

[www.kidsbibleinfo.com](http://www.kidsbibleinfo.com)

### Participants Today

P.A.	Daniel Benitez
Church Chorister(s)	Chester Hickman
Organist	
Church Pianist/keyboard	Aldrich Mamora
Ushers and Deacons-Leader	Luis Garcia
Greeters 9-10 a.m.	Rosemary Caudillo
Concierges greeters 9-10 a.m.	Marie Maranan
Greeters 10-11 a.m.	Steven Alfaro
Concierges greeters 10-11 a.m.	Cristi Alfaro and Roberta Rivera
Worship Coordinator (s)	Al Acevedo
Sabbath School Secretary	Linda Barrett/Marilena Fox

# Our Church at Worship

**10:35 a.m.**

**Song Service**

Leader: Gene Manners

"O Day of Rest and Gladness"	382
"So Send I You"	478
"When We All Get to Heaven"	633

**10:45 a.m.**

<b>Prelude</b>	Aldrich Mamora
<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>	Roberta Rivera

*Please place your communication card in the offering plate*

<b>Hymn of Praise Chorister</b>	"There's Sunshine in My Soul"	470	Gene Manners
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<b>Prayer Response</b>		Lillian Patton
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<b>Tithes &amp; Offering Offertory</b>	Church Budget	Guidel Rivera
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<b>Children's Story Lambs Offering</b>		Lew Gray
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<b>Scripture</b>	Hebrews 4:12-13	Sarah Onsoe
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<b>Special Music</b>		Aldrich and Blessie Mamora
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<b>Message</b>	"How to Find the Reset Button"	Lew Gray
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<b>Closing Hymn Chorister</b>	"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"	469	Gene Manners
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<b>Benediction</b>		Lew Gray
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<b>Postlude</b>		Aldrich Mamora
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*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.

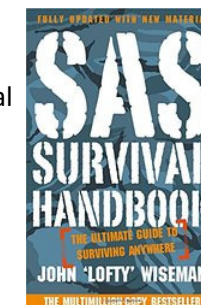
**"Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn" Romans 12:15**

# THEME OF WORSHIP

## A Survival Guide Vows to Save Your Life

If you were ever affected by a natural disaster, in the middle of an emergency situation, or stranded in the wilderness, would you know what to do to survive? Would you know how to treat a snake bite while on a hike? If you were lost in the woods would you know how to make a fire without matches or how to track and hunt wild animals for food? What would you do in case of a terrorist attack? Would you know how to escape or forage for food? How would you survive major disasters like floods, avalanches, hurricanes, tornadoes, earthquakes, and nuclear aftermaths?

Well, now there's an app to help you with all of these crucial questions. The SAS Survival Guide iPhone app takes the bestselling book by John "Lofty" Wiseman and puts it into digital form. Wiseman was a British soldier of the Special Air Service who wrote the bestselling book on SAS Survival.



This app that is jam-packed with extremely useful and potentially life-saving information, videos, and other tips and tricks for how to survive when the worst and unexpected happen. The photo galleries show you different animal tracks, medicinal and poisonous plants, sea creatures, and snakes, while the videos show you various instructions. The app also has a comprehensive First Aid section.

*The Bible is much more than a survival guide, but it does provide the essential skills we need to prepare for the crises of this life and for the next.*

Kim Komando, "A Survival Guide That Could Save Your Life," Kim Komando blog (2-20-15); submitted by: David Finch, Elk Grove, California

**April 30. – STEVE GREEN CONCERT** to benefit White Memorial Adventist School. 7PM, White Memorial Church. Suggested ticket/donation: \$10. Info: [323.268.7159](tel:323.268.7159)

**Looking for ways to minister to your community?** See the bulletin board in the hallway for ideas on how you can volunteer in meaningful ways through Citrus Valley Health Partners. There are opportunities for all ages in many different areas.

## West Covina Hills Adventist School News

**DATES TO REMEMBER: April**

- 4—Classes Resume
- 16—Education Sabbath
- 24—Spring Fair



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**Please continue your prayers for our school**

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

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**Principal: Angel Nair** Fax: 626-859-5724

**Website:** [www.wchas.adventistfaith.org](http://www.wchas.adventistfaith.org)

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Sunset Time

This week— 7:14

Next week— 7:20

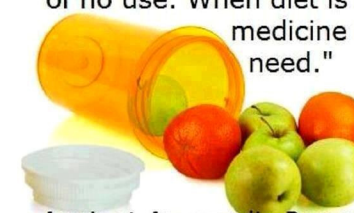
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### Health Nugget

**"Genetics load the gun, diet and lifestyle pull the trigger".... Our genes are not our destiny. They are manipulated, and in turn express, how we take care of (or don't) take care of our bodies.**

"When diet is wrong, medicine is of no use. When diet is correct, medicine is of no need."



~ Ancient Ayurvedic Proverb