

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:

TODAY, May 7th —Women's Day Program—Speaker: Janelle October - 10:45 a.m.

Vegetarian Potluck hosted by the Women's Ministry

6:00 p.m.—Get Connected

Wednesday, May 11th - 7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

7:00 p.m.- Hebrew Class

Friday, May 13th — 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sabbath, May 14th— Speaker: Ellie Hua—10:45 a.m.

Dr. An Pang Chieng— 5:00 p.m.—Lifestyle, Faith, and Longevity

6:15 p.m.—The Impending Health Tsunami

Wednesday, May 18th - 7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

7:00 p.m.- Hebrew Class

Friday, May 20th — 7:00 p.m.—Dr. Neil Nedley

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: There are 3 more weeks of the study of the book of Luke: May 4, 11 & 18. There will be a break and the next study will begin on June 15th. If you have a topic or particular book of the Bible you would like to study, let Harry Walker or the church office know. The Wednesday study is for YOU!

Anyone interested in singing Handel's Messiah in December should contact Gene Manners at 626-367-4567 or gene@genemanners.com



May 2016

Adventurers



13-15 -Camp Cedar Falls camping trip

21- Club Meeting

22 - Club Meeting

3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m.—Noon

Pathfinders

14—Club Meeting

15—Club Meeting

21—Club Meeting

22—Club Meeting

27-30 - Camping

3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m.—Noon

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Cheerful Giving!

May 2016

Church Budget Monthly Goal:	\$16,900.00
Received to date in April:	\$20,449.28
Short YTD as of April 30:	(\$ 1,761.46)
Total Scholarship Need per Month:	\$ 1,300.00
Lambs' Offering in April:	\$ 1,181.10
Local Evangelism Goal:	\$40,000.00
Received to date:	\$28,255.69

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 Baci
Health & Temperance Ministry—Sharon Tanghal
Health & Temperance Ministry—Jenne Walker
Home & School - Caroline Light
Interest Coordinator - Corneliu Baci
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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West Covina Hills Seventh-day Adventist Church is now on Facebook

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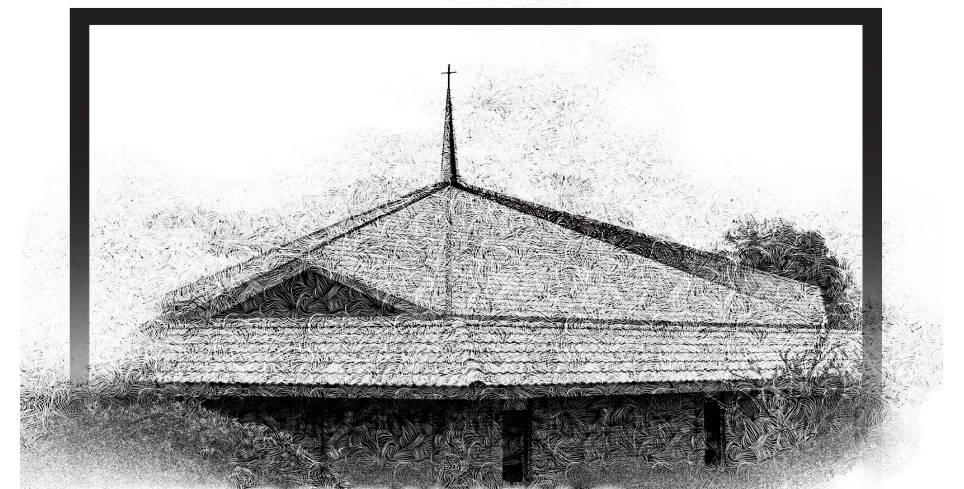
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WEST COVINA HILLS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

2016

CREATION HEALTH:

THE YEAR OF WHOLENESS

Spiritual, Physical, Mental, Emotional, Financial and Family

*Celebrating
Women*



MAY 7, 2016

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

1 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, 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)	Ruby Manners
Organist	Edwin Rumbaoa
Church Pianist/keyboard	Melanie Rumbaoa
Ushers and Deacons-Leader	Morris Sianturi
Greeters 9-10 a.m.	Rosemary Caudillo
Concierges greeters 9-10 a.m	Marie Maranan
Greeters 10-11 a.m.	Sarah Nwosu
Concierges greeters 10-11 a.m.	Olga Lederer and Roberta Rivera
Worship Coordinator (s)	Al Acevedo
Sabbath School Secretary	Lidia Baci/Linda Barrett

Our Church at Worship

10:35 a.m.

