

## 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.

Calendar of events

#### THIS WEEK:

**TODAY, Aug 20th — Speaker:** Jillian Lutes —10:45 a.m.  
All Church Vegetarian Potluck hosted by Get Connected  
6:30 p.m.—Get Connected

**Wednesday, Aug 24th -** 7:00 p.m.— Bible Study  
7:00 p.m.— Greek/Hebrew Class

**Friday, Aug 26th —** 7:00 p.m.—Grounded Youth Vespers  
7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

#### UPCOMING EVENTS:

**Sabbath, Aug 27th — Speaker:** Special Musical Service —10:45 a.m.

**Baptisms**  
6:30 p.m.—Get Connected



**Wednesday, Aug 31st -** 7:00 p.m.— Bible Study  
7:00 p.m.— Greek/Hebrew Class

**Friday, Sept 2nd —** 7:00 p.m.—Grounded Youth Vespers  
7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

**Flowers today are** in celebration of Don and Jan Krpalek's anniversary. Happy Anniversary to the two of you!! And welcome to West Covina Hills!

**Flower Chart is back!** You can sign up to purchase flowers for the sanctuary (which you can take with you) to acknowledge a special day, event or person. ONE per Sabbath only! First come, first pick! Price is still only \$45. The chart is on the bulletin board in the hallway.

**West Coast Music & Worship Conference** September 28, 2016 at 7:00 PM  
White Memorial SDA Church - 401 North State Street - Los Angeles, CA 90033  
The annual conference held at White Memorial that has seminars on Music Leadership, AV, Drama, Musicianship for instrumentalists, as well as an opportunity to be in a mass choir and receive private voice lessons. Register at: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/west-coast-music-worship-conference-tickets-24587571087?ref=ecount>

**The Williams and Walker families** wish to thank you for your prayers and concerns. We needed them and they are strengthening us. Marina is doing well. We are truly blessed.

**New Believers Sabbath School class** is beginning in Pastor Lew's office this week at 9:30 a.m. If you are interested in studying the "basics" of Adventist faith, plan to join this class!



August 2016



28 Registration

Adventurers

10:00 a.m.—Noon

20 Club Meeting

Pathfinders

3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

21 Club Meeting

10:00 a.m.—Noon

### Cheerful Giving! August 2016

<b>Church Budget Monthly Goal:</b>	<b>\$16,900.00</b>
Received to date in August	\$13,123.40
Short YTD as of July 31:	(\$ 3,304.42)
<b>Total Scholarship Need per Month: (2015/16)</b>	<b>\$ 1,300.00</b>
Lambs' Offering in August:	\$ 484.00
<b>Local Evangelism Goal:</b>	<b>\$40,000.00</b>
Received to date:	\$36,722.69

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  
**Youth Ministry Leader**—Pastor Jillian Lutes

#### 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**

**Secretary:** Celeste Mercy

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**E-mail:** wchsdachurch@gmail.com

**Fax:** 626-339-2413

**Website:** wchsdachurch.com

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

**Pastor:** Lew Gray

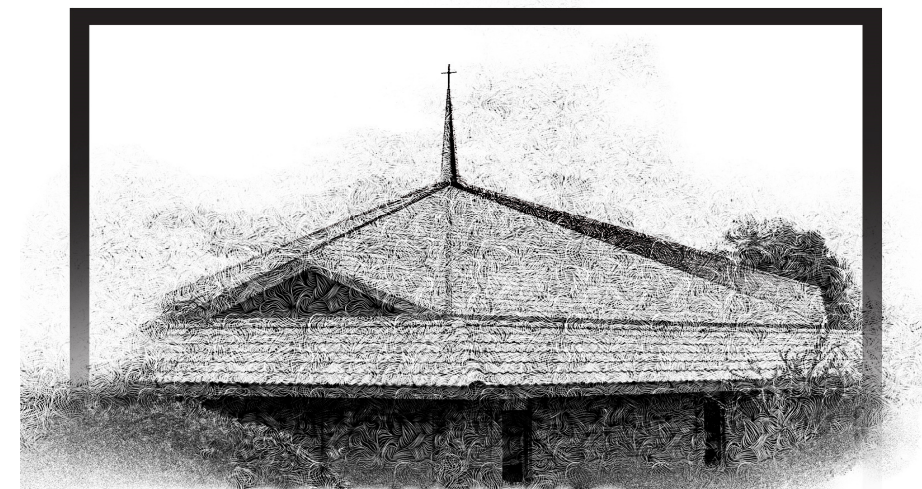
**Home:** 909-599-6425

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**Associate Pastor:** Jillian Lutes

**Cell:** 707-980-9891

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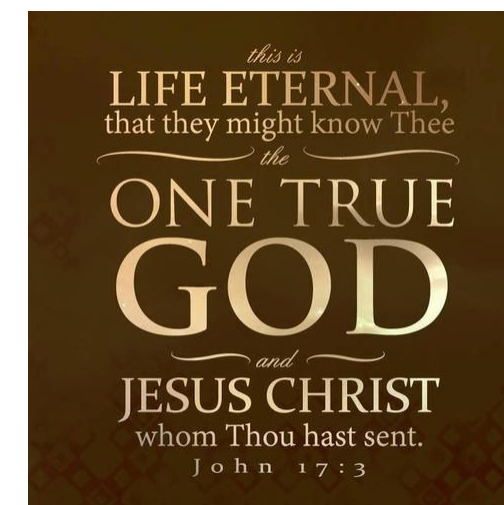
## WEST COVINA HILLS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

2016

CREATION HEALTH:

THE YEAR OF WHOLENESS

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



# AUGUST 20, 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)	Gene Manners
Organist	Edwin Rumbaoa
Church Pianist/keyboard	Melanie Rumbaoa
Ushers and Deacons-Leader	Luis Garcia
Greeters 9-10 a.m.	Harry Palar
Concierges greeters 9-10 a.m.	Marilyn Palar
Greeters 10-11 a.m.	Audree Luevano
Concierges greeters 10-11 a.m.	Bonnie Wear and Gerda Mamora
Worship Coordinator (s)	Al Acevedo
Sabbath School Secretary	Linda Barrett/Lidia Baciu

## West Covina Hills Adventist School News

**DATES TO REMEMBER: August**

**22—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 School**

**Office:** 626-859-5005

**Principal:** Donald Krpalek

**Fax:** 626-859-5724

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

**Follow us on Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/WCHASchool](http://www.facebook.com/WCHASchool)



**Sunset Time**

**This week— 7:35**

**Next week— 7:26**

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# Our Church at Worship

**10:35 a.m.**

**Song Service**

Leader: Gene Manners

"Does Jesus Care?"	181
"The Wonder of It All"	75
"Burdens Are Lifted At Calvary"	476

**10:45 a.m.**

**Prelude** Edwin Rumbaoa

**Welcome & Announcements** Marisela Garcia

*Please place your communication card in the offering plate*

**Hymn of Praise** "Open My Eyes That I May See" 326  
**Chorister** Gene Manners

**Prayer** Harvey Reid

**Ministry Spotlight** Introduction of Cross-trainer Lew Gray

**Tithes & Offering** Church Budget Richard Alamillo  
**Offertory**

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

**Scripture** John 17:1-5 Pauline Reid

**Special Music** Chester Hickman

**Message** "Jesus's Definition of Eternal Life" Jillian Lutes

**Hymn of Dedication** "More About Jesus" 245  
**Chorister** Gene Manners

**Benediction** Jillian Lutes

**Postlude** Edwin Rumbaoa

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

**Prayer and Praise**

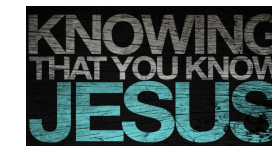
**Please pray for:** Celia Adam, Linda Barrett, Amy Bauzon, Grace Casey, David Che, Esther Chow, Liz Corless, Sarah Corless, Richard Dizon, Humberto Espinosa, Betsy Hirayama, Kathy Ann Jenny, Johnson family, Timothy Kim, Evangeline & Steve Murphy, Esther Ramos, Sergio Antonio Salinas, Roosevelt Sampson, Virginia Shull, Jill Korolsky-Smith, Eddy Supriadi, Fred Urbina, Marina Williams **and for those who are currently serving our country:** Danny 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's Definition of Eternal Life**



**Do you think you have eternal life? Why or why not?**

**How well do you think you know God?**

**What could you do to get to know Him better?**

**Is there anything in your life getting in the way?**

**Who do you see as your community?**

**What could you do to help them know God better?**



**Health Nugget**

**Cell Phone Etiquette**

**Dear Amy:** I have grandchildren in their 20s.

When they are invited for dinner at our home, they often sit down with cellphone in hand, attempting to hold a conversation or text while eating.

When I remind them that we do not permit cellphone use at the dinner table, they cease, but I wonder whether there is a better way to handle this situation. Any suggestions? Frustrated Grandpa

**Dear Grandpa:** Cellphone etiquette is a big deal, not only for flummoxed elders (who reached adulthood without this constant distraction), but also for young cellphone users who have had to develop their own techniques for trying to regulate this behavior. And, by the way, sometimes elders are the worst offenders.

Several millennial readers have made the following suggestion, as being something that works for them: When out at a restaurant, everyone places their cellphone in the middle of the table. The first person to reach for it picks up the check.

You can modify this at home by asking for the group to agree that the first person to reach for their phone does the dishes.