No Song Service

Leader: Gene Manners

10:45 a.m.

Prelude		Edwin Rumbaoa
Welcome & Announcements		Marisela Garcia
	<i>Please place your communication card in the offering plate</i>	
Hymn of Praise Chorister	“Live Out Thy Life Within Me”	316 Ruby Manners
	Introduction of New Associate Pastor	
Prayer		Michelle Yanez
Prayer Response		Sanctuary Choir
Special Presentation		Lillian Patton
Tithes & Offering Offertory	Church Budget “Clap Your Hands”	Jennifer Walker Sanctuary Choir
Children’s Story		Ellie Hua
Lambs Offering		
Ministry Spotlight		Megan Walker
Special Music	“Thanks Be To God”	Sanctuary Choir
Scripture	Matthew 13:10—23	Pauline Reid
Special Music	“I Can Trust Him”	Eileen James
Message	“Trusting the Sower to Grow His Seed”	Janelle October
Dedication of Women:		
Reading		Jillian Lutes
Blessing		Lew Gray
	<i>Tokens of Love</i>	
Hymn of Dedication Chorister	“’Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus”	524 Megan Walker
Benediction		Janelle October
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, Melissa and Arlene Hernandez, Betsy Hirayama, Kathy Ann Jenny, Johnson family, Timothy Kim, Jasminka Knecht, Brenden Markert-Green, Esther Ramos, Roosevelt Sampson, Virginia Shull, Jill Korolsky-Smith, Eddy Supriadi, Daisy Supit, Fred Urbina **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

Matthew 13:10—23 (NKJV)

And the disciples came and said to Him, “Why do You speak to them in parables?”

He answered and said to them, “Because it has been given to you to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been given. For whoever has, to him more will be given, and he will have abundance; but whoever does not have, even what he has will be taken away from him. Therefore I speak to them in parables, because seeing they do not see, and hearing they do not hear, nor do they understand. And in them the prophecy of Isaiah is fulfilled, which says:

‘Hearing you will hear and shall not understand,
And seeing you will see and not perceive;
For the hearts of this people have grown dull.
Their ears are hard of hearing,
And their eyes they have closed,
Lest they should see with *their* eyes and hear with *their* ears,
Lest they should understand with *their* hearts and turn,
So that I should heal them.’

But blessed *are* your eyes for they see, and your ears for they hear; for assuredly, I say to you that many prophets and righteous *men* desired to see what you see, and did not see *it*, and to hear what you hear, and did not hear *it*.

“Therefore hear the parable of the sower: When anyone hears the word of the kingdom, and does not understand *it*, then the wicked *one* comes and snatches away what was sown in his heart. This is he who received seed by the wayside. But he who received the seed on stony places, this is he who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy; yet he has no root in himself, but endures only for a while. For when tribulation or persecution arises because of the word, immediately he stumbles. Now he who received seed among the thorns is he who hears the word, and the cares of this world and the deceitfulness of riches choke the word, and he becomes unfruitful. But he who received seed on the good ground is he who hears the word and understands *it*, who indeed bears fruit and produces: some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.”



West Covina Hills Adventist School News

DATES TO REMEMBER: May

- 27—PE Olympics
- 30—Memorial Day—No School
- 31—Kindergarten Graduation

Please continue your prayers for our school

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

West Covina Hills SDA School

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Sunset Time

This week— 7:41

Next week— 7:47

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Health Nugget

Coming to West Covina Hills!!

May 14 -

Dr. An Pang Chieng— 5:00 p.m.—Lifestyle, Faith, and Longevity
6:15 p.m.—The Impending Health Tsunami

May 15 & 22 -

Healthy Cooking Class—10:00 a.m. to Noon Includes lunch!

Register by May 10th Cost: \$10 per person

May 20 @ 7:00 p.m.—Dr. Neil Nedley

May 21 @ 10:45 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.—Dr. Neil Nedley